

Glenrochie Gazette

Since 1958

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Christmas Cocktail Party

Free to Members—Alcohol not included

Our annual Christmas Cocktail Party will be held on December 6th, from 6-9 pm. Heavy hors d'oeuvres will be served. Adults only. No childcare will be provided. For reservations, call Business Office @ 276-628-3059.

Menu: Sweet Potato Tikka Cakes, Roast Beef Tenderloin w/rolls, Sriracha Grilled Shrimp, Pistachio crusted Scallops, Pigs in a Blanket, Brie w/Fruit Compote, Charcuterie/fruit & cheese platters, Roasted carrots w/Chimichurri & Romesco Sauces, Vegetable platter w/dip, Chocolate Fondue w/cake & fruit, Mexican Wedding Cakes, Rum Balls, Spiced Rosemary mixed nuts.

Breakfast with Santa

Join us on December 14th for Breakfast with Santa from 10am—noon at the Glenrochie Country Club Ballroom. Visit with Santa, have your picture made, enjoy a kid friendly breakfast buffet and receive a Gingerbread House Kit! Children 3 and under eat free. Ages 3 thru 12 \$8.00 each. Adults \$12.00.



Message from the Pro - Chris Stacy



Happy Holidays! I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving! The GCC Match Play Championship is now concluded, and I would like to congratulate Garland Green on his victory! Garland beat Eric Osborne in the finals to win the championship. Here are the top finishers who placed in the 2024 GCC Match Play Club Championship:

1st Garland Green
2nd Eric Osborne
T-3rd DJ Hammond
T-3rd Greg Johnson
T-5th Sam Blaylock
T-5th Blake Baker
T-5th Mike Patrick
T-5th Barry Meador

During this time of year there will still be some warm days to get out and hit the links but we must remember that a frost delay will likely occur. Cool, crisp mornings bring the risk of frost delays. At some golf courses frost delays are rare, while at others they may be a regular occurrence. How often your morning round is affected by frost depends on the weather and a variety of other factors. Here are five things every golfer should know about frost delays:

1. Crunchy grass is vulnerable to damage.

Golf course turf is normally resilient to traffic, but when ice crystals form inside the plants, they become brittle and vulnerable to damage. Walking or driving over frost-covered grass may rupture plant cells, leading to dead turf or the plants may be weakened without immediately showing the effects. It can take grass more than a month to recover from this damage.

2. When it comes to frost delays, location is everything.

Many of us have looked out our windows at home and seen no signs of frost, only to find a frost delay when we reach the golf course. This is because frost can linger in colder microclimates long after other areas have thawed. North-facing slopes, low-lying areas and areas sheltered from the wind are especially likely to remain covered with frost. If you are worried about a potential frost delay it is best to call the golf shop to check on conditions at the course before leaving home.

Washington County Fairgrounds Building A

GCC Indoor Junior Pickleball & Tennis

Winter Session I

Dec. 2nd - Jan. 4th

(4 Wk. Series)* Christmas week off



Junior Tennis Clinic Schedule

Smashers - Tues. & Thur. 4:00 - 5:00
Ages 5-8 (Orange/Green Beginners)

Crushers - Tue. & Thur. 5:00 - 6:00
Ages 7-11 (Green Beg. - Interim)

Slammers - Mon. & Wed. 5:15 - 6:30
Ages 8-13 (Green Advanced)

Gamers - Mon. & Wed. 4:00 - 5:15
Ages 8-13 (Green Advanced)

**Additional Days/Times may be available,
so please contact me if at all interested.**

****Please sign up prior to attending. Pricing &
Scheduling are subject to change depending on class
sizes.**

Junior Pickleball Clinic Schedule

Days & Times TBA - Please Inquire

Introduction to PB
Correct Form on all Strokes of the game, Rules, Scoring

Intermediate PB
Strategies, Drilling, Live ball Drills, More advanced skill sets

Adv. Drill/Play
Open Play w/strategies, drill games, scoring, advanced drills
both pro fed and live ball drills

Series Pricing and Individual Class Rates are both available

Non-member Fee's Apply

**Please contact Brad Pippin to sign up prior to
attending. (423) 383-0170**

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JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAYS!!!

