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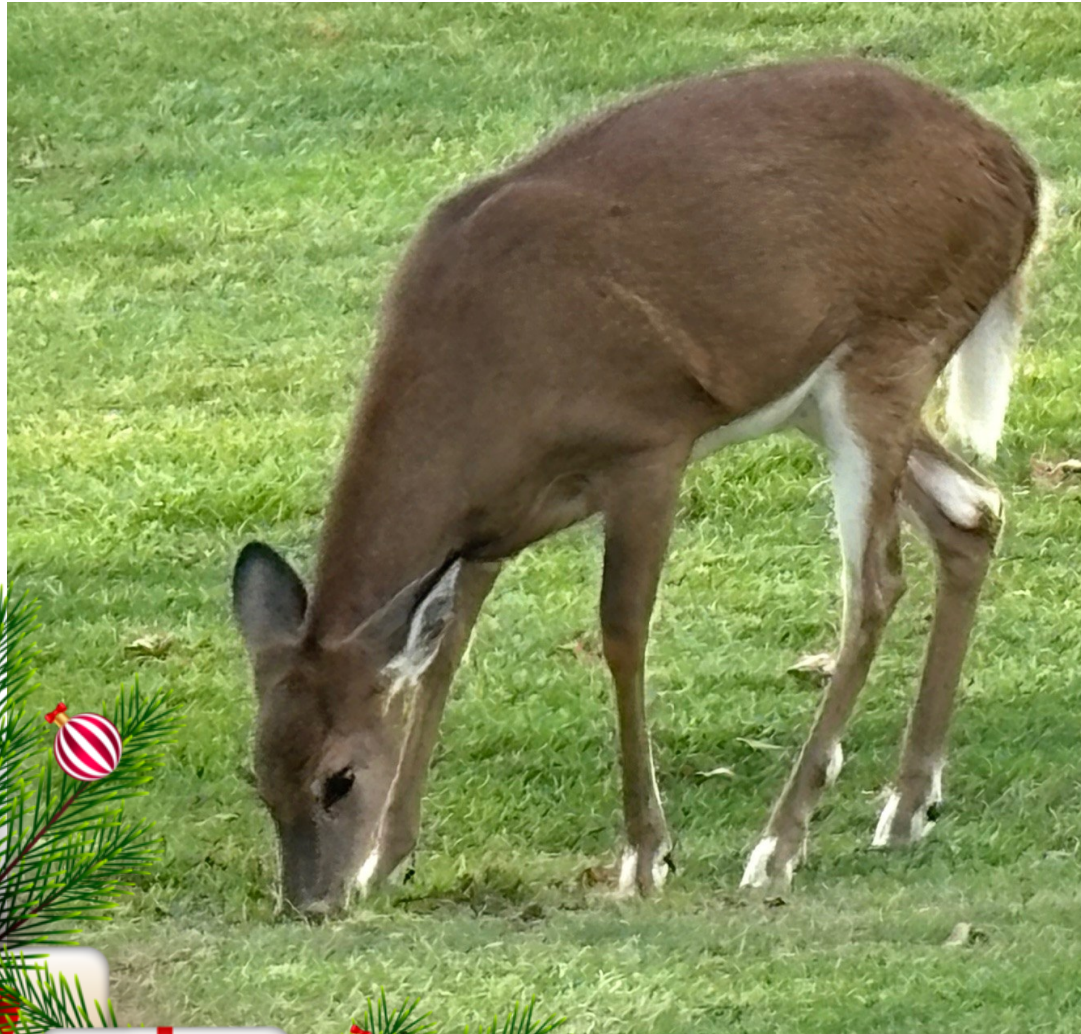
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**And a
Happy
New
Year!**

**White Socks would
love to wish everyone a
very Merry Christmas!!**



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Curt's Corner

Curt Corey,

General Manager & Pro:

As the beauty of Autumn fades into Winter, and we reflect on all that we are thankful for, we want to place the staff of **Rock Harbor Golf Course** at the top of the list. The dedication and hard work they exhibit each day is truly exceptional. Next time you visit, take a moment to thank not only the friendly faces you see at the Pro Shop and Grill, but also those working behind the scenes. It's because of their tireless efforts that **Rock Harbor Golf Course** is the place we've all come to love. Without them, it wouldn't be what it is today.

