

MOUNTAIN•VIEWS

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~~~THE WEEK AT A GLANCE~~~

REMEMBER TO SIGN UP FOR THE ACTIVITIES THAT INTEREST YOU AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE. WE HAVE MULTIPLE EVENTS THAT HAVE LIMITED CAPACITY AND WHICH FILL COMPLETELY. DON'T BE LEFT OUT! CALL THE PRO-SHOP IF YOU CAN'T SIGN UP IN THE PRO-SHOP IN PERSON.

SUN., 7/30

- * Round Robin Tennis 10:00 a.m. Sign up in advance in the pro-shop (you can call!)
- * Mens' Match Play Golf Tournament **continues through July 30.**
- * Men's Handicap Match Play **through Aug. 20th.** Details and sign-up in the pro-shop.
- * Womens' Golf Championship & Senior Championship **continues through August 6.**
- * Womens' Ringers Tournament **continues through August 27.** See below for details.

MON., 7/31

- * Junior Tennis Camp Monday-Wednesday 9:00 - 12:00 Sign up in the pro-shop
- * Mah Jongg game. 1:00 p.m. Bring your 2017 cards to play! Email Cherry Rowell to sign up: csrowell248@comcast.net Not sure about this?? Just come and watch.
- * Cardio Tennis with Laura Laramée 1:00 - 2:00 Call in advance to sign up.

TUES., 8/1

- * Ladies Day Tennis 10:00 a.m. Sign up in advance in the pro-shop.
- * Cardio Tennis with Laura 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Sign up in advance in the pro-shop.
- * Men's Evening League Golf 4:00 p.m. shotgun start. Call the pro-shop to sign up.

WED., 8/2

- * **IMPORTANT!** Volunteer Grounds Keeping Work Day - 9:00 See below for more information
- * Men's Day Tennis 10:00 a.m. Sign up in advance in the pro-shop.
- * Ladies' Day Golf 10:00 a.m. Sign up in advance in the pro-shop.
- * Cardio Tennis 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Call Laura or sign up in the pro-shop.
- * Kids' Night/Parents' Social **NEW TIME: 6:00** You MUST sign up for your child to get pizza!

THURS., 8/3

- * Senior Tennis Tournament (55+) through Aug. 6. **Sign up by 8/1**
- * Junior Golf Camp Thursday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Call the pro-shop for more information,
- * Men's Day Golf 9:00 a.m. Sign up in advance in the pro-shop.
- * Youth Tennis Clinics in the morning. Start times vary with age group.
- * Junior Golf Clinic 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Call the pro-shop for more information.
- * Cardio Tennis 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Call Laura or sign up in the pro-shop.
- * Adult Golf Clinic 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Call the pro-shop for more information.

FRI., 8/4

- * Adult Tennis Clinic 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
- * Youth Tennis Clinics in the morning. Start times vary with age group.
- * Cardio Tennis 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Call Laura or sign up in the pro-shop

SAT., 8/5

- * Club Golf Championship 9:00 a.m. - through Sunday 8/6 Details and sign-up in the pro-shop
- * Trivia Night and Pizza 6:00 p.m. Maximum 6 players per team. Sign up in the pro-shop

Volunteer Greens Keeping!

Our second volunteer greens keeping day of the year was held on July 19. The “crew” made further progress on clearing brush between the seventh and eighth fairway, which will permit more air to circulate around that area. This in turn will naturally improve the health and turf quality on the eighth hole and increase players’ ability to locate and play shots hit into that wooded area.

Special thanks to Stu Arnold, Charlie Carter, John Hasen, Mike Metcalf, Bob Parrish, Art Wright and Rick Ely, as well as Course

Superintendent Steve Parker and his team members Jeremy Benway and Cody Wright.

In coming weeks we plan on to continue our work in the woodland between the seventh and eighth holes—please bear with us as the work proceeds. We have adopted a local rule that a brush pile is an “abnormal ground condition” (ground under repair) within the meaning of Rule 25: if the pile interferes with your stance or swing, you can lift and clean your ball and then drop it within one club length of the nearest point of relief, no closer to the hole than that nearest point of relief.

