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## August 30, 2023 News Bulletin

### In & Around DCC



The **DCC Senior Club Championship** took place August 23rd and 24th. Join us in congratulating this year's Champions:

**Low Gross, Men: Don Sutherland** (runner-up: Rod Armstrong)

**Low Gross, Ladies: Lynn Palmer** (runner-up: Barb Therrien)

**Low Net, Overall: Don Sutherland** (runners-up: Lynn Palmer and Duncan Campbell)



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DCC's newest mixed doubles tournament, **The Pines**, concluded on August 27th with our inaugural champs winning 2-up:

**The Pines Winners: Diane Hislop & Paul Logothetis** (runners-up: Kate Tindale & Chris Jackson)

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The 10th edition of the **Pray & Play Tournament** will be held on **Sunday September 17**.

The day begins with a service at **St. Paul's Church at 9:30AM**, followed by a shotgun start at **DCC at 10:50 AM**. The church service will be conducted by Vicar General of the Anglican Diocese of Montréal, Robert Camara. Last year's trophy, won by **Lois and Jim Finch** and their grandchildren, **Theodore** and **Nicholas**, will be awarded at the end of the service.

To register your foursome (\$30 per player to the benefit of St. Paul's) please email [Rob Percy](#) or [June Parker](#). Ten foursomes are available. IGA Lachute will again sponsor the BBQ following golf at DCC, and all members are welcome.

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DCC has been formally invited by the **Royal Montreal Golf Club** to marshal the 14th hole at next year's **President Cup**, and we've happily accepted. The response to volunteer from our Dunany members has been excellent!

Those of you who have volunteered for our Dunany team should review the following important information:

- Tournament Week is September 23 to 29, 2024
- You will have preferential parking when volunteering
- You will have access to the entire property when not working
- You will have to work a minimum of three shifts
- There will be two practice rounds and four days of competition
- You will be provided with a food voucher when working
- The cost per volunteer will be approximately \$270. The kit will include: 2 polo shirts, jacket, hat, bag, commemorative pin, volunteer party invitation, access to additional discount apparel as well as parking and food vouchers. The volunteer package has a \$1,500 value.
- The official volunteer registration process will occur in mid- to late-October via a link to "PGA Tour - President's Cup 2024 Volunteer Registration".

If you'd like to sign-up, it's not too late! Just email [Don Armstrong](#), and keep an eye out for more details in future News Bulletins — see you on RMGC's 14th hole!

## On the Course

If you'd like to express your gratitude to our **Greens Crew** for their excellent work this season, feel free to contribute to the tip jar at the Clubhouse Bar. Or, if it's more convenient, you can charge a gratuity to your DCC account; just ask your friendly bartender!

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There's less than a week left to sign-up for the **3-Club Tournament**, hosted by **Jim Cameron**! This popular late-season staple of the golf calendar takes place Thursday, September 7, with a shotgun start at 10:30AM. [Click here](#) to reserve your spot before September 5!

And speaking of greens, it's that time of year — our course's putting surfaces are being aerated. Although the effects can make late-season putting somewhat challenging, there are many reasons why this process is critical, every year. Read more about it [here](#).

## From the Ladies Branch

Please note that the time for the **Ladies Branch Closing Meeting on September 17th has been changed to 3:00PM**, as the annual Pray & Play Tournament takes place earlier that day. We hope to see many of you at the Clubhouse; the meeting will also be available via Zoom.

Conveners have now been confirmed for all our traditional events taking place during the 2024 season, with one major exception: the Quilt design and development has yet to be claimed. This is a major fund raiser for the Club and is an historic and creative venture which involves the handiwork and camaraderie of a great many members. Several past Quilt Conveners would be happy to provide guidance to anyone who wishes to take on this wonderful task. Please feel free to contact [Jean MacGibbon](#) to express your interest.

## The Social Schedule

### Double-Header!

### A Special 5 à 7, followed by Trivia Night!

DCC Clubhouse

Friday September 1st

5PM to 7PM

Trivia starts at 7:00 PM

Join us at this special 5 à 7 to honour three volunteers whose contributions have brought us joy, entertainment, and community when we needed it most.

**Laurie Lincoln** and **Rob Ryan** have been volunteer managers of the our Clubhouse Bar for the last three years. Through a pandemic, rising interest rates, and increasingly rainy weather, Laurie and Rob never shrank from the tasks at hand — for your comfort. From wrangling the volunteer bartender team to giving blushing brides their courage; from miserly Costco runs to knowing that you prefer three cubes to four, Laurie and Rob helped build what's become a lynchpin of our community, and made they it hum.

It's also time to celebrate **Dianne Burk**, as her tenure as Social Director of Dunany Country Club comes to an end. Key to our capital fundraising effort around the DCC Centennial, Dianne also delivered extraordinary and unforgettable social experiences that you didn't even know you wanted, but you're sure glad she conjured.

Come have a drink with these three extraordinary volunteers, who've truly gone above and beyond for DCC's membership. **Angela's Cuisine** will be on-hand to serve delicious pulled-pork sandwiches from 6 to 7PM; [reserve yours now!](#)



Then, at 7PM, you'll sit with your team as our master quizzers, **Dave & Lorraine**, will strain your brain in this (sort of) friendly **DCC Trivia Night!** All ages welcome, fun for everyone. Maximum 6 persons per team. [Sign up now!](#) (Or, sign up at the door.)

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## Ross Leslie Memorial Prize Giving & Corn Boil

DCC Clubhouse  
Saturday September 2nd at 4:00 PM

Join us for our annual celebration of all this season's DCC golf-related achievements! The whole family will enjoy the classic corn boil, along with BBQ burgers & hotdogs that follows the awards ceremony. Oh, and if you haven't yet volunteered at an event this summer, now is your chance!

Please [sign up here](#)

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