



The e-Newsletter of *River Landing* | Wallace, NC

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## "Around The World In 18 Holes" Invitational



Un gran éxito, 大活躍, Ein großer Erfolg, Un grande successo -- no matter what language you might use to describe the 4th Annual River Landing Golf Association for Ladies (RLGALS) Invitational held on May 28th, it was a "big success!" And, a good time was had by all, starting with a dinner buffet of offering international dishes the evening prior to the event, a fashion show of smart looking golfing attire provided by the Chico's store in Wilmington and modeled by the 9-hole ladies Sandy Forehand, Kathy Nemeth, Corey Briley, and Lora Albanese.

Representing 34 clubs from as far away as Michigan and Florida, 151 ladies enjoyed a beautiful day on both courses at River Landing. The shotgun start tournament began with Larry George and his pro shop staff setting the stage for the multi-national journey through 36 holes with a greeting from Danny sporting his Scottish knickers, Larry as an Australian "jackaroo" (cowboy), Marshall as a Yodeler from Bavaria, Brianna as Japan, and Mike as a Mexican bandito. Jeff provided multi-lingual tournament rules which were brilliantly translated by Mike. Each hole represented a different country, starting with the good 'ole United States of America.

Following the tournament the ladies gathered in the ballroom of the clubhouse for another excellent meal of global cuisines prepared by Chef Solomon and his banquet staff. The RLGALS Invitational Committee, Pat Coe, JoAnn Booz and Jan Zoesch, were very grateful for the prizes donated by the following sponsors: River Landing, Bill Carone Chevrolet GMC & Buick, Chico's, Olive Branch, Lori's Golf Shoppe, Creekside Nursery, Peeble's Estee Lauder & Clinique Basket, RL Pro Shop, Gary Moorefield and Southwestern Conditioning, Boca Tennis & Golf Bags, Adidas, and Puma. In a drawing, the winners of prizes donated by these local businesses were: Sarah Brooks, Lyn-da Goodman, Beth Orford, Lorraine Davis, Tricia Thompson, Barbara Vincenti, Judy Sayko, Shelley Rhone, Linda Guglielmi, Nancy Keel, and Pat Wallace.

# "Around The World In 18 Holes" Invitational Cont'd

The Overall Tournament winners were Best Low Gross: Patty George, Sherry Aramini, Alei Mitchell, Danielle Lamy; and Best Low Net: Karen Mackey, Colleen Early, Moskoula Katsikis, and, Brenda Rossi. Flights winners were:

Flight 1 – 1st Low Gross: Mary Ann Sutton, Rhonda Williams, Carolyn Jordan, Cathy Wilson; 2nd Low Gross: JoAnn Sluder, Carol Pitzer, Ginger Lash, Diane Vosilus; and, 1st Low Net: Carol Romanet, Linda Guglielmi, Helen Gibbons, Dot Demasi; and, 2nd Low Net: Barbara White, Kaye Pulzone, Peggy Cahill, Patty Piner;

Flight 2 -- 1st Low Gross: Lynda Goodman, Barbara Guhl, Lorraine Davis, Ellen Pecoraro; 2nd Low Gross: JoAnne Harrell, Barbara Gould, Sue Magnuson, Millie Brothers; 1st Low Net: JoAnne Harbison, Jennifer Lockhart, Jennifer Ashcraft, Jean Schnurr; and, 2nd Low Net: Dee Dee Schmitt, Linda Critzer, Janet Garber, Sue Carver.

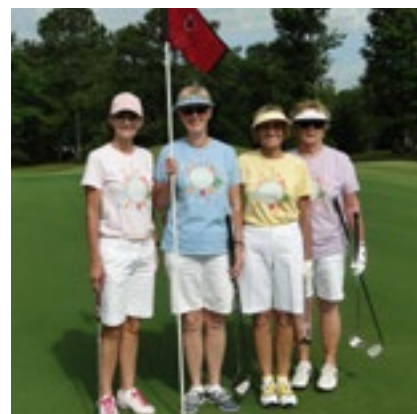
Flight 3 – 1st Low Gross: Shannon Benedict, Pat Coulters, Linda Case and Pam Halsell; 2nd Low Gross: Jan Zoesch, Beth Orford, Jacqueline Moore, Katherine Goslee; 1st Low Net: Kris Talley, Helen Reid, Lyn Herdt and Shirley Arnold; and, 2nd Low Net: Rose Dumas, Diane DeGennaro, Joanne Maggio, Susan Gorringer.

