

THE PLATEAU

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A golf flag on a white pole is positioned on the left side of the page. The flag is white with a maroon border and a maroon logo in the center. The background is a blurred green golf course with trees in the distance.

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A LETTER FROM GREG

As we enter November, I want to express my heartfelt gratitude for your enthusiastic participation in our club events throughout the year. Your engagement truly brings our club to life, and we look forward to many more memorable moments together. We remain committed to providing a consistent lineup of events and programming, but it's your involvement that makes it all possible.

This month, we're excited to offer some special gatherings, including our fall All-Member Wine Mixer, Peter's Chef's Table, and a festive Thanksgiving Centerpiece Class. Each event promises a unique experience, and I hope to see many of you there.

If you haven't already, **please take a few moments to complete our annual member survey that arrives this weekend.** This is our chance to gauge the pulse of our membership, and we value your feedback. While we love hearing about what you've enjoyed, constructive input on how we can improve is equally important. Your responses will help us enhance our services and facilities. I will review the survey results closely with our Home Office, and I'll share our plans for improvements in the coming months.

I'm also thrilled to welcome our new Assistant Golf Professional, Ryan Brown, who joins us this month! Ryan will be a fantastic addition to our golf department and will help build on the positive momentum Kevin has created. Please join me in welcoming Ryan when you see him around the club; we're excited for his contributions to the golf program.

In terms of immediate improvements, we'll begin the much-needed roof cleaning of both the main clubhouse and the recreation center on November 5th. This maintenance should take about ten days to complete, and we're eager to refresh the buildings in preparation for winter.

Please note that the club will be fully closed on November 28th for Thanksgiving, allowing our team to spend the holiday with their loved ones. I hope to see many of you around the club in the days leading up to the holiday before you enjoy Thanksgiving with family and friends.

Thank you once again for your continued support and participation. Here's to a wonderful November at The Plateau Club!

Greg Tubbesing
General Manager



A NOTE FROM CINDY

With the end of the year approaching, Plateau Club members have an opportunity to express their appreciation to the club's staff through a 2024 Appreciation Gift Fund. This year, we will be billing a small fee of \$25.00 to your membership account in the month of November. And, of course, if you would like to add more to the Appreciation Fund, please email me.

I will personally administer the fund to ensure all staff is appropriately included. The contributions are optional, of course. If you want to opt out, please email me at cindyr@plateauclub.com by November 27. Contributions for employees will be distributed on December 13.

On behalf of the entire staff at The Plateau Club, we would like to express a heartfelt "thank you" for your generosity. Happy Holidays!

Cindy Riley
Office Manager



GOLF



WORDS FROM THE SHOP

October gifted us beautiful weather, particularly in the first half of the month, creating ideal conditions for our final events of the season.

We concluded our PMGA/PWGA tournament calendars as well as the exciting Couple's Club Championship. Congratulations to our Couple's Club Champions, Scott & Catherine Callan! A special shoutout goes to Joe Lipinsky for his impressive victory in the PMGA's Plateau Cup, where he outlasted the competition in a thrilling 9-hole horse race—well played, Joe!

We also want to congratulate Meaghan Rodgers and Cindy Jorgensen for winning Gross and the Net side of the PWGA Tournament of Champions. Fantastic performances by both!

In staff news, we're very excited to welcome Ryan Brown as our new Assistant Golf Professional. Ryan (who was born and raised in the Spokane area), brings a wealth of teaching experience and a strong commitment to customer service. Ryan spent the last three seasons at Circling Raven Golf Club in Worley, ID. We're confident he'll be a valuable addition to our team.

We are excited to announce a Golf Shop Black Friday Sale this month!



Golf Shop Black Friday Sale

Monday, November 25th – Friday November 29th
(Must be in stock merchandise, no special orders)

Progressive APPAREL & HAT Sale:

- 20% off 1st item
- 30% off 2nd item
- 40% off 3 items or more

15% OFF:

- TaylorMade & Callaway Drivers, Fairways, Hybrids
 - All Putters
 - Bushnell Rangefinders
 - Oakley Sunglasses

20% OFF:

- TaylorMade & Callaway Wedges
- Golf Balls (excluding ProV1/X & AVX)
 - Golf Bags

25% OFF:

- All Golf Shoes

30% OFF:

- Gloves
- Towels

As a reminder, all winnings have been allocated to your credit book accounts, and credit book balances must be spent by December 31st. If you'd like to place a special order, feel free to reach out to me directly at kevinc@plateauclub.com. To ensure delivery before the year-end deadline of December 31st, please place any custom orders by November 15th.

