

Rock Harbor News

May 2015

Notes From The G

Gerri Lum, Pro Shop Manager:

Our golf season is officially underway. By the time this note gets circulated we would have held two (2) public fundraiser tournaments and one (1) member event – our annual opening day tournament.

Our first tournament of the year, netted a car giveaway while the expert meteorologists blew yet another one. The day turned out fantastic. 'course could have been divine intervention considering the tournament organizers.

Also under our belt; a kick-off of our inaugural senior league. Each Tuesday, persons over fifty are invited to play in a formatted shotgun start. We have had rave reviews thus far and we hope to grow the participation and fervor with the expansion into the Boulder course this year.

Additionally, and oh my what a great start to the golfing season... we held our free, yes that's right, FREE beginning golf clinic. A modest but successful turnout – a special thanks to Cole Lee, Kyle Riffey and Cole Shingleton for helping to grow the game.

As I close, allow me to get personal for a tad and give everyone a heads up. I will be away from the golf course for a bit. I am attending my grand-daughter's high school graduation. I haven't seen my little bundle of joy since she was five and now she's graduating high school... my plan is to return in time for our Member/Guest event.

Should there be any concerns or questions, while I am away, please feel free to bring them to the attention of the pro shop staff, who will respond as warranted or leave a note for my return.



Ellen Carper is a smiling face you will see on a red cart at Rock Harbor, she is one of our Player's Assistants.

Player's Assistant

Player's Assistance are the outside staff that help you during your rounds of golf. They are your *Starters, Rangers, and Cart Staff*. Most of the Player's Assistance work at Rock Harbor because they love golf and want to spend more time here helping others with their game. Sometimes they go above and beyond the call of duty to help players who find themselves in difficult situations like, Gary Wingfield when he helped retrieve a club that was "misplaced".



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New Beginnings

"Golf... is the infallible test. The man who can go into a patch of rough alone, with the knowledge that only God is watching him, and play his ball where it lies, is the man who will serve you faithfully and well."

— *P.G. Wodehouse*



Beginners Clinic 4/18/15:

Rock Harbor hosted a beginners clinic on Saturday, April 18, free and open to the public. Six willing participants came out on a beautiful sunny day to learn some basic skills from Cole Lee, Kyle Riffey and Little Cole (Shingleton). Putting, chipping and driving were among the topics discussed and demonstrated. Little Cole, who is only 9-years-old was very happy to help the "beginners" with their golf game, even telling them the story of how "way back when" he was not so good of a player, but with the help of Big Cole and a few techniques his game has dramatically improved.

The next Beginners Clinic is:
Saturday, May 23, 1-3 PM.
Sign up in the Pro Shop—FREE

Pictorial Diary

One thing remains—
The tree.

This month's guess could be hard, but given a little hint as to what is left of this picture might help some of you identify which hole this is.

Everything you see in this picture is gone or repurposed into something else except for the tree directly behind the white house.