All Racquet Sports Equipment at a Discount!!

Tired of Paying Retail to big Online Warehouses for your Tennis, Pickleball gear and apparel? Why not order local?

Please visit FromuthTennis.com to find your next Paddle, Racquet, Pair of Shoes, or Accessories! The Website will show only MSRP pricing, so please contact me to utilize the savings..no need to pay retail as other online vendors often do! I can BEAT all regular priced Items!!!

Authorized Diadem & Head Brand Representative.
Several Demo Paddles to try out for the perfect fit.



Please Feel Free to Contact Brad Pippin with any questions or pricing information.
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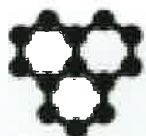
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Adult Pickleball @ Fairgrounds



Clinic Schedule

Mornings

Beginner - Wednesdays

This class will focus on the fundamentals of the game along with keeping score.

9:00 - 10:30am

Advanced - Thursdays

This class will consist of drills, play, & positioning scenarios. Live Point Play throughout.

9:00 - 10:30am

Intermediate - Fridays

This class will consist of stroke production, drills, & positioning scenarios. Drills and Live Point Play throughout.

9:00 - 10:30am

****Please sign up for Clinics prior to attending****

Weekends

**Intermediate/Advanced Competitive Play
Sunday 4:30-6:30pm**

Other Weeknights and Weekend Times are available. Please Contact the Pro with any interest.

Pricing per Class

Beg./Intermediate/Adv. \$15 / class

Payments should be made weekly unless being billed to a GCC Member Account.

Non-member Fee's Apply

Contact Brad Pippin with any questions or to sign up!! 423-383-0170

THE WOODEN PICKLE @ GLENROCHIE

Starting January 1, 2025, we welcome the ownership of The Wooden Pickle Food & Spirits in Marion as our new Food & Beverage provider!! Their goal is to continue to provide the same high quality of service as Catherine has over the past several years. Mike Hall and Chris Saufley have many combined years of experience in the food service industry, restaurant ownership/management, catering and hospitality and are looking forward to bringing some of the famous flavors of The Wooden Pickle menu here!!

Catherine's @ Glenrochie

The magical season of Christmas is upon us, and we have planned some nice menus for the annual cocktail party, the Winterham neighborhood party, the Ladies Golf Association, and for children and their families when we have our annual Breakfast with Santa.

It has been a wonderful three years of serving Glenrochie, and I will always be grateful for this opportunity.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Reminder



Billing for Handicap fees are billed on January 31st.

Billing for Range Plan, Locker, and Bag Storage are billed in two increments, one-half in January and the other half in February.

If you have any of these services and wish to cancel, you **MUST** let the business office know prior to **January 31st**.

Handicap fees will not be refunded.

Ben's Corner

Thank you to all our members and staff this 2024 season. The club is continuing to grow through membership and participation with events, tournaments and club activities and we look forward to another prosperous year. A sincere thank you for all those that participated in the Annual Employee Christmas Fund. Your donation is greatly appreciated.

We hope each of you have a safe and joyful holiday season. Looking forward to seeing you in the new year. Have a blessed Christmas and New Year!



President: Otey Dudley

Vice Present: Betty Cullinane

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Nick Self

Andy Puckett

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Catherine's @ Glenrochie.-Open Sun, Tues, Wed, Thurs., Fri. 11:00-4:30 Closed Mondays

Bar-open-Sun, Tues, Wed, Thurs. and Fri. 11:00-4:30, Closed Mondays

Pro Shop- 9:00-4:00 (Sunday -Saturday & Holidays)

December 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6 <i>Cocktail Party</i>	7
8	9	10 <i>Finance 5pm</i>	11 <i>ProShop 8am Tennis 12pm F&B 4pm Membership 5pm Board Mtg 6pm</i>	12	13	14 <i>Breakfast w/ Santa</i>
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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