

THE ORCC GRAPEVINE



Oak Ridge, Tennessee

December 2010

GREETINGS FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

Scott Krahl

My family and I had the opportunity to have Thanks Giving in Memphis with extended family. My Mom and Sister prepared a feast for twenty-two. We had a great visit. I hope all of you enjoyed your Thanks Giving as well.



Our Daily Trial Membership program has come to an end. During this three month period, over 800 area golfers participated and experienced what it's like to be a member at ORCC. We are contacting these participants with an invitation and information on how to join our Club.

And speaking of membership opportunities, recently our Membership Committee has developed a plan called Membership Momentum – A New Direction for 2011. Please read the article in this newsletter and see how our current members can be rewarded.

The Pro Shop is gearing up for the biggest sale of the year. Beginning Friday, December 3rd until December 31st, almost every item in the pro shop will go on sale! If you haven't redeemed your pro shop credits (credits will expire Dec 31st), now is the time to do so. Or if you haven't finished your Christmas shopping, come and take a look at our great deals. See more details of the pro shop sale in this newsletter.

I remember this time last year. Scott Stallings was participating in the PGA Tour Qualifying Tournament. After having a successful season (finishing 53rd) on the 2010 Nationwide Tour, Scott is back in the Final Stage of the PGA Tour Qualifying Tournament. The event will be televised on December 4th, 5th and 6th (The Golf Channel). We wish Scott the best! He is a great ambassador of ORCC.

We are winding down another year at ORCC - which I have thoroughly enjoyed. Hopefully we will have frequent spurts of good weather this winter. I want to wish our Membership a Merry Christmas and a safe, Happy New Year!

Annual Membership Meeting

January 20, 2011

6:30 Meeting

5:30 Appetizers

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO
ORCC EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**

Donnie Tate

**Members: Please make suggestions for
Employee of the Month to Scott**



**From The First Tee
Keys Fillauer, President ORCC**

My family and I are truly blessed. Our grateful appreciation goes out to all of you who called, sent cards and flowers, asked about and kept Melanie in your prayers as she recovers from her auto accident. It will take some time, but she will continue to heal and return to good health.

On your last bill, you were given the opportunity to make a contribution to a fund that will be used for a Christmas bonus for our staff. I take full responsibility for any misunderstanding or problems you had. I made the decision to give the members this opportunity. In hindsight, the e-mail and the newsletter should have been received before your bill. The Board has taken action to correct this problem in the future and the Board will establish the method of giving this bonus to our staff and report this to the membership. To all of you, who made this contribution, thank you. We have a very hard working staff and this additional money will brighten their Christmas.

As we move into the holiday season, we have conversations about being thankful, helping others, setting resolutions and enjoying the blessings of the season. This year I encourage all of us to make the season year round and adapt to these principles every day. To say the least, this year has been a very eventful year at ORCC. As your Board President there are many things I am thankful for at ORCC. I find myself always making a list,

Merry
Christmas
&
Happy
New Year!

as evident in many other of these columns. I am thankful for:

1. A Course Superintendent and General Manager who work extremely hard to make ORCC successful.
2. A Board of Directors that worked through some very difficult times and many disagreements but with a common purpose of making ORCC a club our members would be proud of.
3. Members who care so much about ORCC
4. New friends I have made this year and old friends whose friendship continues to grow.
5. A golf course that has beauty, character, challenges and rewards.
6. Staff members who care.
7. A group that I golf with that sets money aside during the year to buy presents at Christmas for children that might not have Christmas.
8. Knowing someone with great courage and determination....Mike Elliott

May we all count our blessings each day and take the opportunity to tell someone thank you or you love them.

Until the next shot.....

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our biggest sale of the
year!**

Membership Committee

Keith Newport, Stone Mitchell, Scott Krahl and Buck Jones
(Could you use and extra \$900 next year??)

The Membership Committee encourages members to consider getting involved with Membership Momentum – A New Direction for 2011. The program is designed to bolster our membership and provide a benefit to members who recruit a new member. Basically the program provides a \$75 reduction in monthly dues for a current member who recruits a new member AND for the new member. Details are available at oakridgecountryclub.org or call Scott Krahl at 482-2436

Do not miss the opportunity to purchase all of your favorite golf apparel at a discounted price.

Beginning **Friday, December 3rd**, all apparel, headwear, shoes and equipment will be discounted.

Mens Apparel – 40% Off

Retail Price

Ladies Apparel – 50% Off

Retail Price

Headwear (caps & visors)- **\$13 each**

Titleist Pro V1 Golf Balls - \$39.99 per dozen

All Shoes, Golf Bags and Golf Clubs – 30% Off Retail Price

***Select Clubs and Shoes will be available at Cost**



[Lesson Gift Packages Available](#)

Need help with your golf swing, your short game or your putting? Let PGA Pro Scott Krahl help you. Scott has over

23 years experience and is a Life Member in the PGA of America. Lesson packages are available during the holiday season – **Buy three lessons for \$120 and get the fourth lesson free.** Certificates are available in the pro shop. For more information, call Scott at 482-2436.



Men's Winter League

Sign up NOW in the pro-shop for the 2010 / 2011 Men's Winter League


Most Improved Golfers

The Most Improved Golfer Award is recognized by the Tennessee Golf Association at the end of each year. The award is presented to both men and women of TGA member clubs who improve their golf handicaps by the greatest margin as compared to other ORCC members. Congratulations to:

Edwena Crowe and Jim Gardner

Edwena and Jim will be receiving a certificate from the Tennessee Golf Association.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	2 <i>Anderson Country Dental Dinner</i>	3 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	4 <i>19th-Hole 6:30—5:30</i>
5 <i>19th-Hole 7—5:30</i>	6 <i>CLOSED</i>	7 <i>CLOSED</i>	8 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	9 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	10 <i>Nanophase Tech Christmas Party</i>	11 <i>PhiloTechnics Christmas Party</i>
12 <i>19th-Hole 7—5:30</i>	13 <i>Board of Directors Meeting 5:30</i>	14 <i>Staff Christmas Party 3:00 CLOSED</i>	15 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	16 <i>Dew Sweepers Christmas Party</i>	17 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	18 <i>19th-Hole 6:30—5:30</i>
19 <i>19th-Hole 7—5:30</i>	20 <i>CLOSED</i>	21 <i>CLOSED</i>	22 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	23 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	24 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	25  <i>Course Closed</i>
26 <i>19th-Hole 7—5:30</i>	27 <i>CLOSED</i>	28 <i>CLOSED</i>	29 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	30 <i>19th-Hole 10—5:30</i>	31	