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From the Board

MESSAGE FROM BOARD

Fall has arrived! With crisp air, colorful views, and perfect days ahead for golf and tennis, we're excited to enjoy the season together and hope to see you at the many events planned through the end of the year.

We're also happy to share that the Board of Directors will begin open session meetings in October.

Thank you for your patience and continued support as we make this transition.

Warmly,
Gina Hutchison



BOD MONTHLY MEETING

All Board of Director (BOD) meetings are scheduled for the fourth Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. with the exception of the months of November and December, which are scheduled for the third Thursday.

If you wish to address the Board of Directors, there is an open forum for you to do so, you will be given the opportunity to speak at the end of the meeting.

**THE NEXT BOARD MEETING WILL BE:
POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

THE GRILL RESERVATIONS 661-947-3142 EXT 801



ALL DAY MENU



Potato Skins Five skins of potato topped with cream cheese, bacon bits, shredded cheese & ranch dressing	\$10.99
Fish & Chips Breaded and deep-fried cod fish served with French fries coleslaw & tartar sauce	\$18.99
Chicken tenders Served with your choice of side.	\$15.99
A.V. Chicken Caesar Salad Grilled chicken, tossed with fresh chopped romaine lettuce, home-made creamy Caesar dressing, croutons & parmesan cheese	\$15.99
Seared Ahi Tuna Salad Seared ahi tuna steak on top of baby green mixed tossed with sesame ginger dressing, cucumbers, tomatoes, red onions, bell pepper, topped with avocado, mandarin orange & wasabi aioli drizzle	\$16.99
Chicken Walnut Salad House green mix with dry cranberries, grilled chicken breast, candied walnuts, mandarin orange, and honey mustard Available home-made dressings: ranch, blue cheese, balsamic, Italian, honey mustard & ginger sesame dressing	\$16.99
Chicken Wings Eight wings tossed with your choice of buffalo, barbecue or lemon pepper sauce, served with celery, carrots & ranch dressing	\$12.99
AV Club Sandwich Ham, turkey, bacon, sandwich on toasted sourdough bread, with shredded lettuce, sliced tomato, cheddar cheese & avocado, served with a pickle spear & your choice of side	\$16.99
AV 1/2 Lb. Burger Half pound cooked your way, topped with choice of cheese, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato & onions served with a pickle spear & your choice of side	\$16.99
Chicken Sandwich 6 oz grilled chicken breast topped with melted pepper jack cheese, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato & home-made chipotle aioli, served with a pickle spear & your choice of side	\$16.99
Turkey Burger Turkey patty topped with pepper jack cheese, shredded lettuce, sliced tomato, onions & avocado served with a pickle spear, & your choice of side	\$15.99

Build your own

Flatbread \$14.99	Small Pizza / 12 in \$16.99	Large Pizza / 18 in \$20.99
Marinara sauce, mozzarella cheese, and choice of four toppings: pepperoni, bacon, ham, sausage, meatballs mushrooms, black olives, tomatoes, red onions, bell pepper, jalapenos		
\$1.00 Each Additional Item		
\$2.00 Add mike's hot honey		

SIDES

Fresh Fruit	House Salad Extra \$1.00	French Fries
Tater Tots	Cup of Soup Extra \$1.00	Onion Rings
	Sweet Potato Fries	

HOME- MADE DESSERTS

Cheesecake of the week Ask your server about our homemade cheesecake of the week flavor!	\$11.99
Homemade butter cake Homemade butter cake served with vanilla bean ice cream and salted caramel sauce	\$13.99

FRIDAY DINNER MENU CHANGES WEEKLY RESERVATIONS BEGIN AT 5:00PM
MENU AVAILABLE ONLINE OR CALL THE GRILL 661-947-3142 EXT 801

From the Business Office

Teesnap Billing Schedule



Upcoming billing schedule:

October 1st- Teesnap will email your **September** Statement which will consist of **September** Dues and **September** Member Charges.

October 8th- Autopay pulls. If you signed up for Autopay expect your **September** Statement balance to pull in full **including any member charges that are made October 1st - October 7th.**

Friendly reminder all Monthly Statements will come from this email address: **no-reply@teesnap.com** **this email address does not accept any reply emails!**

If you have any questions about your statement call the front office 661-947-3142 EXT 805 or via email

membership@antelopevalleycountryclub.com

Be sure to check your spam or junk mail as many of your email providers may not recognize the new email address for your Monthly Statement.