Many hands make light work! Please consider joining us for our

next volunteer work day at

9 am on Wednesday, August 2.

We meet in front of the Pro Shop and will spend about two and a half hours working on the brush clearance project, with hot dogs and hamburgers available afterwards for all participants.

Take a look the next time you've hit your ball near the work site. You're sure to be amazed and impressed with what has been accomplished so far.





Lobster Bake Two

- August 16th -

is filling up fast!

Reserve your seat now!



SOLD OUT!

TENNIS CLINICS with Laura Laramée

KIDS' Clinics: Monday - Friday \$15 per clinic
9:30 - 10:00 Little Ones (4-7 years)
10:00 - 11:00 Intermediates (8-12 years)
11:00 - 12:00 Advanced Juniors (13-19 years)

CARDIO Tennis: Monday - Friday \$15 per clinic
1:00 - 2:00

ADULT CLINICS: Fridays \$15 per clinic
8:30 - 9:30

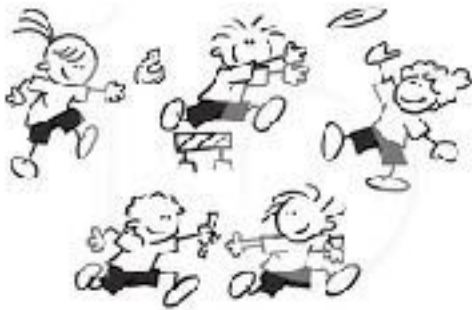
PRIVATE LESSONS available
\$55/hour or \$35/half hour

Call Laura to enroll in any of the above: 802-673-7047

- **No tennis racquet for the kids?** No problem! Laura can provide a size-appropriate racquet for the clinics.
- **Does your racquet need restringing?** No problem! Laura can do it for you — \$27 - \$40 depending on the

KIDS' NIGHT

NEW TIME: Wednesdays at 6:00



Sign up to get pizza for the kids.
Adults, **BYOB** and an appetizer to share.

PARENTS' SOCIAL TIME

JUNIOR SPORTS CAMPS AT MVCC

TENNIS: Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday 9:00 - 12:00

GOLF: Thursday & Friday 9:00 - 12:00

Call the pro-shop for more details! 533-7477

TENNIS TOURNAMENTS & EVENTS AT MVCC

SENIOR (55 & over) TENNIS TOURNAMENTS — Thursday, August 3 - Sunday, August 6

These tournaments include Men's and Women's Singles, Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles. Best two out of three sets with third set a 10 point match tie breaker.

Sign up by noon, Tuesday, August 1

Mark your calendars and plan to participate in these tournaments too:

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS TOURNAMENTS — Thursday, August 10 - Sunday, August 14

The last tennis tournaments of the 2017 season: Men's and Women's Singles & Doubles, Mixed Doubles

Sign up by noon Tuesday, August 8

Signing up for these events is important and necessary to ensure a smoothly orchestrated tournament. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. You may sign up in person at the pro-shop or by calling 533-7477.

TACO and FAMILY GAME NIGHT

Join us on **Sunday, August 13** for our second annual **Family Game Night**. Betsy Parrish will have **lawn games** for kids of all ages. Our own Laura Laramie assisted by Nora Stoner will offer yummy **tacos and a delicious dessert** (hint: bananas foster for the adults, ice cream sundaes bar for the kids).

Games begin at 5:30. Food service is from 6:00 - 7 or 7:30 (depending upon the number of reservations; we'll let you know). Taco choices are chicken, beef, chili, or vegetarian. Adult servings are three tacos; kids under 12 get two. Adult prices are \$15; under 12 \$7.50.

We will hold this event rain or shine. If the lawn games are washed out, bring along one of your family's favorite board games and we'll play in the clubhouse.

NOW, we **DO** need for you to **MAKE A RESERVATION and make payment in advance** so we know how many to plan food for. Please do so as soon as possible, but **no later than Thursday, August 10**.

AND, while you're making reservations for Taco/Family Game Night, **sign up for Trivia Night**. Payment can be made on the evening of Trivia Night if that's more convenient, but we need a head count so we have an adequate number of pizzas. Come with a team (limit 6) or join up with others when you arrive.

