

# THE PLATEAU

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# A LETTER FROM GREG

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As we continue to gear up for a fantastic year filled with new experiences and opportunities, I wanted to take a moment to update you on some recent developments and remind everyone of a few important club policies.

First and foremost, I am thrilled to share that our recent managerial additions have seamlessly integrated into our team and are already making a positive impact across the club. Their dedication and expertise are evident in the exciting plans we have in store for the upcoming months.

One of the highlights on the culinary front is the upcoming launch of Chef Peter's new Brunch/Lunch, Lounge, and Dinner menus! Chef Peter has been hard at work crafting exciting dishes geared toward the feedback we have received from you all, and I can't wait for you to experience them firsthand. Additionally, Chef is developing an impressive new catering menu that will elevate our special events and gatherings at the club.

In other exciting news, I'm pleased to announce that the pool repairs have been completed, and it will be available for members to enjoy starting this month. Our golf calendar is also in full swing, with good participation levels. Activities such as PGA Jr. League and our Summer Camps at the Rec Center are just around the corner so please make sure you are getting the kiddos signed up.

Craig, our new Facilities Maintenance Tech, has been working hard to ensure we are on time with the openings of Splash Cafe and Crooked Stick; these outlets promise to provide both elevated and consistent offerings for all members and guests this year.

With these exciting developments, I also want to take a moment to re-address a few important matters, especially on the golf side of things. With our new golf staff in place, I kindly ask that all members check in before heading to the first tee. This not only allows you to meet Matt and the team, but also ensures that our tee sheet operations run smoothly and efficiently.

Furthermore, I want to remind everyone that our golf course dress code, (outlined in the newsletter), also applies to the practice facility. We have observed instances of inappropriate attire, such as athletic shorts, tee shirts, and sweats, being worn at the range. Your cooperation in adhering to the dress code is greatly appreciated.

Lastly, I must address the issue of range balls being taken onto the golf course. Our Guest Services Team works diligently to keep the driving range stocked, and we kindly request that members and guests refrain from taking range balls onto the course. If this issue persists, we may need to implement fines for those who disregard this club rule.

Overall, I am incredibly excited about the opportunities and experiences that lie ahead for all of us at the club. Your continued support and cooperation are instrumental.

I look forward to seeing you all around the club soon!

**Greg Tubbesing**  
General Manager







# GOLF



# WORDS FROM THE SHOP

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In this month's edition of "Words from the Shop", we are meeting our new Head Golf Professional, Matt! If you haven't met Matt yet, make sure to introduce yourself during your next visit at The Plateau Club.

## **Meet Matt:**

Originally from Pennsylvania, just outside of a small city called Scranton, I moved down to Orlando, Florida to get my start in the golf business at Reunion Resort in 2015, where I worked as an Assistant Golf Professional. After returning to Pennsylvania, I gained experience working at private facilities such as RiverCrest Golf Club & Preserve as well as Glen Oak Country Club, where I operated as the First Assistant Golf Professional. I decided to move back down to Florida at the end of 2020 to work at Naples Grande Golf Club as the Senior Assistant Golf Professional. Most recently, I was the Head Golf Professional at Capital Canyon Club in Prescott, AZ.

I really enjoy the opportunities to run all types of tournaments and events, and teaching students at all levels the game of golf. I am excited to bring my experience, passion, and knowledge to The Plateau Club team.

In my free time, I enjoy all different types of sports, both watching and playing. Outside of my obvious love of golf, I am an avid skier and have always enjoyed a pickup game of basketball or slow-pitch softball. Born in the 90's, it was easy for me to become attached to sports teams like the Atlanta Braves and the Dallas Cowboys. More recently, I have started rooting for the Formula 1 two-time defending champions, Red Bull Racing Team. As a travel and aviation enthusiast at heart, I am thrilled to experience a new part of the country and soak in all that Seattle and its' surrounding areas have to offer, and more importantly, build quality and long-lasting relationships with everyone here at the club.

## **Matt Mortell**

Head Golf Professional





# GOLF INFORMATION

## PMGA MATCH PLAY

PMGA Match Play registration is now open through the golf genius PMGA portal. There are three different championships to contend for, Individual Net, Team Net, and Team Gross. You can play in all three competitions if you'd like, however, there will be a time limit placed on which each corresponding rounds' matches will need to be played by, so please keep that in mind.

