



The Pinehurst Page

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MIXED EVENTS SET

Morco Club to Play 13 Weekly Tournaments

The first Morco Summer Club tournament of the season, a medal play event for individuals, will be played May 21 through 27, according to tournament directors Peter V. Tufts and Tom Garneau.

This men's golfing organization will play 13 regular weekly tournaments during the summer months, winding up the season with a 54-hole medal play championship scheduled for late August and early September—first round to be played August 20-26; second round, August 27-September 2; and third round, September 3-9.

Each tournament may be played Monday through the following Sunday and USGA rules govern all matches.

A new ruling requires that Morco members must have played in five regular tournaments in two consecutive years to be eligible for the championship.

In addition to the regular tournaments, four twilight and two mixed foursomes events with the ladies of the Sandhills Summer Club are on the agenda.

The twilight tournaments in June, July and August will be followed by cocktail parties. A picnic buffet for members and their families will follow each of the mixed events.

A joint banquet for Morco and Sandhill Summer Club members will conclude the season in mid-September.

AF Commendation Medal Awarded Captain Garner

Capt. Clyde H. Garner, commander of A-Flight in the 355th Technical Fighter Squadron based at Myrtle Beach, S. C., recently received the Air Force Commendation Medal. Deputy Wing Commander Col. Joseph J. Kruzal pinned the medal on Captain Garner at an award presentation ceremony at the Myrtle Beach AFB in late April.

The Air Force officer, who lives on the post with his wife and their two small daughters, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley L. Garner of Pinehurst.

Local 6th Grader 5th In W-S Spelling Match

Betsy Edmonds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Edmonds and a Pinehurst School sixth grader, finished fifth at the spelling match held in Winston-Salem on Saturday.

When she was "spelled down," only four eighth grade students were left in the contest, which started with 42.

The program, sponsored by the Winston-Salem Journal and Sentinel, was broadcast over two television stations.

Betsy made a remarkable showing and is hoping to be a participant in next year's contest. As a finalist, she was presented a large dictionary and a fountain pen.

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Accelerated Interest

The 50 wire photos sent out from Pinehurst and picked up by papers from New York to California during the N-S Women's Golf tournament April 16-20 and the N-S Men's Amateur the following week, evidence the accelerated interest in this "World Golf Capital" since it was picked as the site of the National Amateur Championship.

Championship Course Closes

The Number Two Championship Course closed Monday in preparation for a general overhauling, the re-working of certain holes and tightening of others, for it is on this course that the cream of U. S. Amateurs will converge for the Championship in September.

By late afternoon Monday, all flags and tee markers were removed, cups filled in and sprayers were turning vigorously on tees and greens. Only sign of life on the course was local artist, Dot (Mrs. Albert) Sneed, peacefully parked on the eighth tee only yards from her back door, with an easel propped up in front of her, transferring to the canvas the broad vista of the tree-lined fairway looking toward the green.

Nothing, we think, is peaceful-er than a golf course after hours when the mad scramble for starting times has ended and foursomes have ceased shooting off the tees at seven-minute intervals. And the springy turf underfoot provides the best possible terrain for a long hike, or for a short stroll.

Music Week
A feature of National Music Week, May 6-13, sponsored for

the 39th year by the National Federation of Music Clubs, will be the North Carolina Symphony Ball May 11 at the Executive Mansion, Raleigh.

Purpose of the Ball—to raise funds for the Endowment Fund of the N. C. Symphony, which is assisted also by state government subsidy.

Metropolitan Opera mezzo soprano Rise Stevens in last week's New York Tribune strongly suggests government subsidies as a means of promoting building and maintenance of opera houses in cities throughout this country where native-born singers might have an opportunity to train, gaining experience that they are denied at big Houses like the Met where the star system is, naturally, in order.

Oddly, the highest paid singer at the Metropolitan, during its "Golden Age" was basso Fyodor Chaliapin, who "trained" for his vocal career largely by towing boats along the Volga shore with a rope over his shoulder. Probably fine for chest development.

