

MARCH 2024

INDIAN LAKE ESTATES NEWSLETTER

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Springtime in Indian Lake Estates is here and with it comes warmer days, bluer skies, and lots of sunshine. It's definitely time to get outdoors and enjoy all your favorite activities. Golf? Better reserve a Tee Time they are getting harder to get with all the play the course is seeing. February saw record breaking revenue. Along with residents more and more outside groups are coming to play here. Robin Sampson and her pro shop staff are working hard to meet the increased demand. It is true testament to all that the effort by Danny Lunceford and his golf course staff have made Indian Lake Estates the "Place to Play".

Want to enjoy a relaxing Sunday Morning Breakfast lakeside stop by the Pavilion March 10th and 24th. The Yacht Club is serving a full complement of breakfast favorites. Join friends for a game of pickleball at the clubhouse tennis court. We are looking at installing a lightweight wind screen as the old screen is heavy and stressing the newly installed fencing. Take a walk on the pier or enjoy a day of fishing. The bass are biting, and the crappie fishing should start picking up.

For those who would rather spend time indoors there are many activities on our monthly schedule available on our website, Facebook Page, or highlighted on bulletin boards at the Gate or in the clubhouse lobby. Karaoke with DJ Erica is March 1st and 22nd. Want to enjoy some great country music and line dancing The Straight Shooter Band is performing March 13th and 27th at 7pm.

The Board of Directors continues to work on improvements. The parking lot lighting has been repaired and lighting should no longer be a problem. A new security fence and gate has been installed at the Marina. The game room is having acoustic sound panels installed to improve sound quality.

February 15th at the membership meeting the Board of Director election took place. I want to take this opportunity to welcome Rebecca Watson to the Board and look forward to working with her. Also, Juan Lopez and Rod Raner were elected to serve 3-year terms. Kali Beauchamp was elected to fill the special 1-year term. As a Board I fully expect to continue the progress that was made in 2023 improving our community and all its amenities. I want to thank Mike Carroll for his contributions to the Board. Mike is moving from Indian Lake Estates to River Ranch. I'm sure he will be back for a visit now and then. I also want to thank the Wright Family for their generosity in donating an access ramp for the pavilion.

In closing once again I encourage everyone to get out and enjoy the Spring weather. This is a great place to work, live and play. Hope to see you around.

Al Oliveri
President Board of Directors

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Rebecca Watson - Director
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2024 ILE Board & General Meeting Dates, Times and Posted By

Type of Meeting	Dates	Posted By
Board Meeting	January 25, 2024, 6 p.m.	January 18
Board Meeting	February 22, 2024, 6 p.m.	February 15
General Meeting	February 15, 2024, 7 p.m.	January 14
Board Meeting	March 28, 2024, 6 p.m.	March 21
General Meeting	April 18, 2024, 7 p.m.	March 17
Board Meeting	April 25, 2024, 6 p.m.	April 18
Board Meeting	May 23, 2024, 6 p.m.	May 16
Board Meeting	June 27, 2024, 6 p.m.	June 20
Board Meeting	July 25, 2024, 6 p.m.	July 18
Board Meeting	August 22, 2024, 6 p.m.	August 15
Board Meeting	September 26, 2024, 6 p.m.	September 19
General Meeting	October 17, 2024, 7 p.m.	September 16
Board Meeting	October 24, 2024, 6 p.m.	October 17
Budget Presentation	November 7, 2024, 7 p.m.	November 1
Candidate Dead line	November 19, 2024, 4 p.m.	October 28
Board Meeting	November 21, 2024, 6 p.m.	November 14
Candidates Night	December 5, 2024, 7 p.m.	November 21
Annual/Election	December 12, 2024, 7 p.m.	October 28
Reorganization Mtg	December 17, 2024, 10 a.m.	
Board Meeting	December 19, 2024, 6 p.m.	December 12

Approved by the Board of Directors
AGENDA POSTING REGULAR MEETING 7 DAYS PRIOR TO MEETING DATE
GENERAL MEETING 30 DAYS PRIOR TO MEETING DATE
SPECIAL MEETING 48 HOURS



ILE Website:

www.indianlakeestatesinc.com

ILE ADMINISTRATION

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Community News**

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Indian Lake Estates, Inc.

