

HOUSTON LAKE COUNTRY CLUB  
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July 2023

Department Hours & Contact Info

**Restaurant Info:**  
Tuesday-Friday 11AM-9PM  
Monday 11AM-7PM  
Saturday 7:00AM-9PM  
Sunday 11:00AM-7PM  
Grill Number: 218.5254

**Pro Shop Info:**  
Monday 11AM-7PM  
Tuesday-Friday 7:30AM-7PM  
Saturday & Sunday 7AM-7PM  
Pro Shop Number: 218.5252

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Saturday Breakfast 7-10:30AM Wing & Draft Specials 12-4PM Dinner Menu 5-9PM
2 Sunday =BRUNCH= 11:00-3PM	3 Grill Service Only	4 4th of July Cookout at the Pool 11AM-2PM   Two for One Entrée Dining 5-9PM <b>2 for 1</b>	5 Italian Night with Pasta Action Stations 5-9PM  DR Reserved 5PM	6 Birthday Thursday Buffet 6-9PM 	7 Trivia Night 7PM Pub Menu 5-9PM 	8 Saturday Breakfast 7-10:30AM Wing & Draft Specials 12-4PM NEW Dinner Menu 5-9PM
9 Sunday =BRUNCH= 11:00-3PM	10 Grill Service Only  <b>Senior Group 9AM Shotgun Member Times 1:30PM</b>	11 Club Reserved 5PM	12 Tacos and Fajitas with \$5 Margaritas 5-9PM  <b>Golf Guest Day</b>	13 Dinner Menu 5-9PM	14 LIVE Music with Joseph Creath 6PM  <b>Couples Golf 5PM</b> 	15 Saturday Breakfast 7-10:30AM Wing & Draft Specials 12-2PM Club Reserved 4PM
16 Sunday =BRUNCH= 11:00-3PM	17 Grill Service Only	18 Two for One Entrée Dining 5-9PM  <b>2 for 1</b>	19 Italian Night with Pasta Action Stations 5-9PM 	20 Dinner Menu 5-9PM	21 Dinner Menu 5-9PM	22 Saturday Breakfast 7-10:30AM Wing & Draft Specials 12-4PM Sunset Social 5:30-7PM Dinner Buffet with Crab Legs 6-9PM <b>Ron Stafford</b> <b>Tournament 8AM</b> 
23 Sunday =BRUNCH= 11:00-3PM <b>Ron Stafford Tournament 8AM</b>	24 Grill Service Only  <b>WRHS Touchdown Club 1PM Shotgun</b>	25 Two for One Entrée Dining 5-9PM  <b>2 for 1</b>	26 Tacos and Fajitas with \$5 Margaritas 5-9PM 	27 Seafood Buffet 6-9PM 	28 Pizza Night at the Pool 5-7PM   Dinner Menu 5-9PM	29 Saturday Breakfast 7-10:30AM Wing & Draft Specials 12-4PM Dinner Menu in the Grill 5-9PM DR Reserved 5PM
30 Sunday =BRUNCH= 11:00-3PM	31 Grill Service Only  Cooking Class with Chef 5:30-8:00 					



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Mission

Our mission is to substantially improve the quality of life of our members and their guests by consistently providing a premium customer service experience—one person, one round of golf, and one meal at a time.

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Professional  
Golf Instruction



Lacey Fears

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4th of July  
Cookout at the Pool  
Tuesday, July 4th  
11AM-2PM

\*Burgers and Dogs\*

Adults: \$12 Kids: \$6

2023 RON STAFFORD  
MEMORIAL FOUR BALL

JULY 22ND & 23RD 8AM TEE TIMES

FORMAT: PRE-FLIGHTED FOUR BALL  
\*MAXIMUM HANDICAP DIFFERENTIAL OF 6 STROKES  
COST: MEMBER: \$180 NON-MEMBER: \$210  
INCLUDES: 2 ROUNDS OF GOLF, BREAKFAST, LUNCH, SUNSET  
SOCIAL INVITATION, TEE GIFT, PRIZES  
TEES: CHAMPIONSHIP- BLACK  
1ST, 2ND, 3RD, 4TH: BLUE  
SENIOR (BOTH 55+): YELLOW  
\*IF YOU ARE 55+ YEARS OLD AND NOT IN THE SENIOR FLIGHT,  
YOU WILL PLAY THE TEES ASSIGNED TO YOUR FLIGHT\*  
SKINS GAME: SATURDAY  
LITTLE "C": SUNDAY

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LACEY@HOUSTONLAKE.COM OR CALL 478-218-5252





## HLCC'S Famous Seafood Buffet

Join us for HLCC's Famous

**Seafood Buffet**

**Thursday, July 27th**

**6-9PM**

This is one of our most popular nights!

