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FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

► **BY NANCY SISLOW**
BOARD PRESIDENT

At the September open Board meeting, the motion to offer selected amenities for sale was not supported. That led to a Special Meeting held September 29th during which it was decided to seek membership input into the transfer of the amenities to the City.

That non-binding survey was completed on October 15th in time to be used at the October meeting to guide the next step in divesting the POA of properties it can no longer support. As you may recall the Board has a mandate from the initial Take-over Agreement to maintain the amenities as they were given to the property owners.

That is very difficult to do with limited funds. Since the Purcell group has the right of first refusal for any sale we consider, and there are many legal details to be determined if transfer is approved, legal counsel will be needed to assure the correct steps are taken.

Action on the transfer of amenities and use of legal counsel will take place at the October Board meeting. The plan is for video and audio to be available through the Diamondhead POA website should you wish to follow the proceedings to see what will happen next.

After the September open Board meeting, an Executive

session was held to discuss the organization's financial status.

At that time, the Board approved raising the dues to keep the organization solvent while the future of the organization is developed. The dues increase was announced early in hopes that we would better determine the financial landscape for 2026. As of this writing, there have been dedicated members who have paid their dues early.

There have also been concerns expressed about the increase, but the mandate to maintain what amenities we have and the continued reduction of property owners whose covenants expired who no longer pay dues, have led us to this decision. The remainder of the budget will be approved soon, but this will help us plan the most balanced budget we can in these tough times. We are also facing increasing costs to provide service and pay insurances, just as you all are. We will find a way through this!

There are many challenges to meet to develop fully what 2026 will look like. Your Board of Directors is working the best they can to face these challenges. In the end, we all want our wonderful Diamondhead to remain.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve the Diamondhead Property Owners Association and its great amenities.



Thanksgiving

MENU — NOVEMBER 27, 2025 —

MAIN LINE:	CARVING STATION:
• Sweet Potato Casserole • Cornbread Dressing • Green Bean Casserole • Mashed Potatoes • Roasted Carrots • Collard Greens • Candied Ham • MS Pot Roast	• Herb Crusted Salmon • Candied Turkey Breast with Turkey Gravy • Hanger Steak
SEAFOOD STATION:	SALADS:
• Boiled Gulf Shrimp • Seafood Dressing • Stuffed Crab • Seafood Macaroni & Cheese	• Cranberry Salad • Seafood Pasta Salad • Cranberry Sauce
	BREAD:
	• Cornbread Muffins • Assorted Breads/Rolls
	DESSERT STATION:
	• Bread Pudding with Whiskey Sauce • Assorted Desserts

 Seatings at 10:00, noon, and 2:00 | Adults: \$40.00, Kids 5-12: \$20 | Under 4: Free
Discount available for POA members in good standing. Tax & gratuity are not included in prices.
Reservations are required. Call 228-255-2918 ext. 3 or stop by the Club Office.

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Tennis World	255-5030
Waste Collection	832-3144

Diamondhead Country Club & Property Owners Association, Inc.

September 30, 2025

	Revenue	Expense	Net Gain/Loss	Depreciation	Net Income
Club	227,277.87	257,137.17	(29,859.30)	4,164.71	(34,024.01)
Camphouse	2,575.00	2,603.82	(28.82)	3,709.82	(3,738.64)
Golf	231,152.22	60,385.02	170,767.20	7,214.75	163,552.45
Golf Academy	6,530.56	11,982.06	(5,451.50)	-	(5,451.50)
GCM		113,942.23	(113,942.23)	18,138.57	(132,080.80)
Grounds		16,856.71	(16,856.71)		(16,856.71)
Recreation	705.00	17,485.26	(16,780.26)	5,946.38	(22,726.64)
Community/Twin Lakes		1,745.99	(1,745.99)	-	(1,745.99)
Tennis	4,046.69	1,578.92	2,467.77	3,883.16	(1,415.39)
Marina	10,047.71	10,919.18	(871.47)	5,491.21	(6,362.68)
Facilities		26,655.13	(26,655.13)	771.68	(27,426.81)
Marketing	100.00	15,611.99	(15,511.99)	-	(15,511.99)
Admin	10,194.27	107,014.78	(96,820.51)	12,908.45	(109,728.96)
Membership	230,257.66	-	230,257.66	-	230,257.66
Airport	1,200.00	448.48	751.52	911.86	(160.34)
	724,086.98	644,366.74	79,720.24		16,579.65

January 1, 2025 - September 30, 2025

	Revenue	Expense	Net Gain/Loss	Depreciation	Net Income
Club	2,090,602.49	2,361,032.96	(270,430.47)	37,482.39	(307,912.86)
Camphouse	46,325.00	58,956.06	(12,631.06)	33,388.38	(46,019.44)
Golf	2,025,452.29	538,549.59	1,486,902.70	64,932.75	1,421,969.95
Golf Academy	28,605.97	87,184.73	(58,578.76)	-	(58,578.76)
GCM	2,728.72	1,272,380.97	(1,269,652.25)	163,247.13	(1,432,899.38)
Grounds		255,558.34	(255,558.34)		(255,558.34)
Recreation	11,645.01	149,037.45	(137,392.44)	53,517.42	(190,909.86)
Community/Twin Lakes	4,197.60	50,169.13	(45,971.53)	-	(45,971.53)
Tennis	22,472.95	54,320.25	(31,847.30)	34,948.44	(66,795.74)
Marina	89,445.96	90,635.35	(1,189.39)	49,420.89	(50,610.28)
Facilities		245,047.07	(245,047.07)	6,945.12	(251,992.19)
Marketing	600.00	148,846.61	(148,246.61)	-	(148,246.61)
Admin	129,301.05	1,096,174.41	(966,873.36)	116,176.05	(1,083,049.41)
Membership	2,182,962.69	13,894.56	2,169,068.13	-	2,169,068.13
Airport	8,400.00	8,654.74	(254.74)	8,206.74	(8,461.48)
	6,642,739.73	6,430,442.22	212,297.51		(355,967.80)

The **POA** Board meets every month on the 3rd Monday at City Hall. All meetings begin at 6:00pm. Every meeting is live-streamed and can be found on YouTube.

YouTube

• COMMUNITY



EAST HANCOCK LIBRARY

► BY SAVANNAH STEWART

Can you believe it's November already? Time flies when you're having fun! This month is about being thankful, so I want to extend a huge thank you to everyone that came to see us at Trunk-or-Treat! Also, thank you to the library staff who helped—we literally couldn't do it without you! As we transition from October, I hope everyone has a chance to stop by and see our fall decorations made by our awesome volunteer Diane. She keeps our library looking so festive!

This month we'll be doing a lot of preparation for our holiday celebrations! We have started sending out registration packets for our annual system-wide holiday tree decorating contest! Registration packets are also available at the library! Trees may be set up and decorated to East Hancock Library between Monday, November 17th-Thursday, December 4th! Judging will take place on Friday, December 5th and thanks to Library Foundation there is a cash prize for the overall 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners! Don't miss out—this is a great marketing opportunity for local businesses and organizations! Families and individuals are also welcome to participate! Participants are encouraged to leave promotional items and marketing materials under their trees for patrons to take!