I personally would like to reach out and send a thank you to our staff as well:

To each and every one,

From day one, your enthusiasm and commitment have made a real difference at **Rock Harbor Golf Course**. You consistently go above and beyond, setting an example for your colleagues and helping us achieve our goals. We are grateful for everything you've done to make this year a success. Have a fantastic Thanksgiving and know that you are truly appreciated!

Members, remember that we have some great Clearance Sales going on this month, and new items arriving daily. Stop by and get that special someone the items that they have had their eyes on all year. A new set of irons, shoes, a new driver, golf balls and/or a Gift Certificate for a series of golf lessons would all make fantastic gifts for the golfer in your life. Remember though, they must look good while playing with that new equipment! Check out all the new outerwear pieces from FootJoy and Puma, in our Pro Shop. I hope to see all of you at our Christmas party coming up on December 11... so put it on your calendar!

Have a wonderful Holiday Season!

Fresh From The Grill

Beau Rudiger,
RH Grill Manager:

The month of November has flown by, I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving! It's been one of the busiest *Thanksgiving Without Cooking* I've ever had here. So, December is here and with that we have the *Member Christmas Social* which will be on December 11th this year. While we're talking about Christmas parties, I still have a few dates left for a business, or large family event, to be hosted by the

club. Call me, or stop by, to see the options we offer this year for a Holiday get together.

On that note, we will be offering *Christmas Without Cooking* also, that email will be posted in the first week of December and will have a pickup date of the 23rd or 24th of December. We will be closed on Christmas day. We hope to see everyone out for the *Member Christmas Party*, we



will be posting times shortly on the Christmas party announcement.

That's pretty much all I have for December, keep posted on upcoming events and parties by keeping up with our emails and Facebook.

Rock Harbor 2024 League Winners

Geezer League: Jeff Davis & Denny Perry

Jurassic League: Mike Oates & Skip Harkness

Powder Puff League: Becky Wisecarver & Roger Hill

Blue Thunder League: Hunter Shrout & Zach Dantzler

Titans League: Bryce Moore & Randy Pownall

Congratulations to this years League Winners and a big thank you to everyone who participated!!

The Green

Chris Dieter, Course Superintendent:

The first snow of the season has finally come; with the cold temperatures we definitely are seeing less golfers. The fall weather makes the deer fall in love and they tend to run across the greens more vigorously, leaving deeper imprints. Feel free to



repair some of these, pictured right, while you are repairing your ball marks.

To answer the question what happened on Boulder #6 Green, pictured left, one of our blowers sprung a gas leak, while on the green. Thanks to Joe Basile's quick cleanup, the damage was minimized. The area has been seeded and hopefully we won't have to sod.



We have tackled a couple extra projects this month: Improvements were made to Rock # 18. The area below the waste bunker has been mounded, pictured left, and seeded. This will definitely eliminate strong

bounces off of the hard pan that was there. The low area in the bottom of 18 Rock, pictured right, has been regraded to eliminate the standing water off the cart path. On Boulder #7, we regraded the area between the two bunker walls, so it is easier to walk down to the green. Please, try to stay out of these areas as seed grows and sod heals. The bunker on Boulder #13 is almost



complete, as well as several other bunkers on Rock #1. Winter equipment projects have also started with complete renovation of several mowers. Pictured left, we've begun stripping them down to the bare bones to breathe new life into them.

From all the Maintenance Crew, Happy Holidays to all of our Members and Guests, and thank you for the opportunity to take care of your golf course for another year!