



**HAYDEN LAKE**  
COUNTRY CLUB



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**MEET THE 2018 HLCC  
SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

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**NOVEMBER & DECEMBER  
CLUB CALENDARS**

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***First Address from President Thilo***

***Tom Thilo, Club President***

**W**inter Greetings to you all! Thanks to the active membership, the Hayden Lake Country Club has enjoyed a fantastic year! Membership is full, or nearly full, in all categories. Our financial status is sound, and members are increasingly involved in many club activities. The future is promising for continued improvement, especially with establishment of a long range facilities master planning committee and the engagement of interior design expertise from Gregory Carmichael. In the near term, we will rebuild the

dishwasher area in the main clubhouse kitchen and finalize the material selection and bid process to replace the shake roofs of the club buildings. Sadly, the large Douglas fir tree in the parking lot near the southwest corner of the clubhouse (with the unoccupied osprey nest) has died and presents a danger. The board has authorized removal of said tree this winter.

The Board of Directors Annual Retreat is November 14th. In addition to departmental reviews and previews for the year, we will approve

the 2019 Operational and Capital Budgets. Other agenda items include:

- 1.** Review Of The Current Dress Code
- 2.** Trail Fees And Boat Slip Rates
- 3.** Social & Junior Membership Initiation Fees
- 4.** Long Range Facilities Master Plan
- 5.** Establishment Of The HLCC Charitable Foundation, 501(C)3

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# Chatting with the Chief

*Les Hintz, General Manager / Chief Operating Officer*

And just like that, the summer is over, the Halloween monsters have crept back to the attic and Christmas is on the mind and in the air! But, before we fully embrace the most wonderful time of the year, let's reflect back on the 2018 season at the club...

Summer 2018 at HLCC brought packed Kid's Camps, a full and festive Fourth of July, a colorful Bocce League, active ladies golfing leagues and a memorable Men's Member-Guest. Not to mention the fun new events: Cocktails and Canvas, Thirsty Thursdays, and the Palooza: Music and Food Festival... and all our annual member favorites including Friday Night Fights, various buffets, Mughunters and much more! I am grateful the membership was so active in the club this summer, truly making it the place to be! Let's continue this trend throughout the winter months!

The club's financials are in a strong position and will continue that positive trend through the end of the year. We have already booked almost double the amount of weddings for the 2019 year. Membership at the club continues to thrive. All in all, it was a very successful and entirely enjoyable year at HLCC and we can't wait to unveil our plans for the 2019 year! It should be another great one!

Throughout the holiday season, we will have **Traditional Friday & Saturday Dinners** here at the clubhouse. After our Clubhouse New Year's Eve

Dinner, the clubhouse will be closed as we make repairs in the kitchen. We plan to reopen for our special Valentine's Dinner.

The **Red House** will consistently be open for **Lunch from Tuesday through Sunday** and for **Dinner from Sunday through Thursday**. This is not just a sports bar. The Red House is a place to meet friends, to enjoy a warm drink by the fire, to escape the office, to bring the kids during the school holiday, and to start your cross country skiing/snow shoeing adventures. It is the place for our popular winter golf leagues, birthday parties, and, yes, it is the best place to catch your favorite sporting events. We can't wait to welcome you soon to your Red House... Head on over today!

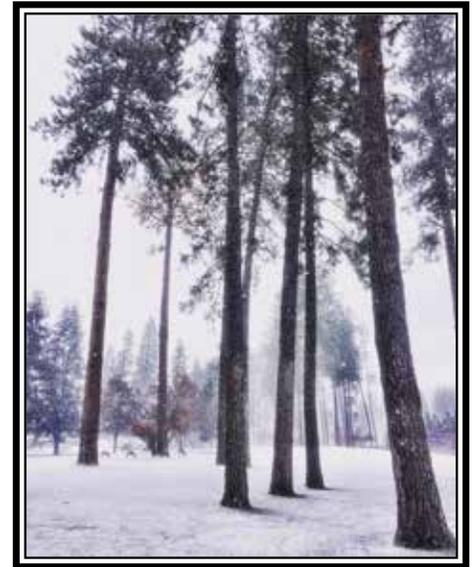
The Christmas holiday is my executive secretary's favorite season at the club (not mine, as I lose a night's sleep or two wondering if I am again on the naughty list). However, I do agree that the clubhouse looks beautiful, warm and inviting, with many fun events for all including:

**Ladies Holiday Luncheon & Artisan Marketplace:**  
*Wednesday, December 5th*

**Family Santa Brunch:**  
*Sunday, December 9th*

**Seafood Buffet:**  
*Saturday, December 22nd*

**New Year's Eve Dinner:**  
*Monday, December 31st*



Yet the Christmas season always seems to go by so fast and then comes the gray mid-winter dullness no one is fond of... To get you through these dreary doldrums, here are a few things to look forward to happening at your club in 2019:

