

# Glenwood Monthly

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## Glenwood Monthly Debuts!

Welcome to the first issue of the Glenwood Monthly Newsletter. Each month we will publish a new issue that will be available to the public online at our website or in the pro shop.

Included in these issues will be all the information you need to know about what is going on around the course. In our monthly editions we will always include information on our rates, memberships and

calendar of events. Also included in the newsletter will be Association results, and a breakdown of each event.

If anyone is interested in information about our Weekday Groups, we will have information monthly on those as well.

Always included in our newsletter will be a Tip from the Pro. This will give either information to help your game, or advice

to keep your game in top shape as the summer months are coming.

To allow the golfer's to stay informed, we will have a section dedicated to a Message from the Superintendent. This will allow everyone to follow the progress of all course operations during the golfing season.

We look forward to keeping you well informed throughout the year!

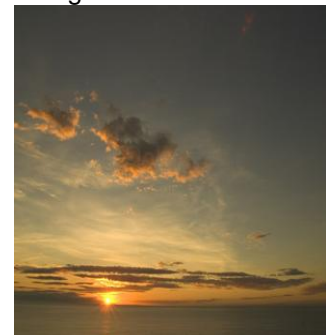
## WARMTH IS WELCOMED

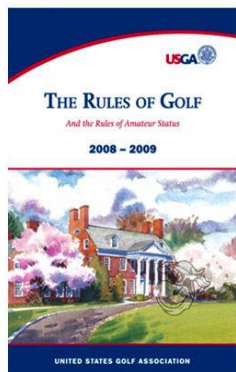
After an unseasonably cold and wet winter, we are looking forward to a great golf season and hopefully a mild one as well. With snow blanketing the Richmond area numerous times we finally look to be out of the woods. Through it all, Glenwood managed to open its doors February 20<sup>th</sup> for the first time in weeks. As many of you have noticed, many places on the course are roped off and will remain like that until warmer temperatures can dry the ground out.

March is usually a warming time for us, but still not completely safe from a winter storm. Let's keep our fingers crossed as spring approaches and we can finally dust those golf clubs off.

For many of you early birds the mornings are still chilly and the always hated frost delay is still in full swing. With temperatures approaching the 50's towards the end of February, things are definitely leaning towards warmer weather around the horizon. When the

weather finally does break we look forward to seeing everyone back out on the links again perfecting those golf games. Until then, let's try to keep those snow shovels where the golf clubs have been hiding all winter!





## GOLF RULES - WHAT HAPPENS.....

### Rule 4-3 Damaged Clubs

If, during a stipulated round, a player's club is damaged in the normal course of play, he may:

- (a) Use the club in its damaged state for the remainder of the stipulated round; or
- (b) Without unduly delaying play, repair it or have it repaired; or
- (c) Replace the damaged club with any club. The replacement of a club must not unduly delay play and must not be made by borrowing any club selected for play by any other person playing on the course.

## How much is it going to cost me?

Weekdays	Weekends & Holidays
<p><u>Before Noon:</u></p> <p>\$29 to ride \$27 to ride (Seniors) \$22 to walk</p> <p><u>After 12:00pm:</u></p> <p>\$27 to ride \$21 to walk</p> <p><u>After 2:00pm:</u></p> <p>\$24 to ride \$16 to walk</p>	<p><u>Before Noon:</u></p> <p>\$34 to ride \$27 to walk</p> <p><u>After 12:00pm:</u></p> <p>\$29 to ride \$23 to walk</p> <p><u>After 2:00pm:</u></p> <p>\$27 to ride \$19 to walk</p>

We also offer a super twilight rate around 3:30pm in the afternoon. This rate does change times every now and then, so we will not publish it. Those rates can be found on our website under the link "Winter Rates".

The following rates listed here are our Winter Rates and will be in effect until March 31, 2010.

## From the maintenance staff

*"We are looking forward to spring as much as you are!"*

*Frank Adams  
Superintendent*

As the maintenance staff begins the process of waking up the golf course from its winter sleep and preparing for a spring golf season we have serviced all equipment, sharpened the mowers, trimmed trees and cleaned up debris.

We are anxiously awaiting warm weather that will provide us with spring green up and new growth of greens and fairways.

On your first couple of trips out this year see if you can notice any changes/improvements

around the course. Be on the lookout for new trees and bunker changes. We are looking forward to spring as much as you are! It has been a long, cold winter.