Flight 4 – 1st Low Gross: Jane Gray, Barbara Reynolds, May Young, Carol Mann; 2nd Low Gross: Suzanne Zalar, Jeanne Murray, Susan Merrill, Fran Braks; 1st Low Net: Allana Goodyear, Carol Stapleton, Annette Autry, Susie Dean Vaughn; and, 2nd Low Net: Debra Makins, Kimberly Butler, Veronica Brown, Michelle Koves.

Winners of Closest to the Pin in each flight: Sue Phegley, Carol Romanet, Shirley Arnold and Aimee Lamy.

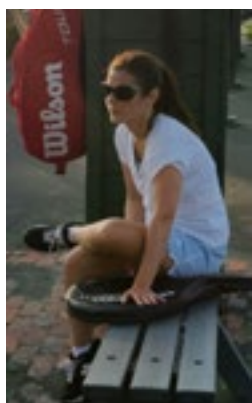
The Invitational Committee thanked the following for their tremendous efforts in making this year's invitational tournament a "big success!" – Rich Phaneuf (River Landing's General Manager), Larry George and his Pro Shop staff, Kevin Caulfield, Chef Solomon and his Banquet Staff, Fran Braks and her band of volunteer bartenders (and those who made contributions to the bars), registration volunteers, Barbara White and Anita Iacovino for ballroom and on course decorations, Skip Romanet, Benny Pulzone, Richard Russell and Sherb Merrill for taking photos – and, for the lovely flower arrangements, Bonnie Seybold and Cheryl Raymond.

The 2015 RLGALS Invitational Committee also announced that the 2016 Invitational date will be Thursday, May 26th and said to those assembled: "Au Revoir, Adiós, and see you next year!"



## Tennis Social & Schedule

The Tennis Committee organized another great social, "Tennis Under The Lights"! They enjoyed great weather & play with more than 30 members who came out to enjoy the fun. Thank you to all who participated and helped organize!



### **Tennis Schedule**

**Men's Tennis: Monday-Wednesday (4:00pm)**

**Ladies Tennis: Monday-Thursday & Saturday (11:00am)**

**Mixed Doubles: Friday (10:00am) & Sunday (11:00am)**



# Club Calendar: June

GOLF EVENTS | SOCIAL EVENTS | ACTIVITIES

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 Zumba (9a) Ladies Tennis (9a) Mahjongg (1p) Men's Tennis (3p) Knitting & Creative Handwork (7p)	2 Core Blast (8a) Water Aerobics (745a) Yoga (9:15a) Ladies Tennis (9a) Party Bridge (1p) Mahjongg (1p) Men's Tennis (3p) Bible Study (7p)	3 Members Night Pilates (8a) Ladies Tennis (9a) Men's Tennis (4p) Duplicate Bridge (7p) Walking Golfer Sports Round Table (7p)	4 Core Blast (8a) Water Aerobics (7:45a) Ladies Tennis (9a) Mahjongg (1p)	5 Pilates (8a) Zumba (9:30a) Mixed Doubles Tennis (10a)	6 Ladies Tennis (9a) Battle Of The Sexes
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## Clubhouse Restaurant Hours

Wednesday - Saturday:

Lunch: 11:00am - 5:00pm | Dinner: 5:00pm - 9:00pm | Bar Open Until 10:00pm

Sunday:

Brunch: 11:00am - 2:00pm | Lunch: 11:00am - 5:00pm | Bar Open Until 6:00pm

## Golf Shop Hours

7:00am - 6:00pm (7 Days A Week)

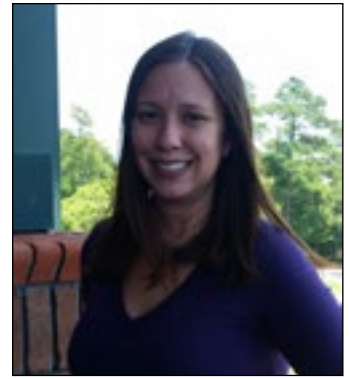
## Sports & Fitness Center

5:00am - 10:30pm

# Welcome Our New Employees

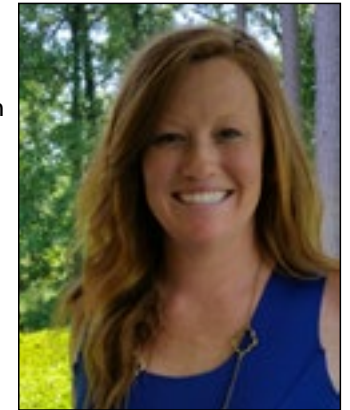
## **Michelle Aguilera, Hospitality Administrative Assistant**

Michelle has an 11 month old little boy named Elias Jacob, her biggest accomplishment! She lives here in the Wallace area with her husband Danny and is originally from Miami, Florida where she earned a Bachelors degree in Organizational Leadership, a Master's in Executive Management and is finishing up her Doctorate (slowly but surely) in Leadership and Management. Prior to coming to Murphy Family Ventures, Michelle worked for the FBI for 11 years in the Special Operations Center. After that she went into corporate security for Kellogg, Brown and Root, where she was deployed to Iraq for 4 years, heading the Biometric Enrollment and Access Control programs for the US Embassy and four Consulate Generals in Baghdad. She enjoys spending time with her little one and rediscovering the beauties of living in the United States again.



