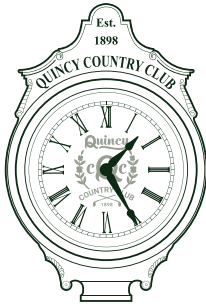


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Letter from the Manager

Dear Members,

As November arrives, I want to start with a heartfelt thank you to the incredible team here at Quincy Country Club. I spent two weeks getting oriented at the club, and I was welcomed in such a way that already makes QCC feel like home. In these few days, I was able to get a solid understanding of how things run here, and if I could sum up my feeling in one word, it would be impressive.

It was truly inspiring to see Gideon, Em, and Jon bring their energy and passion to serving our members. Even with all the changes underway, the grounds team has gone above and beyond to enhance the course in the absence of a superintendent, handling every challenge with dedication. In the restaurant, Steve, Marlena, Klaus, Chris, and Thomas continue to keep spirits high and service seamless across our dining areas, showing their dedication to ensuring a great experience every time. Chef Kevin and Chef Josh, with their talented team, are working hard to bring even more exciting flavors to your plate—I can't wait for you to see what's in store! Dana is a one man army keeping up with the needs of all parts of the club.

I was also incredibly impressed by the level and quality of events we offer year-round. These gatherings rival those in top clubs across Chicago and St. Louis. Thanks to the efforts of Bill, Christina, and our administrative team, in keeping the club running smoothly.

My sincere gratitude goes to the leadership team, past and present, who have put in place great systems and processes. Thanks to them, the team is well-trained to deliver consistent, high-quality service that our members can rely on.

Over the next month, as I prepare for my family's move to Quincy, I can't help but look forward to all the exciting opportunities ahead. There is so much potential here, and I'm excited to see how we can continue adding value to your membership. In my first few months, I'll be diving deep into each department, working alongside our line staff to gain a true, hands-on understanding of the club. I aim to introduce new technologies that will make it easier for our team to serve you better. I'll also focus on understanding our financials to ensure we are in a strong position to support meaningful improvements and experiences in 2025.

As we look ahead, my goal is to empower our leadership team to make a big impact in the coming year. The way we are going to take our service to the next level is very simple, we are going to practice and then we are going to practice more. We're also going to streamline our communications, refine our marketing to welcome new members, and continue enhancing the golf course for year-round enjoyment in 2025, with no disruptions.

Thank you all for the warm welcome. I want to close with a quote from Jim Collins that I've taken the liberty of adapting (from my current Audible read):

"Good is the enemy of great. That is one of the key reasons why we have so little that it becomes truly exceptional. We don't have great schools, largely because we settle for good schools. We don't have great country clubs, largely because we settle for good ones. Few people attain great lives, because it's just so easy to settle for a good life."

Let's make 2025 a great year for QCC's members and Staff.

Warm regards,

Harmukh 'Molly' Sandhu
General Manager/COO
Quincy Country Club



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Monthly Event Highlights



COFFEE & CARS

Saturday, November 2

View [Play & Activities](#)
for more details



ITALIAN FOOD & WINE NIGHT

Sunday, November 3

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for more details



THANKSGIVING BUFFET

Thursday, November 28

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for more details

Par for the Course

Letter from the Golf Pro

November means we start preparing for the Holidays. We have Thanksgiving and then Christmas. This also means we want to help you prepare for the holidays and get some great gifts for the family members who play golf and maybe don't play golf. Johnnie O' lifestyle pieces are great for everyone. You might as well look good at the table when consuming all that great food. We have Sun Mountain outerwear, Footjoy (men's & women's) pieces, Holderness and Bourne, and more. We look forward to spoiling you throughout the shopping experience from helping with ideas to wrapping gifts, we can handle it.

As you saw in multiple threads we would like to congratulate Emily on being voted the Assistant Golf Professional of the Year for the Gateway PGA Section by her Gateway PGA peers. I also don't want to overlook the efforts put in by Jon "Jr. Pro" Roberson. Jon and Emily are tremendous assets to the Club and I am so proud of both. I can truly say they do everything they possibly can to make the member's experience at the Club and on the course memorable. A big thank you to Emily and Jon for everything they do.

I look forward to celebrating with Emily at the Gateway PGA Awards banquet on November 17th. I get to emcee the event so I am sure I will shed a tear when announcing Emily. All I hear in my mind is "Keep it together" and it never works.

We have the "Greenskeeper Revenge" set for November 9th and the maintenance team is gearing up their ideas. It should be a ton of fun and Yes, it will be tough. We shotgun start at noon, we will have chili available for participants in the Locker Room and the format is a 2 person scramble. Members can invite a guest to make up their two-person team. We will waive the guest fee for the event. You will also have the ability to make your own foursome to play in. Contact the Pro Shop to sign up for the event.

