

# Member Newsletter

June 8th, 2020

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The Harvest  
Golf Club




## Online Booking

Once more, I would like to thank each and everyone of you for your support and understanding since opening day on April 17th. Even though our membership numbers are down 11% from 2019, member play remains 30% above years past, putting extreme pressure on tee time access in the process and understandably causing some frustrations along the way. While not wanting to make light of the situation, it is nice seeing golf experiencing a resurgence through this pandemic. All evidence shows this phenomenon may continue for the remainder of this golf season, if not beyond. It was initially hoped that with resumption of non-essential business services on May 19th would have relieved pressure by shifting attention away from golf, evidently this simply has not been the case. Even though, the golf course opened four weeks later than originally anticipated (March 20th) and did under major restrictions from Interior Health for the initial two weeks of the season, members rounds have already exceeded our budget expectations through June 7th.

As mentioned in our previous address, effective Monday, June 15th tee times will be adjusted back from 10 to 9 minute intervals in between the hours of 6:00 am through 12:00 noon, thus providing an additional 36 minutes or the equivalent of four tee times. The very same day your 14 day advance booking privileges will resume (Meaning on the evening of June 14th, 10:00 pm, all members will be able to book for the entire week of June 15th and June 22nd inclusively) this will Segway into the resumption of all league play scheduled for Monday, June 29th for Ladies, Seniors and Men's Night. For these specific days of the week (Monday through Thursday), this will automatically reduce the number of members logging

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## Golf Shop Opening Hours

**5:30 am**



onto the system simultaneously, hopefully one more step toward returning your club toward normalcy.

Lastly, Tuesday, June 9<sup>th</sup> Club Prophet will be performing one final system upgrade/update between 4:00 am & 5:00 am to help fix some ongoing minor glitches. We are being reassured that this process should address the situation and be a conclusive remedy (famous last words).

### **Golf Update**

Brief reminder, we currently have our Course Maintenance Teammates raking bunkers with Sand-Pro equipment as part of their daily duties, while our Course Attendants have supplemented raking throughout the course of the day in trying to provide the best possible playing conditions. We still recommend that all members to use your foot to help smooth the sand surface (on-course rakes and ball washers may be re-introduced at a date to be determined). Effective this morning, June 8th, bag stands and benches will be re-introduced on the Driving Range (club cleaners, on cart coolers, club cleaning service, valet service and club storage are still under consideration).

Thank you for your ongoing support in assisting us to navigate these uncharted times. Now that we are moving into the summer season, enjoying warmer temperatures and the longest days of the year, we hope you will continue to enjoy golf to the fullest for the remaining 154 days of this 2020 golf season.

Stay Safe & Healthy!

Respectfully,  
Gilles Dufort  
Executive Professional/General Manager  
The Harvest Golf Club LTD.

### **Driving Range Hours**

As of June 8th

Monday	<i>7:30 - 8:00</i>
Tuesday	<i>5:30 - 8:00</i>
Wednesday	<i>5:30 - 7:00</i>
Thursday	<i>7:30 - 8:00</i>
Friday	<i>5:30 - 8:00</i>
Saturday	<i>5:30 - 8:00</i>

### **Restaurant Opening Hours**

**5:30 am**

**Kiosk**

**Open 9 am Daily**

**Beverage Cart**

**10 am Daily**

**\*Schedule subject to change without notice\***

# Masa's Grill

## Prime Rib Night

Friday Night Only



*© Sweet and Savory*

**Slow-Roasted certified angus beef,  
whipped Yukon gold potato,  
vegetable medley, red wine jus,  
Yorkshire pudding & horseradish**  
\$34.95 8 oz  
\$39.95 10 oz

**New for 2020**

**“Saturday Night  
Chef’s Plate”**

**Inspired dish by  
our very own  
Executive Chef  
Michael Miller**

Market Price \$

**Sunday**

**Pasta Night**

**After 5:00 pm  
enjoy Chef-created  
selection of  
fine pasta dishes**

**\$20 per dish  
or  
\$30 for 3-course meal**

**\*\*Reservations strongly recommended\*\***