



April 2016



# Club News

A Monthly Publication of the Quincy Country Club

## Comfort Food Wednesdays

April 6  
QCC Signature Lamb  
Shanks

April 13  
Shrimp & Grits with  
Collard Greens

April 20  
QCC Fried Steak

April 27  
Red Beans & Rice  
with Corn Bread

**THIS MONTH'S  
SUNDAY BRUNCH  
APRIL 17TH**

## New 2-Day QCC Event



Our Dogwood Block Party  
and "Out of This World" Cart Parade  
Friday, April 29

Ten couples will decorate a cart  
Members will vote for the winner!

5:30 - Cookout/Beverages

6:30 - Parade

6:30

Bounce  
House

Face Painting  
Tim Hart

**Ten Couple's Golf Shootout - April 30th - 3:00**

— Join the gallery —

**Rinella Wine Company  
Wine Tasting "experience"  
Saturday April 9th  
6:30 - 8:30**



## Tim Hart Live

April 9



Call 223-3452 for reservations!



## QUINCY COUNTRY CLUB AND THE QUINCY ART CENTER INTERACTIVE EVENT EXCLUSIVELY AT QCC!

Paint your Pottery Pinot Party

Tuesday April 19th from 6-8 pm

Pick your ceramic bisque ware

(mugs, bowls, plates, figurines) and paint and glaze.

Pieces available for pickup at the art center the following week.

\$40 per member or guest includes Glass of Wine and Cheese.

Limited to the first 24 Members and Guests





## From the Manager

Dear Members,  
This month brings good golf weather and great events! Our menu rotations have been well received—thank you all for trying new entrees and allowing us to keep the excitement every time you arrive at the club for dinner!!

The March Madness Final Four has always been a good draw—enjoy the big screen and some time with your friends and try your hand at the free throw line! Plan on watching at your club on April 2nd. Details below.

Family BINGO hits the scene again on April 8th from 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm. Invite some friends, guests and neighbors and allow them to see what QCC has to offer their family.

Tim Hart will be playing live at the club on Saturday April 9th and April 29th starting at 6:30 – close. While you are out at the club, visit a tasting experience with Rinella and Company on Saturday April 9th as well.

Men's Opening Day will be scheduled on Thursday April 14th officially opening the Men's Golf Season. Come to the club for lunch, a game and dinner with the guys!

Bella Sonethongkham brings her sounds to QCC on Friday April 15th and sure to bring a crowd!! Make sure to call in your reservation and enjoy Bella Live from 6:30 – 9:30.

## FINAL 4

Saturday  
April 2nd



**Big Screen will be available for  
NCAA Final 4 (Ballroom & Legacy  
Room) along with Games and Fun!!**

**Light snacks and drinks 5:00 pm**

**Hors d'oeuvres 6:00 pm**

**\$10.00 pp.**

**Please call for reservations-223-3452**

**a la carte service available**

**in Main Dining Room**

Sunday Brunch Buffet this month is slated for Sunday April 17th. Stop out after church and enjoy a quick and easy brunch buffet to get you on your way for a Sunday afternoon nap or to do lists!

Pottery is unique and individual and you now have the chance to experience that. Join us here at the club along with our friends from the Quincy Art Center as they instruct you on the art of pottery painting. A glass of Wine and Cheese will be provided—24 spots available. Reserve today!

Family Movie Night will be the evening of Saturday April 23rd showing Alvin and The Chipmunks: The Road Chip. Movie starts promptly at 7:00 and all the popcorn you can eat is complimentary!!

Check out a new event this year surrounding Quincy's famous Dogwood parade. Experience our own QCC parade and entertainment on Friday April 29th. Our Dogwood Couple's Shootout will be on Saturday April 30th. See the front page for more details.

Thank you for your continued support of QCC and look forward to seeing you all at the club soon!

See you all at the club! God Bless!!

A New Beginning!