## **Brittany Burdine, Marketing Manager**

Brittany Burdine is our new Marketing Manager at River Landing. Brittany came to us from the Blockade Runner Beach Resort on Wrightsville Beach, NC, where she was the Marketing Manager. She was raised in Charlotte, but moved to Wilmington in 2013 looking to start her career. She is a graduate of Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, with a degree in Public Relations. She has a Australian Shepherd named Freckles, which is slightly ironic because she is covered in them. Brittany enjoys playing any and all types of games, hammocking under a tree and traveling. She has traveled all around the world from Ireland to India, down to Australia and back across the States. Next on the list is hopefully Cape Town, South Africa. After years of traveling and exploring this great big world, Wilmington and Eastern North Carolina is now where Brittany calls home. She is excited to be a part of the River Landing family.



## **Briana Sweeny, Golf Intern**

If you have not already done so, please stop by the golf shop to meet our newest employee, Briana Sweeny. Briana is completing her final internship working towards her class "A" membership with the PGA. She is currently enrolled at Methodist University in Fayetteville, NC where she played on the golf team for four years, including her senior year where she was the captain of the women's golf team. While at Methodist, Briana was the president of the Golf Management Bible Study, and has future hopes to get involved with College Golf Fellowship. Briana is originally from Wyoming and has hopes of staying in the Carolinas while furthering her experience in the golf industry. Briana will be helping out with the Junior Golf Program, running many of the member tournaments, and will take part in clinics until she returns to Methodist for graduation. We are looking forward to having her as part of our team!



## **Pool Attendants**

**Tara Parker** — Tara is a graduate of East Duplin High School. She plans to attend James Sprunt and Coastal Carolina Community College to become a Dental Hygienist. Tara has a genuine love for dance and has been performing/competing for 16 years. Many of you know Tara's brother, Tanner, who works in carts at River Landing.

**Lauren Darden** — Lauren is from Rose Hill and attended Wallace-Rose Hill where she recently graduated as Salutatorian. She will be attending the University of North Carolina at Wilmington in the fall with plans for a math major. Lauren enjoys dancing, playing volleyball, and painting. Some of you may recognize Lauren from her recent senior project here at River Landing.

**Maggie Sellars** — Maggie is from Wallace and is a rising senior at Heide Trask High School. She loves playing school volleyball and enjoys spending her spare time at the beach! Maggie works hard at her excellent grades and is a part of the Honor Society.

**Lauren Hatcher** — Lauren is new to our River Landing team! She attends East Duplin High School where she is a cheerleader and soccer player for the varsity teams. Lauren enjoys wake boarding in her spare time. We are excited to have Lauren as part of our team here at the Fitness Center.



# Into The Cup With Larry George

## 2015 River Landing Open

The Inaugural River Landing Open was held May 14th-16th and 32 teams participated in this event. The River Landing Open replaced the Member-Guest with the hope of inspiring two-person teams of any gender make-up to compete for the overall title. The tournament was flighted by total team handicap so each team competed against similar handicaps. The 4 Flight Winners then competed in a shootout to determine the overall champion. Below you will see the numerous winners.

### AUGUSTA FLIGHT

1st Place	Bron Thompson & Chad Axford
2nd Place	Kenn Thompson & Shawn Batts

### CHAMBERS BAY FLIGHT

Kevin Bostic & Seth Sholar
Tom Castellino & James Chapman

### ST ANDREWS FLIGHT

1st Place	Ray Collier & Gary Hall
2nd Place	Carol Romanet & Linda Guglielmi

### WHISTLING STRAITS FLIGHT

Mike Graybar & Ryan Graybar
Gary Coe & Pat Coe

There were many positive comments about the format change, pricing and functions. Thank you all for participating and we look forward to growing this event in the future.

## Holes-N-One

Congratulations to Rick Batchelor for acing #8 of The Landing Course on May 16. Rick used his “go-to” club, a 5-wood from 190 yds.

## 2 New Reminders

Over the recent months there have been some complaints from lot owners regarding our members driving and walking through open lots. These lots are owned so please do not drive through open lots, by rope dividers or signage.

