

## Last Minute Golfer Shamble at Musket Ridge

This past Tuesday, on a perfect August day Ayce and Bogeyman enjoyed a Last Minute Golfer 2-person shamble at Musket Ridge. The group of about sixty players of all abilities were treated to some friendly competition on a beautiful course. The winning low gross team comprised of Doug Chapin and Travis Espenlaub shot a 64, a mere 5 strokes better than the Waggle twosome.



The low net team of Nathan Yi and Scott Kim posted a 54. There were loads of prizes, to the point that virtually everyone walked away with something. Habitat for Humanity of Frederick benefited from the mulligan money and a good time was had by all. This is the second tournament Waggle has participated in, but certainly not the last! Oh, and Musket Ridge is in great shape too!

If you have not visited [www.lastminutegolfer.com](http://www.lastminutegolfer.com) to register, you are missing out on a super service. It provides tee times at good rates for quality courses. Frequent users earn points toward free golf, outings, and more. We are particularly impressed with the personalized alerts to special rates at our favorite courses.

## Weekend Twilight Special at Blue Ridge Shadows

Take advantage of the beautiful weather forecast this weekend at Blue Ridge Shadows in Front Royal, VA. Play Saturday & Sunday (August 9-10) after 2pm for just \$45 per person; includes green fee, cart, range, a basket of wings and a draft beer or fountain soda (Not valid with any other offer). Call 866.631.9661 for reservations.

## Wanna Play Beechtree? Better Hurry...



The owners of the Beechtree Golf Club in Aberdeen, Maryland announced on July 21, 2008 that the club will cease operations at the end of 2008. Until then, operations at the course will continue as usual with the golf course remaining open until late November and the restaurant continuing service until late December.

"This has been a very difficult decision for our family" said James F. Knott, Jr., who indicated that the plan for the property is to move forward with the proposed residential development. "We have an incredible group of loyal employees and have one of the premier public golf courses in the country, however, the benefits of proceeding with the residential development far outweigh continuing operations of the golf business." The timing of the residential development named Beechtree Estates is expected to coincide with the anticipated housing demand in Harford County due to the Pentagon's Base Realignment and Closure program.

### This Week on Tour

- **PGA TOUR**  
PGA CHAMPIONSHIP  
OAKLAND HILLS CC  
BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP, MI  
AUGUST 7 - 10
- **CHAMPIONS TOUR**  
OFF
- **NATIONWIDE TOUR**  
WICHITA OPEN  
CRESTVIEW CC  
WICHITA, KS  
AUGUST 7 - 10
- **LPGA**  
OFF

### Wanna Play Swan Point? You Still can...



After reading an article in a local golf magazine that Swan Point would be closing later this year, we hustled down to Issue Maryland for a last round at one of our favorite most scenic courses. Luckily they were wrong. We were pleasantly surprised to learn from the pro there, Ryan Meredith, that the renovation would not be taking place for at least a year. It had been erroneously reported that not only was the course closing this year, but that the club would become private. According to Ryan, the club will not go private until 1,000 homes are built, and so far only 400 exist. Brookfield Homes who are ownership partners with US Steel, currently manage the course and develop the community. At some point Westin will be building a hotel with access to the course but that is not imminent.

Swan Point was the site for the Seventh Annual Robert Wright Charity Open on the day of our visit, so we joined the field of 27 teams for a wonderful outing to benefit Children's Hospital. (Our team got third, and AYCE won the putting contest!) The course is in nice shape and should be on your play list.

**Swan Point Golf Course - Issue, MD - [www.swanpointgolf.com](http://www.swanpointgolf.com)**

### August Offers from Worthington Manor

Worthington Manor ([www.worthingtonmanor.com](http://www.worthingtonmanor.com)) in Urbana, MD has some interesting summer promos.

**FREE \$89 ROUND OF GOLF** - Currently through August play four rounds (18-holes any day of the week) and you will receive a free round valued up to \$89.

**FILL 'ER UP/TEE 'ER UP (Tuesdays in August)** - Fill up your car with gasoline, bring us the receipt and we will give you \$1 per gallon (up to 10 gallons) off the price of our regular rates. On average, gas prices in our area are .10 to .20 cents less. So, take a short drive to Worthington Manor, save money on your round of golf and by filling up in our area.

**GO GREEN to OUR GREENS (Wednesdays in August)**

In an effort to be more environmentally friendly, reward you for doing your part and to save you money; Arrive at our course, **FOUR PLAYERS in ONE VEHICLE** and receive a coupon at our bag drop for "4 play for the price of 3" valid for that days' play. Note: You must pull up with all 4 players to our bag drop.

Offers do not apply to our 4 pm rate and is not valid with other offers or promotions.

### Time For a Visit to Lee's Hill

It's a good time to hop off I-95 at exit 126 near Fredericksburg, Virginia and play at Lee's Hill. Recent construction adjacent to the course is virtually complete and landscaping is underway. Improvements to the irrigation system have help put the course in good shape and new management is working hard to connect with Lee's Hill golfers. An upcoming member guest tournament on October 11-12 promises to be a big event (see Waggle "local events" for details soon.) The continued growth of the Southpoint area means more restaurants to stop by for dinner before driving home. Ayce suggests the Southpoint Buffet Restaurant! And, remember those always cheaper gas prices in the Fredericksburg area warrant a fill-up.