## Glenwood Golf Association – 2010 Season Kickoff

We want to welcome back all of our returning members and also send out a special welcome to all of our new members! The 2010 season has just gotten back underway with the Icebreaker Scramble. With fourteen tournaments on the slate for the 2010 season, we expect to have a great year! Some tournaments that are a must to attend include the Member-Guest in July and the Club Championship in September. Glenwood's defending Club Champion is Wally Taylor.

If you are new to the Glenwood Golf

Association we want to fill you in on everything that is offered. From maintaining a handicap to playing in competitive tournaments in many different styles, it offers a fun time to enjoy with your buddies or new golfing friends. Joining a golf association also makes you eligible to play in RGA, VSGA and USGA events around the state and nation. We highly recommend trying it at some point if you have that competitive drive in you!

Your 2010 officers are:  
Ty Corbin – President  
Ron Vest – Vice President  
Wally Taylor – Secretary

### Upcoming Events

March 21, 2010

4-Man  
Best Ball Gross

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April 11, 2010

2-Man  
Scramble



Time to tee off in 2010!

## Wind More Than Ice!

As the Glenwood Golf Association met on the last Sunday of the month, the 28 anxious players gathered in what seemed to be a "Windbreaker Tournament" and not much of an "Icebreaker Tournament". With the first group getting underway just before 9:00am, the wind was just gearing up for what would be a very challenging day out on the course. Having had snow for the month of January, many players are seeing their clubs for the first time this year.

Leading the field out of the gate was the team of Taylor, Borkey, Buchanan and Vonderlehr. Right away the team put together three straight birdies and closed their round with 6 out of 9 to bring home a second place finish. With a round of 60 (58.5 with handicap) they came up just short of landing the first win of the year. Just a few groups back was the team of Isbell, Lowry, Wade and Willis. They had 2 ½ more strokes of handicap in the event, and that's just what it took to lead

their team to the win. With an outer nine of 30, the team maintained consistency and brought it home with an inward 31 to cap off a round of 61 (56 with handicap) which cleared the tightly bunched field by just a few strokes.

We hope to see everyone out at the course in about three weeks for our second event of the season. On March 21<sup>st</sup>, the 4-Man Best Ball event will be held. Sign-up sheet will be posted shortly.

### Results ~ Icebreaker (February 28, 2010)

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Isbell, Lowry, Wade, Willis (56)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Taylor, Borkey, Buchanan, Vonderlehr (58.5)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Corbin, Vest, Jeter, Riddle (58.5)
- 4<sup>th</sup> – Barrett, Zahn, L. Smithson, Fitzgerald (59.5)
- 5<sup>th</sup> – Calhoun, Jr., Lushbaugh, Clark, Viar (60)
- 6<sup>th</sup> – Cousins, Schwarz, Mazza, Adams (61)
- 7<sup>th</sup> – S. Smithson, Southward, Ramey, Anderson (63.5)

## JOIN THE NEW GLENWOOD E-CLUB!!!

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*“E-Club members will receive special discounts which will be e-mailed to them”*

Want to stay informed of what’s going on here at Glenwood?? With the summer months approaching, get signed up now to have all the information you need to know!! From Association Info to Discounts, we will have it all at the tips of fingers. Sign up today online at our website which is listed here on our

newsletter. Starting in April, E-Club members will receive special discounts which will be e-mailed to them.

Listed in the column to the right is all the information that will be sent to you on a weekly basis.

Do sign up today!!!!

### E-Club Includes:

Association Info

Course Info

Events

Discounts

Newsletter

and MORE!!!!

## Tubby Memorial Group

The Tubby Memorial Group is a Thursday morning group of golfers that have a fun game and good time. It cost \$17 to join in the Big Ball, Cuts and Closest to the Pin contests. Anyone is invited to join and definitely bring your friends!

Tee times for the group start and approximately 8:15am and run till about 9:00am. You can play with your friends or let us put you with a group.

They play a preferred drive format which helps the short tee ball hitters.

On all par 3’s everyone plays their own ball.

Be sure to check the group’s page on Glenwood’s website for more extensive details! Hope to see you out here on Thursdays to join us!

Dan Isbell – President

## Want to be a member of the Ole’ Course??

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*“Whether you would like to join by yourself, or you want to bring your whole family we have a package that will fit you.”*

Do you find yourself playing most of your rounds here at Glenwood?? Do your friends play at Glenwood a lot?? If you answered yes to either or both of those questions, then a Glenwood Membership could be just what you need!

Affordable golf is just what everybody is looking for in a golf club, and we offer great competitive

packages to suit your budget. Whether you would like to join by yourself, or you want to bring your whole family we have a package that will fit you.