In other exciting news, starting early next year the Library

Foundation will be opening a used bookstore at the Bay St. Louis library! You might have noticed we have recently discontinued our small book sale carts; all donations henceforth brought to the East Hancock library (and Kiln, Waveland, and Pearlinton) will be sent directly to the Bay St. Louis library to be processed and added to the used bookstore. We will still have our free cart, however! All proceeds from the used bookstore will support the library's mission and vision.

Let's get into our regular programming! Every Monday at 10:30 we have story time, run by the dedicated Kathleen Buck who always makes it super fun! Story time is a great early learning opportunity for your little ones, and features themed stories, sign language, and silly songs and dances! Our Stitch Buddies sewing class meets every Tuesday from 10-12:30pm and Wednesday nights from 6-8pm! These classes are registration only AND part of a series, as the library has a limited number of sewing machines and teachers. Please contact the library if you are interested and we can get you on a waitlist!

Conversational Spanish for Adults occurs every Thursday from 2-3pm, and Painting with Elen takes place on Monday, November 3rd, and Monday, November 17th; On the 3rd, Elen will teach participants how to paint a pumpkin spice latte sign, and on the 17th, a harvest pumpkin!

There are two back-to-back painting classes on these dates from 1-2pm and 2:15-3:15pm; registration is required so call your library today or register online! We have Strength and Flexibility every Friday from 10-12pm; this is an instructor-led class perfect for those looking for a slower paced workout with gentle movements and stretching! Crafts and Conversation is also every Friday

from 12:30-3pm; this casual event is BYOC (bring your own craft) and is a great place to meet new friends. Family Bingo Night is still going strong; thank you to all our regular bingo patrons! This month it's on November 13th, from 4-5:30; this is a FREE bingo where you have a chance to win some prizes and enjoy light refreshments, so come play with us!



Let's make a deal!

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**6 Dogwood Cir,
Diamondhead, MS 39525**

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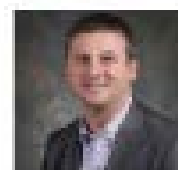
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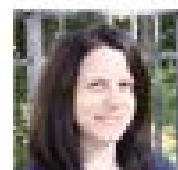
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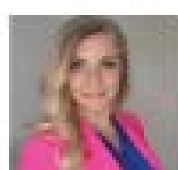
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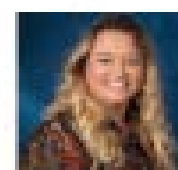
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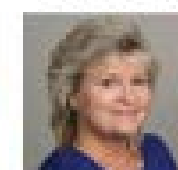
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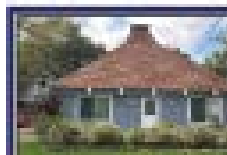
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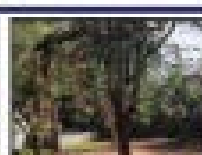
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5837 Hilo St.
2 Bed / 2 Bath
1,000 sqft | \$245,000
Wonderful home for entertaining. Unique Hawaiian style with wooden bar & kitchen cabinets. Large loft upstairs with sky-light - great for 3rd bedroom or office, has studio above carport & a sun room. Wood-burning fireplace in den, leading to small side-yard.



58730 Gulf Club Drive
Lot 421 Diamondhead
50ft x 120ft
\$48,000
Beautiful cleared lot ready to build your forever home. Did not flood for Katrina.



2000 Miller St., Bay St. Louis
1.96 Acres \$144,000
Located in the heart of Bay St. Louis, Lot has over 900 feet of waterfront located on Lazare Bayou; this waterway flows to the Jordan River. Property previously had house on it and still has a well.



Parkview Ln Lot 475
Paseo Christian
0.14 Acres \$35,000
Exclusive area of gorgeous homes at the end of Parkview Lane. Near golf course and beaches. Paseo Christian late Subdivision. 50ft x 120ft.

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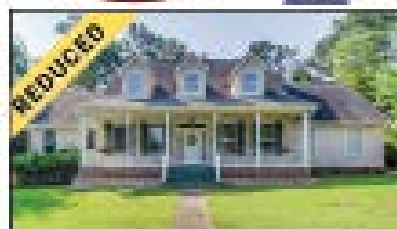
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4 Bed | 5 Bath | 3,086 sqft | \$388,000

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NEW PRICE!!!

7371 Lake Cir | Diamondhead
5 Bed | 2 Bath | 1,400 sqft | \$248,000

Updated with Brand New Roof! Featuring durable & stylish vinyl flooring throughout, offers low-maintenance living with a fresh, modern feel. Take advantage of the partially fenced backyard-perfect for pets, gardening, or relaxing outdoors. The attached carport provides convenient covered parking and additional storage.



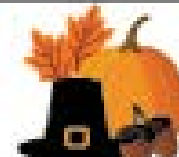
NEW PRICE!!!

8921 Hanalei Circle | Diamondhead
3 Bed | 2 Bath | 1,714 sqft | \$238,000

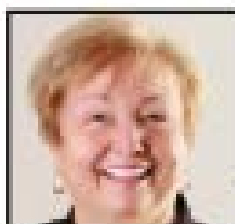
NEW A/C system, NEW hot water heater, & appliances all under five years old. Built high & dry, this home has never experienced flooding-offering added confidence & value. Inside, you'll find a functional layout, natural light throughout, & all the upgrades you need without sacrificing beauty & charm. Whether you're a golfer, a sun-seeker, or simply looking for a welcoming neighborhood to call home, this one checks all the boxes.

7225 Niskal Drive | Diamondhead
5.38 Acres | \$48,000

Take advantage of the Almost 1 Full Acre for sale that you can build your Dream home on today! It sits between 2 wooded lots & the options are endless about what you could do! Survey is available, come enjoy the amenities of Diamondhead!

131 Northwood Dr. | Pass Christian
3 Bed | 2 Bath | 1,716 sqft | \$280,000

Charming home just a couple of blocks from the beach! Well-maintained, brand-new roof, spacious utility room, & large master suite. Short ride to local shops, restaurants, & entertainment. Home combines coastal living with everyday practicality. If you're looking for a primary residence or a weekend getaway, this home is move-in ready & waiting for you.



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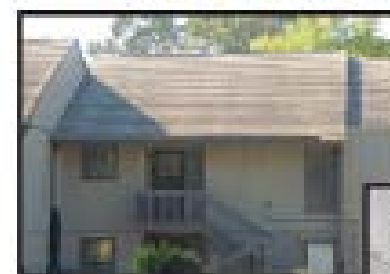
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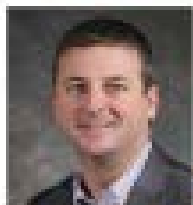
Call me for a tour of these
beautiful properties!4161 Ireland Street | Bay St. Louis
5 Bed | 4 Bath | 2,374 sqft | \$635,000

Waterfront Living with Panoramic Views of Bayou La Grek & Jordan River! Spacious and beautifully maintained home offering oversized bedrooms, two primary suites, major updates already completed. ■ New pilings (2015) with lifetime warranty ■ New energy-efficient windows (2017) with guaranteed seals. This home offers the perfect blend of comfort, quality, and stunning natural beauty. Don't miss this rare opportunity for waterfront living at its finest!