P.O. Box 7395

Indian Lake Estates, FL 33855-7395

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Newsletter Submissions

**News articles must be submitted to the Business
Office no later than the 20th of each month.**

adminasst@ilefl.com

**Please keep your article brief and to the point, no
longer than 350 words. Please include your name and
phone number. ILE reserves the right to edit or decide
which articles will be placed in the ILE Newsletter. For
more information, please call the business office at
(863) 692-1433.**

ILE SECURITY INFORMATION



Emergency Call: 911
Polk County Sheriff's Office: 863-298-6200
Polk County Animal Control: 863-499-2600

For Owners/Guests to operate gate: (Prior to use, resident must contact office and have their phone number added to the security program) Scroll to your name. Key in the four digit code. Phone will ring, answer, dial 9 then hang up.

If you are going out of town and would like your house watched, please fill out a CAP form in the office. (Polk County Sheriffs/Citizen's Assisted Patrol.) CAPS is currently in need of volunteers, if interested, applications are available in the office.

*Please note, if you have any police emergency such as theft or burglary, you must contact the Sheriff's office directly and file a report.

ILE Volunteer Opportunities
Community Clubs & Activities
Please check before trying to attend

- Hand & Foot Cards - Tuesdays - 12 PM
- Euchre - Tuesdays - Terrace Room - 7 PM
- Men's Golf- Wednesdays - Golf Conference - 8:30 AM
- Bridge- Wednesdays - Terrace Room - 9:30 AM
- Mahjong- Wednesdays - Library - 1 PM
- Ladies Golf - Thursdays - Golf Conference - 8:30 AM
- Art Class - Thursdays- Terrace Room - 1 PM

For info: Lois (863) 514-3901 or Marcia (518) 366-0882

- Yacht Club Meeting- 2nd Thursday each month - 6 PM
- Dominoes - Fridays - 12 PM
- Citizens Assisted Patrol (CAP)- **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

For info: Gale Nitz 407-729-7816



ILE Utilities

Office: (863) 692-2600

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Water Plant Operator: (863) 232-7563

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2024 ILE UTILITIES CALENDAR

JANUARY 3, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
JANUARY 17, 2024	10AM	SPECIAL MEETING / ELECTIONS
FEBRUARY 7, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
MARCH 6, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
APRIL 3, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
MAY 1, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
JUNE 5, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
JULY 3, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
AUGUST 7, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
SEPTEMBER 4, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
OCTOBER 2, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
NOVEMBER 6, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
DECEMBER 4, 2024	10AM	BOARD MEETING
DECEMBER 11, 2024	10AM	ANNUAL MEETING / ELECTIONS

The times may be changed to accommodate Board Members who are working. Special meetings may be called to address business concerns out of the ordinary.



MARCH 31ST FROM 11AM TO 3PM

SUNDAY EASTER Brunch



Drinks \$3

- Coffee
- Lemonade or Strawberry Lemonade
- Orange juice

Menu

Eggs at your choice (omelet or scrambled)
choose bacon or ham with toast or fries
\$8

French Toast \$6

Pancakes \$6



863-692-2116
19th Hole Bar & Grill



MONDAY	11:00AM-9:00PM
TUESDAY	11:00AM-9:00PM
WEDNESDAY	11:00AM-9:00PM
THURSDAY	11:00AM-9:00PM
FRIDAY	11:00AM-12:00AM
SATURDAY	11:00AM-10:00PM
SUNDAY	11:00AM-9:00PM

KITCHEN IS OPEN UNTIL 9:00 PM EVERY NIGHT
EXCEPT FRIDAY NIGHTS KITCHEN CLOSSES AT
10:00 PM

Call for Take-Out
863-692-2116

19th Hole Bar & Grill

WING NIGHT

Every Wed & Fri Night

12 WINGS \$13.00 ~ 24 WINGS \$25.00

7510 Red Grange Blvd, Indian Lake Estates
863-692-2116

March 17th 2024

St. Patrick's Day

Special Menu

CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE

Happy Hour

GREEN BEER
LUCKY DRINK

we will have entertainment from 4pm to 8pm

come and enjoy with us

19TH HOLE BAR & GRILL

SATURDAY 16 MARCH, 2024



2 SPECIAL COMEDIANS

**LOTS OF LAUGHTER
DINNER & HAPPY HOUR**

SHOW STARTS **8:30 PM** AT THE BALLROOM

\$40 ENTRY TICKET INCLUDE THE SHOW & DINNER
PURCHASE TICKET WITH US



Indian Lake Estates, Inc.