The plan with the mats on the driving range is to be on the mats when maintenance is working on the practice tee or when it is wet. Please hit only on the mats if the range is set-up for this purpose. If you choose to hit off the grass tee please take your practice to the back range tee where you can always hit off grass or you always have the option to hit off the mats in the back as well.

## Reminders

**Golf Shop Vendors** – Please know just because you don’t see it in the golf shop doesn’t mean we can’t order it! We can compete and usually offer a better price on new product than most golf stores. Please ask a member of the golf staff for a price if you don’t see it in the golf shop.

**Cigarette Butts & Trash** – Please keep River Landing Green & Clean “No butts about it!” We would like to inform all smokers **WE DO HAVE ASHTRAYS FOR GOLF CARTS** so please ask the staff for one and help us keep our golf courses free of butts!!!

**Safety First** – Please wait for the golfers ahead of you to clear the landing area before you hit your next shot. It only takes 1 errant shot to change our community, are you really impatient enough to jeopardize someone’s life. If you are, think about someone doing the same thing to your spouse, child or best friend. It’s just a game!

**Golf Course Assets** – Please, Please, Please return any cart towels you may have accidentally taken home or left in your trunks.

**Decorative Grasses** – Please do not drive golf carts or push carts through the new decorative grasses. There should never be any vehicles in the grass and there are tracks where someone has driven through. This will not be tolerated.

**Back Driving Range** – Please keep golf cart traffic limited to the cart path or beside the south practice tee. Our maintenance staff is trying to improve and beautify our practice area and the traffic elimination will help substantially.

**Hopping Rides** – Please remember it is against our rules to hitch a ride on a golf cart at any time during your round if you are walking. This unfortunately will result in both the walker and cart driver paying an additional cart fee.

**Golf Cart Pairing Up** – Are you one of the many groups who need 3 carts for 3 or 4 players? Please pair up when leaving the 1st Tee and make sure there are 2 riders in each cart. It is careless and adds age to our cart fleet!



# From Clubhouse Dining

Greetings to all! Welcome to summer, finally as we see these hot days creeping in. After a pretty blah spring I am looking forward to the summer months. One of my favorite things to do in the summer is check out local produce. I love coming off the beach and stopping at the Veggie Wagon in Carolina Beach, or one of the many road side stands on the way back to Wilmington. I prefer to get all my produce this way when I can.



I am going to take a different route this month, and offer up one of my favorite recipes. This is a dish that has been somewhat of a signature dish that I am requested to bring to parties all the time. It is a black bean salsa recipe that I came up with while living on Nantucket.

The inspiration started with a local farms incredible corn. Nantucket's Bartlett's Farm has produced some of the best corn and tomatoes that I have ever tasted. They have many years of experience bringing all types of fresh produce to the island, and are a landmark on the cobble stoned Main Street for their vegetable and flower stands. Family run and Family owned till this day.

So here is the recipe, I recommend using the best ingredients possible, but if you don't have time to cook your own black beans, don't skimp! Spend the extra money for a quality black bean (Progresso or Goya). An inferior product will not have the same texture and consistency (mushy beans). My black bean salsa is a great topping for grilled fish or chicken as well as enjoyed with tortillas. Let me know if you like the recipe. I prefer blue corn tortilla chips, but that is up to you! Crack open a cold one and get to work!

## Main Ingredients:

- 2 lbs of cooked black beans (or 2 cans of good black beans drained)
- 4 ears of local shoe peg (white corn) lightly blanched and removed from the cob or a can of Mitchell's shoe peg corn drained
- 1 large red bell pepper cut in to a ¼ inch dice
- 1 large orange pepper cut in to a ¼ inch dice
- 2 medium jalapeños cut in to a 1/8 inch dice
- 1 medium sized red onion cut in a ¼ inch dice
- 1 bunch of green onions cut in to 1/8 inch dice on the bias
- 1 bunch of cilantro chopped very fine

## Dressing:

- 1/4 cup each of 2 of the following juices (total of ½ cup)
  - Fresh lime and sweet orange or fresh grapefruit
- 3 table spoons of EVO
- 1 teaspoon of cumin powder
- 1 teaspoon of chili powder
- Salt & pepper to taste



Whenever I prepare this dish, I try to put the dressing together first so that the flavors can meld. Otherwise it is as simple as chopping the ingredients and putting everything together. Enjoy!