208 Kona Unit #C | Diamondhead
2 Bed | 2 Bath | 951 sqft | \$154,900

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4 bed | 2 bath
3339 sqft | \$275,000

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7091 Shiyou Road | Rin
5 bed | 2 bath | 2270 sqft | \$385,990
Waterfront Paradise on 3 Acres! Stunning home w/ in-ground pool, 230' on Bayou La Lata, and peaceful wooded surroundings. Features include open floor plan, hardwood floors, granite counters, sunroom, wraparound porch with 3 screened sections, & more. Enjoy a private dock, walking path to the bayou, & extra driveway for boat/RV. Minutes from public launch and Jordan River.



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7635 Hapuna Place | Diamondhead
3 Bed/2 Bath 2030 SF Rent: \$2100.00/mo
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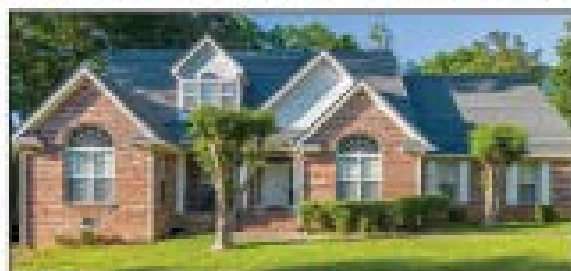


9750 Limu Way | Diamondhead
2 Bed/2 Bath Rent: \$1200.00/mo
New paint and flooring! Call to see this home in Diamondhead. Mobile Home With Open Living/Dining Area, Large Kitchen, Master Bathroom Has Large Garden Tub And Separate Shower

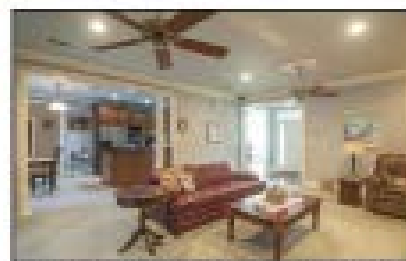


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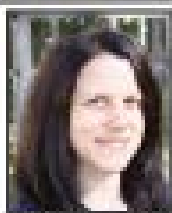
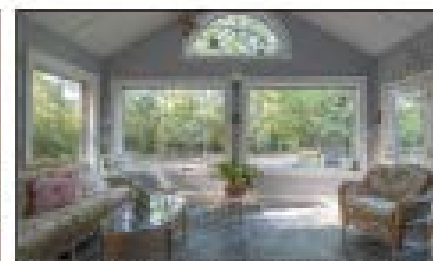
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956 Kale St | Diamondhead
3 bed | 2 bath | 2489 sqft | \$398,900



Outstanding single family home. Custom built in 2001. High and dry location on 3 lots - Approx 0.69 Acres. Crown molding, granite counters, split floor plan. 2 car garage and private patio. Must see to appreciate all the extras! Call me for a tour



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Frank Griffin Road
Moss Point
Approx. 2.1 Acres

Large corner lot offers a prime opportunity to build your dream home! Its proximity to I-10 ensures convenient travel both locally and to other destinations. The private setting provides a peaceful environment, perfect for a personalized residence



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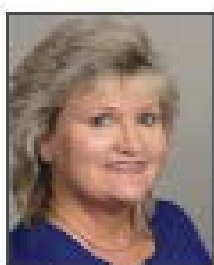
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Commercial

Live Oak Avenue
Lot #76
Pascagoula



The lot's proximity to downtown Pascagoula & its location just south of Hwy 90 could provide excellent visibility & accessibility, making it suitable for various commercial projects. The Community Commercial zoning allows for a range of business types, including retail, services, offices, & more. This is a promising opportunity for those interested in commercial real estate.



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7334 Anali Street | Diamondhead
3 Bed | 2 Bath | 1544 sqft | \$271,900



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3 Bed | 2 Bath | 2086 sqft | \$299,900



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The program is from 9:30-10:30 a.m. on the first Saturday of the month from October-May. It is open to all!

DIAMONDHEAD COMMUNITY CHURCH

5301 Diamondhead Circle
(288) 255-5556
dhcommunitychurch.org
Worship Service
Please join us on Sundays at 10 am for worship services with Pastor Stan Van Den Berg.

Christian Education
We have Sunday school classes at 9 am for adults as well as children (by age group). In addition, Children's Church is held during a portion of the worship hour.
Nursery Care
Nursery care is provided between 9 and 11 am.

Fellowship
All are welcome to join us for snacks and Christian fellowship at 11 am following the worship service.
Children's Choir
Parents, we offer exciting opportunities for your children ages 5-12 and 13-17 to participate in our youth choirs.

Pre-School
Little School is still taking 2025-2026 registration. Little School hours are 8 am-12pm
Mon - Fri. We still have a few sports open.

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5305 Noma Drive
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Sunday Worship Service: 10: a.m.
Meet and Greet Sunday: 9:30 to 9:55 a.m.

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All meetings are here at the church.
email: office@diamondhead-methodistchurch.org, Facebook: Diamondhead Methodist Church
Website: www.diamondhead-methodistchurch.org (under construction)

JACOB'S WELL BAPTIST CHURCH

29554 Vic Faye Road, Pass Christian, MS 39571;
228-255-2555,
jwbcadmin@icloud.com

Sundays:
Worship = 8:45 a.m. & 11 a.m.
Bible study = 10 a.m.

Wednesdays:
Fellowship meal, 5:45-6:20 p.m.
Adult & Youth Bible study, 6:30-7:30 pm..
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(228)255-1800 www.annunciationkiln.com
Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m.; Sunday 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.; Weekday 8:00 a.m. (Chapel)
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 3 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.; Sunday 9:45 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

and other times by appointment.
Adoration: Tuesday 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Friday 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE PINES

309 Highway 90
Waveland, MS 39576
228-467-6771
Pastor Brock Cain
Services every Sunday morning are at 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School for children and adults at 9:00 a.m.
Every Wed., we offer Bible study at 1 p.m.

OLD TOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PCUSA

114 Ulman Ave.
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
Pastor: Rev. Richard T. Gillespie, Th.D.
(256) 443-4100
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Adult Sunday School, 9 a.m.

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THE CHURCH AT 112

Romans 1:12 -- "When we get together, I want to encourage you in your faith, but I also want to be encouraged by yours." (NLT)
17077 Kapalama Dr., Suite B
Pass Christian, MS 39571
Pastor: James Reardon
Email: james@c112.org.
Our mission is to help encourage the people of Diamondhead and the surrounding areas towards faith in Christ. Our desire is to minister to both the unchurched (those with little or no church ex-

perience) and those we call the de-churched (individuals who have been hurt in the past or disillusioned by the actions of some within a church setting).
Join us in worship -- Sunday at 10 a.m.

We also extend an invitation for you to attend one or more of C 112's monthly activities and events. We offer men's, women's and mixed small groups/Bible studies; children, youth, and family activities. Please check out C 112's regularly updated Facebook page and our website to find out the time, place and description of the events in which you are most interested.

