AUGUST 2025 MONTHLY

NEWSLETTER

READING COUNTRY CLUB ON THE GREEN

THANK YOU TO ALL

It's safe to say this summer's weather has kept us on our toes. At one point, I joked that if I wanted it to rain, all I had to do was wash my car in the morning. Now I've realized, if I want it to rain for an entire season, just buy a golf course!

Despite the wild weather, the course is in very good condition. The construction work is now complete, and the renovated holes look fantastic. Our team has done an incredible job navigating the challenges, and we're grateful for your patience and support along the way.

Jack's on the Green continues to thrive, and we're seeing great energy and enthusiasm from both members and guests. A heartfelt thank you to everyone who has supported the club, dined with us, played a round, booked an event, or simply shared a good word.

This month also marked our first Greens
Committee meeting. We're fortunate to have a
group of dedicated members volunteering their
time and sharing input to help us make continued
improvements to the course and overall
experience. Their insights are already proving
invaluable.

We're looking forward to a strong second half of the season and appreciate everyone who continues to make Reading Country Club such a special place.

See you out there,

Chuck Gulati -General Manager-





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Book a tour or inquire about availability today!



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RCC IS BACK!

Curious about our new menus? We are still booking end of the year events and into 2026

WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED!

From corporate meetings, non profit galas, fundraisers, golf outings, weddings and everything in between

NEW & IMPROVED

With pricing and packages to fit your vision & budget, let us help create the occasion you've been dreaming of!



The Bridal Suite

Get Glam.

The Dress.
The Hair.
The Makeup.
The Jewelry.
The Mimosas.
Did we
mention
pastries?

Which will be your favorite part of getting ready? From early arrivals to last minute touch ups - we got you!





From Breakfast & Bubbly to the Finishing Touches





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Prime 2026

Wedding Dates Still

Available!

Book Your Tour Today! ReadingCountryClub.com



BOOK YOUR EVENT BY SEPTEMBER 1ST & RECEIVE A FREE DESSERT STATION



SEASONAL BUFFET,
CARVING STATION
COCKTAIL HOUR
OPTIONS

NOVEMBER DECEMBER JANUARY

MULTIPLE BAR
PACKAGES

SIGNATURE
COCKTAILS

THE RCC HALLS WILL BE DECKED WITH DECOR! YOU ONLY NEED TO BRING THE MERRIMENT!



BOOK NOW!

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Behind the Scenes: RCC Commercial Shoot

If you were lucky enough to be visiting us on the 22^{nd} , you may have caught a glimpse of our incredible AV team, Brad and Mike. They spent a full day shooting drone footage and video content for an upcoming commercial for the Reading Country Club. We are excited to partner with Comcast and be featured on all your favorite sports networks and the biggest games of the season.

For those of you who were on the property and gracious enough to be a part of it (whether by volunteer or coerced with beer) THANK YOU!

Keep your eyes peeled for our thirty seconds of fame. Coming this August!

Sincerely, Kayla
- Director of Sales & Marketing

(and probably the one begging you to volunteer)



THEY'RE FINALLY HERE!

Happy Hour & Late Night Menus

Late Night Menu

BAKED BRIE \$18

Local Raspberries, Pecans & Rosemary, Served with Crackers

SLOW ROASTED WINGS \$18

Buffalo, Thai Chili or BBQ with Celery & Side of Ranch or Blue Cheese

MEDITERRANEAN CHICKPEA **HUMMUS \$12**

Grilled Naan Bread, Cucumbers & Carrots V/DF

FRIED CHEDDAR CHEESE CURDS \$12

with Chipotle Ranch or Sriracha

CRISPY CHEESESTEAK EGG ROLL DUO \$12

with Spicy Ketchup

CRISPY BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Parmesan & Pork Belly with Sriracha Aioli GF

JUMBO NACHOS \$14

House-Made Chips with Beer Cheese Sauce, Pico De Gallo, Lettuce, Sour Cream & Fresh Guacamole **GF** Add-Chili \$3 Shrimp \$4 Chicken \$3

FISH & CHIPS \$14

Cod Filet battered with Fries and side of Tartar Sauce

MARGARITA FLATBREAD \$14

with Mozzarella, Sliced Tomatoes. Oven Baked and Drizzled with Fresh Basil and Balsamic Glaze

BUFFALO CHICKEN FLATBREAD \$16

Marinated Chicken with Buffalo Sauce, Shredded Cheddar Cheese, Oven Baked & Drizzled with Ranch or Blue Cheese Dressing

RCC SMASH BURGER. \$18

Two Certified Angus Patties. Lettuce, American Cheese, & Golden Tee Sauce



We're thrilled to announce that our weekly happy hour at Jack's Pub has been a resounding success, drawing in a lively crowd of regulars and new faces alike! Driven by the enthusiastic response from our loyal Tuesday night scramble crowd, we are excited to extend our happy hour timeline on Tuesdays. Starting this week, our happy hour specials will now be available from 4 PM to 8 PM on Tuesdays, giving you more time to unwind,



socialize, and enjoy our

fantastic deals.