**Zags @ the Red House!**  
*Catch every game while enjoying a great brew & meal!*

**Website Upgrade!**  
*Stay tuned as we upgrade our website!*

**New Roof!**  
*Stay tuned as we plan to reroof the main clubhouse!*

**Summer Kickoff Social:**  
*Wednesday, May 22nd*

**Easter Sunday:**  
*Sunday, April 21st*

**Men's Opening Day:**  
*Saturday, April 27th*

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# First Address from President Thilo (continued from page 1)

**Tom Thilo, Club President**

6. Techniques To Improve Membership Communications
7. Club Web Site And Mobile App
8. Rebuilding Plans
9. Play It Forward Golf Program
10. Red House Utilization Potential

We look forward to a successful meeting and the opportunity to prepare for another great year at this beautiful club.

On a different note, I want to welcome new members to the Hayden Lake Country Club and hope that

you will have a pleasurable experience with the many club activities, facilities and staff. Your Board of Directors has been elected to represent you and all other members in club governance. Your input is appreciated. Numerous committees oversee departments and services and provide opportunities for member involvement. To learn more, ask a current Board Member. Remember you can always send your comments and suggestions to:

[comments@haydenlakeecc.com](mailto:comments@haydenlakeecc.com).

In closing, I'd like to address a common comment concerning the Golf Course Master Plan conceptual drawings and final hole configura-

tions. Our contracted architects are David Kahn and Tim Jackson who submitted drawings that were approved by the membership in 2012. At the time of each hole construction, the architect is on site and supervises hole layout. Often he will see features that he feels are better managed in a fashion different than in the original conceptual drawings. If this is the case, he submits recommendations to the Golf Course Master Planning Committee for final approval. This "architectural license" allows hole reconstruction to be a dynamic process to optimize the final product.

Thank you. Have a great winter!

Join Us for these Holiday Favorites:

<b>Winter Seafood Buffet</b>	<b>New Year's Eve Dinner</b>
<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>Monday,</b>
<b>December 22nd</b>	<b>December 31st</b>

**Reservations: 208-772-3211**

The week before Halloween and we are still playing golf with beautiful weather. The weather looks like it is starting to turn a little more autumn-ish and the Golf Simulators are seeing more play. We will have some rain and cooler temperatures the next couple of weeks. However, the golf course and practice areas will remain open until weather makes it unplayable.

The golf shop will remain open daily until the golf course closes. Once the course closes we will close the golf shop for a week of inventory and cleaning and re-open for holiday sales. We will be open during the Christmas Marketplace selling all your favorite golfing goodies! I will keep you updated by sending

out emails with our golf shop holiday and winter hours.

We had a wonderful 2018 season with tournament participation and regular play. Both our ladies Nine and Eighteen hole divisions had great turnouts all season long. Additionally, the Men's and Ladies' Member Guest Events were well attended and both the Men' and Ladies' Member-Member Events were full. The best news is that our Men's and Ladies' Club Championships saw more participants this season! The First Responders Tournament held in September was bigger than last year and our October Red Tee and Sidehill Scramble events were hugely successful this fall. Thank you to the golf committee for all of

your support and ideas this season!

Total rounds for 2018 were up from 2017, with both member play and guest play. With that being said, we did have some problems with people cutting in other groups so please check into the golf shop before heading out on the course. With lots of play, we also need to make sure that we are all doing our part taking care of the golf course and driving range. This includes sanding divots, repairing ball marks, raking bunkers and practicing golf cart etiquette. If we can continue doing these things, the golf course will continue to be in great shape for all to enjoy.

I hope everyone has a great winter. I am already looking forward to next year on our grand course!

## Chatting with the Chief *(continued from page 2)*

**Les Hintz, General Manager / Chief Operating Officer**



**Griffitts Memorial Tournament:**  
*June 6th – 8th*

**Bocce Sign Ups:**  
*Friday, June 21st*

**Ladies Member-Guest:**  
*July 7th – 9th*

**Men's Member-Guest:**  
*August 1st – 3rd*

**Ladies Member-Member:**  
*August 6th & 7th*

Thank you for making this year and this club so great. Looking forward to what's next at HLCC!

# Golf Course Maintenance Musings

*Jeremiah Farmer, Golf Course Superintendent*

I was recently asked to write a newsletter article that encapsulated the 2018 golf season and also provide a peek into what the membership might expect for the 2019 golf season. With things moving at breakneck speed around here over the past few years (including this one) I must go back over my notes to remember all that's been accomplished over the past year...

This season was very intense for our crew. We were blessed with incredible turf quality coming out of winter this year and it was a good thing because the spring project/tournament line up had no room for turf recovery! We hit the ground running with course cleanup/agronomic practices, Red House landscaping and new cart path prep/construction...

