



## From the President

Summer Greetings to All,

Yes, it feels like we went directly from winter to summer!

The Memorial Day weekend is a record setter in many categories...hope for you, it is best in recent memory!

ECC's season is off to a good start thanks to the efforts of so many club members volunteering their time and talents and to our dedicated staff.

Special thanks to Casey and crew for their extended efforts in battling the remnants of winter and the attention they continue to focus on the golf course. It looks better every day. Let's hope good rains and sunshine continue as needed.

As you know, we are in the midst of promotional efforts to attract new members to ECC. Please go out of your way to give new folks a welcome, help show them around and invite their further involvement.

There is a lot to look forward to this summer. Thank you for making ECC the dynamic place it is, for your volunteer efforts and your support of the Club and its activities. Don't forget the ECC opening party is Saturday June 2, hope to see you there!"

Have a great ECC summer!

John Hovanec  
President, ECC Board of Directors

## Eshquaguma Tee "Monuments"



Is this the year to immortalize your family at ECC? Or maybe it's a special birthday, anniversary or Christmas gift? No matter what the occasion, the purchase of a Eshquaguma tee box monument is a great way to honor a family or that special person – and support the Club at the same time.

The cost is \$500 for three years or \$2,500 for lifetime.

There are currently four holes with lifetime monuments:

- #5 - Frances & Clarice Ryan
- #7 - The Lundgren Family
- #8 - John & Carol Mayasich family
- #14 - Pennies & Russel Ryan

At this time, holes 3, 10, 11, 12 and 17 are open, and several other holes will open up after this year. For more information on availability and procedure, contact Laura Hughes at 218-750-2033.

\$38 PER PERSON

*eat,  
drink,  
dance*

**ECC OPENING PARTY**  
*"Kick off to summer"*

Saturday, June 2, 2018

Cocktails & Hor d'oeuvres...5pm		Dinner Entrées Chicken Scallopini Petite Filet Red Snapper
Dinner & Dessert...6pm		
Dancing...7pm		

*Music by "4 Blue Teardrops"*

**Call 865-4263 ASAP for availability**

\$5 "Kick off" cocktails

## Eshquaguma Country Club

6469 White Pine, Gilbert, MN 55741

Phone: 218-865-4263 Pro Shop: 218-865-4706

Bookkeeper: 218-750-2033

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

## June Events

- June 2** OPENING PARTY - Starts at 5:00 p.m. (See page 1)
- June 6** LADIES' BUSINESS MEETING Starts at Noon.
- June 7** BRIDGE LUNCHEON
- June 7** LAKESIDE TRIVIA 7 p.m.
- June 12** GLITZ & GLAM - 6 p.m.
- June 17** FATHER'S DAY BRUNCH - 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- June 18, 19, 21, 22** YOUTH GOLF CLINIC (See details on page 5)
- June 18-21** YOUTH TENNIS CLINIC (See details on page 5)
- June 21** BEANBAGS TOURNEY -TBD
- June 26** FIRESIDE CULTURAL SERIES "Do You Remember" 6 p.m. (See p. 3)
- June 28** LAKESIDE TRIVIA 7 p.m.
- June 30** FAMILY GOLF OUTING 9 a.m. Shotgun start

# Annual 5K Run/Walk/Bike continues to grow



The 2018 edition of the annual ECC Run/Walk/Bike drew 105 participants this year which is a new record! The weather was absolutely beautiful



and probably the warmest we've ever had being 80 degrees at 9 a.m.

The overall race winner – and junior female winner – was **Maria LaSala** with a time of 22:18. Her brother **Thomas LaSala** was right behind her at 22:32 to win the junior boys division. Second place junior girls was Lucy Virant at 26:45 and second place junior boys was Doca Pepelnjak at 23:33.

Men's division was repeat winner Scott Schueller at 23:26 followed in second place by Eric Jarvi at 27:06. First time female winner was Darci Boentje with a time of 28:15 and three seconds behind her was Courtney Stone at 28:18.

A huge thanks to all of our sponsors: First National Bank of Gilbert, Devich Chiropractic, Taconite Tire, Uhan Professional Services, Brian & Cathy Hiti, Larry & Teresa Lehtinen, Tom & Linda Deluca, Tufco, Margie's Roosevelt, Jon's Drug, Greater MN Agency, Lundgren Motors, Buhl Water, and Honkanen Richards Strand.

Also, a big "thank you" to our volunteers: Matt & Meg Uhan, Cathy & Brian Hiti, Cassie Hill, Jill Devich, Tom & Jane Stunkard, Joe Cramer, Scott Strudwick.

