



Easter Brunch

Sunday, April 8th

\$25 – Adults
\$10 – Children (ages 6 - 12)
Free – Children 5 and under

Menu

Cheesy Scrambled Eggs
Bacon
Sausage
Potatoes O'Brien
French Toast

As always, we will offer our omelet and crepe bar
and an assortment of pastries

Carved Prime Rib
Roasted Steamship Pork
Grilled fish (to be chosen by the chef based on availability)
Asparagus
Tossed Salad
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy
Rice Pilaf
Assorted Desserts

Please call
245-2966
for reservations
as it always helps us
to serve you better



Welcome New Members!

Phillip Caillavet Proprietary
Doug Hansen..... Proprietary
Clint Shirley Proprietary

Membership Status (as of April 1, 2012)

Proprietary/Corp-Primary 267
Non-Resident 5
Social..... 8
Briarwood Subdivision 20
Founder 8
Business 5
TOTAL..... 313

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News *from the* **PRESIDENT**

Dirk Bauwens

Hello members,

The sunshine and great weather this past month has given us high expectations for a great golfing season. Sean has expressed that the course has wintered well and is in fantastic shape going into the spring. His crew is gearing up to produce great playing conditions throughout the year. We are the host of the 2012 State Am so please help our grounds crew by fixing ball marks, filling divots with sand, and raking bunkers. Everything we do now will help in the preparations. Remember this is our course and we are proud of it!

For those of you that haven't heard the results of the election, our 3 new board members are Joe Rand, Dave Wagner, and Carey Ziebarth. We welcome them to the board of directors. I am sure their expertise will continue developing and driving The Briarwood in the right direction. You can be assured the board is committed to having the right team servicing all departments of the club. We would love to have a few more of you joining some of our committees. If you have an interest in any of the following, Golf, Clubhouse, Membership, Greens, or Finance committees please contact any board member and we will get you involved. Thank you for your support.

It is great to see all the activity in the Pro Shop and the restaurant. Thanks to all the staff at the Briarwood that help to make us the best.

Looking forward to an awesome golf season

News *from the* **MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT**

Sean Sullivan, CGCS briarmain@180com.net

The golf course is beginning to green up, as it does every Spring, at a natural rate. I would like to remind everyone that Briarwood is at a higher elevation than the rest of the county courses. Our green up rate will be slower than the others, so be patient. Despite all the rumors, the grass always comes back. Once the grass is actively growing, we can begin to start preparing the course for the upcoming golf season. This includes mowing, topdressing, aerating, verticutting, applying fertilizers and bio stimulants.

Throughout April we will be finishing up the rock work around the parts of the course that were affected by the floods, last year. Also, as sod becomes available, we will need to repair some areas on holes 1, 4, 7 and 8 that died and did not recover last year.

Aeration of the course will be April 23-25; make a note of it! We need the time to aerate the course, so you as members and golfers have a better course to play throughout the year. Aeration is a necessary agronomic method of improving both the surface and the soil. It is also a lot of extra work, and we don't take on this extra work to upset the golfers. We hope that we have everyone's cooperation, so that we all have a better place to play.

For all the members, who don't know, I have been selected to be on the Support Team for the 2012 Open, at Royal Lytham and St. Annes in Blackpool England. I will be assisting with the preparation of the course and be a part of the on-course team which accompanies each match ensuring bunkers are raked in a correct and professional manner. This is a huge honor, for me, and I hope that as members of Briarwood you also take pride in knowing that I was the only American selected for the team.

2012 YELLOWSTONE COUNTY GOLF

Open Events

APRIL

14	4 th Annual One Club Open	Eagle Rock
21	RMC Football Fundraiser	Eagle Rock

MAY

4	High School Fundraiser	Briarwood
4	Bobcat-Griz Golf Wars	Laurel
5	Stockman Bank Helping Hands	Eagle Rock
10	First Tee Open	Lake Hills
16	Montana State Special Olympics	Par 3
18	Heights Exchange Club	Pryor Creek
18	Billings Chamber of Commerce	Briarwood
19-20	Laurel Couples Open	Laurel
25	Couples Fun Night	Eagle Rock
25	Lake Hills/Alberta Bair Classic	Lake Hills
29-30	3 rd Ann. Lake Hills Memorial Day Open	Lake Hills

