



# Tree Talk



## Pride and Professionalism

By Mike Kelly



[The greater man the greater courtesy.](#)  
[Alfred Lord Tennyson \(1809 - 1892\)](#)

Again I find it compelling to remind everyone about courtesy. A couple of weeks ago one of our members complained of slow play. He was reminded of the time and that he was actually 14 minutes ahead of the normal pace of play. His response was "no problem, I will just hit into them and get them moving faster". What an answer. Well low and behold not 15 minutes later the group ahead of this guy called in and asked that Rick come out. It seems as if this guy was a man of his word. He did hit into them. After a stern warning he was then able to continue play.

My point. Some showing of courtesy goes a long way. If you're the group in front and playing slow, the courteous thing to do would be to let people play thru. If you're playing way to fast, the courteous thing to do is to slow down and not hit into people. Amazingly the same group of people that hit into the others did it again this weekend. Guess they will be getting a courtesy letter.

Really though, we are extremely busy and have lots of different quality golfers. Let's all relax and show some courtesy. Note: Make sure you make a tee time, even during the week.

You have heard me brag about all of our young players more than once. If it's not Brice or Matt it would be Blake and Abby or maybe the youngest members Ella & Karsyn. Well now it's time to brag on some of the parents. A couple weeks ago, Abby Sauls and her mom Dede were playing. Well this time it was Dede that was the star. Coming into number 9 Dede hits it close and makes the birdie. Now some would say they have made a lot of birdies. But how many of you have birdied #9. Congratulations Dede.

Lots of things are going on this golf season so make sure you look at the bulletin board in the pro shop for upcoming events. We need everyone to participate.



"Seeing I had already hit you once, was I correct in yelling EIGHT?"

## Lane Tree Ladies Golf Association

By Barbara Hill

We would like to welcome our newest member Cathy Sager to our ladies Association. We are happy she and her husband David chose Lane Tree Golf Course to be their home course.

LT Ladies played competitively with East Carolina League two day finals at Wilson CC May 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>.

The winners were:

Championship Flight – Linda Watson –  
1<sup>st</sup> net Cathy Garris - Low putts  
1<sup>st</sup> Flight – Shirley Baker – 1<sup>st</sup> gross  
3<sup>rd</sup> Flight - Mary Cotner – 2<sup>nd</sup> gross

LT ladies sponsored the Sandtrappers day of play at Lane Tree May 26<sup>th</sup>.

The winners were:

2<sup>nd</sup> Flight - Sherry Minner - Low Gross  
Barbara Hill - Low putts  
3<sup>rd</sup> Flight - Mary Cotner - Low Gross  
Linda Hilburn - Low putts  
4<sup>th</sup> Flight - Shelley Leder Low Gross

Congratulations Ladies!

If we are closed for a tournament you can go to the following courses and play on our reciprocal, but will need someone from Pro Shop to call for you. Courses and prices are as follows: Goldsboro Municipal, Southern Wayne, Falling Creek, Cardinal, Timberlake, Three Eagles Golf Course, (\$15 weekdays \$20 weekends); Johnston County Country Club, (\$20 weekdays \$25 weekends); Wilson Country Club (\$31 weekdays and weekends); Kinston Country Club (\$25 week days and weekends), Cotton Valley (\$25 weekdays and \$30 on Weekends) Cutter Creek (\$35 weekdays and weekends).Iron Wood (\$25 weekdays and \$35 weekends) Cypress Landing (\$30 weekdays and weekends).



"Do you mind if we play through...?"



**Lane Tree hopes that everyone has a safe and fun summer**

**HAPPY GOLF EVERYONE**