



Mira Vista Country Club

August 2023

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The Dog Days of Summer

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FNL Big Mike

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FNL Chaz Marie
and Quentin Hope

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Back to School
Pool Party

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FNL Jerry Don Branch

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BASH PARTY

22

Family Night
Live Music at the Pool
Kevin Sewell

25

FNL Andrew Sevensen

2023
Casino Night

**JOIN US FOR MIRA VISTA'S
VEGAS AT THE VISTA BASH PARTY!**

SATURDAY | AUG | SEVEN PM
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Grand Vista Ballroom
ATTIRE: Casual Cocktail
\$65++ Member Signature Bar

2024 Masters/US Open Drawing

**DINNER AND DANCING FEATURING PRIME TIME BAND
NEW MEMBERS & THEIR SPONSORS WHO'VE JOINED SINCE
SEPTEMBER 2022 ARE INVITED COMPLIMENTARY!**

RSVP: 817-294-6600

Friday Night Live Presents

BIG MIKE



60'S - 90'S ROCK COVERS

Friday, August 4
HORIZON LOUNGE
7:00—10:30pm

Chaz Marie & Quinten Hope

Country, Blues, R&B, Rock and Roll



Friday, August 11
Horizon Lounge
7:00 - 10:30pm

Friday Night Live

JERRY DON BRANCH

AND FRIENDS
Blues singer



Friday, August 18
HORIZON LOUNGE | 7:00 - 10:30PM

ANDREW SEVENER



FRIDAY NIGHT LIFE
PRESENTS



Andrew Sevenser

COUNTRY ROCK SINGER
Finalist on Season 16
of The Voice

Friday, August 25
Horizon Lounge
7:00 - 10:30pm

LETTER FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER



Greg Hatch
General Manager

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Dear Members,

On behalf of the staff, we hope that you are enjoying your summer.

Our summer "Mira Vista Bash" celebration is set for Saturday, August 19th. All Members are invited to join us for this fun appreciation event to honor our new Members and their Sponsors. This blowout party theme is "Vegas at the Vista", which will include entertainment from the Prime Time Band playing dance party music, Casino Gaming tables, and Chef Uli's amazing spread of food stations. All Member Sponsors' names will be in a bowl to draw for the trip for two to the 2024 Masters, along with eight drawings for club usage credits of \$500 each. There will be many memories to be shared, so don't miss out on participating in this great event. Make your reservation today with our Receptionist.

I wanted to provide a short update on our golf course master plan. The Golf Course Renovation Committee, Board of Directors, and Club Management have been working with Andy Staples, our Golf Course Architect, over the last few months since Andy completed the focus groups with our members who attended. We've asked Andy to provide us with a hole-by-hole fly-over video to show our membership what to expect. Once Andy has this completed and it has been reviewed by the committee, Board, and staff, we'll set up a town hall meeting to provide our members with an opportunity to view the overall golf course master plan. We expect this meeting to be scheduled for this fall.

"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!

Thank you for your past support, and we look forward to serving you, your family, and your guests during this summer season.

I look forward to seeing you at the Club!

Greg Hatch
General Manager

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



Shauna Fenn
Membership



Macky Morris
Macky is Owner
of Cornerstone
Property
Management.



**John and Kendall
Kostohryz**
John is Partner/Owner
of KOR Group.
Kendall is a Real Estate
Agent with Williams
Trew.



**Chuck and Meagan
Wittmer**
Chuck is self-employed
as a Derivative Trader.



**Wade and Ashton
Allard**
Wade is Owner/Vice
President of Trophy
Construction
Services.
Ashton is Owner/Vice
President of RAD
Utility Inspections.



**Dr. Sanjeev Nair
and Dr. Uma Nambiar**
Sanjeen is
an Interventional
Cardiologist.
Uma is a Pediatrician.



**Drs. IK and Brenda
Iyamu**
IK is an Interventional
Radiologist with
Radiology Associates
of North Texas.
Brenda is a Family
Medicine Physician
with Questcare
Medical Clinic.



**Ryan and Sarah
Campbell**
Ryan is an Attorney
and Fiduciary Advisor
for PNC Bank.
Sarah is a Registered
Nurse with Harris
SW Hospital.