However, considering all of the projects, I would say that this has been our best season yet! The new equipment we received this spring was pivotal in allowing us to provide you with the most consistent and quality course conditioning... Our green speeds remained very consistent throughout the golf season, our fairways retained impressive density/uniformity and thanks to the relief provided by our new native grass areas, our rough mowers were able to mow all 'in-play' course roughs three times per week!

Agronomically, I couldn't be more pleased with this property! Always a slow evolution, developing a stable and buffered soil chemistry and

oxygen filled structure takes significant time and continued effort! Building a plant support system that allows it to store energy, drain and hold the nutrients necessary to withstand all that Mother Nature can throw at it is our ongoing objective...

As we now button up the #7 construction project and head toward winter, we are feverishly cleaning the course and preparing the turf for the coming elements. Once the snow cover comes to stay, our winter watch begins. Arguably the most critical part of the year, keeping a close eye on extreme temperature fluctuations, days of snow cover, melt offs and ice accumulation are critical observations and most importantly, how we react to those conditions can make or break our chances for coming out clean in the spring.

For the 2019 season I would say... Expect continuing course improvement! We have built tremendous positive momentum over the past years and that momentum will continue into the foreseeable future... I have every confidence that our turf will continue to improve in quality, consistency and resiliency. Our new equipment and ever improving processes are yielding ongoing quality and efficiency for course operations and our full time and annually returning staff members ensure that those positive attributes remain constant.



In closing, I will list just a few of the specific projects we have lined up for the 2019 Season:

1. More implementation of the Perimeter Landscape Plan; focused on reducing road noise/exposure and improving landscape continuity throughout the course.
2. Installation of new bunker sand in hole #'s 4, 7 and 18 green side.
3. New Cart Paths! We will be installing all the new path on hole's #7 & 8 in the spring and as many other areas as the budget will allow.
4. Construction of hole #15! Although a final decision has not yet been made, we are hoping that funds will allow us to continue the Long Range Plan momentum by renovating the 15th hole next fall!

While there will undoubtedly be many more projects than what I've listed above, these are a few of the highlights we are looking forward to in the coming year! On behalf of myself and your maintenance staff, we would like to wish everyone a happy and safe holiday season! See you next spring (if not before)!

# 2018-2019 Hayden Lake Scholarship Recipients

Thank you for your contributions!



**Andrea Alsager** (pictured above) is a sophomore at George Fox University. She is currently studying Business Management, but is also considering courses in the dental health field. She has worked in the Food Service Department at the Hayden Lake Country Club since the summer of 2015.

**Fun Fact:** Andrea is currently the Vice President of a swing dance club in Newburg.



**Caitlin Barber**, (pictured above) is a Dean's List sophomore at the University of Idaho, studying Elementary Education with a focus in literacy. This was Caitlin's first season at the club and she was frequently working at the Red House. She is thankful for this scholarship opportunity as she is paying for her education herself.

**Fun Fact:** Caitlin has lived in four states including: Missouri, Illinois, Wisconsin, and Idaho.



**Brittney Devlin** (pictured above) is a 2018 graduate from Lake City High School. She has worked in the Food Service Department at the club for two seasons. She hopes to complete her Associate's Degree at North Idaho College this next year and then continue on to earn her Bachelors in Marketing or Finance.

**Fun Fact:** Brittney has ridden horses since she was five years old. She won her first equestrian trophy when she was six (Best Young Rider) and is always happy to be around horses.

**Tyber Dodson** (not pictured) is a junior at the University of Idaho. He is studying Business Marketing/Advertising and Entrepreneurship. He is the Treasurer of his fraternity in Moscow and an active member of the Vandal marketing club. He has worked in the Food Service Department at the club since the spring of 2016 and hopes to one day become a Medical Device Sales Representative in the greater Seattle area.



**Zachary Magee** (pictured above) has worked as a lifeguard and also a substitute busser at the club for two full seasons. He is a sophomore at Northwest Nazarene University and is very active in the track and field program at the university. He is currently pursuing a degree in mechanical engineering.

**Fun Fact:** at 5'11" Zachary is the tallest in his family...for the last three generations!



**Ginger Wright** (pictured above) has worked in the Food Service Department and at the Clubhouse Front Desk since the spring of 2016. She is working towards her Associates Degree from North Idaho College. Ginger hopes to study law and become a Paralegal. She is greatly enjoying her current law classes and working hard to further her law education.

# What's On Tap with Dining & Events

Ron Ball, Katie Jimenez, & Sydney Haney

What an incredibly wonderful fall season! We have enjoyed many sunny days and the classic, crisp, cool evenings. I can't tell you how many times I just had to stop in my tracks, whether driving onto the club grounds or walking through the clubhouse and dining room... and think, "Wow! The ever-changing color pallet of the season is beautiful here at Hayden Lake!"