To make it easy to play your own practice round before the member/guest fall tourney or just a regular round, Waggle is offering \$20 off your next greens fees – order the vouchers good any day any time online at <http://www.waggleproshop.com/leeshillgolfersclub.html>

# Waggle.com Local Golf News

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## Upcoming Waggle.com Tournaments

Our popular 2-person events are starting back up after our July break. These are 2-person, fun, no handicap events for players of all skills. Everybody gets a goodie bag and there are prizes for first thru last place. Come on out and try one!

Sat - August 9      Compass Pointe      SOLD OUT

Sun - August 17      Blue Ridge Shadows      Only \$52

More coming soon...

Details and registration at

[www.waggleproshop.com](http://www.waggleproshop.com)

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Send us your feedback, tell us about your upcoming event or give us story ideas for the newsletter.

**The Waggle.com Fall Classic charity golf tournament will be held on Monday, October 6th at Lake Presidential. Look for details soon!**

## Upcoming Local Events

## [View All Events](#)

### 8/9/08 - Nike Tech Van at Potomac Ridge

Saturday August 9th visit the Nike Tech Van at Potomac Ridge Golf Course in Waldorf, MD. Event includes Nike Launch Monitor, demo products, full shoe assortment and a majority of the equipment built on-site. Call 800-791-9078 or visit the pro shop to sign up.

### 8/18/2008 - Stand By Me Foundation 11th Annual Celebrity Golf Classic

Join Ben E. King and his celebrity friends at Lansdowne on Aug 17 and 18 to help raise funds for the Stand by Me Foundation. The purpose of the Ben E. King Stand By Me Foundation is to assist various civic organizations in their missions to improve the quality of life of the people they serve, and to assist young people who have accepted responsibility for their emotional, social and educational growth and development. Contact Shirley Henderson at 703.819.1772 for details. For more info, visit [www.benekingstandbyme.org](http://www.benekingstandbyme.org)

### 8/19/2008 - Women on Course

Join us for an afternoon Golf Experience! Men have been using golf for business and now it's our turn. Festivities begin at 2pm with a short feature to discover your golf personality. Next, choose one of 3 golf activities; our signature new golfer clinics, golf clinic and 4 holes scramble, or participate in a 9 hole scramble. Followed by a lively 19th hole reception with business networking, prizes, food and wine. Don't miss this popular event which sells out each year. River Creek Club, Leesburg, VA. \$59 members, \$79 guests. To register call 703 268-5078. For more info, visit [www.womenoncourse.com/events/golf\\_virginia\\_river.php](http://www.womenoncourse.com/events/golf_virginia_river.php)

### 8/18-21/2008 - Junior Clinics at Maryland National Golf Club

There will be Junior Clinics at Maryland National Golf Club from August 18 - August 21, 2008 from 6-7 PM. Golf fundamentals and basics will be covered. Call Mike Assink at 301-371-0000 x 114 to reserve space.

### Quote of the Week

**"If you drink,  
don't drive.  
Don't even putt."**

-Dean Martin





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#### The Bridges Golf Club - Abbottstown, PA

A trip to Amish country nets you a bargain at The Bridges. The clubhouse is quite a structure to see, as is this well kept par 72. Some of the holes are very memorable with one par four set at over 90 degrees from the tee box. Smart players can post a good score, but probably on their second time around.

One play for Greens Fee of \$29.50; Seniors \$28.00 (M-Fri Anytime) Cart Included. Valid 4x in 2008.  
One play for Greens Fee \$35.00 (Sat, Sun & Holidays after 1pm) Cart Included. Valid 4x in 2008.  
50% Off second bucket of Balls. Valid Unlimited Times in 2008.\*

#### Mountain View Golf Course - Fairfield, PA

Treat a friend to golf at this four star rated (Golf Digest) course near Gettysburg. The front nine is a warm up for the tight back nine. Conditioning is always tops at Mountain View. The pro shop is a pre-civil war farmhouse which adds to the charm of the golf experience.

2 for 1 Greens Fee 18 Holes, Regular rates only. (M-Fri Anytime, Weekends & Holidays after 12pm) Cart required. Valid 4x in 2008. Free Greens Fee on Weekday Replays. Cart required. Valid unlimited times in 2008.\*

#### Southmoore Golf Club - Bath, PA

Read the offers in your pass carefully to garner the best discounts for this fine course which has hosted numerous tournaments at all levels. Jim Muschlitz runs his highly acclaimed academy at the site so stop in for a tune-up. Conditions at his course are usually quite good, so call ahead for a tee time.

One Play for \$32 Anytime M-F (excluding holidays) or weekends and holidays 12pm-2pm. Cart included. Valid 2x in 2008. One Play for \$26 M-F 11am-2pm(excluding holidays) or weekends and holidays 2pm-4pm. Cart included. Valid 2x in 2008.

\* These are not coupons. Offers are valid with a 2008 U.S. Golf Pass. Order yours at [www.usgolfpass.com](http://www.usgolfpass.com)

