



Lawton Country Club

August Newsletter

Clubhouse 353-2076

Pro Shop 353-2073

STAFF

Johnny Wilson
General Manager

Lisa Marion
Food & Beverage Director

Bo Baize
Golf Course Superintendent

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Blake Dutcher, President	
Gary Rasmussen, Vice President	
Jerry Pippin, Secretary/Treasurer	
Danna Bross	Chris Meyers
Brent Copeland	Linda Neal
John Fitz	Ernie Sheppard

HOURS OF OPERATION

Dining Room	
Tues. Wed. Thur. & Sat.	11:00 - 2:00 and 5:00 - 8:00
Friday	11:00 - 2:00 and 5:00 - 9:00
Sunday	11:00 - 2:00
19th Hole and Lounge (Limited Menu from 2:00 to 5:00)	
Tues. Wed. Thur. & Sat	11:00 - 8:00
Friday	11:00 - 9:00
Sunday	11:00 - 7:00
Office	
Mon. & Sat.	9:00 - 1:00
Tue. - Fri.	9:00 - 5:00
Pro Shop	
Tue. - Sun.	8:00 - 8:00
Range	
Tue. - Sun.	8:00 - 7:00

from the general manager

Johnny Wilson

July was an amazing month. First, we finished the Firecracker on July 1 with Logan McCracken winning his fourth title. Also, congratulations to all the members who finished in the money and a huge THANK YOU to all the tournament participants.

The weather has been sizzling hot, but we have also received some timely rains that have helped the golf course along the way.

In the clubhouse, please note that we once again will be partnering with Cameron University and their Annual French Film Festival. Lisa and her staff will be featuring special menu items like sweet and savory crepes Thursday through Saturday, August 23-25.

Also, please note that the Dining Room will be closed for a private event the evening of Friday, August 24. The Lounge and the 19th Hole will be open for normal dinner reservations.

August looks to be a fairly slow month with school starting back. As Fall approaches though we will start getting busier even with the start of football. It is your club so please come use it. **{#63}**

board minutes

Your Board of Directors met immediately after the stockholders meeting on July 19 and welcomed new board members Brent Copeland and Ernie Sheppard. At the meeting Blake Dutcher was elected as president for the upcoming year, and Gary Rasmussen and Jerry Pippin were elected vice-president and secretary/treasurer, respectively.

golf course news

Bo Baize

July was a great month on the golf course beginning with the 51st Annual Firecracker Open and cumulating with the Gridiron Scramble. There were many opportunities to play in between if you didn't mind the 100+ degree temps. Looking forward to this month, let's hope the climate drops back into the tolerable range at some point.

The maintenance crew had their hands full in July fixing a particularly difficult irrigation blowout on hole number 2. We needle tine aerified greens on the 9th and 10th. Also, on the 23rd we verticut and topdressed greens. These cultural practices allow for gas exchange, improved water movement through the profile, and thatch reduction. The tees and fairways were all fertilized again and the new injection system in the pump house has been utilized to apply wetting agents to all the irrigated areas breaking surface tension and increasing porosity.

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the maintenance department to thank Justin McVicker and Billy Sims BBQ for providing lunch on Saturday of the Firecracker. The guys loved it and it gave them a much needed boost after the long and early hours required to prep for the tournament. We would also like to thank Mike Duncan for his term as club President. Mike, your dedication is second to none and you worked tirelessly to make sure the tools needed to resurrect the golf course were somehow provided. Your service to the club is greatly appreciated and I hope you can thoroughly enjoy it now. August will be a great month to utilize the club to full potential. For those who do,

I will see you out on the course.

- PLEASE -

**KEEP CARTS ON PATHS
AROUND TEES & GREENS**



French Film Festival

August 23 - 25

Welcome New Members

James D. Ellis

Frank & Dorothy English

David & Ann McKali

Peyton McPherson

Shawn McPherson

Tim Moore

Anna & Justin Runnels

Teresa Stephens

Jim & Paula Willis

Rocky Zeller