

The Marshall Golf Club

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In the Clubhouse...

Well, after a long winter we are finally back and geared up for a great 2008 season!! First, I would like to welcome back all returning members, and add a warm welcome to all of our NEW members this year! We will be sending out a bi-monthly newsletter all summer long to keep you up to date on tournaments, social functions, and any other news here at the MGC. This newsletter will also be available on our website throughout the year, along with any clubhouse and golf updates or announcements. We did have a great winter here in the clubhouse. Although February and March got a bit long, yearning for sunny skies and green fairways. Now that they have finally arrived, we can not wait to see you all out here again mainly Saturday, May 10th for our annual Member Clean Up Day and Kickoff Party! If you have not had a chance to stop in and dine with us in the clubhouse lounge, I encourage you to do so! Again, we will be having our Prime Rib Special on Friday evenings and a Sunday Breakfast Menu. We have anxiously been awaiting your return. I would like to encourage all of you to spend as much time out here this year as possible, and by all means, invite your all of your friends and family! Our membership can only grow through YOUR word of mouth, so please, share your great experiences with others! Can't wait for those April showers to bring May flowers!

So glad to have you all back! Cheers!
Tara Plante, MGC Clubhouse Manager

**ATTENTION EVERYONE!
COME ONE, COME ALL,
FOR MEMBER CLEAN UP DAY!**

**Saturday, May 10, 2008
from 8:00am to Noon**

*Any help would be much appreciated.
Meet in the Club Parking Lot at 7:45am
to be assigned a task.*

AND LATER THAT DAY:

from 7:01pm until the fun ends
*Join us in kicking off a new golf season by
partying in the Clubhouse Lounge with
drinks, prizes, fun, and surprises...*

**Check out all
Marshall Golf
Club related
news and
updates at
www.marshallgolfclub.com**

SEASON HOURS

**Monday, April 14 thru
Sunday October 26
Monday thru Saturday**

Clubhouse

8:00am—11:00pm

Kitchen

11:00am—2:00pm

& 4:00pm—9:00pm

Saturday Kitchen

11:00am—9:00pm

*While league is in session the
Clubhouse & Kitchen will
have extended hours.*

Clubhouse

8:00am—1:00am

Kitchen 11:00am—2:00pm

& 4:00pm—10:00pm

Sundays

Clubhouse 8:00am-8:00pm

Kitchen 10:00am—6:00pm

Sundays Menu Includes Breakfast

**For more information
check out our website.**

May 2008

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2008 Tentative Golf Tournament Schedule

May 4 -6NCAA Div II Women's Regional	July 14 Chamber Mixer Scramble – 1:00 Shot Gun
May 8 Men's League Begins	July 18 Prospective Member Day
May 9 Camden School Sun-Sections – 9:00 am Tee Times	July 21 MGC Dakota Tour Pro Am
May 12 Match Play Begins	July 22-23 MGC Dakota Tour Pro Tournament
May 16 5A Sub-Sections – 9:00am Tee Times	August 2-3 MGC Club Championship
May 20 Ladies Guest Day (Carts, Meals and Prizes not included)	August 4 Wooden Nickel Open
May 23 Region III Sectionals – 9:00am Tee Times	August 5-6 MGA Junior Team Champ. State Tournament
May 24 Variety Tournament – 9:00am	August 9-10 MGC Member Guest Tournament
May 26 Memorial Day Couples Tournament – 2:00 Shot Gun	August 18 MGC Seniors Tourn sponsored by Van der Hagen, Skogrand & Assoc. AmeriPrise Financial
May 27 Ladies League Begins	August 23-24 Ryder Cup matches vs. Interlaken of Fairmont
June 14 Galen Skramstad Invitational sponsored by USBanCorp	August 26 Ladies League Finale
June 9 SMSU Classic – 9:30 Shot Gun	September 4 Men's League Finale
June 14-15 Father & Son /Father & Daughter Matches	September 8 Avera-Weiner Memorial Hospital Scramble – 12:30 Shot Gun
June 16 Pride in the Tiger Scramble – 1:00 Shot Gun	September 13-14 Five Person Scramble 10:00am Shot Gun Sat & Sun
June 20 Prospective Member Day	September 20-21 SMSU Ladies Invitational – 12:00-2:00 Tee Times Sat/ 9:00am Shot Gun Sun
June 21 or 28 McGlarey Team Qualifier	
June 23 MGC Men's Invit. sponsored by Schwan Food Co.	
June 30 MGC Women's Invit. sponsored by Schwan Food Co.	
July 12 Two Person Best Ball – 9:00-10:30 Tee Times	