## Lake Eshquagama Water Quality



With the first holiday weekend here and increased recreation on Lake Eshquagama with family and friends, many have questions regarding the discoloration and reduced transparency in Lake Eshquagama due to the washout into the Embarrass River by Giant's Ridge.

Is it safe for us, our loved ones, and dogs to swim? Is it safe to eat the fish? While they don't post answers to these specific questions, the IRRRB web site is providing periodic updates compiled from several agencies regarding what happened and progress being made on the different issues. Here is a link for

previous and future updates: <https://mn.gov/irrrb/media/mesabitrail-washout.jsp>. There are also names and numbers provided for those you can call if you have questions or want more info.

I encourage you to call these contacts to get your questions answered. Lastly, I have talked to a couple of the contacts and asked them to more specifically address questions in their future updates related to the safety of swimming and eating fish – not sure it will happen, but worth a try.

Pat Carey, ECC Member

THE LADIES CLUB OF ESHQUAGUMA C.C. PRESENTS

# The Second "Fireside Cultural Series" Event

Do you remember the "day the music died"?

On Feb. 3, 1959, a small plane heading for a show in Moorhead, Minnesota crashed near Clear Lake, Iowa, killing performers Buddy Holly, Richie Valens, The Big Bopper and pilot Roger Peterson.

Veteran entertainer Lewy Ronken has created a tribute show commemorating this event and portraying the great music of Buddy Holly, and the American music that influenced his life and sound.

Come join us for a magical evening of excellent cuisine and first class entertainment. Only a limited number of tickets will be sold. Guests are welcome.

Tickets will be made available to the public if we are not SOLD OUT by June 19th.

