



Mira Vista Country Club

APRIL 2024 Issue

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Glow Dance Party**
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THE MASTERS PARTY ON THE GREEN

**THURSDAY, APRIL 11
5:30-8:00PM**

*All members are invited
to this social event of the season!*

The Event will be held at the Practice Facility

Putting contest

Masters-inspired Food

TV Coverage of the
Masters Round One

\$45++ per person
(includes open bar)

Members who bring a new
prospective member
will be **COMPLIMENTARY**

Tempting Disaster



CLASSIC ROCK TRIO

Friday, April 5
Horizon Lounge
7:00 10:30pm

Friday Night Live

CAMERON HAVENS

Country Artist and Songwriter



FRIDAY HORIZON LOUNGE
12
APRIL 7:00 - 10:30PM

Friday Night Live

Landon Hoffman



Country, Rock & Blues

Friday, April 19
Horizon Lounge
7:00 - 10:30pm

Mira Vista Member

BOBBY DUNCAN

DIRT ROCK AND COUNTRY



FRIDAY, APRIL 26
Horizon Lounge 7:00-10:30pm

LETTER FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

Dear Members:

Our 7th Annual “Master’s Tailgate Party on the Green” is set for Thursday, April 11 from 5:30 – 8:00pm on the practice green. We’ll have a large tent set up on the range with TV’s to show the replay of that day’s Masters Tournament round. This is a social event with a fun putting contest that is open to all members and their guests. If you bring a prospective member, then it’s complimentary to participate. We will offer some “Masters Style” food offerings (similar to what the Masters Tournament serves during the tournament). For reservations, please contact the club Receptionist by Wednesday, April 10th.



Greg Hatch
General Manager

Our Men’s and Ladies’ Senior Club Championships are scheduled for April. Ladies’ is set for April 17th & 18th! Men’s is set for April 20th & 21st. Our defending Champions are Mina Hardin and Wally Jones! We encourage all of our ladies and men who are eligible to play and compete for our 2024 Sr. Club Champions!

Our Team is very excited about the future of Mira Vista Country Club with the upcoming golf course renovation and expanding our Pickleball complex with an additional 3 covered Pickleball courts and adjacent restrooms. We believe that the new golf course, designed by our architect, Andy Staples, ASGCA, will be outstanding! In May, we’ll be sending all members options to pay the upcoming assessment to help fund these projects. We believe that these projects will help to insure the long-term sustainability and viability of our club. This will be a very exciting and important time for Mira Vista and its’ Members.

“Making each and every experience for our members, their families and their guests a fun and memorable event” is our Mission for all of our Employee Partners each and every day. As always, we want and need your continuous feedback and support. Let us know how we are doing!

I look forward to seeing you at the Club.


Greg Hatch
General Manager

A black and white advertisement for Moore Real Estate. At the top, the text "MOORE REAL ESTATE" is displayed in a serif font, with a mountain range icon above the word "MOORE". Below this, "DEEANN MOORE" is written in a large serif font, followed by "OWNER | REALTOR®" in a smaller sans-serif font. In the center, a large "#1" is shown, with "REALTOR®" and "IN MIRA VISTA" to its right. On the right side of the ad is a color photo of DeeAnn Moore, a woman with blonde hair wearing a bright pink blazer. At the bottom, the phone number "(817) 517 4865" and the website "MOOREFORSALE.COM" are listed. A small house icon is in the bottom right corner.

*Please join Mira Vista
in extending a warm welcome
to our new Members!*



**Jeff & Meghan
Peters**

Jeff is retired and Meghan is Office Manager for Willow Mark Therapy.



**Wes & Glynnis
Paterson**

Wes is Sr. Global Director at Alcon Laboratories.



**Shauna Fenn
Membership**

Naveen Singh

Naveen is VP of Operations for America with Martin Sprocket & Gear and is a former member.

**Russell & Linda
Carpenter**

Russell and Linda are former members and we are excited to have them back!



Reese Mason

Reese is a Field Supervisor for Texan Drywall, Inc.



WINE Class

April 25 | 6:00pm

Romancing
Rhône Reds!

\$50++ per person
RSVP 817-2946600



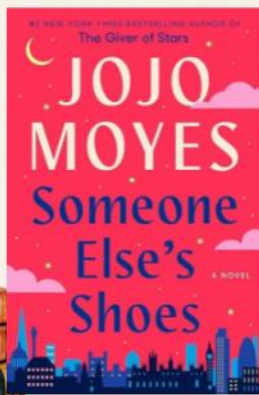


MV LADIES BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, April 24
Magnolia Room | 5:30pm

THIS MONTH'S PICK IS:

Someone Else's Shoes
by JoJo Maoyes



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Mother's Day Brunch

Sunday, May 12th

Two Seatings
11:00am and 1:15pm

Adults \$42.00++ Children \$20.00++

*Enjoy our delicious
Mother's Day Brunch
on Mother's Day*

TO-GO Options available

RSVP with the Receptionist
at 817-294-6600

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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT AT *Mira Vista*

Andrea Sanchez

Andrea has been a member of the MVCC culinary team for 4 1/2 years. Andrea is originally from Tlaxcala, Mexico where she studied teaching at the University of Autonomous Tlaxcala. Previously a kindergarten teacher, she is enjoying her new career in the kitchen. She has held several roles here and is currently a Pantry Cook. Andrea says she "enjoys the people she works with and learning new things." She has 2 daughters and enjoys playing soccer and watching movies in her free time.



