



September 2022

## Hoof Beats

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### **President's Message By Jolene Cortright**

As I sat down to write my message, a song came up, and these lyrics caught my eye:

“When the world is running down,  
You make the best of what's still around.” Lyrics from *The Police*

As your Club President, I felt it was important to address all of you, instead of just those of you that have inquired. There's a lot of chatter around the Club lately, and I wanted to clear the air for everyone. Many members attended the August Board meeting and expressed some concerns. One of the concerns involved the lack of ease in finding the Club financials on our website. The Board is addressing this, as there were several hiccups with the transition to the new website platform earlier this year. In the meantime, be assured that the financials are available to any member who would like to see them.

Many of the meeting attendees regularly participate in one or more of the numerous important Activity Groups at the Club, including Mahjong, Book Club, Tennis, Pickleball and others. Several meeting attendees expressed they felt their concerns regarding the Activity Groups were not always addressed appropriately. The Board is looking into the idea of an Activity Group Liaison to represent the Activity Groups by attending Board meetings and reporting back to the Activity Groups. The Liaison would also help with scheduling the Activity Groups, and with other needs, including when interruptions may occur.

Now, going back to the quote I started with. Let's remember what we have in the Saddle Club! We have a rich combination of heritage, friendships, terrific events, and camaraderie.

On the subject of camaraderie, a great many Club members are about to embark on the Saddle Club cruise to the Mediterranean this month. So much to look forward to with creating new, as well as deepening existing friendships, with experiencing exciting activities, and with lots of fun to be had. Wait, that sounds remarkably similar to a special place we all have. Wherever we go, whatever is getting us down, let's remember how special our Saddle Club is.

-Your President, Jolene

## Social Activities for September & October

September 1	Burger Night
September 2	Friday Night Dinner
September 4	<b>Sunday Brunch CANCELLED</b> for Polo Party - Start time 4:00pm (Sold Out)
September 6	Tightwad Tuesday Fried Chicken Dinner
September 9	Friday Night Lobster Bake Dinner
September 11	Sunday Brunch
September 13	Tightwad Tuesday
September 16	Friday Night Dinner
September 18	Sunday Brunch
September 20	Tightwad Tuesday
September 23	Friday Night Dinner
September 25	Sunday Brunch
September 27	Tightwad Tuesday
September 30	<b>Friday Night Hawaiian Luau Dinner</b>
October 2	Sunday Brunch
October 4	Tightwad Tuesday Fried Chicken Dinner
October 6	Burger Night
October 7	Friday Night Dinner   <b>WOSC Car Show with Live Music by Tommy Thomsen</b>
October 9	Sunday Brunch
October 11	Tightwad Tuesday
October 14	Friday Night Dinner
October 16	Sunday Brunch
October 18	Tightwad Tuesday
October 21	Friday Night Dinner
October 23	Sunday Bruch
October 25	Tightwad Tuesday
October 28	<b>Friday Night Prime Rib Dinner</b>
October 30	Sunday Brunch

## *News from GM Lori... Special Events*

- Burger Night September 1
  - Exhibition Polo 4:00pm Start (Sold Out) September 4
- Sept 4 Sunday Brunch CANCELLED for the Polo Party**
- Lobster Bake September 9
  - Friday Night Hawaiian Luau Dinner September 30
  - Burger Night October 6
  - WOSC Car Show with  
Live Music by Tommy Thomsen October 7
  - Prime Rib Night October 28

### **September Birthdays!**

We send our warmest wishes for a Happy Birthday to these wonderful members!  
Al Donnelly, Al Maggini, Alice von der Mehden, Andrew Gorayeb, Barbara Katona,  
Barbara Peoples-Herrero, Barbara Shubel, Bill Leder, Bob Riddell, Carl Flegal,  
Chuck Martzall, Colleen Pundyk, Dan McMahon, Don Doherty, Dona Moberly,  
Eileen Trione, Frank Panza, Grace Barner, Jean Meddaugh, Judy Archambeau,  
Karen Daniels, Kimberly Gorayeb, Mark Randol, Norma Person, Pat Veale,  
Paul Simpson, Sam Guerrera, and Vicki Brecht.