If you have any questions about the event(s) please contact Matt in the golf shop at [matthewm@plateauclub.com](mailto:matthewm@plateauclub.com)

[Register Here](#)

### PMGA EVENTS

Saturday, April 6 | Masters Championship

Sunday, April 21 | 2 Man No Scotch

### PWGA EVENTS

Saturday, April 13 | Kickoff 9 Hole Scramble

Thursday, April 25 | Rules Clinic Twilight

## PGA JUNIOR LEAGUE REGISTRATION

PGA Junior League Registration here at The Plateau Club is open! There are two sign ups, a 13U Division, and a 14-17 Division. Based on number of signups, we will determine how many teams we will need, and therefore, some kids may have the opportunity to play up a division based on availability, however, that will be determined before the start of the season, at a later date. Cost for each player is \$399, which will include a Team Kit (uniforms/jerseys), team practices with coaching opportunities from the staff, as well as six nine-hole matches, (with four matches being played away at other locations), and two matches home at The Plateau Club more than likely.

If you have any questions, please contact Matt at [matthewm@plateauclub.com](mailto:matthewm@plateauclub.com)

[Register Here](#)

**You will need to enter the code "PCJUNIOR24" when prompted during registration, that will confirm you are a member here at the Plateau Club.**



# KEEPER OF THE GREENS

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Spring is upon us and we are wrapping up our winter projects. The staff worked on a few projects this winter such as: tree and shrub removal, fixing broken drain boxes, clearing all the forced carries, cutting alders in the retention ponds, installing new irrigation heads, raising irrigation heads, and brush cutting along the cart path.

With the golf season here and the amount of rounds played being up compared to years past, I would like to spend a little bit of time talking about course etiquette and remind us all to leave the course better than we found it. While on the putting greens, please repair your ball-mark and others that you see. This will help the ball-marks repair quicker and the green roll smoother. If your divot is about ½ inch thick, please replace the divot and step it down to ensure it is flush with the surface of the turf. While the weather is not hot yet, the divot will grow back quicker than a divot mix would grow in.

As you are entering and exiting bunkers, please use the low side of the bunker rather than the high side in order to displace less sand. When you enter/exit on the high side, sand is being disrupted more than it should and creating a soft area in the bunker, when a ball lands there you are more likely to have a “fried egg” lie rather than the ball landing on a firm slope and rolling down to the bottom of the bunker.

**Jon Frederick**  
Superintendent









# SOCIAL & DINING



# APRIL EVENTS

RSVP: GREGT@PLATEAUCLUB.COM

HOSTED BY DIDI

## Master's Mixology

Cocktail Mixing Class  
April 11th | 6 PM

KICK OFF THE MASTER'S WEEKEND BY MAKING SOME SOUTHERN INSPIRED COCKTAILS!!

\$30/person ++  
\$40/person w/ take home shaker ++



Kick off Masters weekend by making Southern inspired cocktails with our very own Didi! She will walk you through the whys & hows to be able to enjoy the best cocktails the South has to offer at home anytime!

\$30 for the class;  
\$40 for the class and a shaker to take home.

APRIL 21  
4PM

## KID'S BRUSHIN' BIRDHOUSES

Kids birdhouse painting event! We provide the supplies, the little ones provide the creativity!

rsvp: gregt@plateauclub.com

\$25 PER HOUSE



We are painting birdhouses! We will provide the supplies and the little ones will provide the creativity. Houses will be ready for pick up the following day. Parents must remain on premises during this event.

\$25 per birdhouse.

# ANTHONY'S CORNER

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Welcome to our new F&B section, Anthony's Corner! In our first edition, we are meeting our new F&B manager: Anthony Luna!

## **Meet Anthony:**

Thank you all for the warm welcome I have received so far, and I look forward to connecting with the rest of the membership in the coming months!



I am thrilled to become your new Food & Beverage Manager. I know that the club is heading in an exciting direction and I am fired up to be a part of it!

Most recently, I was working for Suncadia Resort in Cle Elum, WA. I am very proud of the strides we made during my tenure there, especially on the banquet/events side of things. Prior to Suncadia, I was at the Tommy Bahama Resort and Spa in Indian Wells, CA. My earlier career also included working at The Conrad Hotel and at USC as the Manager of Private Events and Conferences in Los Angeles, CA. Prior to working in hospitality, I served our country for five years, of which I am very proud of.

## How I Thrive-

**Golf:** I've been playing golf for 10 years and I strive to continue to get better but I have to remind myself "it's all in the hips". I enjoy playing various courses throughout Southern California and traveling to play ones out of state.

**Travel:** I've visited over 20 countries around the world and love going on small trips across the US.

**Food:** I LOVE trying and eating new and exotic food! However, my favorite will always be seafood and mom's home cooking.