BACK TO SCHOOL

Pool Party!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12TH
3:00 - 8:00PM

DJ RAY
POOL GAMES
BUFFET

\$14.95++ PER PERSON

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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT AT *Mira Vista*

Meet Rainer Williams, Lifeguard

We welcomed Rainer back to MVCC this summer for his 2nd year as a lifeguard at the pool. Rainer will be a senior at Trinity Valley School this year and is interested in attending Vanderbilt University or the University of Texas after high school. He enjoys football, basketball, working, and playing with his 4 year old mini Australian Shepherd, Riggs.

Rainer's favorite part of working at Mira Vista is being able to interact with families & playing with kids at the splash pad. He's made many new friends as a staff member and looks forward to lifelong friendships. When asked about him, his manager Caidyn says he's an 'exceptional' employee!



Rainer Williams

Golf



Courtney Connell
PGA Golf
Professional



Kudos to the Thomas Cup Winners!

5 HOLE DIVISION

1st Place Gross



*James and Emmett
Boehmler*

2nd Place Gross



*Brad and Shep
Busselman*

1st Place Net



*Chris and Cole
Roberts*

2nd Place Net



*Eric and Owen
Olson*

9 HOLE DIVISION

1st Place Gross



*Bubba and Nicholas
Vann*

2nd Place Net



*Michael and Carter
Collins*

1st Place Gross



*Mark and Michael
Walton*

1st Place Net



*Barry and Glen
Kromann*

18 HOLE DIVISION

Congratulations to Jeff Markgraf!

It is our pleasure to introduce **Jeff Markgraf** as our new Club Fitter. Jeff has spent the last five years as a member of our Outside Services team. He will continue in that role while also adding Club Fitter to his responsibilities.

Prior to working at Mira Vista, Jeff spent nearly 25 years working in the golf equipment industry. Jeff began his club-fitting career at Tour Line Golf before moving on to Fort Worth Golf Shop. From there, Jeff moved on to Bridgestone golf where he conducted over 12,000 golf ball fittings. He spent 3 years at Ben Hogan Golf Equipment Company as a custom club builder. Over the years, Jeff has had the opportunity to work with many notable players, such as J.J. Henry, Clark Dennis, and Sam Randolph. With his extensive background and knowledge, Jeff makes each fitting an educational and productive experience.

Jeff enjoys riding his motorcycle. He is also an avid pool player.

If you would like to schedule a club fitting with Jeff, contact the Golf Shop for \$75 for an hour fitting.



August 1 -2
Junior Club Championship

August 7-8
Aerification

August 25-27
Men's Club Championship



DONATE BLOOD. HELP SAVE LIVES.

Blood Drive Mira Vista Country Club

Ballroom
6600 Mira Vista Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76132

Tuesday, August 22, 2023
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Please visit RedCrossBlood.org
and enter: miravista to schedule an appointment or scan the QR code below.



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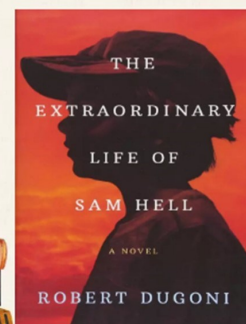


MV LADIES BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, August 23rd
Magnolia Room | 5:30pm

THIS MONTH'S PICK IS:

The Extraordinary Life of Sam Hell
by Robert Dugon



Tennis



Brad Ibbott
Director of Tennis

MIRA VISTA JUNIOR TENNIS and PB DEVELOPMENT (Fall Program)

Programs held Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays (begins after school schedule Tuesday, August 22)

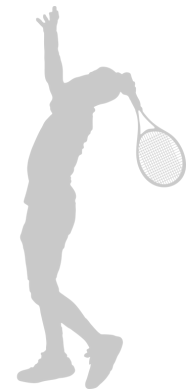
- Monday 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Intermediate PB Kids (ages 7 – 12)
- Tues & Thurs 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Novice (Ages 4 – 10) Beginner to intermediate
- Tues & Thurs 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. Mid Cities / (Ages 9 – 15) Intermediate
- Sunday 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Quick Start (Ages 4 – 10) Beginner to intermediate
- Sunday 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Quick Start (Ages 4 – 10) Beginner to Intermediate

MVTLTA PRESENTS
SUMMER NIGHTS UNDER THE lights

The Mira Vista CC Ladies Tennis Association will be hosting the 24th Annual "Summer Nights under the Lights" at the tennis courts for ALL levels. Lots of FUN! DON'T MISS IT!