JUNE

1	Riverstone Hospice	Laurel
6	Bobcat Booster Club	Peter Yegen
8	Roberts Community Foundation	Yegen
15	Beartooth Humane Alliance	Eagle Rock
15	CASA	Briarwood
19	Auto Auction Golf Tourney	Briarwood
21	SuperValu	Lake Hills
22	ASWA	Pryor Creek
22	Young Life	Eagle Rock
23	1st Interstate Bank - MS Society	Lake Hills
23	VFW Post 1634 Fundraiser	Par 3
25	St. Vincent Healthcare - Fortin	Yellowstone
29	NAIFA Scholarship Fundraiser	Briarwood
29	HBA "Toolbelt"	Lake Hills
29	RMC Golf Tournament	Peter Yegen
29	Couples Fun Night	Eagle Rock

JULY

6	Central High - 45 yr Class Reunion	Par 3
6	West/Senior - 25 yr. Reunion	Briarwood
7	MacMickey Memorial	Pryor Creek
13	A & H Turf Specialties	Briarwood
13	Optimist Club	Pryor Creek
15	Race for the Cure	Pryor Creek
20	Fellowship of Christian Athletes	Lake Hills
20	Couples Fun Night	Eagle Rock
21	Big Sky State Games	Peter Yegen
21	Ted Heidinger Memorial	Pryor Creek
23	Ronald McDonald	Yellowstone
27	Make a Wish Foundation	Eagle Rock
27	Associated Foods	Lake Hills

AUGUST

3	Ron Nistler Educators Memorial	Eagle Rock
13	Wendy's "A Waiting Child" Classic	Yellowstone
17	B.I.A. Frybread Open	Eagle Rock
24	Couples Fun Night	Eagle Rock
24	Billings Clinic Classic	Briarwood
26	Billings Clinic Classic	Laurel
31	Patriot Golf Day Men's Triad	Eagle Rock

SEPTEMBER

7	Boys and Girls Club	Yellowstone
7	Montana Stock Growers	Briarwood
7	Eagle Mount	Lake Hills
8	Breakfast Exchange Hole-in-One Tourney	Par 3
14	Habitat for Humanity	Pryor Creek
16	Gordy's - Club 90	Par 3
21	United Way Charity Classic	Peter Yegen
22	Shepherd FFA	Eagle Rock

OCTOBER

5	Boy Scouts	Laurel
6	5 th Annual Ironman Open	Eagle Rock

Men's Golf

MAY

11-12	Scratch Team Up	Laurel
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JUNE

16-17	Rock Chuck	Pryor Creek
22-24	Jamboree	Laurel

JULY

12-14	Roundup	Yellowstone
18	Jerhoff Senior Memorial	Hilands
18-21	Montana State Am	Briarwood
26-28	Tangle	Briarwood

AUGUST

2-4	Hilands Fling	Hilands
7-9	MT State Seniors Amateur	Laurel, Lake Hills, Yellowstone
8-10	MT State Mid-Amateur	Missoula CC
20-21	Yellowstone County Seniors	Pryor Creek

SEPTEMBER

8-9	Men's County Amateur	Laurel
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Men's Pro-Am

APRIL

16	Hilands G.C.	Hilands
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MAY

7	Laurel G.C.	Laurel
14	Yellowstone C.C.	Yellowstone

JUNE

4	Bridger Creek G.C.	Bozeman
11	Pryor Creek G.C.	Pryor Creek
18	Valley View G.C.	Bozeman
25	Riverside G.C.	Bozeman

JULY

2	Briarwood C.C.	Briarwood
9	Cottonwood Hills G.C.	Bozeman
23	Olive Glenn - Cody	Cody, WY

AUGUST

6	Yellowstone Chapter Scholarship	TBA
13	Powell G.C.	Powell, WY
27	Briarwood C.C.	Briarwood

SEPTEMBER

10	Laurel G.C.	Laurel
17	Hilands G.C.	Hilands

Senior Interclub

APRIL

16	Laurel	Laurel
23	Yellowstone	Yellowstone
30	Exchange City Par 3	Par 3

MAY

7	Hilands	Hilands
14	Lake Hills	Lake Hills

JUNE

4	Eagle Rock	Eagle Rock
11	Briarwood	Briarwood
26	Powder Horn	Powder Horn, Sheridan, WY

JULY

9	Peter Yegen	Peter Yegen
12	Powell	Powell, WY
16	Red Lodge	Red Lodge

AUGUST

6	Pryor Creek	Pryor Creek
27	Final Scramble	Yellowstone

Ladies Golf

JUNE

9-10	Jubilee	Laurel
12	Ladies Invitational	Lake Hills
18-19	Par Tee	Yellowstone
26	St. V Mary Nell Heringer Mem.	Yellowstone
30	Bash	Briarwood

JULY

10-11	Ladies Rock Chuck Open	Pryor Creek
13	Ladies Swing	Hilands
17-19	Ladies State Am & Senior Am	Whitefish Lake GC
26	Ladies Invitational	Eagle Rock