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9062 Kiln Delisle Road
Pass Christian, MS 39571
228-255-1294
Email: admin@mhtcatholic.org
Website: http://mhtcatholic.org
Mass Times:
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Saturday: 4:00 & 6:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.



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Dec 16th	6:30 PM Diamondhead Community Church 5301 Diamondhead Circle

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DIAMONDHEAD GARDEN CLUB

BY GRETCHEN KLINEFELTER

This November, we celebrate our harvest, secure our gardens for the winter months respite and plant the seeds for a picturesque spring to come. Gathering is the heart of November; our club members have been fortunate with several opportunities to gather in recent weeks. The presence from Diamondhead was notable at the Spanish Trail District Garden Club fall meeting that took place in October. (The Spanish Trail District Garden Club is one of six Districts that make up The Garden Clubs of Mississippi, Inc. and it includes over twenty garden clubs close to our community.) There, our past President, Mrs. Linda Naron, accepted a Blue Ribbon Club award for our club activities 2023-2025. After that, several club members came together for the dedication ceremony of a Southern Live Oak. This historic tree, now registered with the Hancock County Historical Society, holds the plaque "Grandma's Loving Arms registered 2025 at 129 years." Be sure to look for this beauty as you are driving on Diamondhead Drive East. Diamondhead's Fall Fest brought us together again as we connected with community members throughout the day. We are grateful to everyone who stopped by our booth and showed support. It was a successful day and everyone had fun!

Our October meeting allowed us to welcome Diamondhead's Mayor, Mrs. Anna DeMarco Liese. Mayor Liese spoke with us about current and upcoming city events and projects as well as plans for the future. Club leaders followed by introducing themselves and the subcommittees they represent. They explained the responsibilities of the committee within the community and shared goals set for the upcoming year. We



DIAMONDHEAD GARDEN CLUB

are grateful for the time Mayor Liese spent with us and thank her for the support she extends to our organization.

Diamondhead Garden Club meets the third Wednesday of each month at Diamondhead Community Church in the Activities Room. Please plan to join us Wednesday, November 19 for our next meeting, as we welcome Mr. CJ Nickell-Templin. Mr. Templin is a native plant associate with Mississippi State University Coastal Research and Extension Center. He will be educating us on carnivorous plants. Club social time begins at 9:30 a.m. with our meeting to follow at 10:00 a.m. All Diamondhead residents are welcome!

As November arrives, it is time for the gardening chores of planting trees and shrubs.

Summer blooming perennials such as irises, daylilies and daisies along with the winter/spring annuals of pansies, pinks (dianthus), flowering cabbage and kale can be put in the ground.

Add pine straw or mulch to your garden and all ornamental beds for winter protection. Put leaves and spent annuals into your compost bin. Check on your garden tools, repair and sharpen them as needed.

Don't forget to check out our 'Live Oak Tree' ad following this article.

November's Quote:

"Everything that slows us down and forces patience, everything that sets us back into the slow circles of

nature, is a help. Gardening is an instrument of grace." May Sarton

HONORING THE SOUTHERN LIVE OAK TREE

One of the foremost projects of Diamondhead Garden Club is to record qualified Live Oaks Trees with

Hancock County Historical Society. In December 2020, Diamondhead Mayor and the City Council signed a proclamation designating the City of Diamondhead as a Live Oak Tree City in Mississippi. Diamondhead Garden Club is looking for Live Oak Trees in our community that are 100 years in age or older. Not sure of your tree's age? A Garden Club volunteer would be happy to assist you in determining that information. If your tree meets the specifications, we can help you register your tree with Hancock County Historical Society and provide you with a tree plaque that denotes the registered name you choose as well it's age. Diamondhead is fortunate to have an abundance of Southern Live Oak Trees.

Let's celebrate these majestic trees and get them registered!



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PARTY BRIDGE CLUB BY ELISE BREEN

The date for our next monthly gathering to play Party Bridge will be Friday November 21, in the Kana-ka room at the Diamondhead Country Club.

Our arrival time is 9:15am and we will begin playing at 9:30am. If you have any questions regarding the party bridge club, please contact Barbara Gibbons at (228)760-1112 or Elise Breen at (228) 342-1529.

The winners in September were Pat Burgoyne in First Place, Eileen O'Brien in Second Place, and Jerry Ingraham in Third Place. Our special prize went to Robin Mitterer.

THURSDAY MORNING LINE DANCERS BY MOLLY KOONEY

Lessons and dancing, led by Molly, will be held from 10:00 - 11:00 am on THURSDAYS at the DIAMOND-HEAD METHODIST CHURCH, 5305 Noma Drive. Across the street from City Hall.

Please wear comfortable soft soled shoes.

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FOR DETAILS OR CANCELLATIONS see our web site:

<https://sites.google.com/site/get-moving12345678/>

THE GULF COAST BRIDGE ASSOCIATION BY GARY MEECE

Weekly hourlong classes in duplicate bridge for beginning and newer players will start on Monday, Jan. 5, at Diamondhead Methodist Church, 5305 Noma Drive in Diamondhead.

Classes will last an hour, starting at 10:30 a.m. every Monday, and will

be free for the first six weeks.

When ready, new players will be encouraged to play in the regular duplicate bridge game starting at 12:30. Membership in the American Contract Bridge Association (ACBL.org)

will be strongly advocated; guest memberships are free.

Duplicate bridge is a competitive card game where the same deals are played across multiple tables, and scoring compares how well each partnership performs on identical hands. Learning through Easy Bridge lessons introduces beginners to this game systematically, focusing on its core concepts and building skills progressively.

The beginner-friendly program breaks down duplicate bridge into digestible lessons, making a complex game accessible through guided, hands-on learning.

Contact Mark Bensabat at markbensabat@gmail.com for further information.

Follow the Gulf Coast Bridge Association on our Facebook page.

WINE CLUB BY MARSHALL KYGER

The Diamondhead Wine Club is dedicated to the exploration and enjoyment of wine.

At each monthly tasting, we sample at least 6 different wines and learn a little about their history and origins. The Club is open to any who are interested in enjoying and learning about wine.

Join us at our upcoming tastings:

Thursday, October 16th - Wines from South Africa - 7:00 at the Club
Suzaan Laing, freshly returned from Capetown, returns to the Wine Club with a new batch of South African Wines. She has always brought outstanding wines and given us an informative and entertaining presentation. Come see what she has found us this time.

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\$50 for guests. Please make your reservations by mailing your check payable to DWC to: P.O. Box 6523 or by emailing Lou at louertel@aol.com or Marshall at mekygs@mail.com.

Thursday, November 20th - Not Napa, Not Sonoma, Then What? - 7:00 at the Club

Fortunately, there are numerous other areas producing excellent wines. Just in California, you have Lodi, Monterey, Paso Robles, Mendocino and Lake counties plus Washington State and Oregon. And then there are other States and Countries where you can find excellent wines.

Come join us and see what we find. We'll do our best to feature wines suitable for serving with your Thanksgiving dinner.

