# NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER



The Plateau Club



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INTRODUCING OUR NEW F&B MANAGER

## PARENT'S NIGHT OUT

On Wednesday, November 10, we'll be hosting 2021's first Parent's Night Out! Enjoy a relaxing dinner at the clubhouse while we watch your kids at the Recreation Center.

The event is from 5:00–9:00pm and childcare is available for kids ages 5-13.

## SANTA BRUNCH

Start your holiday season with our annual Santa Brunch on Sunday, December 5! Come take pictures with Santa and enjoy a delicious breakfast.

Brunch is from 9:00am-2:00pm and kids 2 and under eat free!

COCKTAIL OF THE MONTH

## **NOTES FROM TODD**

I hope everyone is adapting to the fall weather. Many of us will be traveling to see family and friends over the next few months, so we would like to wish you safe passage to and from your destinations.

The Food and Beverage team has been working hard to revise the menu for the fall. I am very excited to see the return of those fantastic wings!

As you have hopefully noticed, we are starting to provide a few nights each month that include child care so that parents can enjoy dinner at the clubhouse. Many of these nights will include an activity and dinner option for the children. I want to say a very big thank you to our Rec Manager, Caitlin, and her staff for being so supportive and proactive in providing this service.

I am also excited to introduce our new Food & Beverage Manager, Zachary Gadd. Zach comes to us from a very impressive food and beverage background, including some very well-known high-service restaurants here in Seattle. Has anybody heard of Ray's Boathouse or Portage Bay Cafe? I'm looking forward to supporting his efforts as he partners with Sean to help us continue to find ways to exceed expectations in the Food and Beverage department.

Speaking of Sean, make sure you try our cocktail of the month (featured elsewhere in this issue). Sean has done such a magnificent job of bringing hand-crafted cocktail services to our club. Fresh juices and ingredients make such a difference. I also want to thank Sean for all the extra effort as we transition from one manager to another. He is a true professional.

Please keep The Plateau Club in mind when considering venues for company holiday parties. We have a beautiful venue and members get special considerations in room rental and menu pricing.

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to exceeding your expectations regularly.

- Todd Ormsby



### **CLUB EVENTS**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6 2-PERSON ALTERNATE SHOT

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10 PARENT'S NIGHT OUT

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25 HAPPY THANKSGIVING! REC CENTER CLOSED

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5 SANTA BRUNCH

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18 GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING

## **DRESS CODE**

This dress code applies to the golf course and all practice areas. Please make sure everyone in your group, including children, is dressed appropriately.

#### Men

Acceptable: Shirts with collars and sleeves, slacks and golf shorts up to three inches above the knee. Not Acceptable: Tank tops, tee shirts, fishnet tops, cut-offs, jams, sweat pants, denim, jeans, bathing suits, tennis shorts or other athletic shorts more than three inches above the knee, and drawstring slacks or shorts.

#### Women

Acceptable: Dresses, skirts, slacks, golf shorts and blouses. Skirts and shorts must be no shorter than four inches above the knee.

**Not Acceptable:** Halter tops, sleeveless tee shirts, fishnet tops, bathing suit, sweat pants, cargo pants, denim clothing, jeans, tennis dresses or athletic shorts, and drawstring slacks or shorts.

#### Shoes

Acceptable: Spikeless golf shoes are required. The Golf Shop must approve use of shoes other than golf shoes. Not Acceptable: Football spikes, baseball spikes, and other turf shoes.

> For golf inquiries contact: Chris Lungo chrisl@plateauclub.com



Bill Romberger, Narty Romberger, and Steve Grimmer at the Ryder Cup

### 2-PERSON ALTERNATE SHOT

#### Saturday, November 6 Entry Fee \$15

#### Format

Both players will hit from the tee and the team will select the best shot. The team will then play alternate shot until the ball is holed. If it is your tee shot the team selects, your partner will hit the second shot.

#### Winter Rules

Shots must be played within one club length of the original lie no closer to the hole and the lie must remain similar (a ball in the rough must remain in the rough).

#### Tees

Men will play from the blue tee and women will play from the red tees.

#### Handicaps

Teams will receive 40% of their combined 18 hole handicaps.

## **KEEPER OF** THE GREENS

In two weeks during October, we made steady progress on aerifying and topdressing fairways until Mother Nature pressed the pause button by starting the stormy season. An atmospheric river and a bomb cyclone within five days each other gave us plenty of work to do and put a halt on fairway aerification during the last week of October. The bomb cyclone broke several big branches and a few treetops, as well as leaving behind plenty of leaves to clean up. During the atmospheric river, we received over 3 inches of rain in 24 hours. Once the ground was firm enough for us to continue aerification, we completed the process of aerifying fairways and putting out 488 tons of topdressing sand.

During the next few weeks, we will be going over our goals for the winter and setting a timeline for their completion. We will continue to work on our storm drain and retention ponds with alder removal again this winter to meet our requirements for King County & the City of Sammamish. We started to do some clearing earlier in the season but had to hit the pause button on this as we were losing seasonal staff and had to shift our focus to maintaining the rest of the golf course until time, turf growth, and weather would allow us to get back to it.