Golf

APRIL 7

XXIO Demo Day

APRIL 11

LGA Guest Day

APRIL 12

Titleist Short Game Fitting

APRIL 17-18

Ladies Senior Club Championship

APRIL 20-21

Men's Senior Club Championship

APRIL 26

Ping Fitting Day

APRIL 28

Thomas Cup

Did you know? Golf Edition!

Angela Stanford has been granted a sponsor's exemption to The Chevron Championship at The Clubs at Carlton Woods in The Woodlands, Texas in April. This extends her Major Professional Tour Record streak of 98 consecutive Major Championships played in.



Courtney Connell
PGA Golf
Professional

Men's Senior Club Championship

April 20th-21st

Deadline to sign up is Tuesday, April 16th

Please visit

www.miravista.golfgenius.com
to register

Senior Division — 50 and over

Super Senior Division — 60 and over

Competitors over 60 are eligible for both divisions

Stroke play contested over 36 holes

The Championship Flight will be Gross

All other flights will be Net.

The Overall Gross and Net Champions can come from any flight, provided the Overall Gross Champion played from the gold tees

Tee times will start at 8 a.m.

Keg Beer & Lunch on Sunday included!

All Gross & Net Flights will play the **GOLD TEES**

Net competitors will have the option to play **BLUE TEES**

Cost: \$135 for either division, \$150 for both
Carts included



Mira Vista Golf Academy



OPERATION **36** GOLF

FUTURE 36ERS



For ages 3-6 years old
A story driven by the mascot Birdie. A way to connect play and empower juniors to learn the basics of golf.

JUNIOR PROGRAM



Designed for new to advanced golfers to learn and excel in the game of golf. Attend (4) classes and (1) 9-Hole Event per month!

LADIES PROGRAM



Designed for ladies who want to learn the game of golf. Attend (4) classes and (1) 9-Hole Event per month!

PRIVATE LESSONS



- (2) Hours Per Month
- Full Swing
- Short Game
- On-Course Strategy
- Putting



NOW ENROLLING

Lindsey Adams

Director of Instruction

For more info, email Lindsey at:
ladams@miravistacountryclub.com
(P) 417-483-4962

Scan the QR Code and fill out the form to receive more information!



Become a Golfer Today!



Consistency IS KEY

“ The one part of the game that PGA and LPGA Tour Players separate themselves from everyday amateurs is overall consistency. You and I might not be able to achieve the swing consistency that they have but we can all establish a pre-shot routine that we are able to repeat time and time again. Your pre-shot routine can include thinking the same thing each time about your swing or a sequence of steps you follow to set up to the ball the same way each time.

Golf is a game in which there are a lot of outside and internal factors we can't control! As in life, you will be happier and increase your chance at being successful if you commit to a consistent mindset before, during and after your swing. ”

April 28th



Thomas Cup Parent-Child

FORMAT AND FLIGHTS

18 Hole Flight

Best Ball Gross and Net

15 & over will play from the Gold tees (boys), Red tees (girls)

9 Hole Flight

Scramble Format

11-14 will play from the Red tees (boys), White tees (girls)

5 Hole Flight

Scramble Format

10 and under will play from the Forward Tees (Flags in Fairway)

Parents - Men play the Gold Tees, Ladies play the Red Tees

\$80 Per Team

Sign up online at miravista.golfgenius.com

April in Golf History

April 7th 2013 - The USGA in partnership with the Masters Tournament created the Drive, Chip and Putt National Finals at Augusta National. This competition highlights the best 6-14 year olds in the country in a Driving, Chipping and Putting contest.

April 19th 1987 - The USGA added Slope to the formula used to calculate a golfer's Handicap Index. This is used to more accurately calculate your Handicap for the different courses.

April 26th 2001 - Clearview Golf Club in Canton Ohio was the 1st golf course built, owned and operated by an African American (PGA Member Renee Powell)

Tennis

APRIL/MAY *Highlights*

2024
TENNIS AND
PICKLEBALL

APR 06	Adult PB Doubles and Mixed Club Championships
APR 13	Mira Vista Adult and Junior Singles Club Championships
APR 18	MVLTA Tennis "Charity Play Day 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.
MAY 1	MVLTA Ladies Tennis Member Guest
MAY 4	Men's Tennis Member / Guest Ladies PB Member / Guest
MAY 11	Men's PB Member / Guest

MVLTA LADIES "CHARITY" TENNIS MIXER

Thursday, April 18
9:00 - 11:00a.m.

