



JAMES RIVER COUNTRY CLUB



SEPTEMBER

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MEMBERSHIP

SEPTEMBER

President's Report

LINDSEY CARNEY



*D*ear James River Family,

Happy Labor Day! I hope that this letter finds you enjoying a meal at the Grill & Chill Tent, listening to live music on the pool deck or watching our young James River Members splash in one of the pools.

This summer has been an incredibly busy one at James River - the River Ratz posted spectacular personal bests and records, 6,500 rounds of golf were enjoyed by members and guests since June 1st, and the annual Seafood Fest was a hit! That's of course in addition to our regular tennis and pickleball leagues, fitness classes, weekly burger and fried chicken nights and robust golf calendar.

As we continue to strive to be your first choice for first in class dining, entertainment, athletics and social activities, I encourage you to try something new - take advantage of a different opportunity. Chef Matt Liles certainly welcomes you to try one of his specialty small plate creations at one of our upcoming Thursday acoustic nights.

None of these special experiences could be possible without the hard work, tireless dedication, and countless hours that our James River team puts into making the James River experience an extraordinary one. With a team as large as 150 employees in the summer and as many as 75 employees in the winter, we are grateful for their service - especially on holidays when they selflessly spend time away from their families to be with ours, all the while smiling and genuinely happy that we are happy. Mother Teresa said "The miracle is not that we do the work, but that we are happy to do it." Our James River team is certainly happy to do the work, and we thank them.

Speaking of being thankful, we are thankful for you, our membership for your steadfast support and use of our club. As a small show of appreciation for our membership, I am pleased to share that we will be opening the pool for one more weekend in September. Lifeguard constraints won't allow us to stay open for the entire month, but please enjoy the additional weekend of pool activities and cabana services.

I look forward to seeing you at the Club! There's more, and possibly the best yet, to come.

Best wishes,
Lindsey

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK
AT JRCC LIFE'S A PEACH!

CLICK THE VIDEO BELOW TO WATCH



3RD QUARTER

MEMBER OF THE QUARTER

JIMMY & TAMARA FAY



Originally from Massachusetts, Jimmy relocated to Virginia where he met Tamara. They reside in Newport News with their four children - Zayne, 21, Ash, 20, Brady, 19, and Cadhla, 3. In 2015 Jimmy left his job with the city of Newport News to pursue a rewarding career in the insurance industry because he was very passionate about making a change in people's lives. He now owns his own agency covering both Virginia and North Carolina families and businesses.

He is heavily involved with helping other small business owners as part of the Peninsula Chamber of Commerce, and is an active board member with the Rotary Club of Oyster Point and the Victory YMCA. Supporting local business is important to him and his wife, and you'll often see them at community events.

Tamara absolutely loves being a mom and has channeled that into her professional life. She owns a luxury photography studio that specializes in all things motherhood. She also has an online baby boutique she opened during the pandemic shutdown, which she hopes to make a physical storefront in the very near future. She loves to give back to organizations that have a mission to help moms and their babies.

Although Jimmy likes to return to rugby on occasion, his most recent sports endeavor has been throwing himself into golf and he is thoroughly enjoying the game and the learning process. During these next months, you're sure to find Tamara and Cadhla at the pool soaking up the summer fun. Family time, beach time, and travel are personal favorites, and they are very much looking forward to traveling more abroad in the coming years once their daughter is a little bit older.

Tylan was born in Highpoint, North Carolina and was raised in Greensboro, North Carolina. Tylan is the second youngest child in a family of 8, with three sisters and two brothers. He moved to Newport News and attended Grafton Highschool where he played basketball, ran track, and did R.O.T.C. Now he enjoys golfing on days off and spending quality time with his friends and family.

Tylan realized at a very early age that he had a passion for cooking, and decided to one day become a chef. He plans to go to the Culinary Institute of Virginia to seek a degree in Culinary Arts, and dreams of one day owning his own restaurant or being a traveling personal chef.