### **Annual Capital Assessment**

Members will see the Club's \$300 annual capital assessment reflected on this month's billing. Many years ago, this was implemented to offset regular building, grounds and equipment expenses for both maintenance and new purchases. Please note, too, that going forward in order to help with staffing costs, an 18% service charge will be added to lunch tickets, in the same manner as we do for Sunday Brunches. We thank you for your continued patronage to the Club.

### **Important WOSC Website Update**

Since we had some challenges with Members entering and managing their own website Directory information, on September 1<sup>st</sup>, we will be switching to a process of information entry which will be administered entirely by staff. You should soon see every Member's name and contact information listed in the online Directory. Please let staff know if your contact info or name needs to be updated. Also reach out if you don't have a photo, or would like to change the current photo to an updated one.

You no longer need to create an account to *appear* in the Directory, but you will need an account to access the Member content. Every Member can have their own account. If you don't have an account yet, please reach out to staff, and they will help set you up.

We are also working on updating our club business content, including financials and Board meeting communications. Access to better content management tools was a key reason we switched platforms back in April. Look for these additions and revisions to the website Directory around mid-September.



## **LUNCH**

**Daily Soup - Cup \$6**

**Caprese Salad \$17**

Sliced local heirloom tomatoes, burrata cheese, pesto vinaigrette, balsamic glaze, garden basil, with grilled baguette

Add sliced prosciutto +\$3

**Lori's Salad \$17**

Baby greens and romaine lettuce tossed in white balsamic vinaigrette with house-made applewood smoked bacon, oven roasted turkey breast, grilled shrimp, avocado, grape tomatoes, and hard-boiled egg

**Grilled Salmon Salad \$18**

Grilled salmon, garden greens, capers, olives, cucumber, and pickled red onions with a creamy lemon-dill vinaigrette

**BBQ Chicken Salad \$17**

Grilled BBQ chicken, grilled corn, grape tomatoes, bell peppers, black beans, red onion, romaine lettuce, and cheddar-jack cheese tossed with a buttermilk herb dressing, and tortilla crisps

**BLTA \$17**

House-made applewood smoked bacon, local heirloom tomatoes, avocado, and baby garden greens with aioli on artisan sourdough toast

**Turkey and Avocado Melt \$17**

Oven roasted turkey breast, house-made applewood smoked bacon, cheddar-jack cheese, avocado, roasted bell pepper mayonnaise on a grilled ciabatta

**Crispy Chicken Sandwich \$17**

Buttermilk marinated crispy chicken breast, house-made sweet pickles, iceberg lettuce, and sweet chili aioli on a grilled German style pretzel roll

**Blackened Shrimp Tacos \$17**

Blackened shrimp, cabbage and cilantro slaw, chipotle cream, on local artisan tortillas

**Roasted NY Steak Sandwich \$17**

Thin sliced roasted NY steak, cheddar cheese, grilled onions, baby spinach, and pesto mayonnaise on grilled house-made potato focaccia

**Bacon Cheddar Burger \$17**

Local ground beef patty with house-made applewood smoked bacon, cheddar cheese, lettuce, tomato, onion, and house-made dill pickles on a grilled bun