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to seeing you on the course!

Kevin Cohrs
Head Golf Professional

KEEPER OF THE GREENS

I'm sure many of you have noticed the persistent puddle that forms at the front of green #1 after rain. To address this issue, we re-graded the approach in mid-October to improve surface drainage. This project involved removing several humps in the approach area and re-sloping it to channel water away from the green, preventing future puddling on the putting surface. Over a two-day period, we removed approximately 7 tons of thatch and soil.



Additionally, thanks to Kevin and our marketing team, we're introducing a pin sheet for daily cup locations on the greens. The pin sheet will be available in the golf carts, alongside the scorecards in the golf shop, and in the mailbox at #2 tee. Until we find a designated location on the course, the day's pin position will also be displayed in the golf shop.

In the coming weeks, we'll outline our winter objectives and set timelines for each. Our winter plan includes ongoing maintenance of storm drains and retention ponds, along with alder removal, to comply with King County and City of Sammamish requirements.

As we transition into winter, we'd like to remind everyone of the importance of staying on the cart paths during 'cart path only' periods. We understand this may mean a longer walk to your ball at times, but adhering to this rule significantly minimizes unnecessary wear on our fairways and roughs. Please know that my team and I are following this rule as well.

Thank you for helping us maintain the course throughout the season!

Jon Frederick
Superintendent

SOCIAL & DINING



ANTHONY'S CORNER

As we head into November, we want to take a moment to reflect on the wonderful experiences we've shared at the club. We've been fortunate to enjoy beautiful weather this past month, allowing us to savor some fantastic rounds of golf. It's always a pleasure to see the course thriving and our members enjoying the game.

Our Halloween party was a tremendous success! It was heartwarming to see the kids having a great time carving pumpkins on the patio. Thank you to everyone who participated and helped create such a festive atmosphere—it truly brought the spirit of the season to life.

Looking ahead, we're excited about our November events! Join us for the All-Member Wine Mixer on November 8th, featuring 10 winemakers. Members will have the opportunity to sample a variety of wines and stock their cellars for the upcoming holiday season, all while enjoying complimentary light appetizers and music.

We're also introducing the first in a series of Chef's Tables on November 15th, where Chef Peter has crafted a delicious four-course dinner paired with exciting wines from our friends at Lachini. Lastly, on the 27th, we'll host a "Build Your Own Thanksgiving Centerpiece" class with Katrina from Love Blooms, who will help members create beautiful live centerpieces for their Thanksgiving tables. The class includes a glass vase and a glass of wine.

Please be sure to sign up for all our events in the Member Hub!

As we enter the holiday season, don't forget to consider us for your holiday or work parties. Let us handle the details while you relax and enjoy the festivities. We have plenty of options to make your event memorable.

Thank you for being a part of our community. We look forward to sharing more great moments with you in the weeks to come, and as always, I look forward to seeing you around the club!

Anthony Luna
Food & Beverage Manager



ALL-MEMBER WINE MIXER

NOVEMBER 8TH
6-8PM

WINE TASTINGS
STOCK YOUR CELLAR
LIGHT APPETIZERS
MUSIC

VISITING WINEMAKERS

JACKSON FAMILY WINERY
EFESTE
GOOSE RIDGE
MICHAEL DAVID
ROCO
SANTA MARGHERITA
MARYHILL
RIBOLI
J LOHR
DISTINGUISHED VINEYARDS



SCAN ME



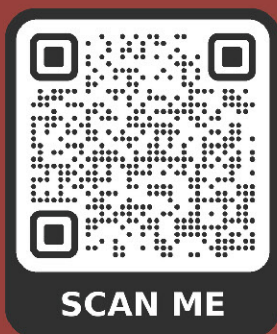
Chef's Table

Featuring Lachini
Vineyards

Friday November 15th @ 6pm
\$100 per person

Please join us for an exciting evening of great food and wine! Chef Peter has curated a four course dinner which has been carefully paired with some delicious wines from Lachini Vineyards.

Reservations are limited to the first 10 members.