Cost is \$45 for DWC members and \$50 for guests.

Please make your reservations by mailing your check payable to DWC to: P.O. Box 6523 or by emailing Lou at louertel@aol.com or Marshall at mekygs@mail.com.

Thursday, December 11th - High End Reds - 7:00 at the Club

Join us for our annual Christmas Celebration featuring celebrated wines and Heavy Hors d'oeuvres.

If you have attended before you know that at least two of the wines will be white and that The Club will present a wide range of excellent food for our enjoyment.

If you would like to recommend a wine for us to try, please let us know. We're always open to suggestions. Reservation deadline is December 3rd!

Reservations will be confirmed upon receipt of your payment. Cost is \$85 for DWC members and \$100 for guests.

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NEWCOMERS CLUB BY ALLISON MCCRAW

The Diamondhead Newcomers Club held its second meeting of the year on October 7th at The Club at Diamondhead. Members joined in the spirit of "Cruisin' the Coast," arriving in their finest 1950's style attire. Club member Addie Brann and her husband treated attendees to a fun photo opportunity beside their stunning classic cars. Festive 50's music set the mood as members enjoyed lunch, reminisced, celebrated October birthdays, and took home exciting door prizes.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 12th at 11:30 AM. Lunch is \$25 and dues are \$20 for the year. The theme will be "Sweater Weather," so come dressed in your coziest sweater and enjoy



Diamondhead Newcomers Club

a fun afternoon with friends. We are hoping for perfect fall weather! RSVP to newcomersdiamondhead@gmail.com to secure your reservation.

Looking ahead, the Diamondhead Newcomers Club will join the Diamondhead Women's Club for a joint Christmas luncheon on Wednesday, December 3rd at 11:00 AM. The cost for this special holiday event is \$35, and payment must be received by Sunday, November 23rd. Checks can be mailed to Attn: Mary Ann Stromeier, PO Box 6436, Diamondhead, MS 39525. Please make checks payable to Diamondhead Newcomers Club.

Whether you are new to Diamondhead or have lived here forever, we hope you will join us for some fun, friendship, and community spirit. For more information, contact Mari-

lyn Lott at 601-528-3336.

Save the Date: Our January meeting will be held on January 14th!

DIAMONDHEAD DEMOCRATS, PROGRESSIVES, INDEPENDENTS ALLIANCE BY GERRY GILBERT

The November meeting of the Diamondhead Democrats, Progressives, Independents Alliance (DDPIA) will be on Thursday, November 20th at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 5303 Diamondhead Circle. (DDPIA is not affiliated with St. Thomas.) Registration and social time begin at 10:00am, followed by a guest speaker and a business meeting. Past guest speakers include the Diamondhead City Manager, Diamondhead mayoral candidates, representatives from

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P.E.O. CHAPTERS Q AND T SPONSOR OCTOBERFEST BY ANNE PAYNE

P.E.O. Chapters Q and T combined their talents to host a German Oktoberfest at Diamondhead Twin Lakes Pavillion in early October. It was a fun afternoon of authentic German food and music. Many guests were seen dancing a lively polka or participating the “chicken dance”. Some donned traditional dirndls and lederhosen. There was a drawing for several gift baskets filled with German beers, wines, food, and mementos. The Oktoberfest was so well received that several guests asked when the next Oktoberfest will be held in 2026.

The Oktoberfest proceeds are to benefit the P.E.O. purpose of continuing education



From left, Beryl Laird, Chapter T sister; Lenna Weisenhorn, Chapter Q sister.



From left, Eileen Linquist & Lenita Cueva, Chapter Q sisters; Mary Craig Murray, Chapter T President.

through grants and loans to deserving women.

DH GEAUX HIKING CLUB BY SHEILA EDWARDS

This Fall has found us busy hiking in several local venues starting with the charming Camp Salmen Nature Park in Slidell, which was a recent discovery, but quite a lovely setting which invites a return trip and was enjoyed by all. Lunch was at Phil’s Marina; good food with a view.

That was followed by our Cruisin’ the Coast Viewing Party & Pot Luck at Robert & Jan Redd’s house. We “hiked” up and down their driveway from our chairs to the loaded buffet table while we watched the cruisers parade past their house. Many thanks to Robert and Jan for hosting again this year.

And FINALLY, after many cancelled attempts, we got to hike the Possum Trail, which included the exploration of the cemetery, the only remaining edifice of the once thriving Logtown community. We then hiked about a mile and a half of the shady trail, ornamented by wildflowers. We chose Pedro’s for lunch: a beautiful setting where we enjoyed a wide selection of Mexican dishes.

Up-coming hikes:

Saturday, November 1-- Regularly-scheduled first of the month hike on Fountainebleau Trail, in Ocean Springs. This hike is sponsored by the Jackson County Recreation Department, Mississippi Sandhill Crane Wildlife Refuge, and the Audubon Society and is led by an expert naturalist. The hike meanders through the marsh and is ever-changing. Those who work and are not able to join some of our week-day hikes, will find this hike quite interesting and worth getting out of bed early on a Saturday AM. <grin> It will be followed by lunch somewhere in or near Ocean Springs. Meet at Twin Lakes a bit before 8:00am. Leave at 8:00am. Hike starts in Ocean Springs at 9:00am. Leader from Diamondhead to Ocean Springs: Sheila Edwards

Saturday, November 8—Renaissance Festival in Hammond, LA. The Louisiana Renaissance Festival is a lively and immersive event that aims to recreate the atmosphere, culture, and entertainment of the Renaissance period, which typically spanned from

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322 HIGHTPOINT DRIVE-

Beautiful view of the Cardinal Golf Course. New and extended deck with the golf cart garage under the deck. Diamondhead Resort Community offers 2-4 hole golf courses, tennis, pickle ball, kayak launches, private airport, marina and concierge more.



12336 MAGNOLIA COURT-

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Thursday, November 20—Coffee Creek Recreation Trail, Gulfport, MS The trail is wide and paved, and provides views of Coffee Creek as well as a Southern Mixed Hardwood Forest. This trail is owned and operated by the City of Gulfport, and is free and open to the public. The trail surface is smooth asphalt and typically is at least 6 feet wide. Meet at 9:30 at DH Country Club to form car pool. Leader: Kat Norton

Our next planning meeting will be Tuesday, November 4, at 6:00pm in the Kanaka room at the DH Country Club. (Psst! It's also Election Day! Don't forget to vote.) We'll be putting together our end-of-year calendar, so come in your "Santa" Red and bring your list of "nice" (not naughty) hikes for December.

PEO CHAPTER T BY DINAH KNOBLOCH



P.E.O. Chapter T welcomes the newest sister to our chapter. Christine Larsen was initiated into our sisterhood and joins the chapter in continuing their fundraising efforts to support women's education through the Philanthropic Educational Organization projects.

• SPORTS

THE CLUB AT DIAMONDHEAD GOLF BY CHRIS ALTESE, PGA DIRECTOR OF GOLF

Great reviews on our products and service continue to come in! Thank you to everyone here that helps make this happen. Take advantage of the great weather and come play golf. Booking online at www.TheClubatDiamondhead.com the fastest and easiest way to book tee times! We have several groups of golfers of various skill levels that welcome newcomers with open arms. Check with the Golf Shop staff if you are interested, and we will be happy to assist you.

