

June 2019

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Congratulations to Superintendent Levi Jumper on 2 special occasions. In May he graduation from EMCC's turf management program, and on June 22nd he is set to get married to his long time girlfriend Karley Crump of Blue Springs, MS. Everyone please join us in congratulating and thanking Levi on his accomplishments, continued efforts, and lifelong endeavors.

2019 UPCOMING EVENTS

Sat, June 1st --- Swings for Scholarships1:30pm
Sat, June 8th --- Tee's for St. Jude 1:30pm
Sat, June 15th --- Belzoni Corp. 9am
Monday, July 8th --- Coca Cola Junior Tour
July 12 - 14th --- Club Championship
July 15 - 16th --- Greens Airification
Saturday, Aug 11th --- Battle of the Ages 9am
Saturday, Oct 5th --- ATMAE Scramble 9am
Saturday, Nov 9th --- National Fallen Fire 1:30p
Fighters Scramble

Thursday, Nov 28th --- Thanksgiving - Closed *December 25th* --- Christmas Day Course Closed

Welcome New Members!!

Please join us in welcoming our newest golfing member Jerry Hodson to Elm Lake.

Thank you to everyone who volunteered their golf cart for the 4A boys State Championship May 6th and 7th. This was the 2nd year in a row we have had this event and we look forward to many more. We have worked very hard to be able to hold events like this and we couldn't have supported all the spectators without your cart use. Thank you all so much!

Signup for the Club Championship is available in the golf shop. The 36 hole stroke play event will be July 12-14th.

Please make sure to check out usga.org for the new modernized 2019 Rules of Golf. Click this link for video tutorials on the rules. As of January 1st these rules are now in effect. It will be important to know these rules if play in events or participate in the club championship. The new rules are simplified, going from 34 to 24 total rules.

Although the new restrooms on the golf course are not complete, they are now usable. We still have some finish work to do, roof to install, and landscaping. We anticipate the roof and finishing's to be completed this month. Thank you for your patience on this project. We hope we can enjoy cleaner and more welcoming oncourse amenities for years to come.

Are there any changes you would like to see made to Elm Lake? If so, please send your comments to a board member or to jhanko@pga.com. We want Elm Lake to be the best it can be, so we value your input greatly!

From the Course

The leak near 18 tee box has been fixed and with it our irrigation is fully back up and running. It was a bad time for the leak to worsen as mother nature turned off its spicket; but we thank Levi and his crew for their additional effort in getting it fixed and minimizing damage from the outage.

The EL Board and management have purchased a new Turf-Co top dresser. You may have noticed some increased sanding of the greens since we received the equipment; and we are now seeing a more consistent ball roll on the putting greens.

We are however still growing in areas of the greens that suffered from 6 months of staying wet. Airification on July 15th-16th will greatly help thin areas recover if they haven't by then.

Tee's Bar and Grill Hours for the Summer Season

Wed.-Fri. 11-2 & 4:30-9 Saturday 11:00-9:00 / Sunday 12:00-8:00

Community Support – From the Board

We are all very lucky as residents and/or as members of Elm Lake to have the community and facility that we do. If we want to continue to have these amenities **WE ALL** need to become a supporting part of our community.

1) Pay your HOA fees

It's only \$10 per month. Without your help we will not have street lights and we cannot improve landscaping around the medians, roadways and mailboxes.

2) Support Tee's restaurant

Having great food within walking distance is a luxury. However if you only patronize every

couple of months we will lose this luxury. Do yourself a favor and try Tee's. It is excellent, convenient, friendly, and keeps our community a special place to call home.

3) Support the Golf Course

Joseph and his staff have worked indescribably hard at making the course what it is today. Support the course with as little as \$50 per month for an associate membership.