FORMAT
Rotating mixer format
No Charge!

RSVP by
Tuesday, April 16 to the Tennis Shop



Brad Ibbott
Director
of Racket Sports



Ladies PB Member / Member

We had a total of 10 teams participate in the Ladies Member / Member PB Tournament.

Results

1st Place

Stacey Mund / Charissa Kumar

2nd Place

Angel Baker / Sona Dave

KIDS TENNIS PIZZA NIGHT
AGES 5-14

Friday, April 5 & 19
5:30 - 8:30 or 9:30pm

Tennis Clinic 5:30 - 6:30pm
Supervised match play and games from 6:30 - 7:15pm
Pizza & drinks at 7:15pm. More games after pizza.
Pickup at 8:30pm or 9:30pm (pizza & play)

\$25 for Tennis Clinic
\$7.00 for each additional hour

RSVP: Scott @ 817-294-6690

SUMMER CAMPS 2024

Camps are \$195 per week
Camps including Lunch & Swim
are \$255 per week

TENNIS CAMP DATES

May 28 – May 31	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
June 11 – June 14	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
June 25 – June 28	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
July 9 - July 12	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
July 23 - July 26	9:30 a.m. to 12:30p.m.
August 6 – August 9	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

TENNIS & GOLF CAMP DATES

June 4 – June 7	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
June 18 – June 21	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
July 2 – July 5	No Sports Camp This Week
July 16 - July 19	9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
July 30 – August 2	9:30 a.m. to 12:30p.m.

ADULT AND JUNIOR SINGLES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

April 13 & 14

EVENTS

Men's Open Ladies Open Men's 3.5 & Below
Boys 18 & Under Girls 18 & Under Women's 3.5 & Below

EVENT LIMIT

Two (players in two events must be prepared to play 2 matches per day per event)
Draws limited to 16 players per event.

NOTE: We will be attempting a flexible scheduling (within reason) for all players that are also competing in USTA matches.

DEADLINE: Wednesday, April 10th 6:00p.m. (Draws will be posted by 6:00p.m. Thursday, April 11th)

Player Eligibility: Men's and Women's championship event is based on individuals being dues paying members of members of Mira Vista Country Club

Ladies Spring Member/Member Results

We had 20 ladies participate in the ladies event held on Tuesday, February 20. A big thank you to Shaun Fershtand, Vanessa Rutherford, Kirsten Bescher, Donna Vallance

GROUP ONE

1st Place:

Stacey Mund / Angela Swienton



GROUP TWO

1st Place

Debi Arias / Molly Milner



BEST DRESSED

Vanessa Rutherford & Julia Brothers



GROUP ONE

2nd Place:

Marci Horne / Lissa Margo

GROUP TWO

2nd Place

Kirsten Bescher / Donna Vallance

Food for Thought

Italian Wedding Soup

The whole family loves this Italian wedding soup with tender meatballs, veggies and pasta in a rich, flavorful broth.



INGREDIENTS MEATBALLS

- 1 Large Egg
- 3 TBS Finely Chopped Fresh Chives
- 2 tsp Finely Chopped Fresh Sage
- 2 Cloves Garlic
- 3/4 Lbs 85 or 90% Lean Ground Beef
- .5 Lb Sweet or Hot Italian Sausage, Remove casings
- 1/2 C Grated Parmigiano Reggiano
- 1/3 C Italian Breadcrumbs

INGREDIENTS SOUP

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| 2 TBS Olive Oil | 1 Bay Leaf |
| 1 Medium Yellow Onion Diced | 1/2 tsp. Salt |
| 2 Large Carrots Diced | 1/4 tsp. White Pepper |
| 2 Stalks Celery Diced | 1 C Small Pasta like Ditalini |
| 6 C Chicken Broth | 4 oz. Fresh Spinach, Stems Removed, Roughly Chopped |
| 2 C Beef Broth | Parmigiano Reggiano for Serving |
| 2 C Water | |
| 1/2 C Dry White Wine | |