The Club at Diamondhead is hosting their annual 3-person Scramble tournament, aptly named

The Gobbler, on Saturday, November 29. This event has supported the Hancock County Food Pantry in past years, requesting each registrant donate four (4) canned goods. We hope you will consider joining us for this holiday season tradition!

The Emerald Coast Tour's Silver Slipper Pro-Am was conducted on Diamondhead's Pine golf course on October 1-3. While we did not set a new course record this year, Will Wilcox was close during the first round with a 63 (-9). Wilcox followed up with rounds of 66 (-6) and 70 (-2) to win the event. Really great golf from these professionals!

Several of our Diamondhead junior golfers competed in their high school regional championships this past month and will be moving on to compete in their state champion-

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The holiday season is right around the corner, and things are really heating up at The Club! November and December will be filled with great food, live music, and festive celebrations — and we can't wait to see you here!

Bingo Night, Shannon Style: November 4 & 18. The fun starts at 6:00 in Latitude 30 Patio and Grill Trivia Night with Ronnie Hammons: Every Wednesday night in Latitude 30 Patio and Grill starting at 6:30. Enjoy our Jalapeno Poppers served with Ranch dressing. \$14

New Wednesday Night Hours begin November 1. The kitchen will close at 8:00 pm and the Club at 9:00 pm.

Karaoke Night: November 6 & 20, 6:00 – 10:00

Football Beer and Burger Night: November 13, 5:00 – 9:00. Draft beer, burger, & fries. \$12

Friday Night Live Music Lineup 7:00 – 10:00 in Latitude 30| November 7 – Missy & Ray November 14 – Short Circuit November 21 – Razzoo November 28 – Southern Voice

Saturday Bands 6:00 – 9:00 on The Patio November 1 – Bradley Bones November 8 – Rick Mocklin

November 15 – Bradley Bones November 22 – Eddie McDaniel November 29 – Short Circuit

Thanksgiving Eve Party in Latitude 30 November 26 – Tease Me Band | 6:00–9:00 PM

SPECIAL EVENTS

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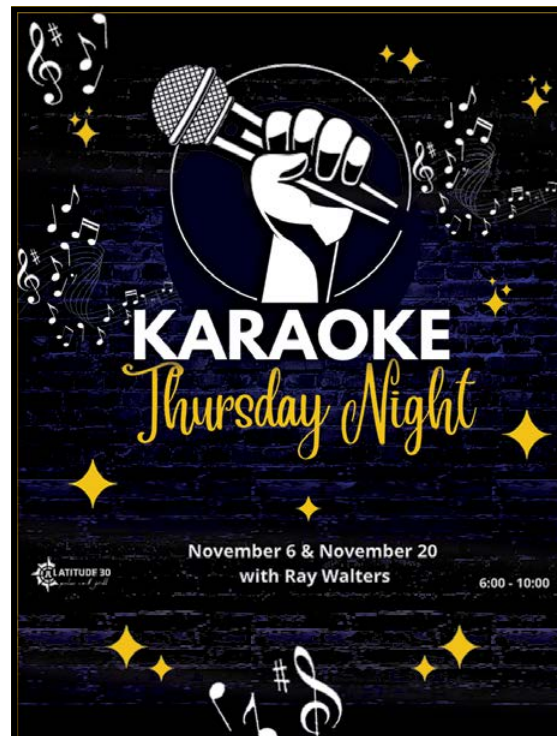
Thanksgiving Buffet – Thursday, November 27: Call 228-255-2918 ext. 3 to make your reservation. December 18: Christmas Prix Fixe Dinner in The Oak Room. Stay tuned for more information soon. New Year's Eve: Latitude 30 will be open late! Tease Me Band will be playing in Latitude 30 from 8:30 – 12:30. Limited buffet - \$25 New Year's Day: Open 10 AM–6 PM (Limited menu)

Holiday Hours Thanksgiving Day: Close at 4 PM Monday, Dec. 8 & 15: Club closes at 5 PM for private events Christmas Eve: Close at 2 PM Christmas Day: Closed

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Coming Soon January 10: Caymus Wine Pairing Dinner More details soon.

There's something for everyone this holiday season — from relaxing dinners and live music to festive gatherings that bring the community together. We can't wait to celebrate with you!



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25th Annual CP Four-Ball Champions Cliff Burgoyne and Chuck Wald

ships. Congratulations to Jack Lawson, Madden Baughman, Rowdy Foster, and Kaylee Mays for finishing individual runner-up for their respective regional championships and to Karstyn Altese for earning the individual low medalist. Hancock Boys and Girls, St. Stanislaus, and OLA golf teams all advanced through regional championship qualifying. Good luck to all!

Special thanks to all of those that have vol-

unteered to assist with various events the past couple of months. The MGCCC Golf Team has been instrumental in several events with their assistance. Thank you all for stepping up!

Christmas is right around the corner which means holiday shopping! Don't forget that the golf shop is receiving new items regularly. Please stop by and check out our inventory. We might just have something you are looking for. Diamondhead Property Owners



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should take advantage of their 20% discount on all regularly priced apparel in the golf shop. We also have select apparel items on sale now for up to 50% off! Your Golf Shop is open Monday through Sunday. Top apparel brands are available such as Sunday Swagger, FootJoy, Travis Mathew, Diamondhead Private Label, and more.

Diamondhead's 25th Annual CP Four Ball was held October 3-5. 51 teams competed in this annual favorite golf competition. Special thanks to our tournament chair Duane

Pinter, our skills contests volunteers, our entire golf operations team, and our talented food and beverage staff for a wonderful week-end of golf and fun at The Club! Congratulations to our flight champions...

Championship Flight – Chuck Wald/Cliff Burgoyne

First Flight – George Baker/Danny Schaus

Second Flight – Tom Amedee/Berni Breen

Third Flight – Jeff Wair/Thomas Wair

Fourth Flight – Wendy Bolander/Betsy Lyons

Upcoming Events...