JACK'S PUB HAPPY HOUR

Tuesday through Friday 4pm - 6pm

\$8 COCKTAILS

THE CLASSICS

MOJITO MARGARITA BAY-BREEZE WHISKEY SOUR

MOSCOW **MEXICO** LONDON KENTUCKY

THE MULES

THE BREWS \$3



MILLER LITE YUENGLING LAGER READING PREMIUM

SPIRIT FORWARDS \$10

COSMOPOLITAN LEMON DROP OLD FASHIONED DIRTY MARTINI MANHATTAN



ADD A FLAVOR TO ANY COCKTAIL \$1 PEACH COCONUT POMEGRANATE

STRAWBERRY GUAVA PASSIONFRUIT

THE GRAPES \$4.50



CABERNET SAUVIGNON MERLOT PINOT NOIR SAUVIGNON BLANC CHARDONNAY MOSCATO PINOT GRIGIO

Premium Liquors Excluded









Call 610-779-1000 or go online to ReadingCountryClub.com to book a reservation today!



Sundays at Jack's on the Green are all about great food, good company, and laid-back vibes. Join us every Sunday from 9AM to 2PM for the brunch favorites you've come to love. Dig into our crowd-pleasing Crab Cake Benedict, savor the flavor-packed Over the Top Avocado Toast, and keep things flowing with Mimosas Your Way—a bottle of sparkling wine served with your choice of two juices: Orange, Pineapple, Peach, or Strawberry. Come relax, raise a glass, and make Sunday brunch your favorite weekly tradition.

Adam McGrath -Food & Beverage Manager-

Features

Our Crab-Stuffed Flounder continues to be one of the most loved dishes on the menu. This flavorful favorite features tender flounder filled with a savory crab stuffing, and is finished with a lemon & herb butter sauce that brings it all together. Served with creamy mashed potatoes and perfectly grilled asparagus, it's a dish that's both comforting and elegant. If you haven't tried it yet, now's the time!

Benjamin Lopez -Executive Chef-

Swing by Jack's pub and enjoy a cold Reading Premium Lager—a crisp, easy-drinking brew that's been a Pennsylvania favorite for decades. Revitalized in 2019 by Sly Fox Brewing, this light American lager keeps its nostalgic charm while offering a clean, modern taste that's perfect for soaking up the sun or winding down after a long day. At 4.5% ABV, it's light enough to have more than one—but satisfying enough to make each one worth savoring. Better yet, it's just \$3 during Happy Hour! Come grab a pint and taste a true local classic!

Leah Anderson -Bar Manager-

Mine 8 Wine

Thursdays from 2pm-6pm

Enjoy a \$40 Nine hole round with golf cart included. Then show your golf receipt at Jack's Pub to get a complimentary glass of house wine!



Reading Country Club



Reserve your Tee Time at ReadingCountryClub.com









COURSE UPDATES

Hello all, I wanted to give you all an update on recent events and upcoming work to be performed on the course. First, it looks like the new tees have finally dried up enough to push roots. The excessive rains combined with the heat actually delayed the ability for the sod to grab hold of the soil mix. The sod was actually floating and beginning to rot in the stagnant conditions. It will take until fall before we can mow the news tees at the same height as the rest of the tees.

As far as the rest of the tees are concerned, we experienced a good bit of damage from the rain and heat as well. Aerifying and overseeding will begin within the next two weeks. Unfortunately the tees have not been aerated for a number of years and the neglect contributed to the extent of the damage. I'm excited to give the tees some long forgotten attention. As for our worst tees, speaking of the 3 white tee as well as the 13 white tee, we will be addressing these in the off-season. I'm hoping to complete all immediate tee work by the second week of August. Please understand that we will be trying to perform all this work without closures and still perform our weekly maintenance.

Our biggest challenge will be the recovery of the fairways. Once again the weather damage that we experienced had a good bit to do with environmental factors, as well as a history of neglect of seasonal maintenance. It is my goal to aerate and overseed all of the fairways starting in mid August and finishing sometime in mid to late September. Once again it is the goal of the staff to perform this complex task without closures. If everything goes as planned, this may be the first time in 8 years that this seasonal maintenance has been performed.

With September quickly approaching, its also time to prepare for the aeration of the greens. This will take place the second week of September. To complete the aeration of the greens, we will need to close the course for a day or two depending on the weather. The greens aeration is obviously much more difficult and involved than the other surfaces and needs to be completed all at the same time. It generally takes at least two weeks for the greens to recover from aeration, once again depending on the weather. I normally like to stop mowing greens for several days after aeration, but once mowing resumes, playing conditions return quickly. We will update golfers closer to these dates.