Peter Panagakos

## At Home

**April 22** – The 18-hole group played Fairways & Greens, an individual game based on the number of points accumulated from tee to green. The winners were: Flight 1 - 1st Place, Maureen McCarthy; 2nd Place, Sue Bartnick; and, 3rd Place, Jackie Fiala. Flight 2 - 1st Place, Connie Stamm; 2nd Place, Karen Mackey; and, 3rd Place, Thuy Johnston. Flight 3 - 1st Place, Dinah Hepler; 2nd Place, Susan Merrill; and, 3rd Place, Elaine Frater. Flight 4 - 1st Place, Jo Ann Booz; 2nd Place, Angela Smith; and, 3rd Place, Pat Wallace.

The 9-hole group played Mutt & Jeff where they counted only their scores on the par 5s and par 3s, then subtracted half of their handicaps. The winners in that group were: Flight A - Low Gross, Wynelle Weston, 2nd Low Gross, Hazel Bell; and, Low Net, Susan MacLaughlin. Flight B - Low Gross, Cory Briley, 2nd Low Gross, Pam Dillard; and, Low Net, Mary Garrison.

**April 29** – 123 best ball was the team game for the 18-hole group and Sue Bartnick reported that many gals were “playing lights out” that day. Here are the winning teams: 1st Place - Jan Zoesch, Pat Coe, Jeanne Murray and Betsy Marshburn; 2nd Place - Sheila Bertoldi, Connie Stamm, Pat Schaeffer and Helene Zupko; and, 3rd Place - Jackie Fiala, Jo Anne Maggio, Thuy Johnston, and Roseann Collingwood.

The 9-hole group played an individual game of “Field Shots” – counting only the strokes it took to get to the green (no putts counted). The winners were: Flight A - Low Gross, Hazel Bell, 2nd Low Gross, Debbie Morton; and, Low Net, Tie - Dottie Obenour and Susan MacLaughlin. Flight B - Low Gross, Lora Albanese, 2nd Low Gross, Cory Briley; and, Low Net, Pam Dillard.

**May 6** – The 18-hole group played “Low Net, Plus Putts” where they subtracted their handicap and added their total putts. The results of the game were: Flight 1 - 1st Place, Jan Zoesch; 2nd Place, Elaine Masinick; and, 3rd Place, Cheryl Nichols. Flight 2 - 1st Place, Lynda Goodman; 2nd Place, Judy Sayko; and, 3rd Place, Connie Stamm. Flight 3 - 1st Place, Elaine Frater; 2nd Place, Nettie Batchelor; and, 3rd Place, Rose Dumas. Flight 4 - 1st Place, Betsy Marshburn; 2nd Place, Helene Zupko; and, 3rd Place, Geri Cullen.

The 9-Hole RLGALS, led by V. P. Gerri Hanson, hosted 72 golfers from five area clubs for the Sandpiper Tournament on May 6th. The day was a great success with good golf, perfect weather and a delicious buffet lunch in the Clubhouse Ballroom for 92 women. The River Landing golfers on winning teams included Nancy Mercure, Faye Jones, Ellen Young and Connie Palmer. Many of the guests said they really felt at home in River Landing due to the wonderful welcome they received from our 18-Hole hostesses and husband volunteers, the 9-Hole golfers, tournament committee members, our Pros and all the community members they encountered during the day. Gerri would like to extend a big “thank-you” to everyone involved! River Landing will host this event again in May, 2017.

**May 13** – The 18-hole group was scheduled to play Sweeps, President’s Cup Qualifier, and the NCWGA State Play Day Tournament; however, torrential rain from Tropical Depression Ana earlier that week caused the river to rise and several of the holes on the River Course unplayable. So, the ladies played holes 1, 2, 9, 10-15 and called it a day.

The 9-hole ladies however, played nine holes as usual and enjoyed a different view of the River Course for a change. The winners in that group were: Flight A - 1st Low Gross, Nancy Mercure; 2nd Low Gross, Treva Croker; and, 3rd Low Gross, (Tie) Fran Aronson and Dottie Obenour. Flight B - 1st Low Gross, Lora Albanese; 2nd Low Gross, Brenda Long; and, 3rd Low Gross, Helen Glass.

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# RLGALS Cont'd

## Away

**April 13** – Coastal Senior Women Golf League (CSWGL) played at Castle Bay and the RLGALS winners that day were: Closest to the pin, Sheila Bertoldi. Flight 1 – Suzie Zalar; Flight 2 – Jean Schnurr; Flight 4 – JoAnn Booz, and Julie Callahan.