2 Corinthians 5:17

Sincerely & respectfully,

Matthew Mulherin, Manager



## Employee of the Month

**KALE HOUGHTON** began his employment at Quincy Country Club in November of 2013. Kale's parents, Kevin and Nancie, live here in Quincy. Kale has two sisters, Brittany, 22, and Taylor, 18.

He enjoys spending time with family and friends—he also enjoys sports and history is a favorite field of study.

Kale is a senior at Quincy High School, where his goal is to maintain excellent grades and prepare to get a college degree.

His favorite memories here at the club are the fun times shared with coworkers during late night parties and wedding receptions.

He was a QHS football top scholarship award winner.

Kale is an asset to the club—he is hard working and reliable—also a very nice young man!



## PAR for the course

by Gideon Smith, Head Golf Professional

Spring is upon us and your PGA Staff is ready. Instruction programs are in place, equipment is in, spring fashions are available along with footwear to enhance your game. Let's start with instruction. Women's golf clinic dates are set. We have 3 opportunities for our women members to kick the season off and get on the right track to enjoy the golf season. We will have men's and women's wedge clinics available throughout the season. As your PGA Professional I feel that one of the best ways to improve your game is with your short game. Being able to have a sound wedge game and the ability to take the pressure off of the rest of your game makes ball striking, driving and putting a lot easier. With spring here you always want to look your best for the season. We have the new NIKE Men's Fly Blade Stripe and Footjoy men's apparel. NIKE for women is in along with some nice spring outerwear piece fashions from Sun Mountain. We have hat & T-Shirt combo's in that make you look great and repre-

sent your club around home and out on the town. Also a very good pool piece. We will be having swim towels in the Pro Shop with the Club Crest. Let your PGA Professional staff help you with your golf game. Get fit for the proper wedges, driver, irons and putter. Take some lessons and improve your golfing skill set. Our job is to make sure you have the correct piece of equipment in your hands and that you are happy. Part of a purchase is going out and performing with the piece of equipment, a small lesson during the fitting and yes your purchase supports your Club. We have 3 demo days set up for the membership this year. We have PING coming on April 20th, we have Callaway Golf coming on April 27th and TaylorMade golf April 29th. All demo days will be from 2-6 p.m. Have a great month, enjoy the Masters and we will see you at the Club.

Gideon

**Tuesday Women's Clinics** (9:30 – 10:15)  
April 19th / 26th / May 3rd / May 10th / May 17th

**Wednesday Women's Clinics** (5:30 – 6:15 pm)  
April 13th / 20th / 27th / May 4th  
Play golf on the course for the rest of the summer

**Friday Women's Clinics** (11:00 – 11:45)  
April 22nd / 29th / May 6th / May 13th / May 20th

**Men's and Women's Wedge Fitting Clinic**  
April 9th 3:00 pm

### SAINT PATRICK'S GOLF EVENT

1st Place	57
Mike Bross – Mike Stout	
2nd Place	60
Ryan Schuenke – Dave Mosley	
3rd Place	63
Mike Happel – Mark Zoller	

*Thank you to the 12 teams that were able to participate this year.*



### Ready, Set, Tee Off

- April 14 Men's Opening Day Lunch Buffet 11-1 \$11.00 • Prime Rib Buffet 5:30-8:30 \$20.00
- April 20 PING Demo Day 2:00-6:00
- April 27 Callaway Demo Day 2:00-6:00
- April 29 TaylorMade Demo Day 2:00-6:00
- May 4 Women's Opening Day