The blond, 6'8" giant from Kazan also refused to learn any language other than his native Russian, so casts singing with him were compelled to learn cues in Russian also.

Possibly this was evidence of the Russian's pioneering instinct—musicianship now are all for opera sung in English by American-born singers in their native land.

Pinehurst School Highlights

By JOHN BARRY

Junior-Senior Trip

Forty students, members of the Junior and Senior classes of the Pinehurst School, left early Saturday morning for Myrtle Beach in the school's activities bus, driven by Hobert Williams alternating with Robert Gillis.

The group, accompanied by School Superintendent Lewis Cannon, his wife, and Misses Carolyn Harris and Barbara Brewer, stopped for a picnic lunch en route to the Silver Sands Hotel where they stayed. They had dinner at The Clipper Ship and enjoyed dancing.

On Sunday morning, the students and adults attended 8:30 services at the Baptist Church in Myrtle Beach. After an enjoyable day on the beach, they returned home that evening.

"The Bat"
The Mary Roberts Rinehart-Avery Hopwood play "The Bat" is the mystery drama to be presented by the Senior Class tomorrow (Friday) night at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. The play will be directed by Miss Carolyn Harris, and promises plenty of chills and thrills for the audience.

Advance tickets are on sale and will be sold at the box office on the night.

Three New Cubs Join Pack 7 at Meeting

A grand total of 131 people enjoyed a hot dog supper on Friday evening when the Pinehurst Pack 7 Cub Scouts held their May Pack meeting in the form of a family picnic at the Recreation Field. After a baseball game to whet appetites, all gathered in the picnic area for hot dogs, potato chips and soda.

After supper, Assistant Cubmaster Ray Hensley welcomed three new boys into the Pack. After saying the Cub Scout Promise and Cub Scout Law, the following boys were presented their Bobcat pins: Daniel Lee Barrett, Charles Blane Fields and Tommy Whitesell. Silver Arrows were presented to Steven Cox, Carl Furr, Franklin McKenzie, Michael Tallon, Keith Black and Hank McLeod. A Gold Arrow was awarded Hank McLeod.

Six boys who have been under the leadership of Bill McKenzie were awarded their Webelos Badge after reciting the Scout Oath and the twelve points of the Scout Law. Cubmaster Hensley gave these badges to: Larry Garrison, Billy D. McKenzie, Randall Bosworth, Bryon D. Currie, Robert E. Dudley and Robbie McKean.

It was announced that the next Pack Meeting will be held on June 8 in the form of a Pet Show! Mrs. L. J. Hinson's Den 4 had the highest attendance at the supper. The evening closed with the benediction said by Commissioner G. Paul Monroe.

—by D. D.

Sandhills Summer Club Sets First Tourney May 29

Opening tournament of the Sandhills Summer Club will be held May 29, while a Dutch luncheon on Tuesday, May 22, in the Pinehurst Country Club's dining room will be the first get-together of the women's summer golfing organization.

A noon cocktail party will precede the 1 o'clock luncheon, and a business meeting will follow, at 2, in the club cardroom.

Members planning to play will have an 11 a. m. sign-up deadline on tourney day (Tuesday), though they may play at anytime during the day.

A new ruling for the summer allows working members, unable to compete on Tuesday, to play their rounds in a tournament Saturday or Sunday preceding the specified tourney date.

1962 officers, all serving a second term, are: president, Mrs. D. D. Gadd; vice president, Mrs. John A. Ruggles; secretary, Mrs. E. A. Regan; treasurer, Mrs. L. Paget Rigby.

Mrs. Joel C. Hufford is in charge of handicapping; the USGA system of handicaps was adopted four years ago by the club.

