

The Plantation Course at Edisto

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6th Hole Par 3
Blue 162 yards
White 148 yards
Red 101 yards

Club Championship

The tournament was called off August 11 and 12 due to a small number of participants and excessive heat. We feel the participation will be better and more fun will be had by all when the weather is a little cooler. We will let all members know when the new date is set.

Ladies

Liz Claiborne and Jamie Sadock clothes are on sale 40% off. Come check out our selection of clothes, décor and gift items. We have new merchandise arriving daily.

Nike Shoes

We have a great selection of golf shoes in the Pro Shop. Nike shoes are now on sale \$59.95 for men and \$39.95 for the ladies.

Member - Guest Tournament

October 26 - 28

Mark your calendars and make your plans to participate in our inaugural Plantation Course Member Guest. The outline for the weekend is as follows:

- Friday Oct. 26 Practice Round w/Guest
..... 7-8 p.m. - Get Acquainted Party in Club Room
..... Light Hors d'oeuvres and Drinks for All
- Saturday Oct. 27 Tee Times Starting at 10 a.m.
..... Free Beer and Snacks After Play
- Sunday Oct. 28 Shot Gun Start @ 12 p.m.
..... Heavy Hors d'oeuvres and Drinks After Play
- Awards for Winners..... Prizes for 2 Places in Each Flight
..... Par 3 Prizes Each Day
..... Gifts for Each Guest
..... Surprises - Special Contest

Play will be a 2-Man Team 'Best Ball' net. Players Flighted after Saturdays round. Each Guest should have handicap.

It is difficult to determine the cost for this event without some reasonable estimate of the number of participants. Please help us by calling the Pro Shop and recording your interest by September 15. The final details will be provided to each member in time for contacting your guest.

Hole-In-One

On August 10th Brian Bjorkman of Williamsburg, VA had his very first hole in one on #6 using his 8 iron. He was playing with a group of friends including Chris Daniel of Charleston, SC who had his very first eagle on #5 when he holed in from about 70 yards out with his PW. What a day for this group!



Congratulations to Plantation Course member Bob Currin for his hole-in-one while playing in the John Blitz's Group on Saturday, August 18th. He aced Hole #6 from 148 yards with his 7 iron.



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The Plantation Course Welcomes New Members

Gene & Marie Boney

Mac & Lou McConnell

John & Mellie Rogers

Labor Day Weekend Rain

As many of you know, Labor Day Weekend brought Edisto 12+ inches of rain. Only a few golfers were able to get out Saturday morning and none on Sunday. Labor Day came and the sun was out, but there was so much water on the course we could not let anyone on. Number 1 fairway was under water and so were several other areas of the course.

Isolated storms sat right over Edisto all weekend while nearby areas like Hollywood and Walterboro were getting all the sunshine. According to the weather service, we saw more rain over the weekend than we usually get in the whole month of September.

Flooding can be seen all over the island as well as on the golf course. Many side streets and yards are under water as well as along the sides of Palmetto Blvd. Rain is welcomed, but too much can be a problem for everyone.

The Annual Edisto Yacht Club Tourney scheduled for Sunday was postponed and the "yachters" petitioned to have kayak races on the course instead. Several other family and group outings were cancelled.

As best we can determine, there is no permanent damage to the course, however TPC accounts payable suffered a tremendous blow.

A lot vacationers drove a long way to spend Labor Day at the beach. Disappointed faces could be seen everywhere.

Golf Chuckles



Really Good Player



Dick brings a friend to play golf with his regular golf buddies. His buddies ask him if his new friend can play golf and Dick replies, "He's very good"

The new guy hits his first tee shot into the bush, so his buddies look at Dick and say, "You said he was a good golfer!" Dick says, "Just watch him play." They see the ball fly out of the bush onto the green where the new guy takes two putts and makes an easy par.

On the second hole, a par 3, he hits the ball into the lake. The two buddies look at Dick again and say, "You said this guy was good." Dick replies, "Just watch, he's a great player." The new guy walks right into the lake after his ball. Three minutes pass and there is no sign of him. Suddenly, an outstretched hand comes out of the water and Dick's buddies tell him to dive in and save his drowning friend. Dick replies, "You don't understand, that just means he wants a 5 iron."