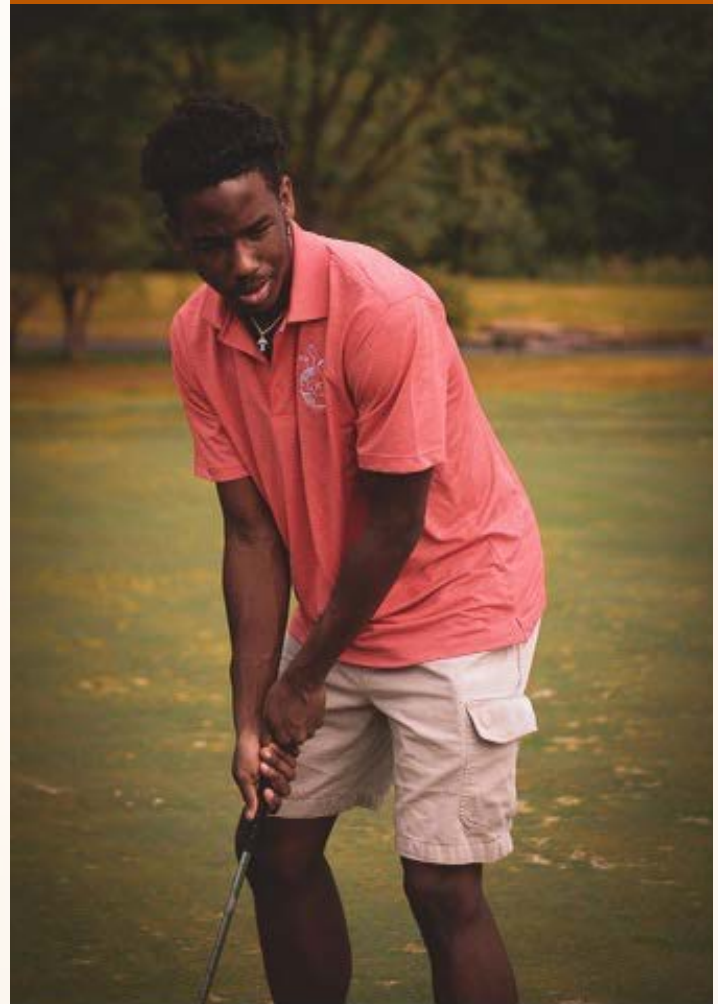
Tylan was originally hired as a Busser for the River Room at the beginning of the summer. He mentioned his goals to be a chef to many co-workers and managers. So as we prepared for a busy summer, we asked Tylan if he wouldn't mind helping out just a few hours around the kitchen. He jumped at the opportunity to step up and learn, and has since spent the entire summer cooking in the Cabana. The values of team sports and R.O.T.C. are very clearly present in Tylan's personality. His willingness to be of service allowed the members at our bustling Cabana to enjoy an exciting new menu with no impact to the operation of the kitchen which services our Lounge and River Room.

We are excited to watch Tylan grow into an amazing chef; thankful for his ability to learn and be of service, ultimately becoming a MVP in our culinary department; and we are thrilled to award him the honor of being named September's employee of the month.

SEPTEMBER

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

TYLAN MIKAL CONNOR



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

RAY & GANDAWAKA
MILES



AUSTIN
LEHMAN

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



ZACHARY & ALLISON
WITTKAMP

LIBBY
HENDRICKSON



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

MARVIN & SHARON
JONES



KENTON & LILIANA
MELAND

GOLF

GOLF HOURS

Weekdays:

Golf Shop: 7:30 AM - 5:30 PM

Tee Times: 8:00 AM

Weekends:

Golf Shop: 7:00 AM - 5:30 PM

Tee Times: 7:30 AM

[CLICK HERE TO BOOK
A TEE TIME](#)

[CLICK HERE TO BOOK
THE GOLF SIMULATOR](#)

[CLICK TO VIEW THE
SPORTS CALENDAR](#)



FOR MORE INFORMATION
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RYAN SMITH

DIRECTOR OF GOLF



JAMES RIVER COUNTRY CLUB

2023 MEMBER TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

September

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST: MEN'S ONE DAY MEMBER-GUEST
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH: MEN'S PUTTING
CHAMPIONSHIP
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH & SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH:
MEN'S MEMBER-MEMBER

October

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13TH THROUGH SUNDAY, OCTOBER
15TH: CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17TH: LADIES INVITATIONAL
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28TH & SUNDAY, OCTOBER
29TH: MEN'S RYDER CUP

November

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH: END OF SEASON
SCRAMBLE

December

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8TH: SANTA SCRAMBLE

Dates are subject to change



JRCC GOLF SHOP
END OF SUMMER



NOW THROUGH SUNDAY,
SEPTEMBER 10TH

Sale



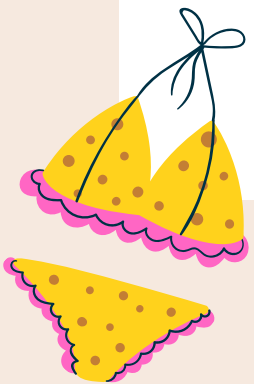
20%
OFF

ALL MEN'S, WOMEN'S,
AND KIDS APPAREL



15%
OFF

ALL GOLF BAGS



JRCC
MEN'S
MEMBER-MEMBER



FRIDAY | SEPTEMBER 29TH | 12:30 PM SHOTGUN
SATURDAY | SEPTEMBER 30TH | 9:30 AM SHOTGUN

\$150 PER PLAYER

36-HOLE NET BETTER BALL | ULTIMATE CHAMPION DECIDED IN A
OF THE TWOSOME | SUDDEN DEATH ALTERNATE SHOT

PLAYOFF IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING
PLAY ON SATURDAY



Lunch on Friday and breakfast on Saturday are provided for
participants

Dinner provided on Friday evening following play for both
players and spouses

2023 Junior Club Championships Final Results

Thanks to all of our Juniors for participating in the 2023 Junior Club Championship and to all the parents and family members for supporting the players over the past two days!