10/25-10/26 The Shaka Club Championship
10/27-10/28 MHSAA Boys 6A High School Golf State Championship

10/31 Veteran's Golf Association

11/2 Daylight Savings Ends

11/8 Hancock Hawks Golf Fundraiser (open to all)

11/9 US Kids Golf Gulf Coast Tour Championship

11/15 The KOA Classic by VFW Post 2880 2-person Scramble (open to all)

11/17 Last Day to Special Order to Use Shop Credit

11/27 Thanksgiving Day (all play 9:00am shotgun; must register for hole assignment in golf shop; golf shop closes 1pm)

11/29 The Gobbler Golf Classic (open to all; 3-person scramble; register in golf shop)

12/9 12 Days of Christmas Sale Begins

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DWGA BY COLLEEN JONES

September 4th, we had our Trophy Day played on the Cardinal Course. The

First Flight Low Gross was Liz Austin and Low Net was Jill Wiles. Second Flight Low Gross was Pat Ellis and Low Net was Joyce Teerling. Third Flight Low Gross was Dianne Ackerman and Low Net was Ruth Holmes. Closest to the pin winners were Jill Wiles on hole #4, Liz Austin on hole #7, Terri Woolbright on hole #13 and Tiffany Webb on hole #17. Birdies were had by Terri Woolbright, Bet Bowen, Joyce Teerling, Liz Austin had 2 and Jill Wiles had 2. Chip Ins were had by Pat Ellis and Joyce Teerling

September 11th, we played a game of Par or Bet-



DWGA Club Gross Champion Liz Austin and Net Champion Tiffany Webb

ter on the Cardinal Course. First Flight winner was Margie James and second place was Jill Wiles. Second Flight winner was Cathy

Weber and second place has a tie between Ruth Holmes and Dianne Ackerman. Closest to the pin winners were Colleen Jones on hole #4, Margie James on hole #13 and Dianne Ackerman on hole #17. Birdies were had by Jill Wiles, Dianne Ackerman, Colleen Jones and Ruth Holmes.

September 17th and 18th DWGA had their Club Championship. On the 17th we played the Cardinal Course and on the 18th we played the Pine Course. The DWGA Gross Champion is Liz Austin. The DWGA Net Champion is Tiffany Webb. The Championship Flight Gross

winner was Cassandra Godbold and second place was Marta Wald. The Championship Flight Net winner was Amy Swint and second place was Jill Wiles. First Flight Gross winner was Margie James and second place was Colleen Jones. The First Flight Net winner was Bet Bowen and second place was Wendy Bolander. The Second Flight Gross winner was Dianne Ackerman and second place was Brigitte Becker. The Second Flight Net winner was Betsy Lyons and second place was Kim Knight.



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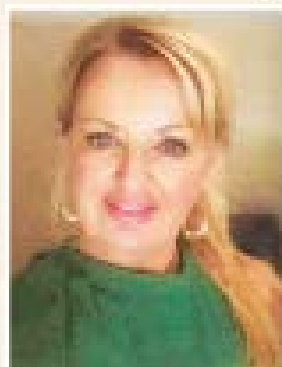


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JAN VEST

They say golf is a lot like having a good time: even when it's bad, it's still pretty good. That spirit carried through September as players teed it up each week, trading shots, stories, and plenty of laughs.

September 3 – ABCD Shamble
The month opened with fireworks in the Shamble format. Dave Wright, John Black, Allan Daniel, and AJ Dilley dominated with a blistering –33, while challengers Joe Wilks, Marc Beddoe, and Joe Doyle posted –29 . Closest-to-Pin winners made it look easy — none more than Marc Beddoe's 4-inch dart on #15, the kind

ABCD - Shamble - Mixed Bag 9/3/2025					
NAME	TEAM	INDIV.	TOTAL	T-SCORE	INDIV-SCORE
Dave Wright		\$20	\$20	-33	
John Black		\$20	\$20	-33	
Allan Daniel		\$20	\$20	-33	
AJ Dilley		\$20	\$20	-33	
Joe Wilks		\$17	\$17	-29	
Marc Beddoe		\$17	\$17	-29	
Joe Doyle		\$17	\$17	-29	
Billy Stroud		\$14	\$14	-27	
Tom Woolbright		\$14	\$14	-27	
Gary Blackwell		\$14	\$14	-27	
Gary Hava		\$14	\$14	-27	
Todd Cobena		\$7	\$7	-25	
Renny Pangan		\$7	\$7	-25	
Tommy Murphy		\$7	\$7	-25	
Leonard Alphonso		\$7	\$7	-25	
Marshall Miller		\$7	\$7	-25	
Paul Yarbrough		\$7	\$7	-25	
Marc Patrick		\$7	\$7	-25	
Joe Murray		\$7	\$7	-25	
Berni Breen		\$7	\$7	-25	
Norman Bowley		\$7	\$7	-25	
Larry Osburn		\$7	\$7	-25	
Michael Zeringue		\$7	\$7	-25	
			\$0		
			\$0		
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			\$271	\$271	
C.T.P.		HOLE	\$		DISTANCE
Renny Pangan	#2	\$20		7'-1"	
Paul Yarbrough	#6	\$20		4'-0"	
Todd Cobena	#13	\$20		8'-3"	
Marc Beddoe	#15	\$20		4'-0"	

PEERS - Points (3 Best Scores) 9/10/2025					
NAME	TEAM	INDIV.	TOTAL	T-SCORE	INDIV-SCORE
Gary Blackwell		\$18	\$18	122	
Larry Osburn		\$18	\$18	122	
Tommy Murphy		\$18	\$18	122	
John Bunce		\$18	\$18	122	
Renny Pangan		\$15	\$15	118	
Darren Rapert		\$15	\$15	118	
Norman Bowley		\$15	\$15	118	
Kevin West		\$15	\$15	118	
Alan Cason		\$13	\$13	117	
Brian Brignac		\$13	\$13	117	
Dennis Laumann		\$13	\$13	117	
Val Miller		\$13	\$13	117	
Billy Stroud		\$11	\$11	115	
George Thibodeaux		\$11	\$11	115	
Berni Breen		\$11	\$11	115	
Michael Gatwood		\$11	\$11	115	
Michael Lindell		\$5	\$5	114	
David Barbato		\$5	\$5	114	
Randy Dake		\$5	\$5	114	
Lee Kormandy		\$5	\$5	114	
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$0		
			\$248	\$253	
C.T.P.		HOLE	\$		DISTANCE
John Black	#4	\$18		0'-10"	
George Thibodeaux	#7	\$18		2'-1"	
Kevin West	#13	\$18		7'-2"	
Berni Breen	#17	\$18		10'-8"	

of shot golfers dream about.
September 10 – PEERS Points
The following week, it was all about points. Gary Blackwell, Larry Osburn, Tommy Murphy, and John Bunce shared the top with 122 each, while Renny Pangan and Darren Rapert held steady at 118 . CTP highlights included John Black's laser to within 10 inches on #4 and George Thibodeaux's near-perfect strike at 2'1" on #7. In total, \$248 in team payouts and \$253 overall made for a lively night at the clubhouse.

September 17 – ABCD Mixed Bag
Mid-month, the competition heated up in the Mixed Bag. John Lee, Neil Ricker, Brian Brignac, and Dennis Laumann each finished strong at –17 . Behind them, teams at –14 kept the pressure on, but Marc Patrick stole the show with a jaw-dropping 7-inch CTP on #6. With \$240 in team payouts, the evening proved once again that the only real handicap in golf is the one between your ears.

