

Cable Hollow Links

A NEWSLETTER FOR MEMBERS, LEAGUES & FRIENDS



BOOK A TEE TIME

You can book tee times online 2 weeks in advance. Longer range booking is also available by calling the pro shop at 814-757-4765.

[BOOK ONLINE](#)

HALF-SEASON MEMBERSHIPS

The pro shop has received several requests from folks who like what is happening at Cable and want to join. Effective July 15th, we will offer half-season memberships.

See Jake at the pro shop or watch your email for details.

NEW RESTAURANT MENUS

Cable Hollow is now offering lunch and dinner menus daily (Tuesday through Sunday). Stop in to give them a try!

[BAR & RESTAURANT](#)

PRO-SHOP
SALE!

30% OFF ALL IN-STOCK SHOES!

PLUS

**BUY ONE, GET ONE 50% OFF
FootJoy WeatherSof GLOVES!**

**Sale ends August 31, 2023.*

Construction Update

From ARTHUR STEWART, PRESIDENT

I received a kind message recently—our guest said: “You have a remarkable group of people who work at Cable Hollow. Everyone was very pleasant and happy (though it looks like a war-zone with all the construction!).”

The war-zone-look got worse on August 6th when TWO CREWS arrived at 7 AM. Jimmy Coffin Concrete arrived to build the piers for the new pavilion next to the clubhouse. Jimmy’s crew did a great job and now we are backfilling the piers and installing utilities in preparation for September 1st, when the timberframe construction begins.



Architectural rendering of the new pavilion.

The north wall will be glass and will overlook number 18 green. The east and west walls will be glass garage doors that can be opened to enjoy warm days. The pavilion will seat about 240 people. By spring 2024, we will be able to host tournament golfers as well as weddings and other large gatherings.

The other crew was the construction arm of Albanese and Lutzke, our golf course architects. By 8 AM, Paul Albanese and his crew were at new hole 13 to start the building of the green and the installation of the irrigation system. It was the first time Paul had seen the site with the trees removed, and after just a few minutes Paul came to Tyler and me with the ominous words: “The green design doesn’t work here.” We stared at him: “What do you mean???” Paul explained that the slope on the left side of the green, and certain trees on both sides of the hole, gave the area a different look than he anticipated. Paul loves the white pine on the right and the view the woods road creates behind the hole.

With those features in mind, Paul envisioned some different looks and began drawing on the spot. After a few minutes, he gave Tyler and me two new designs; we called Jerry in for his opinion, selected the “waterfall” option, and Paul’s crew got underway with the dozer. But by noon I was having second thoughts. The natural topography slopes both back to front and right to left, and if we wanted to retain the natural contours, we needed a different design. Tyler and I found Paul and we walked the site again. Paul went back to the clubhouse to draw. We got Jerry and Paul’s crew involved, and after seeing Paul’s new drawing, the decision was unanimous—Paul’s latest was a winner. The new green will have 4 levels that follow the natural contour—highest back right, lowest left front, the other two in between. The challenge of this short par 3 will be to land the ball on or near the correct level. Paul’s “emergency” drawing is below and we hope to have his design constructed before the end of August.



After we complete hole 13, we will move to hole 5 to build new tees by the pond and a new green in front of the new stone wall. The new green will be two tiers, very similar to hole 16 at Augusta. Players will be able to bail out safely to the right, or take on the challenge of the water to the left. New 5 will give players a great view of the pond and an experience very similar to one of the greatest holes in Major Championship golf. We hope new 5 will be a place of outstanding memories.

In September we plan to move to hole 6 to build a new tournament tee and new green. The new green will be much more receptive to approach shots. We will move the green back just a bit to give the hole slightly more length, and there will be a rock retaining wall similar to the wall on hole 18. It’s going to be a great par 5 that rewards good shots with birdie opportunities.

Starting in late August, we will be playing some temporary greens while construction is under way. By next spring we will be playing the new versions of holes 5, 6 and 13. Future changes are in the planning stages—

but holes 5, 6 and 13 are enough for one golf season! We hope and think this season’s changes will lead to great fun and memories for all of us who love the greatest game ever played!

New Dining Room Menus

From JOANNE MARTIN, CLUBHOUSE MANAGER

Come join us for dinner every night at Cable Hollow. Our Friday night dinners have become very popular, and we appreciate the many requests for dinners on other nights. Starting immediately, we will be offering both daily lunch and dinner menus (with dinner starting at 5 pm) Tuesday through Sunday. Look for some old favorites as well as new offerings and specials.