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>APRIL 2016</b>						
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> PRO SHOP/ CLUBHOUSE CLOSED	<b>5</b> 11:30 am Private Party GR/Legacy 12:00 pm Private Party PR 6:00 pm Private Party PR	<b>6</b> 6:00 pm Private Party All Up <b>COMFORT FOOD</b> Lamb Shanks	<b>7</b> <b>PASTA &amp; PIZZA</b>	<b>8</b> 12:00 pm Private Party Centennial Rm. <b>FAMILY BINGO</b>	<b>9</b> 2:00 pm Private Party All up <b>Rinella Wine</b> <b>Event 6:30-8:30</b> <b>Tim Hart</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> PRO SHOP/ CLUBHOUSE CLOSED	<b>12</b> 12:00 pm Private Party PR	<b>13</b> <b>COMFORT FOOD</b> Shrimp & Grits	<b>14</b> 12:00 Sr. Nit Wits GR/BR 12:30 Jr. Nit Wits - PR <b>MEN'S OPENING</b> <b>DAY</b> <b>PASTA &amp; PIZZA</b>	<b>15</b> 12:00 pm Private Party PR 6:00 pm Private Party PR/BR <b>Bella Live</b>	<b>16</b> 6:00 pm Private Party All up
<b>17</b> <b>SUNDAY BRUNCH</b> 6:00 pm Private Party Ballroom	<b>18</b> PRO SHOP/ CLUBHOUSE CLOSED	<b>19</b> <b>Paint your</b> <b>Pottery Pinot</b> <b>Party 6-8</b> <b>BOARD MEETING</b> 6:00 PM PR	<b>20</b> 9:00 am Private Party PR <b>PING DEMO DAY</b> 2-6 <b>COMFORT FOOD</b> QCC Fried Chicken	<b>21</b> Mrs. Murphy's Tables 11:00 PR <b>PASTA &amp; PIZZA</b>	<b>22</b> 12:00 pm Private Party Legacy 6:00 pm Private Party GR 10:00 pm Private Party GR	<b>23</b> 6:00 pm Private Party All Up <b>MOVIE NIGHT</b> <b>7:00</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> PRO SHOP/ CLUBHOUSE CLOSED	<b>26</b> 12:00 pm Private Party GR	<b>27</b> <b>CALLAWAY</b> <b>DEMO DAY</b> 2-6 <b>COMFORT FOOD</b> Red Beans & Rice	<b>28</b> 12:00 Sr. Nit Wits GR/BR 12:30 Jr. Nit Wits - PR <b>PASTA &amp; PIZZA</b>	<b>29</b> <b>TAYLORMADE</b> <b>DEMO DAY</b> 2-6 <b>DOGWOOD BLOCK</b> <b>PARTY &amp; PARADE</b> <b>Tim Hart</b>	<b>30</b> <b>COUPLES SHOOTOUT</b> 3:00 pm 6:00 pm Private Party All up



## “YOUR CLUB” MEMBERSHIP

Membership promotions and drives always produce a short term gain; however, studies have shown that member-invited prospects generally produce long-term memberships. Members themselves have proven to be the BEST membership drive over all other promotions that can be thought up. That is why we need you to be the voice of the club and share the experience of QCC with those around you.

With that said, the Board of Directors has approved the incentives (shown below) for your dedication to our future members of QCC.

### **Membership Incentive Program**

**Time Frame:** April 1st 2016 – December 31st 2016

One New Member	One month's dues
Two New Members	Three month's dues
Three New Members	Six Month's dues

Sponsored Member must remain for a minimum of 6 months. The credit per month, based on the classification of the joining prospect, will be given after 6 months of membership.

#### **Sponsor & Dual Sponsors:**

Credit to be given or taken at Sponsoring Member's choice. Credits can be split 50/50 amongst 2 sponsors or will be given to the first-named sponsor on application.

### — FYI —

**E-Mail Reminder:** Do you want to be reminded every week about upcoming events and news from QCC? If so, send me your email address and every week you will receive an update on fun, exciting things that are happening at your club that week.

Email me at [qccgm@adams.net](mailto:qccgm@adams.net) or Gideon at [qccpro@adamsnetfor](mailto:qccpro@adamsnetfor) pro shop updates and ask to sign up.