**WHERE: Fireside Room**

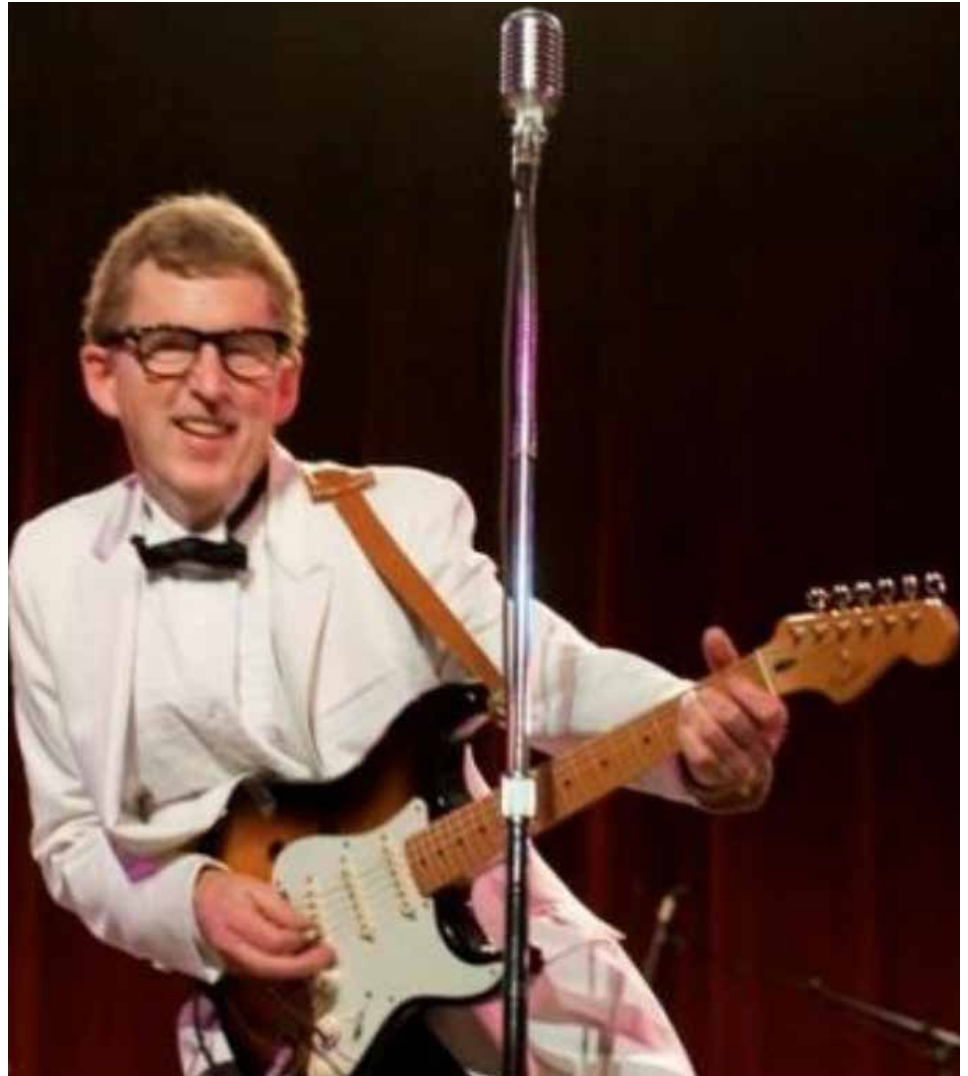
**WHEN: Tuesday, June 26th**

**TIME: 6:00 p.m. for plated dinner and show.**

**COST: \$47.00 ticket includes both dinner and show. Bar beverages and coffee not included.**

**HOW: Tickets are required and will be sold at the ECC Proshop, restaurant, or through Ladies' Club members.**

For more information, contact Joanna J. at 865-4381 or Teresa L. 865-7140.



*The Eshquaguma Ladies' Club Proudly Presents the 2018*

## *Fireside Cultural Series*

*Tuesday, June 26*  
**"Do You Remember?"  
A Tribute to Buddy Holly**

*Tuesday, July 24*  
A History of the  
**"Duluth, Winnipeg and  
Pacific Railroad"/Jon Severson**

*Tuesday, August 28*  
**Comedy Tonight - A One Man  
Show/John DeBoer**

All dinners at 6:00 pm, with show to follow at 7:15 p.m. Cash bar.

Advance ticket sales available from the Ladies Golf Club



**Don't forget!**



Your 2018 ECC Directory is available in the Proshop. One copy per every Club membership.

# Kentucky Derby Party "Photo Finish!"









Clockwise from left: Boz, Kym Drain and Denny Reagan; Winners! Boz (big winner!), Shirley Leoni, Jessica Reelfs and Sheri Harms; Sheri Harms & Shirley Leoni; Kentucky Derby ECC ladies!



Barb Boz  
"Best Hat Award"



## June

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 Fish Fry Every Friday					 1	2 Opening Party 6 p.m.
3 Sunday Brunch	4 Restaurant Closed	5	6 Ladies' Business Meeting at Noon	7 Bridge Luncheon  Trivia Lakeside 7 p.m.	 8	9
10 Sunday Brunch	11 Restaurant Closed	12 Glitz & Glam 6:00	13	14 Mixed Golf 5:30	 15	16
17 FATHER'S DAY Father's Day Brunch 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.	18 Restaurant Closed Youth Golf a.m. Youth Tennis p.m.	19 Youth Golf a.m. Youth Tennis p.m.	20 Youth Tennis p.m.	21 Youth Golf a.m. Youth Tennis p.m. Beanbags TBD	 22 Youth Golf p.m.	23
24 Sunday Brunch	25 Restaurant Closed	26 Fireside Cultural Series 6 p.m. "Do You Remember?"	27 Ladies' Team Event	28 Trivia Lakeside 7 p.m.	 29	30 Family Golf Outing 9 a.m. Shotgun Start



### 2018 Youth Tennis Registration

**June 18, 19, 20, 21, 2018 • 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. Ages 8-12 or 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Ages 13 and up**

Enclose \$35.00 registration fee. Make check payable to: ECC Clinics. If there is inclement weather, we may need drivers to transport kids to indoor courts in Virginia. Mail form & registration fee to: ECC - Youth Tennis, 6469 White Pine Ln, Gilbert, MN 55741 or drop off at Proshop

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Supplies needed: Tennis Racquet, non-marking court shoes, sun screen and drinking water. Thanks!

I would like to volunteer to help \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

# Hurry – spots are filling up fast!

### 2018 Youth Golf Registration

**June 18, 19, 21, 22, 2018 • 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Ages 6-7 or 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. • Ages 8 and up**

Enclose \$25.00 registration fee. Make check payable to: ECC Clinics. Price includes golf lessons, treats, pizza, pop and prizes. Mail form and registration fee to: ECC - Youth Golf, 6469 White Pine Lane, Gilbert, MN 55741. We would appreciate the registration returned to the ProShop or mailed in by June 1st

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

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Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark clubs by placing return address labels below the grip on all clubs and covering them with Scotch tape. This insures that when they're left behind (and they always are) ECC will know who to contact. Please supply child with tees & ball markers. Thanks!

**If you have questions please contact Maggie Hillmer email: mihillmer@gmail.com or (952) 270-3655**

I would like to volunteer to help \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