Attention all BRIDGE PLAYERS !

Several members have indicated they'd enjoy playing in a regular game.

Cornelia de Schepper has agreed to be the contact on behalf of her mother, Mildred (who is a wicked good player). Games would likely be at the de Schepper home rather than the club, day and time to be determined. If you're interested, contact Cornelia or Mildred at 533-9918.

TV UPDATE

Last week, it was brought to the attention of the house committee that some of the channels in our Dish Network package were not available for viewing. We are happy to report that the issue has now been corrected, and we now have access to **ALL** the stations in Dish's 'America's Top 250' bundle. These include: The Tennis Channel, The Golf Channel, NESN (Red Sox), ESPN, Fox Sports 1, NBC Sports Network, and more! Bring your family and friends, and come to the clubhouse to watch all the action. (Don't forget the popcorn!)

Dates to remember:

The PGA (8/10-8/13)

The US Tennis Open (8/28-9/10).

GOLF CLINICS to help you enjoy your game more!

Jim is offering his **THURSDAY golfing clinics** again, \$15.

Juniors 1:00

Adults 2:00

Sign up in the pro-shop or call 533-7477 to get your name on the list.

MAH JONGG MONDAYS

Play **MahJongg on Mondays from 1:00 to 4:00** this summer at the Club. This game is for experienced players playing at a faster pace. For any of you who are unsure about how "experienced" you are, come along and observe and we will figure out how to get everyone playing. You will need to have the new 2017 Mahjong card, which you can order from Amazon.com here. The important thing - We want to have fun and get better over time! Do come!

Want to play this week?? Please email Cherry to sign up. csrowell248@comcast.net
We need to know who is interested in order to set up enough tables...

Ladies' Night is nearly full!!

Don't miss out — sign up NOW!!

WOMEN'S AUGUST GOLF EVENTS

Welcome to the Summer Women's golf season at MVCC!! This year there will be a couple of changes. We will be self-supporting, so all our events will have an ENTRY FEE. All the prizes awarded to the winners will be for pro shop gift certificates.

Sign up in the pro shop for any or all the following fun golf tournaments we will have at MVCC during the 2017 season. Please write down your phone number or email on the signup sheet so everyone will know how to get in touch with you:

August Handicap: Sign up by August 4, 2017-- Entry Fee Payable when you sign up -- \$10.00 I will create the brackets. Check to see who you are playing. The person with the lower handicap calls the other player to arrange the match. The difference between the two handicaps is the number of strokes the lower handicap player gives the higher handicap.

August 7-20, 2017:

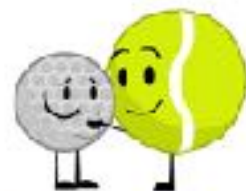
A match play format based upon handicap. Once people sign up, I will create the brackets for people to commence play.

Ringers Tournament: Post your best score on every hole. Gross and net prizes awarded. Tournament runs from July 1, 2016 until August 27, 2017.

If you have any questions, call Jane Woodruff at 533-7469 or email at patronus58@gmail.com .

Introductory Playing Permits!

Do you have a family member, friend or renter who is not a Club member but enjoys golf or tennis? MVCC offers *weekly introductory permits* that provide full access to our golf course, tennis courts, and clubhouse and social activities for up to two weeks at a price of \$107/week for a single, \$150/week for a couple and \$160/week for a family.

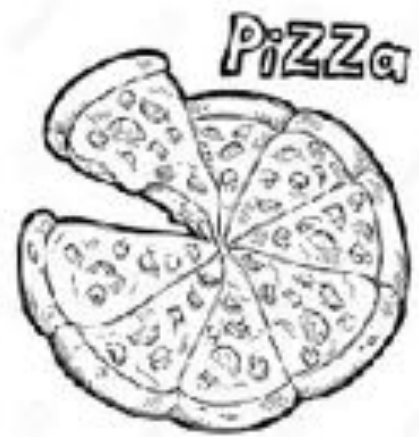


Visit our website (mvccvt.com) or call our Pro Shop (533-7477) for more information.