Be sure to make your reservation today.

*Call to reserve at 478-218-5254*

## Birthday Thursday

### Dinner Buffet

If your birthday is in the month  
of July, join us

**Thursday, July 6th**

**6-9PM**

Please RSVP to reserve your  
spot.

Receive a complimentary  
entrée if your birthday is this  
month and of course, **FREE**  
birthday cake!



@ Lauren Edenfield—  
Michael's graduation party at HLCC!



### EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH Dylan Armstrong

Dylan Armstrong has been in the kitchen since February 2023, but helping on the grounds since October 2022. Dylan is an extremely dedicated employee for back of house and is always willing to go above and beyond. Please thank Dylan for his outstanding commitment to HLCC when you see him!

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Don't forget to visit our calendar of events and save the date!

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# HLCC'S TRIVIA NIGHT Family Feud Style!

Friday, July 7th	PUB MENU 5-9PM
	TRIVIA STARTS AT 7PM

PRIZES AWAIT OUR WINNERS!  
Call 478-218-5254  
to make your reservation



## Pizza Night at the Pool Friday, July 28th 5-7PM

Adults: \$12 Children: \$10  
(price includes fountain drink)

Reserve Today— 218.5254



Friday, July 14th

5PM

Have you ever played  
Couples Golf?



Play 9 holes with other  
couples and enjoy  
dinner after you play!

Cost is only \$45/couple  
plus a cart fee!  
\*Members Only

Sign up today at  
478-218-5252 or email  
Lacey@houstonlake.com



## Members Corner



@The Lacey kids!

@Laura Lyn Coody-  
"The best cart drivers!"



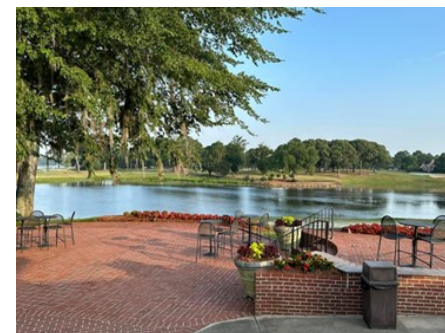
@Sam  
Satterfield's  
Grandson  
Wilson out  
on the  
course!



@Alisha Watson—  
Enjoying the HLCC pool!



@ Laura Branham—  
"Great way to start the day! Perry Area  
Chamber of Commerce breakfast!"



@Jason Nelson—  
"Great times with my brothers!"



### We Love Social Media!

Our members are  
the most creative  
and have the best  
time out here at  
HLCC.

Share it with us.

When you take a  
photo, use the  
hashtags below,  
or check-in with  
us—and you may  
be featured in  
our next  
newsletter!

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Have a photo you  
want to send in? Send  
it to  
Jessica@houstonlake.com

We have the  
#BestMembers!





## WITH JOSEPH CREATH

FRIDAY, JULY 14TH

PUB MENU 5-9PM

MUSIC STARTS AT 6PM!

FOR RESERVATIONS CALL 218-5254



## Drink Specials



### Cherry Limeade

Citrus vodka, cherry vodka, limeade, grenadine, top with lime soda

### Patriotic Punch

Blue curacao, peach schnapps, rum, club soda, garnish with a cherry



## Welcome New Members

### NEW MEMBER

Laura Simon & Joel Franzen  
Joshua & Jenna Bevill  
John & Elizabeth Jump  
PJ & Jennifer Hartman  
John Zheng & Esther Lee  
William & Caitlin Williams  
Jared & Bailey Harper  
Matthew & Brea Nico  
Cory & Courtney Strickler  
John & Kristin Mastin  
Ann Gregory  
Benton & Lauren Culpepper  
Zachary & Kacey Coatney  
Ronnie & Cheryl Thomas  
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Joe Tompkins  
Greg & Alexis Brown  
Jeff & Wanda Taylor  
Dominic & Kayla Ciriello

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## Client Testimonial

"I have never been more honored to be a member as I was on May 26th, 2023. I elected to host a bridesmaid luncheon/tea party style for our granddaughter and her wedding party at HLCC with the magnificent view. Best decision ever!"

