

## CLUB DIRECTORY

# TAN TARA 2011 *The Vision*

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Dining Room 716,694,0687 Imagine stepping into the clubhouse and seeing the dining room fully furnished with new tables and chairs set upon a beautiful new carpet. Imagine stopping at the turn to a fully up-dated Halfway House. Imagine bringing your guests out on Summer's day to sit on a renovated patio complete with renewed furniture. You now have the opportunity to make all that you have imagined a reality. How can you help? Speak to ONE friend, family member, co-worker, someone that you would like to play golf with here at the club...And tell them why you love being a member and how this is the best time to join Tan Tara. Our goal is to hit 400 members by July 1st to begin making improvements immediately. All we need is for you to bring in ONE member candidate to get the ball rolling. It will only take 8 new members a week between now and July 1st to make it happen but we can't do it alone! Endorsed candidates have a 75% join rate...so why not fill the club with people you want to see here? When given the same opportunity in 2003 we were able to gain 125 new members to obtain our goal. We are only asking you to bring us 70! Join our Search for Seventy and help us build a better Tan Tara!

### These Members Have Brought in Member Candidates and Have Joined The Partner Circle

Tom Berical Gary Klenk Scott Martin Eric Wyman Paul Mitri Doug Hess Mark Petrie Jim Malone Jeremy Zimmer John Gorenflo David Carroll John Tschamler Paul Simonian Mike Attea Jim Lillis Mike O'Day Paul Levine Jim Lumadue Tim Collins Mark Cavagnaro

Help Us in Our Search for Seventy and get your name on the Partner Circle List!!

### **Membership News**

Depending on how long you have been a Member here at Tan Tara, you may already know me from the Bag Room, the Halfway House or as recently the girl behind the Pro Shop Counter.Now I am introducing myself as the newest Membership Director. In addition to knowledge I have already gained here at the club, I have obtained valuable skills and experience working with Walt Disney World Company as a Campus Representative recruiting for the Walt Disney World College Program as well as being an intern for there International Public Relations department. I have also worked with the Buffalo Sabres in Public and Community Relations and recently graduated from Canisius with a Master in Sports Administration. I am happy to have the opportunity to take on the helm of the Membership Team here at Tan Tara and I look forward to seeing all of you in the Membership office with your referrals And even if you don't have referrals you can still stop by and say Hi!!

> Thank You Staci Holahan

# Golf Course Weather Updates from local weather station:

www.wunderground.com then follow the prompts to our zip code 14120

It's the most accurate weather site that we can find for this area.

For Latest Club Information go to www.tantaragc.com and for daily course up-dates call 694-0366 and press 1

## We Are Looking For A Few

## Good Members!

Friday Nights are great but... What could make them even better?

Kicking back and relaxing to music on the patio!!

If you have a band, a sound system, or know someone who does...please call Lisa Buseck for details.

> Let's make Fridays a Blast!! Starting Friday, June 24th 2011!

## Spring 2011 Golf Course Update

Well Spring had sprung for about 4 days in March and right back into Winter! This year was a long hard winter at Tan Tara.We had snow cover for the majority of the winter and now into Spring. Even though it was a tough winter we made it through this year better than we have in the past 10 seasons. There was very little snow mold or ice damage to be noticed. This is a result of newer more costly chemicals being used and the continued drainage work removing excess surface water.... But with this time of year we must be reminded that there will be frost delays and this link listed below from USGA why it's important to stay off the course during this time.

http:www.usga.org/turf/articles/video/frost.html Also with this time of year comes a frequent change in cart rulings, so please follow the numerous postings around the course. Specific cart rulings and course updates will be posted on our new Daily Board located in the score area outside the pro shop. And lastly, many of you know Tom Ray as a long time employee of Tan Tara. Tom has recently been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer and will start treatment very soon. If you would like updates or his contact info please let me know.