Ulises Tapia
Executive Chef

1. Make the meatballs: Preheat the oven to 350°F. Line a baking sheet with aluminum foil and set an oven-proof roasting rack over top. Spray the rack generously with nonstick cooking spray.
2. In a large bowl, beat the egg with the chives, sage and garlic. Add the remaining meatball ingredients and mash with your hands until evenly combined. Roll the mixture into tablespoon-size balls (about 1-inch in diameter) and place on the prepared rack. Bake for 15 to 18 minutes, or until lightly browned and cooked through. Set aside.
3. Meanwhile, start the soup. In a large soup pot or Dutch oven over medium heat, heat the olive oil. Add the onions, carrots, and celery and cook, stirring frequently, until the vegetables are softened, about 8 minutes. Add the chicken broth, beef broth, water, wine, bay leaf, salt and pepper and bring to a boil. Add the pasta and cook, uncovered, at a gentle boil until the pasta is al dente, 8 to 10 minutes (or according to package directions). Taste the soup and adjust the seasoning, if necessary. Reduce the heat to low and add the spinach and meatballs. Simmer for a few minutes, until the spinach is wilted and the meatballs are warmed through. Ladle into bowls and serve with grated Parmigiano Reggiano.
4. Freezer-Friendly Instructions: The soup can be frozen for up to 3 months but wait until you reheat the soup to add the pasta. Defrost the soup in the refrigerator for 12 hours and then reheat it on the stovetop over medium heat until simmering, add the pasta, and cook until the pasta is tender.

Golf Course Maintenance

Dear Members,

The month of March has come and gone, bringing great golfing weather along with plenty of timely rains. We have a few important dates to remember coming in early April, along with an overview of how we will be altering our normal aerification practices due to the upcoming renovation. The rain combined with great weather has provided ideal transition weather as we exit dormancy and get ready for the spring and summer months. Navigating frequent Monday rainstorms has been a slight setback to our agronomic schedule but the staff has managed to begin a few projects with hopes of finishing by early April (pending weather). We would also like to recognize our employee of the month, a relatively new face that has made a huge impact.



Joseph Danton
Golf Course
Superintendent



Monday, April 1, will be our first aerification date this year. We will be using a small 1/4" solid tine (pulls no core) on all greens, the disturbance will be minimal. Our next aerification date will be Monday, April 22. This aerification will consist of only the large putting green and chipping green, our normal aerification practices will continue as normal with these greens as they are not in the scope of our renovation plans. This aerification will be more aggressive like ones in previous years. Our goal is to be as minimally invasive as possible leading up to the renovation, providing as much undisturbed playability as possible. This is a tight line and will all be pending weather as we still have a standard to uphold in regards to playability.

We have received slightly more rain than last year throughout the month of March. Rain is always welcome as we understand it will be sparse in the near future. The timing of these rains has been the challenge for the agronomy team as our maintenance Mondays have consisted of wet conditions. This pushes our agronomic practices either to the next Monday or into the week. We are working diligently around these wet conditions to continuously tackle much needed agronomic practices. Some of these wet conditions are not caused by rain but are caused by homeowner runoff. We are currently addressing the drainage issue on the tenth hole with the homeowner and builder to ensure the cart path is safe and club property is protected. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we tackle these items.

The shop nursery construction project is coming along, this includes the installation of a new fairway nursery. The irrigation and drainage have been installed and we are now waiting on a break in the rain to finish grade the soil to properly prep for sodding. Our last few pallets of sod should be arriving shortly (pending rain at farm) to complete our work on the median as you enter the club. It is also time we begin our spring floral planting of petunias in our landscape beds throughout the property, this year we are going with a blend of pink, purple and white.



Our agronomy department employee of the month is a newcomer who joined our team last October. He has quickly established himself as part of this team and brings two years of experience along with him. Ryan Pollock, is this March's employee of the month. Ryan is young for his position and is striving to one day be a golf course superintendent. It has been a joy to watch him acclimate from the mild climate of Colorado to the intense temperature swings of Fort Worth Tx. He is extremely excited about the upcoming renovation and will be a key player in the process. Please join me in congratulating Mr. Pollock.



Ryan Pollock

Your Golf Course Superintendent,
Joseph Danton

April 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 <i>Club Closed</i>	2 <i>Ladies' Night</i>	3 <u>Family Night</u> Tex/Mex	4 	5 FNL Tempting Disaster	6 
7 Breakfast Action 8:00am Sunday Brunch 11:00am—2:00pm	8 <i>Club Closed</i>	9 <i>Ladies' Night</i>	10 <u>Family Night</u> Asian MAGICIAN	11 Masters Party on the Green! Burgers &	12 Mother Son GLOW Party FNL Cameron Havens	13 
14 Breakfast Action 8:00am Sunday Brunch 11:00am—2:00pm	15 <i>Club Closed</i>	16 <i>Ladies' Night</i>	17 <u>Family Night</u> Breakfast	18 	19 FNL Landon Hoffman	20 
21 Breakfast Action 8:00am Sunday Brunch 11:00am—2:00pm	22 <i>Club Closed</i>	23 <i>Ladies' Night</i>	24 <u>Family Night</u> Italian BOOK CLUB	25  Wine Class!	26 FNL Bobby Duncan	27 
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