Thanks again for welcoming me to the Club, and I look forward to working with you all to ensure we are delivering a consistently great product in an atmosphere where you all feel at home!

**Anthony Luna**  
Food & Beverage Manager



# IN THE KITCHEN

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I am a native Washingtonian, and truly believe we get to live in the best state in the Union! The climate here gives us the opportunity to play outside year-round, all while being challenged mentally and spiritually by the ever changing weather conditions.

I have been with Oki Golf since June 2021. I was the Executive Sous Chef at Newcastle Golf Club until March of 2022, when I was promoted to Chef de Cuisine. As the Chef de Cuisine, I oversaw the Calcutta Restaurant, Banquet operations, and the Muirfield Club.

I am beyond excited to have the honor to be your new Executive Chef here at The Plateau Club! I am looking forward to working with the team and interacting with the membership to build upon the recent improvements. I will always work toward the goal of providing exceptional service for our members, delivering a consistent product, and an overall memorable experience.

In my free time, my wife and I like playing tennis, golf, cycling, all while spending time with our son Alexander, who will be turning two years old in May.

**Peter Hannah**  
Executive Chef



## HAPPY HOUR

- Wine by the glass
- Draft beer
- Appetizer specials

***3-5PM Daily!***

## FEATURED COCKTAIL



### ***The Azalea***

Vodka, Pineapple Juice,  
Lemon Juice, Club Soda,  
Splash Grenadine



An aerial photograph of a resort community. In the foreground, a large, modern clubhouse with a brown roof and glass railings sits on a green lawn. Behind it, a winding road with red-painted curbs leads to a swimming pool, tennis courts, and a parking lot. The middle ground is filled with a dense forest of evergreen trees, and in the background, a residential development with many houses is visible. The far background shows a range of blue mountains under a cloudy sky.

# RECREATION



# RECREATION UPDATES

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## Pool Update:

We greatly appreciate your patience with the pool this year. With the pool leak fixed, we're thrilled to announce that we're now operational for weekend open swim from 12pm to 4pm for the month of April. Additionally, lap swim sessions are available Monday through Friday from 6:30am to 11am. Don't miss the opportunity to enjoy our heated 84 degree outdoor pool! Bring the family down for some fun water activities, and don't forget to sign in yourselves and guests.



## Tennis Courts & Gym:

Friendly Reminder for Facility Users: Please remember to sign in when using the facility. If you have guests, whether friends, workout buddies, or trainers, make sure to sign them in as well. Additionally, tennis and pickleball players must check in at the recreation reception desk before their scheduled or walk-on court time. Regular guest fees apply in all cases. Thank you for your cooperation!

Are you a pickleball player looking for some friendly competition? Add your name to our pickleball players list at the Rec Center! By doing so, you'll be connected with other members who are also on the list, making it easy to find someone to play against. Just keep in mind that adding your name means it will be shared with other players on the list. So, whether you're looking for a challenging match or just some casual games, joining the list is the first step to finding your next pickleball partner!

**Christopher Williams**  
Recreation Center Manager



# SUMMER CAMPS

Summer Camp registration is now open on the Member Hub. Once we receive your registration, an email and packet of forms will be sent to you to return prior to your first week of camp! Camp Dates are on the next pages, as well as in the description icon of the summer camp button in Member Hub.

## GOLF CAMP

Dates: June 25-28, July 9-12, July 30-Aug 2,  
Aug 20-23

Campers will join our golf professionals for daily instruction and lessons on the entire game of golf. Golf etiquette, form, and game rules will get them excited about the game! At the end of the week, there will be an awards ceremony along with daily tee prizes. Register early since this camp fills quickly!

This is a four day camp (Tuesday-Friday).

## TENNIS CAMP

Dates: July 15-19, Aug 12-16

Learn basic tennis strokes and serving from our tennis pro. Learn the rules of tennis, how to keep score, and how to play the game while enjoying some fun drills to improve hand-eye coordination, judging the distance the ball has traveled, etc. Campers will be divided by their small groups so instruction can be individualized.

## WACKY WATERWORKS

Dates: Aug 5-9

Back every year by popular demand, campers will create water sponge bombs, enjoy water balloon toss games, learn basic swim skills, and play whiffle ball with swimming pool bases. Team building activities will challenge campers to work together as a team while making friends and having fun. Kids will enjoy special camp inflatables for daily pool use. Come prepared to get wet!