September 24 – PEERS Stableford
Closing out the month, Stableford play delivered tight races. Alan Cason, John Bunce, Dennis Laumann, and Brian Brignac all tied atop the leaderboard at 121 points . Billy Stroud and Dave Wright followed close at 118, with Wright carding a tidy 69/61. CTP honors went to Randy Dake, who matched Patrick's ear-

PEERS - STABLEFORD (3 SCORES) 9/24/2025					
NAME	TEAM	INDIV.	TOTAL	T-SCORE	INDIV-SCORE
Alan Cason		\$19	\$19	121	
John Bunce		\$19	\$19	121	
Dennis Laumann		\$19	\$19	121	
Brian Brignac		\$19	\$19	121	
Billy Stroud		\$17	\$17	118	
Dave Wright		\$17	\$17	118	69/61
Berni Breen		\$17	\$17	118	
Renny Pangan		\$14	\$14	115	
Norman Bowley		\$14	\$14	115	
Lee Kormandy		\$14	\$14	115	
Kevin West		\$14	\$14	115	
John Black		\$11	\$11	114	
Joe Doyle		\$11	\$11	114	
Marc Patrick		\$11	\$11	114	
Marc Beddoe		\$11	\$11	114	
George Thibodeaux		\$11	\$11	114	
Josh Palmer		\$11	\$11	114	
Steve Garcia		\$11	\$11	114	
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			\$260	\$265	
C.T.P.		HOLE	\$		DISTANCE
Randy Dake	#2	\$19		0'-7"	
George Thibodeaux	#6	\$19		8'-3"	
Steve Garcia	#13	\$19		11'-0"	
Todd Cobena	#15	\$19		6'-4"	

lier magic with another 7-inch beauty, this time on #2.
From Shamble to Stableford, the stories of September were filled with great swings, close finishes, and moments that reminded everyone why they love the game.
As the clubhouse chatter faded and the scorecards were tucked away, one thing was clear: in golf, much like in life, the best way to measure a good time is not by strokes or scores, but by the laughs shared along the way. After all, golf is just a good walk — improved.

DWGAN
BY SHIRLEY HALTERMAN

By the time you get to read this article we will be well into Fall and hopefully much cooler weather. We

are sure you all had a Spooky Halloween and are busy preparing for Thanksgiving. However, we are still praying that the season's hurricanes stay away from our shores.
On Tuesday, September 18th, we ventured out on the back nine holes of our Pine course (we generally consider these nine holes to be the hardest). We played a team game called Mixed Bag. In this game each gal plays her own game; however, the scoring is as follows: On Par Three holes you use the 3 best scores, on Par Four holes you enter the two best scores and on Par Fives you get to choose the best score of the foursome. Winners are then determined by the Team's Net Score. The winning teams for this event were: 1st Place Team: Judi Brannan, Dinah Knobloch, Anne Payne and Lisa Pretzel-

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lo. They posted a net score of 55. In 2nd Place were Sylvia Corban, Tracey Garriga, Carole Griffin (blind) and Ruth Holmes with a score of 56. And, finally in 3rd Place the team of Carol Griffin, Mary Murray, MaryAnn Stromeyer and Terry Wilks posting a score of 58. As you can see from the scores, our players are closely matched. We also want to note that Janice Murray had a Chip-In on hole #17.

Tuesday, September 23rd, found us again on the Pine Course but this time on the front nine playing Blind Holes. With 28 ladies playing, we were able to award winners in four flights.

During this round, everyone plays their own game and the Pro Shop chooses which holes will count. Flight One winners were: 1st Place - Brigitte Becker, 2nd Place - Marilyn Galus and 3rd Place - Anne Payne. Flight Two winners were: 1st Place - Kim Knight, 2nd Place - Margaret Sherwood, and 3rd Place - Susie Fontenot. Flight Three winners: 1st Place - Pattie Blackwood, 2nd Place - Sylvia Corban, and 3rd Place - Kathie Esher.

When it came to the Fourth Flight Carole Griffin garnered 1st Place while in a scorecard playoff Mary Alice Harfoush came in 2nd while Judy Wright took 3rd Place. Kathie Pierson posted a Birdie on #6 and both Lesa Rapert and Brigitte Becker had Chip-Ins.

We played a Shamble on the front nine of the Cardinal on Tuesday, Sept. 30th. This week 33 of our members came out to play. As you can see better weather brings out more players. It is good to see some faces we have not seen during our extremely warm summer days. Again we were able to give awards to four teams. First Place went to the team of Judith Brannan, Kim Knight and Mary Murray. Second & Third Place teams required a scorecard playoff with Second Place awarded to Kate

Burgoyne, Cathy Gesell and Betsy Lyons while Third Place went to Brigitte Becker, Mary Mizell and Terry Wilks. Fourth Place also required a scorecard playoff that went to the team of Carole Griffin, Nancy Sislow and Mary Ann Stromeyer. Both Kim Knight and Nancy Barker posted Birdies while Mary Murray had a Chip-In. As I keep telling you these players are closely matched.

Each year we turn out to try and Beat the Pro.

This year this event was held on October 7th. One of our Club Pros goes out and plays nine holes and posts his gross score. This year Devere Keller shot a gross 38 on the front of the Pine Course.

Twenty-four gals came out to challenge him. The following 13 managed to beat his score with their net scores.

Judith Brannan, Brigitte Becker, Cathy Gesell, Ruth Holmes, Betsy Lyons, Therese Mauterer, Mary Murray, Anne Payne, Lesa Rapert, Toni Rossol, Nancy Sislow, Mary Ann Stromeyer and Judy Tauzin

We also gave winnings to Three Flights. In Flight One - 1st Place = Betsy Lyons, 2nd Place = Brigitte Becker and 3rd Place = Anne Payne. In Flight Two - 1st Place = Lesa Rapert, 2nd Place = Nancy Sislow and 3rd Place = Janice Murray. In Flight Three -

1st Place = Mary Ann Stromeyer, 2nd Place = Ruth Holmes and 3rd Place = Mary Murray. Congrats to Betsy Lyons who posted a career low score of 43. Mary Murray was excited to post a Birdie on #6.

Keep watching these articles of more news of the golfing adventures of our Diamondhead Nines team members.

DH PICKLEBALL BY KATHRYN LEWIS

Pickleball Players from Diamondhead, Bay St Louis/Waveland, and

the Gulf Coast Pickleball Association join the Hancock Boys and Girls Club to transform the gym into a pickleball court. Volunteers donated paddles and balls and the Association donated the Net and lines.

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**BY ROBIN GAINES,
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The Krewe of Olympus proudly welcomes Danielle Mae Durand as a 2026 debutante. Danielle is the daughter of Christopher and Natasha Durand of Picayune, Mississippi. She is currently a senior at Mississippi State



**Olympus Debutante
Danielle Durand**

University, pursuing a degree in Business Administration with concentrations in Management, Marketing, and Business Law, and will graduate in December 2025. In addition to being a President's Scholar with a 3.9 GPA, Danielle serves as Secretary of the MSU Ducks Unlimited Bulldog

Chapter, supporting wetland conservation and habitat restoration. She is actively involved in weekly Bible studies and discipleship sessions, reflecting her strong faith and commitment to service. This impressive college senior has launched a freelance marketing consult-

ing business, assisting local businesses with improving their social media and on-line presence.

Danielle will be formally introduced on January 24th during the Grand Ball, held in the Emerald Ballroom at The Club at Diamondhead. It will be an unforgettable

evening marking the beginning of a joyful season filled with celebration, tradition, and timeless memories. The krewe is thrilled to watch all their debutantes' step into their new rolls within Olympus. Let the good times roll!

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