First Course

Pan Seared King Salmon Cake

Fennel, Corn, Red Onion, Parmesan, Sriracha Mayo



2021 Lachini Estate
Chardonnay

Second Course

Roasted Beet Carpaccio

Goat Cheese Crumble, Micro Greens, Red Wine Vinaigrette



2021 Lachini Family Estate
Pinot Noir

Third Course

Snake River Farms Ribeye

Braised Winter Greens, Potato Anna, Green Peppercorn Sauce



2021 Lachini Family Estate
Cabernet Sauvignon

Fourth Course

Northwest Blackberry Crumble

Vanilla Bean Ice Cream, Blackberry Compote



2021 Lachini Family Estate
Muscat Canelli



Thanksgiving

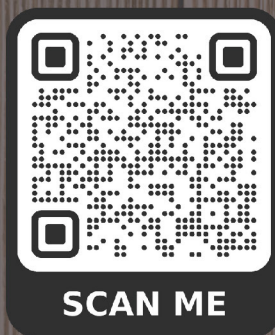
CENTERPIECE CLASS

NOV 27 | 6PM

TAKE A BREAK FROM THANSGIVING
PREP, AND JOIN US AS KATRINA FROM
LOVE BLOOMS WILL BE ON PROPERTY
TO HELP CURATE YOUR LIVE
THANSGIVING CENTERPIECE!

MUST SIGN UP BY NOV 13TH!

*\$65/centerpiece w/ glass
vase & glass of wine
included!*



SAVE THE DATES

**DEC
8**

SANTA BRUNCH

**DEC
13**

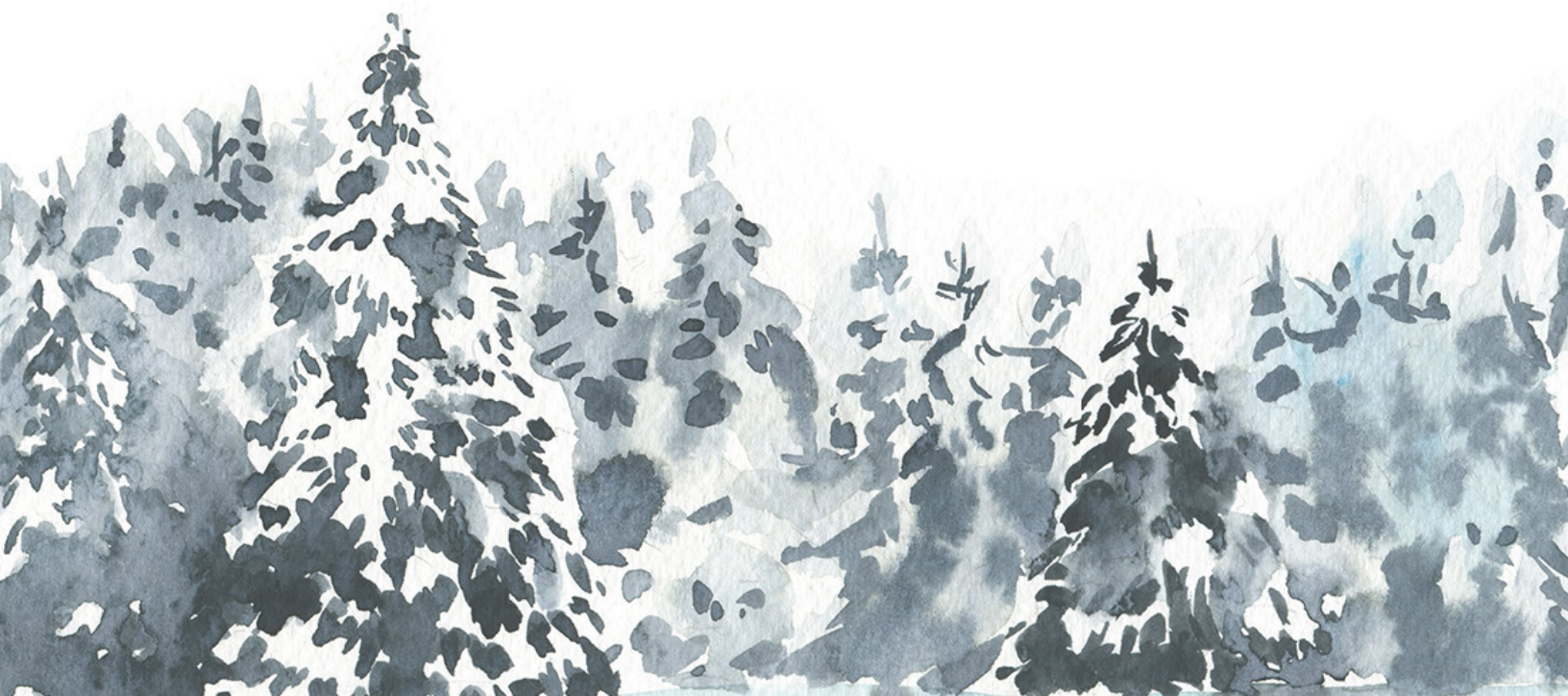
GOLF SHOP
HOLIDAY PARTY

**DEC
15**

GINGERBREAD HOUSE
DECORATING

**DEC
19**

CHRISTMAS TRIVIA





RECREATION

RECREATION UPDATES

Pool

As winter approaches, we're excited to share that The Plateau Club's main pool will remain open for weekend fun! Come join us for open swim on Saturdays and Sundays from 12 PM to 4 PM. While the spa and wading pool will be taking a well-deserved winter break and won't reopen until next summer, the main pool will stay cozy at a perfect 84 degrees all season long.