5th Annual

**PIZZA
and**



FAMILY TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday, August 5th

6:00 Pizza — 6:30 Trivia

\$7.00 per person

BYOB

Sign up your team in the Pro-shop.

Please limit team to no more than 6 people.

FUN PRIZES after every round!

GRAND PRIZES for overall winners!

Kid friendly ~ Adult challenging

Multi-media presentation of questions

Sign up now!!

EIGHTY and OVER LUNCHEON REPORT

The **Over Eighties** are a very cool group! An abundance of wisdom and generosity! We thank you and we honor you for turning out in force and having a great time.

34 OEs enjoyed a luncheon starting with Jackie Lovett's signature shrimp cocktail, Stew and Becky Arnold's Asian grilled chicken Hazendale salad with fresh peaches and strawberries, snow peas, glazed pecans, Bayley Hazen Blue and Melanie Clark's grilled herb naan bread. Sweets for the sweet included a choice of Melanie's decadent dark chocolate or coconut layer cake with cream cheese frosting. Becky Arnold previewed Fund for Greensboro news to be shared at the GA Annual meeting August 3rd. Carol Calcagni provided flowers and rounded out the production team along with Rose Meyerowich, Patty Smith, Rick Lovett, and Lorelei Wheeler. Special thanks to all who attended and helped make it happen!

Numerous people requested the vinaigrette dressing recipe enjoyed at the luncheon so it is being offered to all MVCC members:

OE Luncheon Vinaigrette 2017

This vinaigrette stays mixed! Makes 12 oz; easily doubled

In a 2 cup canning jar mix the following ingredients:

- 1 Tblsp mayonnaise
- 1 Tblsp Dijon mustard
- 1 Tblsp honey, maple syrup or molasses
- 1/2 tsp salt
- ground pepper
- 1/4 cup white wine vinegar

Cover and shake vigorously till mixed.

Add:

1/4 cup olive oil; shake vigorously again.

Add:

1/4 cup more olive oil; shake vigorously again

Add:

1/4 cup canola or other mild flavored oil such as avocado oil; shake again.

1/4 cup freshly snipped chives are a nice addition or other herbs you have; shake again.



That's it ~ Enjoy!

Pictures have been posted on Facebook so be sure to “Like” them. If you don’t “do Facebook”, check with your friends who are on Facebook and ask them to show you your picture!

Don't Miss Out on the Famously Fun

11TH ANNUAL LADIES NIGHT !



2017



A Really Fun Event

But seating is LIMITED so sign up NOW.

(This is always a sell-out event.)

*\$30 per member - \$33 for non
members and guests*

**Thursday, August 10th
at 5:30**

*sign up by August 5th in the Pro Shop,
by Phone: 533-7477 or EMAIL: proshop@muccvt.com*

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THROW-DOWN RECIPE

Here is another great throw-down recipe for your party “cookbook”.

Liberation Libation, Vermont Style

makes 1 drink

Fill an Old-Fashioned glass with ice. Add:

2 oz. VT Gold Vodka

2 Tbs VT Maple Syrup

Pour this into a shaker, and chill the mixture (shake!).

Strain into a glass rimmed in Cinnamon Sugar mix. (We wet the glass with vodka.) Fill the glass with Citizen Cider (VT) non-alcoholic sparkling cider to top it off.

Behave yourself!

NOTE: We hope to share the other recipes in later issues as space permits.

**Be kind to your golf course!
PLEASE REPLACE YOUR DIVOTS
and
FIX YOUR BALL MARKS! Thanks.**

FAMILY NIGHT

TACOS & GAMES

FOR ALL AGES!

Sunday, August 13, rain or shine

5:30 games begin, tacos 6:00-7:30

**Ladderball, Corn Hole, Can-Jam,
Croquet, Badminton and more!**



MENU:

**Chicken, Beef, Chili, or Veggie Tacos
with assorted garnishes**

Dessert

\$15 adults (3 tacos)

\$7.50 kids (2 tacos)

**BYOB and chairs/blanket to sit on
Sign up & pay in the Pro-Shop**