2008 Spring Golf News Letter:

Well it's springtime and the snow has finally melted. Our merchandise arrived and the golf shop is abundant with new items for the spring. All new products from Taylor Made, Titleist, Cobra, Cleveland, Adams, and Ping are now on display in the golf shop. Apparel from Ashworth, Foot Joy, Monterey Club (ladies & men's) and EP Pro are the brands we carry this summer. Please stop in and say hi and shop around for all you golf need's. Look forward to seeing you this year.

***Summer Junior Golf Lessons:** Only \$50.00 per junior
June 10, 11, 17, 18, 20, 24 Play days are the June 25 & 27.

Beginner Boys 9:00 to 10:00 (two years experience or under)

Advance Boys 10:00 to 11:00 (over two years experience)

Advance Girls 11:00 to 12:00 (over two years experience)

Beginner Girls 1:00 to 2:00 (under two years experience)

***Ladies Weekend Golf Clinics:** \$55.00 per person

Ladies Beginners – 9:30 to 10:30

Advance – 10:30 to 11:30 (two years and over experience)

Saturday's – May 10, 17, 24, 31 & June 7

***Ladies Weekday Clinics:** \$58.00 per person

Dates are May 13, 14, 19, 20, & 21 with a rain date – 5/28

Beginners 9:30 to 10:30 (two years experience & under)

Advance 10:30 to 11:30 Evening 5:30 to 6:30

Please remember we like to have at least six people in our clinics, so call and register at once. If you have a group of ladies that need different times or dates feel free to call Shirley and set up a different clinic than we have scheduled. Remember the tournament entries are on the club's web site and it's best to enter early in the tournaments. Please pick the tournaments you like to play in and send ASAP.

Signup reminder:

May 8th Men's League starts

May 20th is Ladies Guest Day & deadline for league

There's a 12:30 Shot Gun and a 5:30 shot gun.

Call now and sign you and your guest up. After you complete play you may order from the MGC menu. Golf and prizes is \$15.00 for your guest and \$5.00 for the member only \$5.00 for prizes. Carts not included.

May 10th Matches posted and May 12th matches start.

May 27th Ladies League starts.

On ladies day any ladies that are interested in playing in the afternoon prior to league are asked to sign up on the Monday prior so they can be paired. A weekly game will be assigned for a tee off around 12.56. Hopefully ladies interested in learning different formats of competition will sign up and enjoy this weekly fun event. Prizes will be minimal. **Allen Lucht, PGA Professional**

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

The Board of Directors, members, and staff here at the Marshall Golf Club would like to extend an immense Thank You to Kim Christianson of KHC Construction and Brian Gruhot of D & G Construction. Kim, Brian, and their respective crews worked tirelessly around unpredictable weather throughout the first few weeks in April to give our entrance quite a new "facelift." For those of you that have not had the opportunity to see our newly renovated entrance yet, some of the work included; widening sidewalks, new concrete and edging, new curb, some new landscaping, new front handicap access, a larger cart loading area, new parking blocks, and new striping in the parking lot with reassigned stalls.

There were many others involved throughout the planning, execution, and completion of the project as well. The MGC Board of Directors would like to extend a special "thank-you" to ALL of those involved throughout the whole process. It is because of these many generous individuals that our club continues to strive and advance. The words "thank you" does not seem like enough. All of the time and money involved was remarkable. Our sincerest appreciation,

MGC Board of Directors

Mother's Day Brunch

Sunday, May 11, 2008 10:00a.m.—1:30p.m.

-Open to the Public-

Buffet Menu:

Pasta Salad, Mediterranean Salad, Fresh Green Salad with dressing, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables, Bacon, Sausage, Eggs Strata, Steamed Vegetables, Cheesy Party Potatoes, Smoked Salmon, Cod with shrimp cream sauce, Chicken Florentine, and Chef Carved Roast Beef.