**April 21** – Interclub. RLGALS made a good showing in their first Interclub match, finishing tied for third, one point out of second and 7 points behind home team Pine Valley. Congratulations to Maureen McCarthy and Jackie Fiala, Lynda Goodman and Elaine Frater for winning low net in their respective flights! Lynda Goodman, V.P., 18-Hole, thanked Jason Capps for playing with the Pros and winning 5 points for River Landing, and expressed appreciation to Sheila Bertoldi, Carol Romanet, Jo Maggio and Karen Mackey for their huge contributions toward our score!

**May 4** – CSWGL At Olde Point: Congratulations to Susan Merrill for coming in 2nd Low Net in her flight!

**May 5** – Tar Heels at Wilson Country Club: Twenty one ladies from River Landing played at the 100 year-old club in Wilson and enjoyed a beautiful day. The winners were: Flight 1: Sheila Bertoldi and Lynn Thompson. Flight 3: Suzie Zalar, Jackie Fiala; and, Sue Houff. Flight 4: Sandra Phillips and Lynda Goodman. Flight 5: Jackie Bardin, Karen Mackey, and Jeanne Murray. Flight 6: Sue Carver; and Pat Coe. In 1st Place Team, Sue Carver; 2nd Place Team, Carol Romanet and Lynda Goodman; 3rd Place Team, Jackie Bardin and Sue Houff. Closest to the Pin: Sue Carver

**May 13** – Interclub Match at Magnolia Greens. The RLGALS and Pro Mike Taylor put 46 1/2 points on the board, moving within 1/2 point out of second and 6 1/2 points out of first place. Congratulations to Elaine Masinick and Sheila Bertoldi, Lynda Goodman and Pat Coe for winning low net money in their respective flights! Thank you Mike Taylor for playing with the Pros and winning 9 points for River Landing. Kudos to the remaining players Elaine Frater, Karen Mackey, Carol Romanet, and Cheryl Nichols for helping us to move up a few notches toward first!

Barbara Kukoski, President  
RLGALS

## New RL Kayak Club

On May 14th, the River Landing Kayak Club kicked off the 2015 kayak season with a very successful trip on Town Creek. The trip was open to all, whether you had a kayak or not, and a total of 19 River Landing residents and friends participated. There was a wide range of kayakers from first-timers to experts. The RL Kayak Club Skipper, Ted White, organized the trip with the Adventure Kayak Company from Southport. Adventure Kayak Company provided 3 guides and kayaks for those without one.

The trip started at the Brunswick Nature Park in Leland. The park has a brand new two kayak launch platform. The kayakers traveled out-and-back on Town Creek for about 2 hours, enjoying the scenery and wildlife. The weather couldn't have been more perfect.



Afterward, the Skipper organized a cookout in one of the picnic pavilions in the park. The only thing missing was the guy that always shows up with the guitar and plays folk songs.

If you have a boat and are interested in joining us or if you have questions, contact Ted White, [tedwhiteva@gmail.com](mailto:tedwhiteva@gmail.com). If you're interesting in joining one of our future guided trips with the Adventure Kayak Company, keep an eye out for an email in the future.



# RLMGA News

Flexibility and Change are key words for RLMGA! This past month has thrown us a few “slices”. The Play Days continued through May with only one additional rain out. The challenge faced was our “Noah Ark” week of rain. We handled it without a hitch by playing our modified number of holes twice. Tuesday, May 5th, was a true sell-out with 80 players – a RLMGA record. We are averaging 63 players on Tuesdays and 33 players on Thursdays. Our Tournament Days also required flexibility given the rain, but we continue to remain on “par” with solid rescheduling efforts of our Tournament Directors.

This past month we lost one of our RLMGA family with the passing of Bill Norris. He was a friend to so many and such a key part of RLMGA and River Landing. He truly will be missed, but I am sure he is watching and hoping we swing straight and enjoy the game.

Upcoming for RLMGA are two away trips. The first is to White Lake Golf Course on May 20th. White Lake has undergone some major changes and has received some very positive feedback about them. The second away trip is to Bear Trail Golf Course where our former head cart man, Kyle Simpson, is the head pro. We are looking forward to the reunion.



The RLMGA had to reschedule the second of two Golf Clinics, originally scheduled for May 11th due to rain. The next Golf Clinic will be May 27th (10:30 – 11:15). There will be a \$5 charge for the clinic participant. We continue with pictures of all our RLMGA board members for easy recognition. This month let me introduce you to two more board members:



Huck Booz (Member-at-Large)



Jim Frater (Member-at-Large)

Huck and Jim are our roving reporters. They continue to feel the pulse of RLMGA to determine what is working and what is not. They are your voice at the RLMGA board meetings.