- Jon Frederick, Superintendent

### **GOLF HOURS**

GOLF SHOP	PRACTICE FACILITY
10:30am–5:00pm	10:30am–5:00pm
7:30am–5:00pm	10:00am–5:00pm
7:30am–5:00pm	7:30am–5:00pm
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#### 10:30am-5:00pm

### **HOLIDAY OPEN** HOUSE SALE

#### Friday, December 10 • 4-8pm

Our Holiday Open House Sale will be held on Friday, December 10. This is a great opportunity to use your remaining sweeps! The sale is scheduled to run from 4:00-8:00pm and we will be providing complimentary appetizers and beverages. Many of you remember how the sale worked last year but for those of you who are new, this is a chance to meet some other members, celebrate the holidays, and purchase merchandise from your Golf Shop at significant discounts. We hope to see you all there!



## SANTA BRUNCH

Sunday, December 5 • 9am–2pm Adults \$45.95 • Kids 6-12 \$24.95 • Kids 3-5 \$9.95 Kids 2 and under eat free!

Start your holiday season with our annual Santa Brunch on Sunday, December 5! Come take pictures with Santa and enjoy a delicious breakfast.

Brunch is from 9:00am–2:00pm and kids 2 and under eat free! Please reserve your spot on the Member Hub or by emailing pcreccenter@plateauclub.com.

## PARENT'S NIGHT OUT

#### Wednesday, November 10 • 5-9pm

#### Childcare \$20/child

On Wednesday, November 10, we'll be hosting 2021's first Parent's Night Out! Enjoy a relaxing dinner at the clubhouse while we watch your kids at the Recreation Center. The cost is \$20/ child which includes an activity and dinner for the little ones.

Parent's Night Out is from 5–9pm and childcare is available for kids ages 5-13.

Reservations are required for this event. Please email Caitlin at caitlinm@plateauclub.com or sign up on the Member Hub.

### **DINING HOURS**

ALDER LOUNGE	DINING ROOM
Closed	Closed
12:00-8:00pm	12:00-8:00pm
12:00–9:00pm	12:00–9:00pm
12:00-8:00pm	12:00-8:00pm
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### WELCOME ZACH GADD

Zachary Gadd was born and raised in Lake Forest Park, WA. He comes from a background of 14+ years in customer service and brings timeliness, exceptional communication when working with guests and clients, and he is extremely detail-oriented. He has helped grow multiple businesses through real-life experience in sales, marketing, audio and video production, event planning, and restaurant management that make him uniquely suited to serve The Plateau Club and Oki Golf.

Zachary has joined the team to help continue the legacy of The Plateau Club, set a standard of success for his children, learn as much as he can, and meet new people along the way. His door is always open, so feel free to stop by the office and say hi the next time you're at the club!



## COCKTAIL OF THE MONTH

Our November Cocktail of the Month is a **White Choloate Martini** topped with shaved chocolate. If you're slow to adjust to the colder temps, come by and try this delicious drink. It will help you stay warm and fight the cold!

## WEEKLY YOGA CLASSES

#### Wednesdays & Fridays 8:30–9:30am

All classes are complimentary for members and guests are welcome for \$15 per class. Classes are by reservation only. To sign up, please visit the Member Hub on our website! If you're interested in other times for yoga, please contact Caitlin at caitlinm@ plateauclub.com.

## GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING

#### Saturday, December 18 • 11am–4pm \$25/person

Come create beautiful gingerbread houses, enjoy cookies, and hot beverages! Lunch will be available for purchase in the dining room.

Please RSVP via email at caitlinm@plateauclub.com or through the Member Hub.

## HOLIDAY PARTIES

#### Variety of Spaces

The Plateau Club offers a selection of unique banquet rooms that your guests will truly appreciate with scenic plateau and golf course views.

#### **Amenities & Services**

- Full-service, in-house catering
- Experienced team of event management and catering specialists
- Conveniently located just 20 minutes from downtown Bellevue and 30 minutes from Seattle
- Ample complimentary parking
- Audio visual equipment

It's not too early to start planning for the holiday season! Contact the club for more info.

### **REC HOURS**

	RECREATION CENTER
MON-FRI	6:00am–7:00pm
SAT-SUN	9:00am–6:00pm

### **NOVEMBER**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
			Yoga Classes		Yoga Classes	2-Person Alternate Shot
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Parent's Night Out Yoga Classes		Yoga Classes	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
			Yoga Classes		Yoga Classes	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
			Yoga Classes	Happy Thanksgiving! Rec Center Closed	Yoga Classes	
28	29	30				

### INFORMATION

### **MANAGEMENT TEAM**

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Christopher Lungo - Head Golf Professional (425) 868-1614 • chrisl@plateauclub.com

Jon Frederick - Superintendent (425) 868-0451 • jonf@plateauclub.com

Cindy Riley - Office Manager (425) 836-4404 • cindyr@plateauclub.com

Thomas Alexander - Executive Chef (425) 836-1081 • thomasa@plateauclub.com

Zach Gadd - Food & Beverage Manager (425) 836-5105 • zacharyg@plateauclub.com

Caitlin Manigley - Recreation Center Manager (425) 868-2139 • caitlinm@plateauclub.com

### **GOLF HOURS**

	GOLF SHOP	PRACTICE FACILITY
MON	10:30am–5:00pm	10:30am–5:00pm
TUE	7:30am–5:00pm	10:00am–5:00pm
WED-SUN	7:30am–5:00pm	7:30am–5:00pm
	FIRST TEE TIMES	3
MON	11:00am	
TUE-SUN	8:00am	

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FRI–SAT	12:00–9:00pm	12:00–9:00pm
SUN	12:00-8:00pm	12:00-8:00pm

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