With most of our membership packages, they typically pay for themselves if you get out a few times a week. Cart fees are still required if you choose to ride, but greens fees are unlimited,

based on the package you choose.

We hope you take the time to see the great savings we offer and hope to see you purchase a Glenwood Membership in the near future, so you can say you are “A member of the oldest public golf club in Richmond”.

## About Glenwood Golf Club

Historic Glenwood, a Fred Finlay design, is the oldest public golf course in the Richmond area.

Established in 1926–27, the grand opening was May 1, 1927. Located on Creighton Road, just minutes from downtown Richmond and the Richmond International Airport, we have served up wonderful golf for generations of Richmonder's and others from the surrounding areas.

Famous for our small greens but generous fairways, we offer a golfing challenge for every skill level.

Come play the course, see the downtown skyline from the second hole, enjoy the wildlife so close to the city and experience what Richmond's hidden gem has in store for you.

### Glenwood Fast Facts

- Opened April 30, 1927
- Course Record – 59  
(Wally Taylor)
- 34 Bunkers on the Course
- Snapping Turtle in our pond on Hole #6
- Voted Top 5 Best Golf Course Food at the Turn. (Egg & Cheese Sandwich)
- Rated 2 ½ Stars by Golf Digest
- 5 Minutes from the City and Airport
- Hole #4 – Most Aced Hole in Richmond



Richmond, VA Skyline.

## GLENWOOD BIRTHDAY BASH

It's approaching that time of year again, and now we are just a few months away from our 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Glenwood Birthday Bash.

For those who are unfamiliar with the event, you are truly missing a wonderful event! Started in 2007, the Glenwood Birthday Bash is a fun tournament which is open to everyone of any skill level. The sole purpose of the event is to celebrate Glenwood's Birthday and have a good time doing it.

This year, the tournament will take place on Monday,

May 10, 2010. We will have two shotgun starts, with one being at 8:00am and the other at 1:00pm.

The format for this tournament is a two-player Captain's Choice. Yes, that is the pretty basic format for a tournament, so we through a few twists of our own into it. Instead of playing the whole round from the same tee markers, you will move to different ones based on what you score on the previous hole. For example, if you birdie your first hole you will play the tee markers behind you on

the next hole. If you bogey the first hole you would play the tee markers ahead of you on the next hole. You would repeat this process for your entire round.

Entry fee for this event is only \$30 and covers EVERYTHING! Golf, lunch, entry into contests, logo ball and snacks. The only thing it doesn't include is a golf game, but who needs that when we are having fun??

If interested, call the Pro Shop or check online in the Birthday Bash link.

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site.

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## Looking for a tournament to play in??

Here are a few tournaments that will be played at Glenwood this year that are always looking for players. If interested, please contact the pro shop for more details about a certain event or for contact info.

Glenwood Pro Shop:  
(804)226-1793

April 30 -  
**Madison Mingloski  
Benefit Golf Tournament**  
Burt Milton (804)898-1570

May 5-  
**Lion's Club Golf  
Tournament**  
Grover Newell 737-6222

May 10-  
**Glenwood Birthday Bash**  
Smitty Smithson 226-1793

May 12-  
**St. Andrews Church Golf  
Tournament**  
Mr. Rowe 282-3544

More tournaments will be listed in the April issue of the Glenwood Monthly

## Outings and Leagues

Glenwood Golf Club welcomes corporate outings and leagues with very competitive rates. Leagues typically take place in the afternoon during weekdays. Outings on the other hand can be booked for any day of the

week, with various time slots available.

Call the Pro Shop today if you are interested in finding out more details about possibly booking your next outing at Glenwood. Our staff here

is willing to work with you and make your outing truly a success.

## Seasonal Hiring

If anyone is interested, or knows someone interested in seasonal work, part time positions come available usually in April. Tell your friend or family member that is

interested in a job opportunity to come by the golf shop to fill out an application. It is not certain if any positions will come available, but if they do we will at least have

your information on record.

Employment Contact:

Frank Adams  
(804)226-1793

## MEET THE STAFF!

### Jodie Cole - Snack Bar/Grill (Saturday ~ AM)

How many years have you worked here? **One Year**  
What's your favorite part about working here? **The golfers**  
Do you play golf? If so, what's your favorite hole? **Yes, #13**  
What is your favorite thing to cook? **Cheeseburgers**  
Finally, what's a fact about you that everyone should know? **I have a dog named Link that I bring to the course with me when I play.**