-Teresa Crumpton

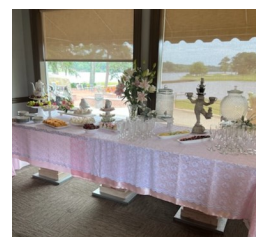
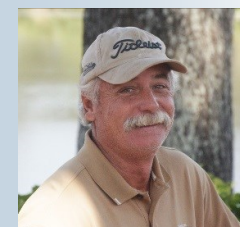


Photo by Julie Jay Photography



## On the Course...



### Scott Palmer

Golf Course Superintendent

This month we will continue topdressing along with vertical mowing. We will be foliar feeding with nutrients weekly, using wetting agent to help with water retention, and hand watering selective spots. We do need additional precipitation to help support the irrigation system through the summer. We are mowing daily along with a rolling and brushing rotating schedule. Nematode application last month after aerification helps but we will use different chemistries to supplement this suppression effort. Ongoing selective herbicide treatment will be used around green and tee slopes. Remember to fill divots and repair ball marks.

## HLCC Golf Cart Policies



Two players per cart when possible.



Please observe all cart path signs.



Carts are to be kept 30 yards from greens and trees.



Carts must remain on cart paths on all par 3's and holes 9, 16, & 18.

**Thank you in advance for adhering to these cart policies and improving turf quality at HLCC.**



## Sunset Social

Saturday,

July 22nd

5:30-7PM

Complimentary

Cocktails and

Hors d'Oeuvres

*followed by*

Dinner Buffet with

Crab Legs!

6-9PM

Call to reserve

your spot for

dinner

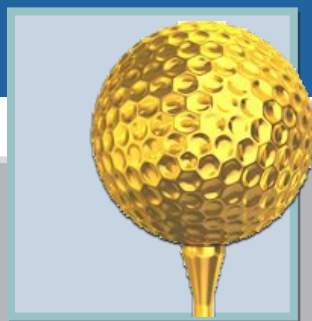
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## From the Pro Shop Super Shooters



Len Gregor shot an 80,  
beating his age of 81!



Jimmy Nelson shot his personal  
best of 77!



Ken Asbury shot his age scoring a  
71 with an eagle from 18 bunker!



Russell Eyman made an eagle  
on Hole 5 from 175 yards



Liza Harrison eagled 14, driver,  
3wd, 40 yard wedge into the  
hole

## A word from our Pro...



Lacey Fears  
Head Golf Professional

Members,

It's been great seeing so many of you out playing this summer! I wanted to remind you that we have a fully stocked pro shop with new arrivals from FootJoy, Donald Ross, and HLCC Collection including ladies new arrivals. We have a wide assortment of golf bags from Ping, Titleist, TaylorMade, and Callaway and all the accessories you could ever need including newly designed HLCC hats. Mention you saw this in the newsletter and receive 15% off your total purchase this month only (1 time use per membership).

## In the Garden...



DeGeorge Reeves

Horticulturist



Hey everybody! I hope you are all enjoying this unpredictable Georgia summer weather. July is here so let's gather around and talk about this month's subject: Juniper berries.

Even though it's called a "berry", the juniper berry isn't an actual berry. It's actually a cone similar to a pine cone, and is part of the Cypress family. It is also the only cypress to bear edible fruit which is known as the "berry".

The name of the famous alcoholic beverage, Gin, got its name from Juniper. It's an evolution or play off of the Dutch juniper-flavored spirit called Genever, or sometimes spelled Jenever.

Aside from being a major ingredient for spirits, Juniper also has health benefits such as reducing oxidative stress, boosting skin health, improving digestion, managing diabetes, and much more.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to ask me.