Looking ahead: (1) Old Goats vs. Young Bucks rivalry has been rescheduled to August 8th. (2) Spring Classic is scheduled for June 13th. The format will be 2 man teams; one gross and one net (can be the same ball). After the competition ends, all players will adjourn to the clubhouse for a spectacular BBQ and Pork Buffet. Players can sign up on-line at GHIN or with the sign-up sheet at the pro shop desk. Come and join us as the adventure continues.

See you on the course,  
Gary Wintrode  
RMGA Secretary

# Mad Boar Entertainment Schedule

**Friday, June 5th:**

Bill Powell, Classic Rock

**Saturday, June 6th:**

Mark Daffer, Popular Favorites

**Friday, June 12th:**

A Full Dish, Popular Favorites

**Saturday, June 13th:**

The Mighty Quinn, Classic Rock

**Friday, June 19th:**

Quilted Sky, Classic Rock

**Saturday, June 20th:**

Acoustic Shake, Country/Blue Grass

**Friday, June 26th:**

Dos Eddie's, Popular Favorites

**Saturday, June 27th:**

The Hallway Band, Popular Favorites

## River Landing Cruisers

A total of 13 cruisers took to the RL roadways to travel a total of over 10 miles. The cruise took us from the Fitness Center to the Vineyards, onto the Village store, back to the Vineyards, through the Bluffs and back to the fitness center. A fun time was had by all. The bike ride is held every 4th Saturday of each month, all levels welcome!





## Fun by the Pool at River Landing!

The summer pool season is finally here and River Landing would like to make everyone's pool experience enjoyable by reminding you of the following safety rules that apply all year long.

- NC State Law requires all pool areas to be free of glass and sharp objects.
- No smoking in or around pool except in designated areas.
- Please remember to bring a towel. The Fitness Center towels are for indoor pool use only.
- Small toys can be harmful to our pool filtration system so please do not bring small toys.
- No rafts or inner tubes. Water wings and small children's floatation devices are acceptable.
- Please take all of your belongings with you after each pool visit. River Landing will be unable to store any toys or personal belongings.
- Musical devices may be used with headphones or ear buds.
- No running, rough activities, boisterous behavior or offensive language is allowed.
- Beverages may be brought into the pool area as long as they are free of glass.
- Food and beverage items may be purchased through your pool attendants from 11 am - 3pm Wednesday - Sunday.
- There will be a limited selection of beer at the pool for purchase. There will be no alcohol purchases from the Clubhouse.
- Please remember to bring your Member Card for food & beverage service by the pool.
- Umbrellas should be closed at departure.



# CUSTOM HOME PROGRAM CORNER

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## CUSTOM HOME PROGRAM -- TRADE SUPPORT MEMBERS

The River Landing Custom Home Program is a group of not only selected custom home builders but also trade support members such as designers, architects, interior designers, and landscapers.

These professionals have met specific developer criteria, including substantial client and trade references, financial security, and a minimum of 10 years experience in their respective businesses. All have an enthusiastic and pro-active commitment to customer satisfaction and will work with you to ensure your building success in River Landing.

This past year the Builder Members of the Custom Home Program were featured but this month we would like to take this opportunity to highlight the trade support members. Choose your building team from the creative, experienced, and reliable Custom Home Program members.

### Designers

Kaye Mitchell-May Designers  
Ms. Kaye Mitchell-May, 910-799-6238

Plan View Designs, Inc.  
Ms. Haley Wilson, 910-754-2200

Rob Grissom Designs  
Mr. Rob Grissom, 910-452-7334

Shoreline Design Group  
Mr. Bernhard Thuersam, 910-371-2204

Sullivan Design Group  
Mr. Scott Sullivan, 910-686-1223

### Landscape Designers

Island Creek Landscaping  
Ms. Colette Kuki-Long  
910-382-5697

River Landing  
Landscape Services  
Ms. Rachel Williams  
910-285-1027

### Architects

Hood Herring  
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910-251-8899

John Stirewalt, AIA  
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### Interior Designers

Design Inspirations  
Ms. Nancy Mullineaux  
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Farrior Flooring and Interiors  
Ms. Harriet Farrior  
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Haven Interiors  
Ms. Haven Morrison  
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# RIVER LANDING 2015 CLUB EVENTS