**Impossible Burger** (plant based) available +\$3

***Sandwiches and tacos served with fries, garlic fries, side fruit or small garden salad***

*"Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions."*

# Tightwad Tuesday

Clubhouse opens at 5:30pm

\$22.00 + tax per person

September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022

## Fried Chicken

Garden Salad

Baby Greens, Radishes, Strawberries, Shaved Carrot,

Lemon Vinaigrette

Roasted Vegetables

Mashed Potatoes and Gravy

Buttermilk Biscuits

### Dessert:

Vanilla Cake with Chocolate Frosting

September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022

## Chicken Enchiladas

Taco Salad

Spanish Rice

Refried Beans

Chips, Salsa, Guacamole

### Dessert:

Tres Leches Cake

September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022

## House-Smoked BBQ Pork Ribs

Garden Salad

Dried Cherries, Beets, Radishes, Lemon Vinaigrette

Corn on the Cob

Potato Wedges

### Dessert:

Berry Crisp with Whipped Cream

October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022

## Fried Chicken

Garden Salad

Baby Greens, Radishes, Strawberries, Shaved Carrot,

Lemon Vinaigrette

Roasted Vegetables

Mashed Potatoes and Gravy

Buttermilk Biscuits

### Dessert:

Carrot Cake

September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Vegetable Pizza

Pepperoni and Sausage Pizza

Chicken Pesto Pizza

Caesar Salad

Roasted Vegetables

### Dessert:

Chocolate Chip Cheesecake



## Friday Night Dinner

Clubhouse opens 5:30pm

Dinner 6:45pm

\$50.00 + tax per person with alcohol

\$40.00 + tax per person without alcohol

**September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022**

**Family Style Dinner**

**Chicken Tinga Quesadilla**

**Crispy Fish Tacos with Cabbage Slaw  
and Chipotle Cream**

Marinated Cucumber Salad

Pickled Red onions, Grape Tomatoes,

Baby Greens, Lime Vinaigrette

Grilled Vegetables

Dessert:

Strawberry Panna cotta

**September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

**Mixed Grill Night**

**Hand Carved Grilled Steaks, Chicken,  
Grilled Fish, and Sausages**

Mini Wedges

Grilled Vegetable Platter

Macaroni and Cheese

Dessert:

Kozlowski Farm's Pie with

Vanilla Bean Ice Cream

**September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022**

**Family Style Dinner**

**Veal Valdostana**

Prosciutto, Fontina Cheese, white wine sauce

**Grilled Branzino Bass**

Lemon and Herbs

Hearts of Romaine Caesar Salad

Sautéed Vegetables

Rigatoni

Tomato Basil Sauce

Dessert:

Tiramisu

**September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

**Lobster Bake**

**Lobster Tails, Kielbasa Sausage, Clams,  
Mussels, Corn on the Cob, Potatoes**

Garden Salad

Grilled Vegetable Platter

Dessert:

Lemon Pie

\$70.00 + tax per person with alcohol

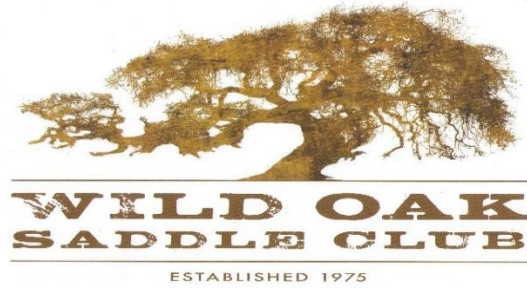
\$60.00 + tax per person without alcohol

**September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

**Hawaiian Luau Theme Feast**

\$70.00 + tax per person with alcohol

\$60.00 + tax per person without alcohol



# Burger Night

Thursday September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

Clubhouse opens at 5:00,

Burgers at 6:15



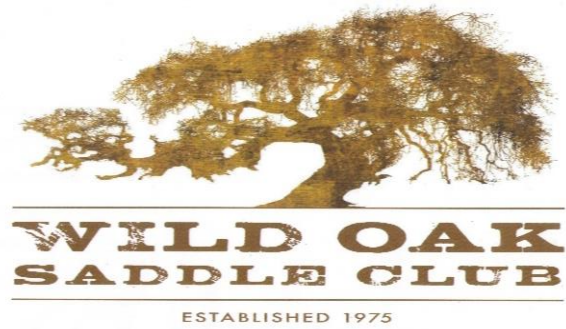
Come Join us for Burgers with all the Fixings!

- Wine Pour & Full Bar During Cocktail Time 5:00-6:15pm
  - Ice Cream Sandwiches
  - \$30 per person + tax

\*Reservations Required\*

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# **HAWAIIAN LUAU at WOSC!**

## **Friday Night Dinner, September 30**

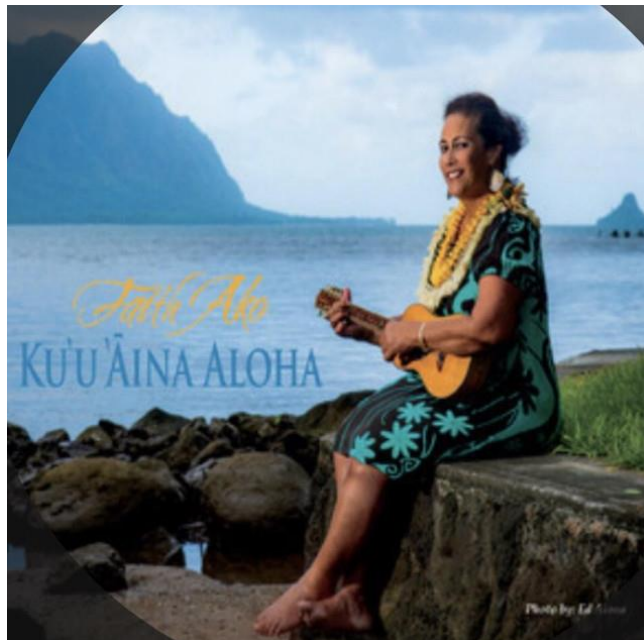


Come join us for a LUAU ... complete with Hula Dancing after dinner  
We'll find out who's the best dancer of them all!