Please understand that we prefer not to do seasonal maintenance that interrupts play, due mostly to the difficulty of completing regular maintenance. It is, however, extremely important to complete as many tasks prior to October to ensure full recovery.

Thank you all so much for your understanding and patience during such difficult weather conditions and the damage that came with it. Cool dry weather is on its' way.

Brian Ahrens
-Golf Course Superintendent-



UP AND COMING...

The 2025 Senior Club Championship was played on July 19th and 20th, with this year's title going to Chris Wagner. Chris posted a stellar 2nd day round of even par to secure the victory over 2-time defending champ Steve Miller. The low net crown went to Bill Reppert who edged out Tom Rapposelli in a tie break win.

The RCC Club Championship will be held on Sat & Sun, Aug 16th and 17th where Chase Yenser will be going for a three-peat. The event is open to players of all ages and playing ability both Members & Public. The Club Champion will be determined with the lowest aggregate gross score for the two days, with the low net winner determined using your current GHIN handicap. If you do not have a GHIN handicap you can still compete for the low gross title of Club Champion.

Lastly the Red White & Brews event was a huge success with the shotgun start completely filling the front nine and well over 70 attendees for the BBQ dinner. We appreciate those patient enough to wait out the brief storms! Starting on Thursday, July 31st, you can set your own tee time and join us for Nine and Wine Thursdays. Make a tee time for either 9 or 18 holes between 2 and 6pm every Thursday and get a complimentary glass of house wine after your round. Upon check-in at the Pro Shop, you'll get your receipt to be shown in the clubhouse after your round for your free glass of wine, and that's it! See you on the course!

Dave Milore
-Director of Golf-

BE KIND TO OUR COURSE!

Learn How To Repair a Ball Mark





Use a pointed object, a ball mark repair tool is recommended.



Push Don't Pry

Starting from the sides, gently push & stretch the turf to the center of the mark.



Work Around

Work around the mark until it is filled in. Avoid lifting and twisting the turf harshly.



FINAL TOUCH

Use your putter to lightly tap down the mark. Fix other marks in addition to yours.

A few extra seconds is all it takes to keep our greens looking and playing their best.

Membership Info





What We Offer:

Golf Availability 7 Days a Week: Enjoy unlimited access to our stunning course.

- Discounts on Merchandise & Dining: Enjoy 10% off all Pro Shop purchases and restaurant food.
- Member-Only Clubhouse Events: Enjoy exclusive events designed for members to foster camaraderie and socializing in a relaxed setting.
- Advanced Tee Time Reservations: Members can reserve tee times up to 15 days in advance for optimal course access.
- Special Family Perks: Enjoy seamless dining and shopping for your family with your house account.
- Club Championship & Tournaments: Participate in prestigious events like the Club Championship and Henry Clay Poe Tournament.
- Member Only Winter League: Stay connected with fellow members during the off-season by joining our exclusive winter simulator league in the Fairway Lounge
- Locker Rental: For \$10 a month, store your equipment in a private locker, keeping your gear safe and ready for your next round—ideal for busy golfers wanting easy access to their essentials.

Enjoy all this and more when you join Reading Country Club — where tradition meets exceptional service.

Our History:

Established in 1923, has long been a cornerstone of golfing tradition in Berks County, Pennsylvania. Originally founded as a private, members-only club, it was designed to provide a retreat for golf enthusiasts.

The club's lush, rolling landscape and beautifully designed course quickly became a favorite among local golfers, providing not only a challenging game but also a place for community and camaraderie.



Operations and Guest Information

COURSE HOURS

Monday – Friday: 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM Saturday - Sunday: 6:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Our beautifully maintained course is open daily, offering ample opportunities for early morning tee times and twilight rounds.



Call the Pro Shop at 610-779-1626 or Online Bookings are available via our website

We recommend booking in advance, especially for weekend slots, to secure your preferred tee time.



ON THE COURSE:

Recognized golf attire is required.

Men: Collared shirts, golf slacks or shorts (no denim).
Women: Collared shirts or blouses, golf skirts or slacks.
Golf shoes with soft spikes are mandatory.

IN THE CLUBHOUSE:

Casual attire is welcomed; however, we ask guests to avoid overly casual clothing such as sleeveless vests for men or T-shirts with inappropriate language.

DRESS CODE



We appreciate your cooperation in maintaining the club's standards and ensuring a pleasant environment for all.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC WITH EXCLUSIVE MEMBER BENEFITS!

At RCC, we are thrilled to welcome everyone, whether you're a golf member or a guest. Our doors are open to everyone, so you can enjoy our pristine golf course, exquisite dining, and lively atmosphere.