Wednesday, September 6
5:30—9:00pm

TIME: 5:30—7:00pm (Tennis) 7:00—9:30pm (Party on)
FORMAT: A bunch of fun! Games for all level players.
FOOD: Hors d'oeuvres and Drinks
COST: \$27.50 per person



KIDS' TENNIS PIZZA NIGHT (AGES 5 TO 14)

DATE: Friday, August 11 & 25
TIME: 5:30-8:30pm or 9:30pm
FORMAT: Tennis Clinic 5:30-6:30pm
Supervised match play and games from 6:30-7:15pm.
Pizza and drinks served at 7:15pm. More games after pizza.
Pick up at 8:30pm or 9:30pm (pizza and play)
PRICE: \$24.00 for Tennis Clinic
\$7.00 for each additional hour
RSVP: Scott (817-294-6690) at least 3 days prior (must cancel 24 hours before Kids' Pizza Night or will be charged)

MIRA VISTA CC ADULT "FALL" LEAGUES (8 week leagues)

With the popularity of the Mira Vista CC Leagues increasing, all leagues will be limited to 10 people per league. This will allow the players to play more often. To sign up for leagues it will be a first come first serve basis so please contact Scott & Colin for Ladies Day League's and Greg for Men's evening seasonal. Call Tennis Shop at 817-294-6690.

- Ladies 3.0 rotating Tennis League. Tues 9:00 – 10:30am. Begins 8/22
- Ladies 2.5 rotating Tennis League. Tues 10:30am – 12pm. Begins 8/22
- Men's 3.0-4.0 rotating Tennis League. Tues 7:30 – 9:00pm. Begins 8/22
- Ladies Pickle Ball League / Play Day on Wednesday 8:00 – 9:30am (on going – max is 20 players)
- Ladies 3.5 & up rotating League on Thurs 9:00 - 10:30am. Begins 8/24

DEMO RACKETS and PADDLES USE BY MEMBERS AND GUESTS

It has always been policy at the Tennis Shop to allow members and their guests to use tennis racket demos and Pickleball paddles at no charge. This policy will remain the same. However, to control the number of demo rackets and paddles walking out the front door and not returning, all demo rackets must be logged out at the front desk and if the racket is not returned within 24 hours the cost of the demo will be charged to the members club account. This will range from \$75.00 to \$150.00. If your club account has been charged, and the racket is returned in normal condition your club account will be credited for the full amount.

TENNIS LOST & FOUND

Throughout the summer the Tennis Shop establishes a lost and found. It's now completely full and members who have participated in our programs can come by during normal business hours and look through the pile for their belongings. To keep the Tennis Shop uncluttered, after Friday, August 11th, the leftover belongings will be donated to Good Will.

Wimbledon Trip 2023

As the Director of Tennis at Mira Vista Country Club for the past 32 years, I have been taking members on trips around the world to see world class tennis since 2000.

Most recently, we travelled to the **2023 Wimbledon Championships** adding a Croatian Cruise to the front end as well as several days in Ireland to cap off the trip. We started in Split, Croatia and boarded the amazing Dalmatino yacht for 7 nights including stops at Trogir, Stari Grad, Vis, Hvar, Korcula, Mijet, Ston, Sipan and Dubrovnik for sight-seeing, meals, shopping, biking and swimming in the Adriatic Sea! Most evenings we enjoyed cocktails back on board the Dalmatino with fantastic meals on deck with the perfect pairing of wine and food!

In London we stayed at the Grosvenor House Hotel across from Hyde Park. We enjoyed one day of shopping and touring, then 2 days on Centre Court at Wimbledon near the Royal Box! We saw Novak Djokovic, Venus Williams, Andy Murray and Jannik Sinner, as well as the amazing tribute to Roger Federer who was in attendance in the Royal Box with Princess Kate!



SEASONAL INDOOR COURT TIMES AVAILABLE

If you have a group of players who you normally play with on a regular basis, you may book the indoor courts on our seasonal court reservation system. This is how it works:

A seasonal court time may be booked for a period of sixteen weeks (beginning the week of September 4). All you pay is \$136.00 plus tax per person (based on four people), and the court is guaranteed at that time for 16 weeks. After the 16 weeks you may rehire under the seasonal court time contract or let that time go to someone else. As an added bonus, if you bring guests and you are on the seasonal contract, there will be no guest fee charged. If you enjoy playing tennis at the same time each week and don't want the possibility of weather problems, please call Tennis Shop at 817-294-6690.