**Concerning Handicaps, Lockers, Club Storage, or Range:** You must notify the office by April 30th if you wish to be taken off these lists. Anyone wishing to make any changes to his/her handicaps, locker, club storage, or range program from last year should notify the business office as soon as possible.

**Cycle billing:** Members with last names beginning with the letters A through G will be billed for the period starting with the 11th of each month and ending with the 10th of the following month. Members with last names beginning with the letters H through N will be billed for the period starting with the 21st of each month and ending with the 20th of the following month. Members with last names beginning with the letters O through Z will be billed for the period starting with the 1st of each month and ending with the last day of that same month.

### **FAMILY**



**Friday April 8th**  
**Bingo calls at 7:00 pm**

QCC FAMILY  
MOVIE NIGHT  
Movie plays at 7:00  
April 23rd

Showing:  
Alvin and the Chipmunks:  
The Road Chip  
Rating 2.3.2





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**John Wood Outing**  
May 2nd

**Ladies' Opening Day**  
May 4th

**Tim Hart Live**  
May 6th

**Mother's Day Brunch**  
May 8th

**Kohl Outing**  
May 13th

**Logan Live**  
May 14th

**Family Movie Night**  
May 14th

**Young Life Outing**  
May 16th

**Couples Twilight**  
May 20th

**Logan Live**  
May 21st

**Sports Sign-up/Pool Opens**  
May 21st

**Kids Lock In**  
May 21st & 22nd

**Quincy Art Center**  
**Painting Class**  
May 24th

**Lavish Floral Wine & Design**  
May 25th

**Family Glow Golf**  
**Putting Event**  
May 27th

**Paul Murphy Swim**  
**Guest Trainer**  
May 28th/29th

**Men's Holiday Tournament**  
May 29th

**Jay Harris Comedy Show**  
May 29th

**Memorial Day Event &**  
**Cookout & DOME Theater**  
May 30th

**Club Closed**  
May 31st

**Go Paperless at QCC!-OPTIONAL - Newsletters and Monthly Statements**

Simply email me or call Bill or Nicole at the office to register for one or both of these services!  
This will allow us to serve you quicker and less expensively keeping you informed and up to date.

## **QUINCY COUNTRY CLUB**

### **PRIVATE RECEPTION INFORMATION**

As a Member of QCC, you have the ideal location, services, and professional staff to host your private reception. No matter how small or large, detailed or simplistic, the QCC staff will be here for you to create a successful reception at very competitive pricing!

Most facilities in town offer services similar to ours, however, what they do not offer is: Free room rental bookings for member events and only a \$5.00 pp charge for member-sponsored events, complete coordination of the event, linen choices, and the use of our vases, mirrors, votives and large centerpieces for food tables, also wireless internet access in our meeting rooms—complimentary! We offer a wide variety of background music and the coordination of private bands, quartets, flowers and centerpieces as well as harpists and pianists. Carvers and cake cutters at no extra charge and the best food selections in town. We will even duplicate Grandma's favorite recipe just for you!!

Most facilities will up charge for these special requests that we feel you deserve as part of the "above and beyond services" that we strive to provide!

**The average rental around town is \$500 – \$2000**

From the second you enter, the club and its history are apparent with original architecture and design. From that point on my staff and I will work diligently to ensure that your guests receive preferential treatment.

All of this and much more because you are a member of Quincy Country Club! Why go elsewhere and pay the same and receive less. Support of your club also has benefits such as increased revenue which result in lower fees.

I guarantee a great event no matter what the event may be. My staff and I are excited to be a part of your special day!!

### **CLUB INFORMATION & ROOM CAPACITIES**

#### **Main Ballroom**

##### ***Plated Dinner***

Ballroom: 80-90

**Maximum Capacity**

**Ballroom 310**

#### **Other Rooms**

##### ***Plated Dinner***

Presidents' Room: 20-50

Garden Room: 80-140

Centennial Room: 32-64

Legacy Room: 32-40