The transition to more dining hours at the Red House was well received. We are keeping busy with baseball, football and (coming soon) basketball games, not to mention our golf leagues on the simulators.

## Dining Hours:

### Red House:

Lunch will continue to be served Tuesday through Sunday from 11:00 am until 2:00 pm.

Dinner service continues Sunday through Thursday from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm. Come in and try the new Lunch and Dinner Menus!

### Clubhouse Dining:

Traditional Friday & Saturday Dinner Service from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm featuring our Harvest Menu

In October, the Food & Beverage team were able to attend a manager's conference held in Walla Walla! Needless to say, we also went wine tasting and enjoyed touring some of the finest wineries in Washington! From Bookwalter, Figgins & Leonetti to Long Shadows, Va Piano and Woodward Canyon! We even had a chance to say hello to our own Blake Hintz at Saviah and help with

the punch downs! So, with wine on the mind, we are excited to host the **Cellar Auction and Dinner** on Saturday, November 10th featuring:

1. Over 30 "Lots" for a Silent Auction format
2. Special Wine Tastings with case purchase options
3. Special Dining Menu: A four course Chef's dinner!
4. And special prices on the entire clubhouse wine menu

Stay up to date with this and more great events by subscribing to our emails or downloading our free app!

Make reservations now:

**Annual Lobster Dinner**  
*Saturday, November 24th*

**Holiday Artisan Marketplace:**  
*Wednesday, December 5th*

**Family Santa Brunch:**  
*Sunday, December 9th*

**Seafood Buffet:**  
*Saturday, December 22nd*

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*Reminder: The Clubhouse will be closed in January and February for repairs... Progress Reports and Updated Schedules posted as construction progresses!*

# ***Welcome to Winter at your Hayden Lake Country Club!***



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*Download the free App on your device's marketplace for current events, dining hours, menus, tee times, etc.*

## ***Club Staff***

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Les Hintz, General Manager/COO  
Matt Bunn, Director of Golf  
Brad Ebberson, Head Golf Professional  
Jeremiah Farmer, Grounds/Greens Superintendent  
Zac Matthews, Tennis Professional  
Michael Beaver, Maintenance  
Brett Fontana, Executive Chef  
Ron Ball, Clubhouse Manager  
Katie Jimenez, Assist. Clubhouse Manager  
Sydney Schatz, Banquets & Events Manager  
Gaylon Benté, Controller  
Karen Robison, Membership Director/Exec. Secretary  
Kim Roth, Accounting Assistant  
Lori Hintz, Dining/Hotel Reservations

## ***Officers***

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Thomas Thilo, Club President  
Daniel Baker, Vice President  
Susan Engebretson, Secretary  
Michael Chapman, Treasurer

## ***Directors***

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Jeff Anderson  
Jack Beebe  
Colleen Denning  
Matthew Lyman  
Rusty Robnett

## ***Current Dining Hours***

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### ***Clubhouse***

Dinner:  
Friday & Saturday: 5:00 pm

### ***Red House***

Lunch: Tuesday - Sunday: 11:00 am  
Dinner: Sunday - Thursday: 5:00 pm

# November 2018

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### Clubhouse

### Dinner

Friday & Saturday  
5:00 pm

### **Red House**

### **Lunch:**

Tuesday - Sunday  
11:00 am

### **Dinner**

Sunday - Thursday  
5:00 pm

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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4 <i>Daylight Savings</i>	5	6 <i>Election Day</i>	7	8	9	10 <b>Wine Auction &amp; Cellar Clear Out</b>
11 <i>Veterans Day</i>	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	Office Closed	20	21	22 <i>Thanksgiving No Services</i>	23	24 <b>Lobster Night</b>
25	26	27	28	Office Closed	Office Closed	
				29	30	

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# December 2018

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### Clubhouse

#### Dinner

Friday & Saturday

5:00 pm

### **Red House**

#### Lunch:

Tuesday - Sunday

11:00 am

#### Dinner

Sunday - Thursday

5:00 pm

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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2	3	4	5 Christmas Marketplace and Lunch	6 St. Nicholas Day Small Company Christmas Party	7 Pearl Harbor Day	8
9 Brunch with Santa	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 Winter Seafood Buffet
23	24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day No Services	26	27	28	29
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	New Year's Eve Dinner					
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**HAYDEN LAKE COUNTRY CLUB  
2018 MEMBERSHIP ROSTER  
PUBLICATION UPDATE**

**THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE BELOW WILL BE PUBLISHED IN  
THE HLCC MEMBERSHIP ROSTER UPDATE**

<b>MEMBER #</b> _____ <b>MEMBER NAME</b> <b>SPOUSE NAME</b>	_____ _____ _____
<b>SUMMER ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER</b>	_____ _____ _____
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