With the growing popularity of our Cable Hollow restaurant, we are looking for additional help, especially in the kitchen. **If you know of a good addition who would like to join our team part time** (probably growing to full time), please let me (Joanne) know.

My staff and I look forward to seeing and serving you!



Join us for our Taco Special every Thursday night!



Call us about hosting your special event!

We can host small weddings, reunions, and other events, and are expanding the clubhouse to allow us to host larger events!

Our first event in the new pavilion will be Meg's wedding—Watch the video!

Seeing the Progress

From JERRY MARTIN, COURSE SUPERINTENDENT

You have undoubtedly noticed all the piles of sand and dirt around the course. It's not just "dirt"! We have ordered special "greens mix", made to our specifications. The greens mix is a carefully measured combination of sand, peat and topsoil, and it comes from the same company that supplied the greens material to Oak Hill, where this year's PGA was played. There are dozens of piles because we will apply twelve inches of greens mix to each of the 3 new greens.

The sand is also special. The best bunker sand should be made of square grains, of roughly equal size, so that the sand stays in place in the bunker. Our square sand comes from Ohio, where it is carefully screened and washed before being shipped to Cable Hollow.

You are also seeing the temporary greens that will go into play later this season. We have strived to make them good substitutes—PLEASE DO NOT PLAY ON THE TEMPORARY GREENS!!! You get a free lift and drop.

Like everything in the golf industry, weather plays an integral part. That is why we chose August to take on the new changes to the course. August usually provides the best weather for construction and September is the best time for the new turf to take hold.

Enjoy the course and watching the progress!!



Greens Mix awaiting construction at number 5.

Course Reminders

From JACOB McCULLOUGH, DIRECTOR OF GOLF

Hello Golfers! Welcome to our summer newsletter, keeping you in the loop about exciting happenings at our special golf course.

- 1. Pace of Play Matters** - We understand the importance of an uninterrupted and enjoyable golfing experience. To enhance your time on the course, we've been monitoring pace of play with our rangers and experimenting with fewer tee times on the weekends. Please remember to maintain a steady pace and be mindful of your fellow golfers. Slow play can impact everyone's enjoyment, so let's work together to keep the game flowing smoothly.
- 2. Etiquette Reminder** - Good etiquette is the foundation of a respectful golfing community. We kindly ask all players to observe proper golf etiquette, such as repairing divots, raking bunkers, and respecting the quiet focus on the greens. We want every golfer to have a wonderful and courteous experience.
- 3. New Construction Update** - We're excited to share news about our ongoing course improvements:

CABLE HOLLOW GOLF COURSE

**RED
WHITE
BLUE
SCRAMBLE**

MEMBERS \$60
NON-MEMBERS \$80

FRIDAY, SEPT 1ST
1:00 SHOTGUN START

INCLUDES

SACK LUNCH
ALL AMERICAN DINNER AFTER PLAY
WITH DESSERT

CHANCE TO WIN A 2024
SINGLE MEMBERSHIP
ADDITIONAL RAFFLES AND PRIZES
50/50, PROXIMITY, SKINS

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During the renovation process, temporary greens will be in play at holes 5, 6 and 13. Between now and the time the temporary greens go into play, PLEASE DO NOT PLAY OUT OF THE TEMPORARY AREAS. Instead, take a free drop outside the temporary greens (see the white signs). We have top-dressed the temporary greens several times. We understand these temporary greens will present some challenges, but the renovation work is a significant investment in the future of Cable Hollow Golf Course. We are confident you will like the end results!

Upcoming Events - Mark your calendars for these upcoming events:

- **Veterans Benefit Scramble:** Tee off for a good cause on August 19th to support the Warren County Veterans while enjoying a fun-filled day on the course.
- **Red, White, Blue Scramble:** On September 1st, we're hosting an All-American themed 4-person Scramble Tournament with big prizes, great food, and good times! Men's Division and Mixed Division. Each Player will have a chance to WIN A 2024 CABLE HOLLOW MEMBERSHIP! Open to the first 25 teams. [Click here to register!](#)

Don't Forget Stay Connected - Follow us on social media for the latest news, updates, and more!

We look forward to seeing you out on the greens soon! Happy golfing!

Bar & Restaurant Hours

Sunday: 12:00–6:00

Monday*: 12:00–6:00

*Bar Menu Only

Tuesday: 11:00–8:00

Wednesday: 11:00–8:00

Thursday: 11:00–8:00

Friday: 11:00–8:30

Saturday: 11:00–8:30



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