## GOLF EVENTS

March 7	RLMGA Breakfast Shamble	May 28	RLGALS Invitational	September 12	RLMGA North/South
March 14	Ladies Opening Day	June 6	Battle of the Sexes	September 26-27	Senior Club Championship
April 18	RLMGA Spring Classic	June 14	2nd Couples Cup	October 2-4	Member & 3 Guests Tournament
April 19	1st Couples Cup	June 27	Golf Family Open	October 10	RLMGA Village Cup
April 25-26	Member-Member Tournament	July 4	3rd Couples Cup	October 11	Couples Cup Finals
April 30	River Landing Pro-Am	July 10	Twilight Golf Social	October 16	Swing For The Cure Ball Drop
May 2	RLMGA Old Goats/Young Bucks	July 18	RLMGA Summer Classic	October 17	Swing For The Cure
May 2-3	RLGALS Scratch Challenge	August 14	Twilight Golf Social	October 24-25	Member 4
May 6	Sandpipers	August 17-18	Scarlet & Gold	November 7	Ladies' Golf Closing Day
May 8	Twilight Golf	August 25	Men's Interclub	November 14	RLMGA Challenge/Closing Day
May 14-16	River Landing Open	August 29-30	Club Championship	December 4	Golf Shop Christmas Sale
May 18	US Open Qualifier	September 1	Ladies Interclub	December 5	Christmas Mixer

## SOCIAL EVENTS

January 24	Celebration of Friends	June 10	Tennis Under The Lights	October 7	Fall Tennis Social
February 14	Valentine's Prix Fixe Dinner	June 12	Dance Fever	October 15	Grillin' & Chillin'
February 20	Krazy Kards	June 22-26	Adventure Camp #1	October 18	Meet & Greet (River Lodge)
February 24	Cooking Class	July 4	Family Fourth of July Cookout	October 24	Bonfire & Pig Pickin'
March 19	Meet & Greet	July 9	Italian Night Buffet	October 31	Halloween Trick or Treat
April 2	Grillin' & Chillin'	July 16	Wine Dinner	November 14	Oyster Fest/Bluegrass Band
April 4	Children's Easter Festivities	July 19	Potluck Dinner	November 19	Social (TBA)
April 5	Easter Brunch	July 27-31	Adventure Camp #2	November 26	Thanksgiving Buffet
April 16	Dinner/Bingo Night	August 11	Cooking Class	December 5	Adult/Children Gingerbread Class
April 22	Spring Tennis Social	August 21	Grillin' & Chillin'	December 11	Holiday Gala
May 2	Kentucky Derby Day	August 28	Casino Night	December 31	New Year's Eve Celebration
May 10	Mother's Day Buffet	September 5	Labor Day Weekend Cookout		
May 23	Memorial Weekend Cookout	September 17	Seafood Buffet		
June 2	Cooking Class	September 24	Wine Dinner		

## COMMUNITY MEETINGS

January 8	Community Forum	May 4	Poolside Chat	September 29	POA/Club Meeting
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\*Every Wednesday Night in September & October there will be Complimentary Live Entertainment on the Terrace, weather permitting.

# River Landing Book Club

Start your reading today and don't forget to come to the meeting on the Second Sunday of each Month! Everyone is welcome!

## Reading Ahead:

July: The Glass Blowers by Petra Durst-Benning

August: Thunderstruck by Eric Larson

September: The Nightingale by Kristen Hannah

October: In the Heart of the Sea by Nathaniel Philbrick

November: In the Shadow of the Banyan Tree by Vaddey Ratner

See y'all there!

Mary Beth Peters



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## Our Values:

UNCOMPROMISING COURTESY

INFECTIOUS OPTIMISM

HONESTY & INTEGRITY

ATTENTION TO DETAIL

BELIEF IN TEAMWORK

INDIVIDUAL EXCELLENCE

## NEW NEIGHBORHOOD UPDATE

- HOUSES APPROVED TO DATE FOR 2015:	6
- HOUSES COMPLETED TO DATE FOR 2015:	5
- NO. OF HOUSES UNDER CONSTRUCTION:	12
- TOTAL # OF HOUSES IN COMMUNITY:	422

## IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:

River Landing Sales Office .....	(888) 285-4171
River Landing Golf Shop .....	(800) 959-3096
River Landing Gatehouse .....	(910) 285-1020
River Landing Clubhouse .....	(910) 285-1010
River Landing Catering Sales.....	(910) 285-1039
River Landing Sports & Fitness Center.....	(910) 285-1015
River Landing Horticulture .....	(910) 285-1027
River Landing POA .....	(910) 285-1038
	<a href="http://www.riverlandingpoa.com">www.riverlandingpoa.com</a>

## SERVICES:

Electricity .....	(910) 289-4534
Four County Electric Membership Cooperative	
Natural Gas .....	(800) 752-7504
Piedmont Natural Gas Customer Service	
Water/Sewer .....	(910) 285-4136
Town of Wallace	
Telephone/Internet.....	(910) 592-9111
Century Link	
Trash.....	(910) 285-1038
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Cable/Internet .....	(888) 438-2427
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