Tel: 863-692-1433

March 21st 2024
Painting club present
ART EXHIBITION SHOW
Indian Lake Estate Dining Room
1:00PM TO 4:00PM
See you there!
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7510 RED ORANGE BLVD • INDIAN LAKE ESTATES
19TH HOLE BAR & GRILL

March 6TH **6PM-9PM**

FREE EVENT

RedHotRooster

1st & 22nd MARCH

Karaoke
FRIDAY
Night
DJ ERICA

7 pm - 11 pm

HAPPY HOUR ALL NIGH
19TH HOLE BAR AND GRILL

HAPPINESS

COUNTRY Music Night



FREE WEDNESDAY - Mar. 13
7 - 9 pm Ballroom
The Straight Shooter Band

7510 Red Grange Blvd, Indian Lake Estates, FL 33855

19th Hole Bar & Grill - Open

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COUNTRY Music Night



FREE WEDNESDAY - Mar. 27
7 - 9 pm Ballroom
The Straight Shooter Band

7510 Red Grange Blvd, Indian Lake Estates, FL 33855

19th Hole Bar & Grill - Open

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COUNTRY Line Dance Classes

Starts
Wed.
Jan. 10



\$10. Includes 4 Weeks of Classes

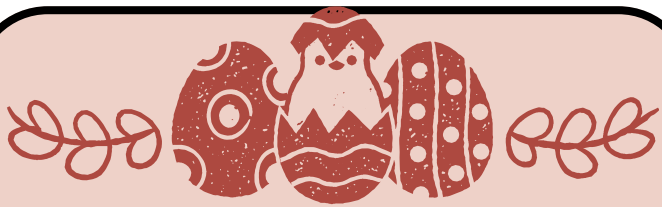
Every Wed. 10 - 11 am Ballroom

Reserve your space, Call or Text "Line Dance Lyn" - 561-385-5800

Pay Lyn - Jan. 10 at first class

Indian Lake Estates





ILE ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT

**MARCH 30, 2024
(TENTATIVE DATE)**

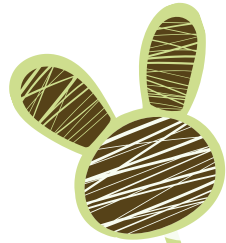
**MORE INFORMATION COMING
SOON**



Daylight Saving Time Starts

March 10, 2024

Remember to set your clocks **ahead** one hour Saturday night or Sunday morning the weekend of March 11.



JOIN US FOR

BINGO

**SUNDAY
March
10TH & 24TH**

STARTS AT NOON

DOORS OPEN AT 11AM

\$1 SNACK BAR IS OPEN. MUST BE 18 OR OLDER. MINIMUM TO PLAY IS \$10
7510 RED GRANGE BLVD, INDIAN LAKE ESTATES



**SATURDAY, MARCH 30TH
8AM – NOON**

REGISTRATION: MARCH 11TH – 25TH

TEXT BETTY WARD AT (941) 916-1138 TO HAVE YOUR ADDRESS ADDED TO THE YARD SALE MAP.

DURING THESE DATES ONLY



Are you hungry?

**Breakfast is served!
March 10th
March 24th**

Lakefront Pavilion
8:00 am to 11:00 am



ILE Library



As the season turns to flowers and planting, don't forget to "March" on over to your local ILE library. There you will find not just books but puzzles, DVD's, audio books, and books in large print. Let your mind "bloom" with ideas as you enter the nonfiction section that can give new and creative projects for this spring. We promise not to "bug" you as you hunt for just the right selection to take home. We know some of you would rather "bee" reading a thriller or murder mystery. We have plenty of those as well. If you do some "spring-cleaning", don't forget to donate your media. We really appreciate your contributions. So "spring" on over this March; we promise our books will make your mind "blossom" with new ideas.

If you want to "shower" your mind this March, the library our hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 10-12 or if you need a different time contact me at 615-692-9837 by text message and we can make arrangements for a time convenient for you.

B.Y.O.Craft – Remember Bring Your Own Craft is at the library the last Wednesday of the month. March 27 from 6:00 – 8:00 will be a great opportunity to come by and work on something while spending time with other crafty people. Some say they start a project but find it difficult to finish. This will give you incentive to follow to the end on those projects you really loving doing. What if you don't have anything to work on? Stop by anyway. You can work on the puzzle or just sit and chat. This might be the encouragement you need to pick up an old craft again or inspiration to try something new. Hope to see you there.



We need your help! The library has started collecting the soda tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. Look for locations throughout the club house or place them in a plastic bag and slide them in the library book slot during off hours. Thank you so much for your support.



B.Y.O.C.



BRING YOUR OWN CRAFTS

I.L.E. LIBRARY IS SPONSORING CRAFT NIGHT

Are you looking for something fun to do with great people? Then you need to come to the library with a craft you are working on, or the materials for a short-planned craft. Come and share what you know, your ideas, your talents and above all good conversation.