Morning lap swim will continue on weekdays, with the exception of Saturday mornings. And if you prefer swimming laps later in the day, feel free to do so during open swims!

To help maintain a clean and healthy pool environment, we kindly ask that all swimmers take a cleansing shower before entering the water. This helps remove oils and dirt, keeping the pool in great condition and reducing the potential for skin irritation from chlorine.

Tennis Courts and Gym

Friendly Reminder: Please remember to sign in when using the gym. If you have guests, workout buddies, or trainers, be sure to register them as your guest. Also, kindly wipe down the equipment after use to keep things clean for others.

The Rec Center team will continue working to keep the gym clean and organized, but we appreciate your help in returning equipment to its proper place after use. This helps maintain the workout area's tidiness.

Tennis and pickleball players are required to check in at the reception desk before their scheduled or walk-on court times. Regular guest fees apply. Thank you for your cooperation!

Looking for players? Download the TeamReach app to join the fun! Some members have started using this app to connect with others for friendly games.



Group: Plateau
Password: 098074

Christopher Williams
Recreation Center Manager



TENNIS & SWIM LESSONS

Lessons are available, but at limited capacity.

Please check out our instructors' page to see who we offer for lessons. To see which instructors are currently available, please visit our instructors' page.

Lessons can be scheduled on weekends (Saturdays from 12–4 pm or Sundays from 9 am–4 pm) and weekdays (Monday–Friday from 11 am–2 pm), depending on instructor availability.

Swim lessons:

<https://plateauclub.com/aquatics/>

Tennis Lessons:

<https://plateauclub.com/tennis/>

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



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.

NOVEMBER

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

					1 Yoga (8-9am) Happy Hour (3-5pm)	2 Happy Hour (3-5pm)
3 Happy Hour (3-5pm) Seahawks v Rams (1:25pm) Game Day Menu	4	5 Clubhouse & Rec Center Roof Cleaning Begins	6 Yoga (8-9am) Happy Hour (3-5pm) Wine Wednesday	7 Happy Hour (3-5pm) Burger Night	8 Yoga (8-9am) Happy Hour (3-5pm) All-Member Wine Mixer (6pm) \$30 Pasta Night	9 Happy Hour (3-5pm) 3-Course Dinner (5-9PM)
10 Happy Hour (3-5pm) Game Day Menu	11	12	13 Yoga (8-9am) Happy Hour (3-5pm) Wine Wednesday	14 Happy Hour (3-5pm) Burger Night	15 Yoga (8-9am) Chef's Table (6pm) \$30 Pasta Night	16 Happy Hour (3-5pm) 3-Course Dinner (5-9PM)
17 Happy Hour (3-5pm) Seahawks @ 49ers (1:05pm) Game Day Menu	18	19	20 Yoga (8-9am) Happy Hour (3-5pm) Wine Wednesday	21 Happy Hour (3-5pm) Burger Night	22 Yoga (8-9am) Happy Hour (3-5pm) \$30 Pasta Night	23 Happy Hour (3-5pm) 3-Course Dinner (5-9PM)
24 Happy Hour (3-5pm) Seahawks v Cardinals (1:25pm) Game Day Menu	25	26	27 Thanksgiving Centerpiece Class (6pm) Happy Hour (3-5pm) Wine Wednesday	28 Thanksgiving Day Club Closed	29 Yoga (8-9am) Happy Hour (3-5pm) \$30 Pasta Night	30 Happy Hour (3-5pm) 3-Course Dinner (5-9PM)

HOURS

GOLF

	<u>GOLF SHOP</u>	<u>PRACTICE FACILITY</u>
MONDAY	9:30am-4pm	9:30am-4pm
TUESDAY	7:30am-4pm	7:30am-4pm
WEDNESDAY - SUNDAY	7am-4pm	7am-4pm

RECREATION

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

RED ALDER

MONDAY - TUESDAY	CLOSED
WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY	12pm-8pm
FRIDAY & SATURDAY	12pm-9pm
SUNDAY	10am-8pm