AUGUST

17	Ladies Billings Clinic Classic	Laurel
21	Sara Nutting Invitational	Laurel

SEPTEMBER

8-9	Ladies County Am	Peter Yegen
14	Ladies Triad	Eagle Rock
23	Helen Wilson Women's Mem.	Peter Yegen

Ladies Pro-Am

MAY

25	Powder Horn G.C.	Sheridan, WY
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JUNE

1	Briarwood C.C.	Briarwood
8	Yellowstone C.C.	Yellowstone
15	Laurel G.C.	Laurel
22	Riverside C.C.	Bozeman

JULY

27	Hilands G.C.	Hilands
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AUGUST

3	Valley View G.C.	Bozeman
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SEPTEMBER

14	Par 3	Par 3
18	Pryor Creek	Pryor Creek

County Juniors

MAY

20	Junior Open	Par 3
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JUNE

4	District #4 Qualifier	Pryor Creek
11	Lake Hills	Lake Hills
18	Eagle Rock	Eagle Rock
18-19	State Juniors	Riverside CC
25	USGA Junior Am Qualifier	Laurel
25	Pryor Creek	Pryor Creek
27	Peter Yegen	Peter Yegen

JULY

9	Hilands	Hilands
13	Exchange Club Par 3	Par 3
16	Briarwood	Briarwood
23	Laurel	Laurel
27	Yellowstone	Yellowstone

PRO SHOP PHONE NUMBERS

Briarwood C.C.	248-2702
Eagle Rock	655-4445
Hilands G.C.	259-0419
Lake Hills G.C.	252-9244
Laurel G.C.	628-4504
Par 3	652-2553
Peter Yegen	656-8099
Pryor Creek	348-3900
Yellowstone C.C.	656-1706
Jr. Golf - Jackie	671-5497
Sr. Golf - Steve	262-4136
Ladies Golf - Marcia	628-7108

News *from the* PRO SHOP

Scott Pekovich, Head PGA Professional

The 2012 Golf season has officially begun. The “March Madness” Money Ball golf event was very well attended on a chilly Saturday afternoon here at Briarwood. Thank you to all the participants for supporting the Pro-Shop and all of our efforts. Congratulations to the 1st Annual “March Madness” Money Ball Champions:

Scott Schroeder - Randy LaRance - Mike McKnire - Tracy Hayden

- President’s Cup (Match Play) Sign ups April 1st
- Briarwood Majors - The Masters April 5-8th
- Ladies Golf Clinic April 14th
- Men’s League (Fun Night) April 16th
- Men’s Kickoff “Money Ball” Scramble April 21st

The 2012 Spring/Summer apparel will be arriving this month, so come check out all the latest styles and colors from NIKE, Adidas, Puma, and more!

*REMEMBER to follow the Briarwood on FACEBOOK for daily specials, deals, and the latest golf industry news, information, and swing tips!!

2012

Men’s Kickoff

Saturday, April 21

9 am Shotgun
8:30 am Registration

\$30 Entry Fee
4-Person blind draw “Money Ball” Scramble

Call the Pro Shop now to sign up
248-2702



April 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Presidents Cup Sign Up Begins	2	3	4	5	6	7
8 Easter Brunch	9	10	11	12	13	14 Ladies Clinic 10 a.m.
15	16 Men's League Fun Night 5:45 Shotgun	17	18	19	20	21 Men's Kickoff Scramble 9:00 Shotgun
22	23 Course Aerating	24 Course Aerating	25 Course Aerating	26	27	28
29	30					

the Briarwood RESTAURANT

HOURS

MONDAY 4 PM-Close
TUESDAY 8 AM - 9 PM
WEDNESDAY 8 AM - 9 PM
THURSDAY 8 AM - 9 PM
FRIDAY 8 AM - 9 PM
SATURDAY 8 AM - 9 PM
SUNDAY 8 AM - 7 PM

BAR HOURS

Monday 11 AM-Close
Tuesday 8 AM-Close
Wednesday 8 AM-Close
Thursday 8 AM-Close
Friday 8 AM-Close
Saturday 8 AM-Close
Sunday 8 AM-Close

NOW SERVING BREAKFAST

MENU

2 eggs, hash browns, bacon or
 sausage, toast \$6.50
 2 Eggs Benedict
 with hash browns \$5.50
 2 breakfast sandwiches
 with hash browns \$6.50
 Biscuits & Gravy \$5.50

PIZZA TO GO! 245-2966

THE BRIARWOOD PHONE DIRECTORY

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