## DANCE CAMP

Dates: July 22-26

From folk dances to barn dances, disco to contemporary, and ballroom to Broadway, summer dance camp will be an exploration of movement and dance styles. The core of every class is building community and spreading joy through dance. Dance camp is a fun way to try a new dance style, discover dances from different cultures, and to learn some traditional social dances. Class will also include freestyle improve and dancer choreography opportunities. Dance class is for campers of all levels.

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

[REGISTER NOW](#)





# SWIM TEAM

Swim Team registration will open on April 2nd for new and returning team members!

Contact Christopher Williams for more information:  
[Christopherw@plateauclub.com](mailto:Christopherw@plateauclub.com)


[REGISTER HERE](#)



# SWIM LESSONS

Swim lessons are now available, although availability is limited until we approach the summer months and have more instructors on hand. Private lessons are priced at \$45, while semi-private lessons (for kids of similar skill levels) are \$35 per session, each lasting 30 minutes.

For more information, please contact the Rec Center at  
425.868.2139  
or email us at [pcreccenter@plateauclub.com](mailto:pcreccenter@plateauclub.com)



# DRESS CODE

## **GOLF COURSE/PRACTICE FACILITY**

Acceptable attire for men and male children 5 and older:

- Collared shirts with sleeves or golf course appropriate mock neck shirts, jackets & pullovers
- Golf appropriate slacks. Golf appropriate shorts no shorter than 4" above the knee
- Golf appropriate rain gear

Acceptable attire for women and female children 5 years and older:

- Sleeved and sleeveless tops with collars or golf course appropriate mock neck shirts, pullovers, and jackets
- Golf appropriate dresses, skirts, and shorts no shorter than 4" above the knee
- Golf appropriate slacks
- Golf appropriate rain gear

NOT acceptable attire for all members, guests, and children: No sweatpants, tracksuits, workout attire, tank tops, bathing suits, athletic shorts or shirts, tee shirts, or hats worn backwards.

## **CLUBHOUSE\***

Acceptable attire for men, women, and children 5 and older:

- Collared shirts with sleeves or golf course appropriate mock neck shirts, jackets & pullovers
- Golf appropriate slacks. Golf appropriate shorts no shorter than 4" above the knee
- (Women) Sleeved and sleeveless tops with collars or golf course appropriate mock neck shirts, pullovers, and jackets
- (Women) Golf dresses, skirts, and shorts no shorter than 4" above the knee.
- Denim pants are free of rips and/or tears

NOT acceptable attire for all members, guests, and children: No sweatpants, tracksuits, workout attire, tank tops, bathing suits, athletic shorts or shirts, tee shirts, or hats worn backwards.

\*some club events may have specific attire guidelines. Members will be informed of these as they occur.

## **FITNESS FACILITY**

Appropriate workout attire is acceptable in the fitness facility. Shoes must be worn at all times.

## **SWIMMING POOL**

Swim attire is strictly limited to the pool deck and locker rooms.

## **RECREATION CENTER CLUBHOUSE**

All clubhouse, fitness facility, and golf course attire are acceptable in the Recreation Center Clubhouse. Shoes must be worn at all times.

## **TENNIS/PICKLEBALL**

Appropriate tennis attire must be worn at all times.

Appropriate tennis shoes. NO dress or other style shoes that may leave marks on the courts are allowed. NO jeans are allowed on the courts.



# APRIL

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3 Yoga (8-9am)	4	5 Yoga (8-9am)	6 PMGA Masters Championship
7	8	9	10 Yoga (8-9am)	11 Masters Mixology (6pm)	12 Yoga (8-9am)	13 PWGA 9-Hole Kickoff
14	15	16	17 Yoga (8-9am)	18	19 Yoga (8-9am)	20
21 Kid's Brushin' Birdhouses (4pm) PMGA 2-Man No Scotch	22	23	24 Yoga (8-9am)	25 PWGA Twilight Rules Clinic	26 Yoga (8-9am)	27
28	29	30	31			

# HOURS

## GOLF

	<u>GOLF SHOP</u>	<u>PRACTICE FACILITY</u>
MONDAY	10am-6pm	10am-3pm
TUESDAY - SUNDAY	7am-6pm	7am-6pm

## RECREATION

	<u>REC CENTER</u>	<u>LAP SWIM</u>	<u>OPEN SWIM</u>
MONDAY - FRIDAY	6am-7pm	6:30am-11am	XXXX
SATURDAY & SUNDAY	9am-6pm	XXXX	12pm-4pm

## RED ALDER

MONDAY - TUESDAY	CLOSED
WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY SUNDAY	11am-8pm
FRIDAY & SATURDAY	9am-6pm



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**PLATEAU CLUB**

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