Karen Cervantes

Director of Catering and Member Relations

September has been a busy and exciting month at the Club! We've hosted six private events including Paraclete Cheer Team, Assistance League, and Antelope Valley Boosters. We're thrilled to see our major tournaments return with even bigger participation than last year! We also welcomed back US Kids Golf and proudly hosted three smaller tournaments—one dedicated to Veterans and Luxury Collective.

A big thank you goes out to AJ Martinez for donating four Lamar digital ads, which officially launched on September 15th. Along with AVTA bus advertising running on bus #35303, these efforts are already bringing new faces to the Club and helping us grow our visibility in the community.

Our Cars, Coffee, Cops event was a huge success, filling the entire back lot with nearly 40 vehicles! We couldn't have done it without the support of our amazing volunteers: Amy Thompson, Gina Hutchison, Michelle Lewis, Kirk Shoemaker, Robert Lenton, and Joe Camacho.

Photo credit: Phillip's Photography 661-940-1740

Looking ahead, be sure to mark your calendars:

🎨 Sip & Paint – Tuesday, October 7th

🎤 Karaoke Night – Friday, October 24th

We're also opening our doors to businesses big and small who want to sponsor or host entertainment at the Club. Ideally, events would be held on a Friday evening and wrap up by 8pm. If you're interested, please reach out for details!

As for the holiday season, dates are filling up quickly!

The only remaining spots in December are:

- Saturday, December 20th
- Sunday, December 14th
- Sunday, December 21st
- Thursday, December 4th

(special: room rental only \$6.42++ per person on Thursday!)
Perfect opportunities to host a festive holiday celebration!



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From the Courts

Kirk Shoemaker Director of Tennis

We had a fantastic US Open Social on September 13th with 20 players competing in a round robin format—two levels of mixed doubles and one court of men's doubles.

Congratulations to our winners:

- Victor Holt – 25 games, Men's Doubles Champion
- Robert Lenton – 24 games, Mixed Doubles Champion
- Marcelo Cena – 23 games, Mixed Doubles Runner-Up

Way to go, everyone!

On September 17th, our Pickleball Social brought together 16 players for fun, multi-level matches with plenty of energy and great vibes. A special shout-out to Don Thompson, who won the evening's drawing and took home a Grill gift card—congrats!

Coming Up:

- 4th Annual Twilight Costume Pickleball Invitational – Wednesday, October 22 | 5:30–7:30 PM
- 8th Annual Halloween Extravaganza – Saturday, November 1

Men's Challenge Leagues in both singles and doubles are underway and will run through the end of the year.

In USTA Mixed Tri-Level League, the Club currently leads 2–1 against the Park—keep it up, team! And a big congratulations to our USTA team captains, Michelle and Diane, who represented the Club at Sectionals at Sunset Hills Country Club. We're proud of you both! 🎉🏆

As always, contact Captain Kirk for all things racquets and paddles.

Weekly Clinics

- Tues** 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM USTA 3.0-4.0 Drill Clinic
Wed 9:30 AM - 11:30 (Noon) Private Clinic/ Luncheon
Thurs 3:30 PM - 4:30 AM Adult Tennis Drill Clinic
Thurs 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM Junior / High School Tennis Drill Clinic
Thurs 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Pickleball Drill Clinic
Sat 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM USTA 3.0 - 4.0 Drill Clinic

Weekly Pickleball Court 3



Wednesday at 5:30 PM



Sunday at 9:00 AM



From the Courts



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From the Course



WGA Tournaments

October 12, 2025 - October 13, 2025
Invitational

October 14, 2025
Presidents Cup Begins

October 18, 2025
Senior Club Championship

October 28, 2025
Halloween Mixer

November 1, 2025 - November 2, 2025
Solheim Cup

November 15, 2025
Putting Contest

November 24, 2025
Presidents Cup Ends

November 25, 2025
Turkey Mixer

December 9, 2025
Dancers & Prancers

MGA Tournaments

October 11, 2025 - October 12, 2025
Senior Club Championship

November 1, 2025 - November 2, 2025
Ryder Cup

December 6, 2025
Winter Blow-Out



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WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION

WGA 2-DAY ECLECTIC

Congratulations to our Winners!

- 🏆 1st Place – Cindy Smith
- 🥈 2nd Place – Diane Beck
- 🥉 3rd Place – Pat Stevenson
- 🌸 4th Place – Jackie Pickrel

Closest to the Pin honors went to Cindy, Gina, and Diane – well done, ladies!