Chairman of the tournament committee is Mrs. Kenneth F. Ferris, who is assisted by committee members Mrs. William S. Anderson, Mrs. Clement R. Monroe and Mrs. Maurice F. Creem of Pinehurst and Mrs. J. E. Fleming and Mrs. E. N. Schumacher of Southern Pines.

THIRTEENTH ACE

Scoring the 13th recorded hole-in-one of the season at the Pinehurst Country Club Sunday was Mrs. S. T. Hart, a member of the Emerywood Country Club of High Point. She aced the ninth hole of Number Three with a three iron for the first hole-in-one of her golfing career. Attesting witnesses playing with her were Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Cooke of Wilkeson and Earl Steil of Charlotte. All four are here for the 106th annual convention of the N. C. Dental Society.

SCHOOL PROGRAM

The closing program of Mrs. Robert H. Barrett's Wee School takes place Tuesday, May 15, at 10:30 a. m. in the Pinehurst Community Church basement.



SHE'S A CHAMPION—Mrs. Jean Smythe of Palm Beach, winner Sunday of the ladies division in the All-Gauge event of the Sandhills Skeet Shoot Championships, receives her trophy from Albert S. Tufts, president of Pinehurst, Inc., who was in charge of the two-day shoot. The men's division, All-Gauge, was won for the second consecutive year by Buzz Mitchell, AA shooter of Kinston. William D. Parks, Jr.

a AA shooter from Clemmons, who won the High Over-All award for 300 targets on the program, was also the winner of the first three events on the program which began Saturday—the Sub-Small Gauge (410), the Small Gauge (28) (winning the latter in a shoot-off with Marion F. Erwin of Durham), and the Twenty-Gauge. (Hemmer photo)

Here and Away

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer H. Johnson for a fortnight are their daughter, Mrs. Warren Heim, Jr. and children, Billy and Barbara, of Chappaqua, N. Y. Mr. Heim is joining the family this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Dooley and three children of Statesville, were weekend guests of her parents, Bishop and Mrs. Louis C. Melcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Hales left last week for two weeks at their Bryn Mawr, Pa. home before returning to Sycamore Cottage on Cherokee Road.

Mr. and Mrs. True P. Cheney left Tuesday for a few days' fishing at Topsail Beach.

John G. Hemmer was in Charlotte from Wednesday through Saturday for a short course in photography sponsored by the Carolinas Press Photographers Association.

The A. Corbett Alexanders left last week for Swannanoa where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. R. D. Grow of Williamsport, Pa. expects to leave today after a two-week visit here with her sister, Mrs. William S. Anderson and Mr. Anderson.

Mrs. Henry B. Spelman left Tuesday for her home in Fairfield, Conn. where she will spend the summer. Her home here will be occupied during the summer by Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hankins, Jr. and their two young sons, who will move in Saturday.

Mrs. Jean Smythe of Palm Beach, Fla. visited Mr. and Mrs. Morrison B. Orr while here to compete in the Sandhills Skeet Championship last weekend at the Pinehurst Gun Club.

Dr. and Mrs. Duwayne D. Gadd and their three children, Nancy, Jimmy and David, returned Saturday from a visit with friends in Danville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Barrett and family were weekend guests of Mrs. Myrtle Gillam in Harrellsville.

After several weeks here, Mr. m.

and Mrs. Kingstone Reed have returned to their home in Toronto, Canada.

Mrs. Cora G. Hopkins of High Point was here for the past weekend with Miss May Chapman.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDonald were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burns and family, of Charlotte. Here visiting the McDonalds this week while he attended the dental convention at the Carolina Hotel were Dr. and Mrs. Jack Bennet and son, Brian, who returned today to Winston-Salem.

MIDLAND CRAFTERS

A branch of the Midland Crafters, located on Midland Road, will open June 1 in the Holly Inn in a room to the right of the hotel's main dining room entrance. The branch, which will stock unusual items similar to those in the main shop, will continue in operation year-round and will be managed during the summer by Miss Susan Ewing of Southern Pines. Hours set tentatively are from 2-10 p.



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