\*Friday Night Format, Full Bar + Wines Inclusive

\*Chef Joe's Delicious Hawaiian Luau Menu

\*Featuring Award-winning Hawaiian Musician Faith Ako



**Faith Ako, California Bay Area's Premier female artist  
in Traditional & Contemporary Hawaiian music**

Reservations Required (707) 539-8634 or [reservations@wildoaksaddleclub.com](mailto:reservations@wildoaksaddleclub.com)  
\$70+ tax per person with alcohol; \$60+ tax per person without alcohol

**Members ... Start Your Engines!  
Showcase Your Car - Classic or Modern  
in the WOSC Car Showcase  
October 7th, before Friday Night Dinner**

**5:30 Arrival & Libations**

**Car Show followed by Chef Joe's Friday Night Dinner**

**After Dinner Dancing with *Western Swing Hall of Fame* Tommy Thomsen -  
Singer, piano player, guitar picker extraordinaire!**



**Advance Reservations Required**

**[Reservations@wildoaksaddleclub.com](mailto:Reservations@wildoaksaddleclub.com) or Voice Mail (707) 539-8634**

**To participate in the car show, email Linda Canar at [lscanar@comcast.net](mailto:lscanar@comcast.net)**

Provide the details of your car including the make, year, owner(s),  
special items to mention, and a photo.

All cars welcome: collector classic, classic antique, modern or anything in between.

Please make your reservation by September 30, as spaces are limited!



**11th Annual Fall Wild Oak Saddle Club  
Golf Tournament Rules  
Friday, October 14, 2022**

- Check In:** Please check-in at the Sugarloaf Course at 12:00 pm. **Tournament play begins at 12:45 pm.**
- Format:** **Four Person Modified Texas Scramble (Best Ball) playing 18 holes.** Every team member shall hit a tee shot. The team will select the best tee shot and everyone, except the person who hit the best shot, plays from that lie. The same process is continued through the green until the ball is holed out.
- Rules:** **Ladies play from the YELLOW TEES and Men play from the WHITE TEES.** Each Lady must use 2 drives and each man must use 3 drives. After selecting the best first shot, play the ball within 1 club length of the position on the fairway. A selected ball lying in the rough or sand must stay within the rough or sand. A ball on the putting green can be placed within 3” of the lie, but no closer to the hole. **There are no mulligans allowed.**
- Scoring:** Scoring is based on the USGA handicap system. **Please turn in your completed score card to the Sugarloaf Pro Shop.** In case of ties, the score on hole #14 will be used and then #11 if necessary. Winners will be announced at the WOSC Social following golf.
- Prize Holes**  
Putting Contest – **Sugarloaf (East Course) Putting Green – 12 pm to 12:35**  
Hole #13 - Longest Drive – Men & Women (**Must be in the Fairway**)  
Hole # 16 - Closest to the Pin – Men & Women (**Must be on the Green**)
- Social:** Following golf from about 4:30 – 6:00pm, all players and guests/spouses are invited to the Award Social at WOSC. The winners will be announced, and the prizes awarded. Adult refreshments and nibbles will be served. **If you plan to stay for the Friday night dinner, you will need to make your own dinner reservations by reservations@wildoaksaddleclub.com or call the reservation line at 707-539-8634.**

Team Prizes

First, Second and Third Place Teams

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**Registration Form**

To register, please scan and send this registration form by email to Doug Pavese at [dougpavese@gmail.com](mailto:dougpavese@gmail.com). You may also mail the form to Doug at 451 Oak Mesa Drive, Santa Rosa, CA 95409

Your foursome’s information is due to Doug by September 28th.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ GHIN # \_\_\_\_\_ Or Average score of last five 18-hole rounds \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ Please arrange a foursome for me/us.