Golf Course Update

You are seeing lots of work being done to the bunkers. As I write this email the first bunker is being finished on hole #13. So during October, you saw crews digging out old bunkers or filling in bunkers that are going away and as you read this hopefully we have liners, sand, and some sod going around the bunkers. Our maintenance team has done a great job of recovering and saving bent grass sod to use for the project from newly created fairway bunkers. Those efforts save some dollars in the long run by not forcing us to purchase bent grass sod. It may not be a lot of savings but we are trying to be mindful and responsible as a team. You will see efforts on mulching leaves and course maintenance throughout the fall.

Listed below will be the general greens mowing schedule for now.

- Weather pending we will mow greens Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.
- We will roll greens on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Sunday will be as needed per staffing and growth of the grass on the greens.

We look forward to having you and your guest coming to the Club seeing the work done to the course and playing some late-season golf. Remember we are a great place to Shop for the Holidays and we have great pricing.



Happy Thanksgiving,

Gideon Smith

Head Golf Professional
Quincy Country Club



UPCOMING EVENTS

Greenskeeper Revenge

November 9

Call the Pro shop
at 222-1052 for details,
times, events and registration



GREENSKEEPER REVENGE

Saturday, November 9

Shotgun at Noon. 2-person scramble.

Members can invite a guest to make up their two-person team, guest fee waived for the event.

Chili available for participants in the Locker Room.

Contact the Pro Shop to sign up for the event.



ITALIAN FOOD & WINE NIGHT

Sunday, November 3 | 5:30 p.m.

\$95 per person

Call to make reservations or email m.irwin@qcc1897.org



FROM THE KITCHEN

Comfort Food Wednesday

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| November 2 | Lamb Shanks |
| November 13 | Meatloaf |
| November 20 | Shepard's Pie |
| November 27 | Jambalaya |

THANKSGIVING BUFFET

Thursday, November 28 | 11:00 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

Adults \$35 | Kids 6–12 \$16 | Kids under 5 years free

Featuring David Damm Live, face painting, balloon artist, caricatures

Make reservations at 217-223-3452 or email c.breuer@qcc1897.org

The Club will close at 3 p.m.





COFFEE & CARS

Saturday, November 2 | 9:30 a.m. | \$8 per person

Rev up for a morning of coffee, doughnuts, and conversation with fellow car enthusiasts! Bring your beloved car, admire others, and connect with members and guests who share your passion for all things automotive.

Guests are welcome—see you there for great company and car talk!

Play & Activities

QU FITNESS & AQUA AEROBICS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Triple Threat 11:30p.m.–1p.m. Joyce	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 9a.m.–10a.m.	Cardio Sculpt 6:15a.m.–7a.m. Joyce	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 9a.m.–10a.m.	CycleX 6:15a.m.–7a.m. Stephanie	Waterbugs (Low Intensity) 10a.m.–11a.m.	PowerCycle 8:30a.m.–9:30a.m. Joyce
	Waterbugs (Low Intensity) 10a.m.–11a.m.	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 9:30a.m.–10:30a.m.	Waterbugs (Low Intensity) 10a.m.–11a.m.	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 9:30a.m.–10:30a.m.	Yoga 12:15p.m.–1p.m. Kate <i>- no class on 4th Friday of every month</i>	PowerPilates 9:45a.m.–10:45a.m. Joyce
	Cardio Sculpt 12:15p.m.–1p.m. Stephanie	Cardio Sculpt 12:15p.m.–12:45p.m. Sheri	Cardio Sculpt 12:15p.m.–1p.m. Joyce	Pilates 12:15p.m.–1p.m. Stephanie		
	HIIT 4:45p.m.–5:30p.m. Joyce	Cardio Sculpt 4:00p.m.–4:30 p.m. Rhonda		Power Cycle 4:30p.m.–5:15p.m. Sandy		
	PowerPilates 5:30p.m.–6:30p.m. Joyce	Power Cycle 4:30p.m.–5:15p.m. Rhonda	Yoga 6:15 p.m.–7:15 p.m. Kate	Cardio Sculpt 5:15p.m.–6p.m. Sandy		
	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 7p.m.–8p.m.	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 7p.m.–8p.m.	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 7p.m.–8p.m.	Aqua Aerobics (Med Intensity) 7p.m.–8p.m.		



QUINCY UNIVERSITY ATHLETICS

Through a partnership between Quincy Country Club and Quincy University, you can enjoy many benefits offered on the QU campus through your membership. See the class schedule above.

HFC HOURS

Monday–Thursday
6:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Friday
6:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday
8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Sunday
11:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 16 only
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Pool Hours

Monday & Wednesday
8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday
9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday
12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

NOTICE: The HFC & Pool will be closed Nov. 28–29 for Thanksgiving Holiday.

November 2024 CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 Coffee & Cars
3 Italian Food & Wine Night	4	5	6 Comfort Food: Lamb Shanks	7	8	9 Greenskeeper Revenge
10	11	12	13 Comfort Food: Meatloaf	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Comfort Food: Shepard's Pie	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 Comfort Food: Jambalaya	28 Thanksgiving Buffet Club closes at 3:00 p.m.	29	30

DECEMBER EVENTS TO REMEMBER

Dec. 23-25 Club closed