Omelet Station!

Let our Chefs help you Create your very own Fresh Omelet! Includes specialty cheeses, onions, green peppers, black olives, sausage, bacon, mushrooms, salsa, sour cream, tomatoes, and more!

Waffles, Specialty Syrups and Toppings will also be available at the Omelet station.

Desserts and Pastries:

Assorted Bars, Cakes and Pies, Assorted Bread and Pastries with Flavored Butters, Assorted Muffins and Danish and Fresh baked Cinnamon Rolls.

For the Kids: Face Painting, Make a Mother's Day Card, Coloring Papers, Water Colors, Disney Videos, Toy Drawing, and Take Home Treats.

Adults - \$15.95

Children 4 to 12 - \$6.95

Children 3 & under - Free

Call the Marshall Golf Club for Reservations (507) 532-2278

From the Grounds...

The robins are back, spring flowers are emerging, but what is this white fluffy layer that just wants to keep coming back? Maybe this will be winters last blast? But ohhhh, what green grass lingers underneath. For the most part the course has come through the winter in relatively good shape. There might be some damage to after greens, hole number 14, and the driving range, but it is still to early to tell. It seems as if a lot of courses around the state may have suffered sum turf loss on greens due to the lack of snow cover partnered with extremely cold winter winds. If the worst is to prevail we will inter-seed and things will turn out fine. Inevitably Mother Nature has her own way of sending messages that we cannot be prepared for, we try to minimize the effects and assume it will come out to our favor. We are always prepared for the worst. Winston Churchill said in an article I read, "Let your advance worrying become advance thinking and planning." So it shall.

In the adolescent years of my turf management career I would have thrown my own wrench into the cogs, but with time comes a sense of calmness knowing that with all we do somehow it will be enough. There are so many tools available to us as superintendents that the lack of utilization only brings headaches and long sleepless nights.

You may have noticed some changes to the front exterior of the clubhouse. We all need to thank Kim Christianson of KHC Construction along with Brian Gruhot from D&G Excavating for there generous donation to the club. They have only been professional in there approach and extremely great to work with, always valuing our opinions. THANK YOU Kim and Brian.


The high school golf teams and coaches spent several hours on the course this spring before play to help us clean up and get the course ready for play. They deserve a big "Thank you" for their time and efforts.

The chipping green at the driving range behind the putting green will be open! This is not intended to be green-like in its appearance, but to be utilized for your chipping needs only (in order to take unnecessary wear off of the putting green surface.) We will have an area marked for chipping which will be moved randomly to meet different chipping needs. New equipment was delivered last November. If the weather cooperates it is only a matter of time before the new blades will be spinning and clippings will be flying. Can't wait for that first cut of turf, it sure smells like heaven! Respectfully,

Kurt Hovaldt, MGC Grounds Superintendent

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May 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Study Club Mens Stag Day	2 ID Lunch Meeting Choir of Notes	3 Flood Umphrey Wedding Reception
4 Almer Party SMSU Awards Banquet	5	6Ladies Bridge Club / Rotary Meeting BH Elect Meeting	7 Pride in the Tiger	8 Mens League	9 ID Lunch Meeting	10 Ladies Clinic Member Clean Up Day and Kick Off Party
11 Mother's Day Brunch by Reservation	12 MN Society of CPAs	13Ladies Bridge Club\ Rotary EDA Lunch	14	15 Mens League	16 ID Lunch Meeting	17 Berthiaume Mimick Wedding Reception
18 	19 Unlimited Hardware Distributing	20 Ladies Bridge Club Rotary Meeting BH Elect Meeting	21 USBank Meeting Affolter Meeting	22 Mens League Schwans Meeting	23 ID Lunch Meeting	24 1-2-3 Variety Tournament Johnson Kruk Wedding Recep-
25	26 Memorial Day Couple Scotch Scramble	27 Ladies Bridge Club Rotary Meeting Ladies League	28 D U Sponsor Banquet	29 Mens League	30 ID Lunch Meeting	31 Moon B-day Party and Recp Bassett Swanson Wedding Recpon