Ulises Tapia
Executive Chef

Coconut Shrimp Curry



INGREDIENTS



- 2 cups Jasmine Rice
- 9 pcs Prawns or Shrimps
- 14oz Coconut Cream
- 3 Tbsp Red Curry
- 1Tbsp fresh Ginger
- 1/2 cup Cilantro
- 1/2 cup Vegetable Juice
- Sriracha Seasoning
- Salt and Pepper

1. First, shave or dice fresh ginger. Make sure to take off the skin.
2. On medium heat, mix all of the ingredients in a pot and bring to boil.
3. Allow the mixture to boil for 5-6 minutes to concentrate and reduce all of the ingredients.
4. Blend everything in a blender.
5. Heat olive oil over medium heat. Add shrimp and cook for 5-7 minutes, or until firm and folded.
6. Serve over rice or rice noodles and garnish with cilantro.



Click [HERE](#) to access MV Dining Room Menu



Dear Members,

Joseph Danton
Golf Course
Superintendent

Through the heat of July, the agronomy team has been able to tackle a few projects around the golf course. The heat will continue for the foreseeable future and it may pose some challenges. We appreciate our staff's efforts and would like to recognize July's employee of the month!

It was a busy July for the agronomy team. With the help of Hoot Landscaping, we were able to complete a landscape installation behind the 8th green. The team also installed new sod in selected areas of our overseeded surfaces. The grow-in process will take a few weeks, but we are excited to get these areas ready for play. We have added a few new things to our shop and management along with the course improvements. The shop recently installed new surveillance cameras to ensure the security of our equipment and facility. Managerially, we have switched over to using a new labor program called OnLabor. This program allows us to plan, track, and know the allocated time for each task. It also offers a more refined system for logging applications and controlling inventory.

Members and guests might have noticed a few changes to our natural grass areas and rough. We mowed down a few natural grass areas throughout the golf course to ensure a more pleasurable playing experience for all golfing demographics. These areas include in front of the #4 tees and left of the cart path on #6. Additionally, we are in the process of modifying the natural area in front of the 17-tee complex. We have reduced the rough height from 2.25" down to 2.00" combined with our natural grass modification.



These summer months make it hard to choose just one employee of the month because everyone is working hard through this heat. I can't express my thanks enough for the staff and their efforts to make this golf course shine. With that, we can only have one employee of the month, and that is Jose Ruiz. Mr. Ruiz has been on staff for 20+ years and is always on time and positive. We can't thank him enough for his hard work and leadership! If you see Jose around, please congratulate him on this accomplishment.

As always, our team appreciates your support and if you have any questions or concerns, please email me at jdanton@miravistacountryclub.com.

Your Superintendent,
Joseph Danton

August 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 <i>Ladies' Night</i> FAMILY NIGHT AT THE POOL -CHICKEN & STEAK FINGERS-	2 <u>Family Night</u> <i>Breakfast</i>	3  Burgers & Brew YE HAPPY HOUR	4 FNL Big Mike	5  Wine, Prime & Pizza Night
6 Breakfast Action Station 7:30am - 2:00pm	7 Club Closed	8 <i>Ladies' Night</i> FAMILY NIGHT AT THE POOL -TACO BAR-	9 <u>Family Night</u> <i>Asian</i> BALLOON TWISTER	10  Burgers & Brew	11 FNL Chaz Marie Quentin Pasta Station	12  Wine, Prime & Pizza Night BACK TO SCHOOL POOL PARTY
13 Breakfast Action Station 7:30am - 2:00pm	14 Club Closed	15 <i>Ladies' Night</i> FAMILY NIGHT AT THE POOL -SLIDERS & PIZZA-	16 <u>Family Night</u> <i>French</i>	17  Burgers & Brew	18 FNL Simone Nicole Pasta Station	19  Casino Night SAVE THE DATE <i>Vegas at the Vista</i> MIRA VISTA'S ANNUAL BASH PARTY
20 Breakfast Action Station 7:30am - 2:00pm	21 Club Closed	22 <i>Ladies' Night</i> FAMILY NIGHT AT THE POOL -NACHO BAR- -LIVE MUSIC BY KEVIN SEWELL	23 <u>Family Night</u> <i>Italian</i> BOOK CLUB The Extraordinary Life of Sam Hell by Robert Dugon	24  Burgers & Brew	25 FNL Texas High Road Pasta Station	26  Wine, Prime & Pizza Night
27 Breakfast Action Station 7:30am - 2:00pm	28 Club Closed	29 <i>Ladies' Night</i> FAMILY NIGHT AT THE POOL -CHICKEN & STEAK FINGERS-	30 <u>Family Night</u> <i>Breakfast</i>	31  Burgers & Brew		