📌 WGA Board Elections 2026

Nominations are now open for all positions. The list is posted in the Ladies' Locker Room—be sure to check it out and consider getting involved!

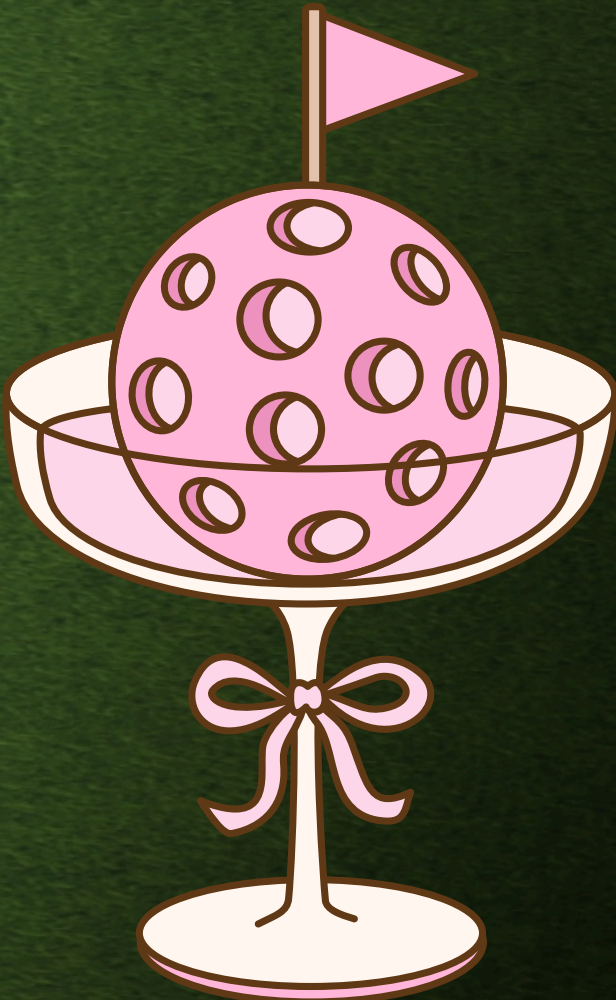
🌈 Save the Date – 10th Annual WGA Golf Invitational

Mark your calendars for October 12–13, 2025!

- October 12: Meet & Greet, Putting Contest, and Game Night
- October 13: Partners' Best Ball Golf Tournament

It's going to be a fantastic celebration of friendship, fun, and golf—don't miss it!

— Alice



WGA 2 Day Eclectic September 13-14, 2025



Front Office Hours
Tuesday - Saturday
10:00 to 4:00 PM
Closed Monday and Sunday

Questions?
661-947-3142
Ext 805
Front Office

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			1 Pickleball	2	3 Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	4
5 Pickleball	6	7 Taco Tuesday Sip & Paint	8 Pickleball	9	10 Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	11 MGA Sr. Club Champ
12 Pickleball MGA Sr. Club Champ WGA Invitational	13 WGA Invitational	14 Taco Tuesday Ladies Book Club WGA Presidents Cup Begins	15 Pickleball	16	17 Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	18 WGA Sr. Club Champ
19 Pickleball	20	21 Taco Tuesday	22 Pickleball 4th Annual Twilight Pickleball Invitational Celebration	23	24 Karaoke Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	25
26 Pickleball	27	28 Taco Tuesday WGA Halloween Mixer	29 Pickleball	30	31 Happy Halloween Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	



November

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
26	27	28	29	30	31	1 MGA Ryder Cup WGA Solheim Cup 8th Annual Halloween Extravaganza Invitational
2 MGA Ryder Cup Pickleball WGA Solheim Cup	3	4 Taco Tuesday 	5 Pickleball	6	7 Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	8
9 Pickleball	10	11 Taco Tuesday Ladies Book Club 	12 Pickleball	13	14 Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	15 WGA Putting Contest
16 Pickleball	17	18 Taco Tuesday	19 Pickleball	20	21 Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	22 Laver Cup Team Competition Tournament/ Food Drive
23 Pickleball	24 WGA Presidents Cup Ends	25 Taco Tuesday WGA Turkey Mixer	26 Pickleball	27 Happy Thanksgiving	28 Friday Dinner Menu Changes Every Week!	29
30 Pickleball	1	2	3	4	5	6

Holidays & Observances: Election Day (4), Veterans Day (11), Thanksgiving Day (27), Black Friday (28)

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