For the month of February, we will learn how to upcycle a man's long-sleeved shirt into an apron. All you will need is an old, long-sleeved man's shirt and a pair of scissors. We will show you how to do the rest.



Where: The ILE Library

When: The last Wednesday of the Month

Time: 6:00p.m. – 8:00p.m.

February 28th @6:00 p.m.

Additional dates for crafts are as follows: March 27, April 24, May 29...

Contact me by text with any questions: 615-692-9837



GOLF NEWS



Danny Lunceford, Golf Course Superintendent provided the following update by email for the meeting.

Golf Course Pump- Continuing to have issues with the Pump Motor and it is being addressed.

Staffing- Currently down two staffing positions, interviewing for positions.

Equipment - Tractor should arrive in three weeks. Greens Mower and Fairway Mowers should be here in the second quarter.

Course Conditions - Course is in good shape and we continue to see record play. Winds have caused "wind burn" on some areas of the greens. Danny will be spraying color in those spots. He will spray for ants later this week and early next week.

Robin Samson, Pro Shop Manager

Financial Picture - Golf revenue for January 2024 approximately 94K. This was higher than January 2023 even with the rain issues we experienced. So far February has exceeded last year as well, with 50K in the first 13 days of the month.

Tournaments - Polk County Women's Golf Group played on January 31, with 44 players. participating. The ladies reported that the golf course was in great shape and the food in the 19th hole restaurant was very good. Robin juggled around players to allow this group to see how much our course has improved, hoping that word of mouth will send us additional players. So far, the ILE WGA (Women's Golf Association) has welcomed two new players from this group with more showing interest in joining as well.

Robin has booked the Saddlebag Tournament for February 18th and the Lakeshore Tournament

for February 25th. March 3rd will be a "ladies nine-hole fun event", March 10th is a 4 Person Scramble Tournament. Details will be coming.

Other items:

Betty Snyder pointed out that our booking page for tee times needs some update. Robin will work with Elizabeth Jewell to get this corrected.

Janice Davison said it's time for us to have the Florida Golf Association to come out and update our course rating and slope. She will arrange this to be done in the off season. The MGA/WGA will offer a contribution to this cost.

Charlie Davison has volunteered to take the test for our golf course to "re-qualify" for the GHIN system.

Next meeting will be March 12, 2024, at 1:30pm in the golf conference room.

Please remember that all ILE residents/owners as members in good standing are welcome to attend the Golf Committee Meetings.

Indian Lake Estates
Golf & Country Club Presents

"Keep It Simple"
GOLF

Tournament

SUNDAY, March 10th

4 Person 18 Hole Scramble

\$46.00 Per Person
\$17.00 Per Person for Members and Employees
Price Includes Golf, Food & Prize money

Shot Gun Start 8AM

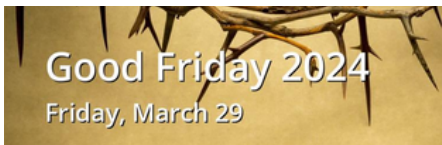
SIGN UP IN PRO SHOP WITH YOUR 4 PERSONS TEAM
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				As of	2024
Maintenance Operations				1/31/2024	Budget
Income					
	License Fees			\$ 1,239,095.38	\$ 2,220,335.72
	Administrative			\$ 35,373.86	\$ 147,292.00
	Civic (Social)			\$ 1,260.00	\$ 11,000.00
	Bingo			\$ 1,238.00	\$ 4,500.00
	Pro Shop/Golf			\$ 92,039.52	\$ 600,640.00
	Restaurant			\$ 45,932.58	\$ 403,600.00
	TOTAL			\$ 1,414,939.34	\$ 3,387,367.72
		Mandatory 1% Reserve			\$ (23,676.28)
		SUBTOTAL		\$ 1,414,939.34	\$ 3,363,691.44
Expenses					
	Administrative			\$ 475,064.28	\$ 500,125.00
	Bingo			\$ 19,693.25	\$ 4,500.00
	Civic (Social)			\$ 15,644.28	\$ 11,000.00
	Clubhouse			\$ 397,396.84	\$ 330,575.00
	Golf			\$ 498,969.45	\$ 516,101.00
	Pro Shop			\$ 187,081.26	\$ 222,974.00
	Restaurant			\$ 519,698.82	\$ 468,160.00
	Roads & Grounds			\$ 788,887.57	\$ 1,126,050.00
	Lakefront			\$ 113,729.58	\$ 86,200.00
	Security			\$ 33,433.17	\$ 22,300.00
			Total	\$ 3,049,598.50	\$ 3,287,985.00
	Maintenance Cash Balance			\$ (1,634,659.16)	\$ 75,706.44



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