Perry High School  
Class of 2013  
Reunion at HLCC!





A word from Executive  
Chef  
**Jason  
Delasota,CEC**

Hello and Happy Summer, Members!

Beat the heat this July with brand new, creative, refreshing, and delicious bar menu items including frozen adult beverages made to order! Call ahead or ask our dedicated poolside food and beverage server to take your order. Remember, drink responsibly and drive safely please! We are also offering ice cream from our kitchen. Drumsticks and ice cream sandwiches may be ordered during pool hours!

With the summer here, so is our new dinner menu which is launching Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup>. Be on the lookout for these amazing new dishes: in-house smoked beef brisket plate, grilled swordfish, fried catfish plate, beef stroganoff with house-made pasta, and a new twist on shrimp and grits. For our vegetarians, we will be introducing a delightful vegetarian lasagna, sure to please any meat eater! Our vegetarian lasagna will be composed of sliced and grilled planks of marinated zucchini, and summer squash, layered with eggplant-tomato ragu, fresh mozzarella, basil, and garlic.

Other things on the horizon for fun summer activities include an art class for children featuring Micah Goguen, our host from past sip and paint events. Micah plans on holding a class designed for kids with a fun activity including art demonstrations and hands on craft work to take place in the lake room. The class will be held on Sunday, August 6th, more information to follow. All ages are welcome, children under the age of 11 need to be accompanied by an adult.

Look forward to another cooking class held by yours truly. This month we will focus on savory cuisine and make gnocchi from scratch. Gnocchi is an Italian potato dish that is very versatile. Gnocchi can be eaten as an appetizer, side dish or incorporated into cuisines as a main ingredient for entrees. Learn this fun and simple technique with me and take home a skill sure to make your cooking repertoire stronger. Wine and appetizers are included in the class tuition. The cost will be \$50.00 per person. Expect to stay 2 plus hours with me as we explore the kitchen and cook! Cooking class will be held Monday, July 31<sup>st</sup> from 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm.

Along with these amazing ideas, we are gearing up to offer our members exclusive private dinners. Something like a wine dinner with 5 courses of food paired with delightful wines, prepared for a limited number of guests. Starting in August we will host a private dinner (members only) in a relaxing intimate atmosphere, where you can enjoy the evening sampling wines and food from around the world. Stay tuned for more information as we develop our menu and plans!

Your Humble Chef and Food and Beverage  
Director,

Jason de la Sota, CEC



**Its Pool Time!**  
**Official pool opening will be Saturday,**  
**May 27th**  
**- Hours of Operation will be Tuesday-**  
**Sunday 10AM-7PM**  
**Pool is closed on Mondays**

- ◆ Members please use your member number to sign in.
- ◆ Members may bring up to 3 guests and will be charged \$5 per guest. If you wish to bring more than 3 guests, please let the office know at [info@houstonlake.com](mailto:info@houstonlake.com)
- ◆ Guests must be accompanied by the member inviting them. Caregivers/ babysitters are allowed with member's permission.
- ◆ Food and Beverage Delivery Hours: Food and drink delivered to the pool between 11AM and 2PM(Tuesday-Friday) & 11AM-5PM(Saturday-Sunday).
- ◆ Proper attire required: Bathing suits in proper taste are required. Appropriate bathing suit cover-ups should be worn in clubhouse areas (cover-up or shirt and shoes). No wet suits permitted in the clubhouse.
- ◆ The HLCC Lifeguard Staff has total authority over pool use and conduct.
- ◆ No glass or gum in the pool area, or chicken fights in the pool.
- ◆ No gymnastics in or around the pool (flips, cartwheels, "human towers" etc.)
- ◆ Children under 5 must be under the direct supervision of an adult while in baby or swimming pool. Children under 3 must wear a swim diaper.
- ◆ No water balloons in pool area.
- ◆ We no longer do pool rentals for parties, however, if you plan on having a small party, you may do so during pool hours. Parties can be no more than 15 guests, and please notify the office. The email address for notification will be [info@houstonlake.com](mailto:info@houstonlake.com)

**Please drink responsibly. If any behavior is inappropriate, you will be asked to leave. We want to make the pool a family friendly environment!**