Thank you and see you on the course. As always, Thank You for being a member here at Tan Tara, I hope to see you all soon

> Tim Smith Course Superintendant

#### Ambassador Committee Update

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all of our new Members to Tan Tara. If you haven't already, you should be hearing soon from one of our committee members to invite you out for a round of golf or meet for a drink or a meal. It is our goal to make you feel part of the Tan Tara family as guickly as possible and we are here for our new Members in any way that you may need. I also want to thank the members of the Ambassador Committee for all of their hard work and dedication so far this season. There will be a lot of work to do as we draw closer to our goal of 400 members to activate our Palmer Partnership Fund and thank all of you for your commitment to Tan Tara. Hopefully, we we'll see you all soon around the club and if anyone has any questions about our committee or would like to become an Ambassador please do not hesitate to drop me a line at steve.overbeck@gmail.com

> Sincerely, Steve Overbeck Ambassador Committee Chairman



#### From Chef Aaron

Hello all , it's good to be here getting ready from the get go for another great season here at Tan Tara. I am looking forward to executing some new ideas for the dining room and bringing back some club favorites. Some new items for this year include: All you can eat soup , salad and breadsticks everyday 11am till 4pm for \$6.95 The new lunch menu includes a lot of your favorites from last year with the addition of the Albatross an 8 oz Turkey Burger, a Greek Salad, a new Antipasto Salad some

new apps and pizzas.

The new Dinner menu includes a Jamaican jerk tuna steak, an affordable surf and turf plate. House made 5 onion dip with crudités and fresh fried potato chips, the becoming popular open faced prime rib sandwich and many more items. Also look for nightly specials.

We will be having our \$10.00 fish fry throughout the season with your choice of side and salad bar. Please spread the word to your friends its hard to beat our quality fish fry for that price. Other possible ideas for this season -Wednesdays's All you can eat Italian Night, Possible Simple Breakfast Buffet on Saturdays and Sundays, cooking demonstrations where I show you some of the techniques I 've learned, Supper Club Dinners (four course wine paired with fine Dining Meal) and many more. We are also attempting Tan Taras First Ever vegetable garden,

featuring home grown herbs, Tomatoes,Summer Squash,Cucumbers and Peppers. We will see what kind of crop we get. Thanks for your support and of course any suggestions kindly e-mail me at adabrowski@palmergolf.com

> Very Truly Yours Aaron Dabrowski

Swing into Spring Saturday May 7th

Breakfast 7:30 am-8:30am Shotgun Start 9:00am

Scramble Format: Handicaps are NOT REQUIRED

- Put together your own Foursome
- Sign up as an Individual and you will be paired up
- Teams will be flighted from the Pro Shop

Prizes, Contests & Guaranteed Fun Field is limited to first 128

Cost \$20.00 per player

First 72 Players to register Receive Their Choice of a Glove or a Sleeve of Balls

CONTACT OUR PRO SHOP FOR DETAILS

### Pro's Corner Adam Williamson Golf Professional

#### **2011 Golf Shop News**

This years' staff will look the same as last year. Bob Ashley will be leading the way for the Golf staff as Co-GM and Director of Golf. Staci Holahan will be in and around the shop but has become Membership Director and her responsibility is there and Tournaments. If you folks haven't already, get Staci new member candidates. John Gingrich and Paul Occhino will be back to help in the Pro Shop from time to time.The Bagroom will be returning in tact for another year; so be sure you thank those guys for their hard work. This year the shop will be highlighting the following vendors. Taylor Made Titleist Callaway

> Adidas Under Armour and Nike.

FootJoy

Make sure you take advantage of the brand new T-BAM bundles. The bundles provide ways for you to save even more money.All merchandise will be marked with our members only T-BAM pricing, "prices just above our cost".

#### **GOLF INSTRUCTION**

I would like to do something different this year and perform a number of clinics.Please let me know if there is any interest and I will come up with clinic topics and dates. Individual lessons will be available as well. Please stop by or call for appointments. 998-3610

#### **TIP OF THE MONTH**

When playing early season golf in wet cold conditions it's important to take an extra club and swing smooth!!.

When putting play less break and hit the putts firm. After a nice winter break in Texas I am looking forward to another season at Tan Tara. Don't forget to get your candidates to Staci and feel free to stop by and have a chat with me.

> Thank You Adam Williamson



#### Would like to Welcome it's newest Members'

Mathew Mann Michael Mann **David Kahris Daniel Daveso** Michael Hambleton James Ryan Debra & Matthew Sheehan Frank Dolce **Charles Dolce Thomas Pieper Richard Wadsworth** Martin Pecosaro **Gregory Matos** Marc DeGiulio Ken Hyer Dave & Linda Higgins Jacob Glofka Doug & Camille McOwen **Randyll Bowen** Joelle Mann John Cordaro Derek Zgoda Paul Gangarosa **David McKinley Rick Pendleton Robert & Ellen Oberg David Bratek** Keith Berkemeir Michael Prinzbach **Charles** Neikam **Brad** Collins **Rick DeGiulio Doug Daveso** Kori Grasha James Tamsen James Spillman Joe Winkel Michael Crean