We finished round one with three players within four strokes of the lead. As round two began, Thomas Aman began to pull away from the field. A solid front nine turned into an impressive One Over Par 71 after 18 and propel him to a second consecutive JRCC Junior Club Championship! Paul Gere held off Trey Hitt in the battle for second place with matching scores of 80 for Day Two.

Congratulations Thomas!
Great playing this weekend!

[Full results can be found here.](#)

2023 Junior Club Championships

9 Hole Division Results

Thank you to our players and parents who fought through the scorching temps that day in our 9 hole division!



After the round was over we had a repeat champion! Congratulations to Haze Skinner for repeating as our 9 hole champion. His round of 8 over par 43 was enough to secure the victory!

Great playing Haze!

Final Results:

Haze Skinner - 43

Lucy Lanier - 52

Tommy Lanier - 55

Caroline Lockhart - 72



Golf Cart Technology Update

Effective Thursday, August 17th



In an effort to protect the golf course and the membership's investment in the facility, we will begin using a technology that links into the club's existing golf cart fleet.

This technology will limit carts from entering certain areas that are deemed "off limits" by the Golf Course Operations and Maintenance teams in conjunction with the Golf Committee. This includes carts leaving the path on all Par 3's, the areas around both tee and green complexes, and all areas when carts are restricted to the paths on wet days. Most of these areas are those already marked with "Carts" signs that direct you away from them.

We will work the membership during the implementation of this new program to best answer questions and explain the benefits this program will have on the course.

Golf Policy Reminders

Golf Car Usage:

- Carts Must Remain on the Paths on All Par 3's
- When approaching the end of the fairway, please heed the signs stating a return to the path. These are Green Markers in each fairway
- There should be no more than two carts in any one group. Players should pair up prior to teeing off on the first hole.
- Please keep carts on the path around tee boxes and green complexes.

Driving Range and Putting Green:

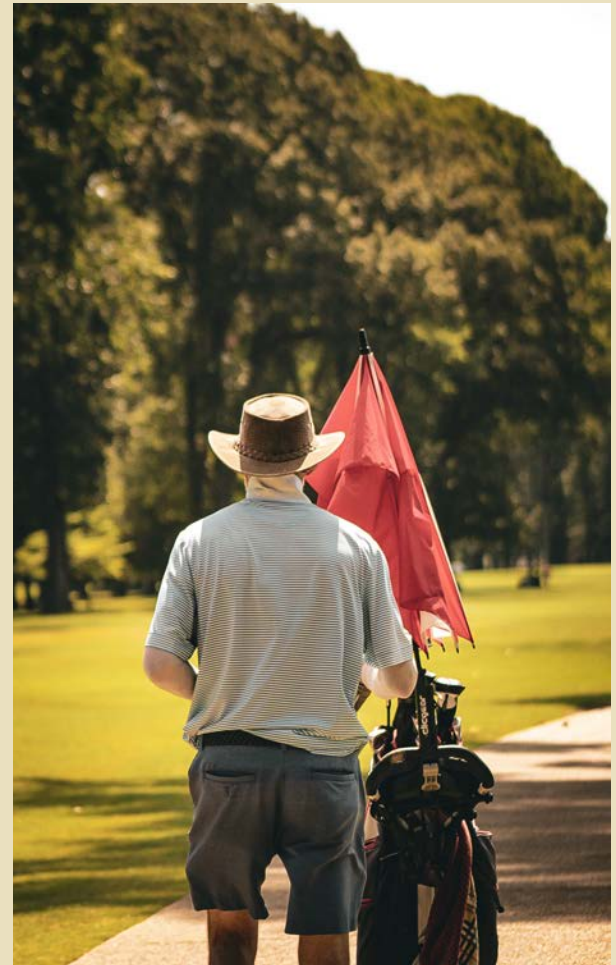
- Players should take divots one behind the next and not in a scattered pattern. Long rows of divots are quicker to grow back than scattered divots.
- The Putting Green by the clubhouse is for putting only and members should not be hitting wedges into the green.

Miscellaneous Reminders:

- The Golf Course should be played in order from hole 1 to 18. Players may not skip around groups by playing out of order.
- Fivesomes are not permitted on the golf course without the permission of a Golf Professional.
- Please fix all ballmarks on the greens and fill divots with sand in the fairways and on tee boxes.

In general, we ask members to take care of the course and club as if it were their own home and help us all protect the membership's investment in the facility.

Thank you!





JRCC Travels to the Birthplace of Golf!

St. Andrew's, Scotland Golf Trip

July 28- August 3, 2024

The James River Golf Operations team is excited to announce that we will be hosting our members on a golf experience at the Birthplace of Golf in St. Andrew's, Scotland! The trip will be held from July 28th to August 3rd, 2024, and will be led by your Head Golf Professional, Ryan Smith.

We have partnered with All Access GTE to help build this trip and assist with the registration process. Availability will be limited and spots will be filled on a first-come first-served basis. If you're interested in joining us on this trip, please visit the registration page to view the itinerary and register.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

If you have any questions regarding the trip, please click here to contact:
Ryan Smith, Head Golf Professional.

- The JRCC Golf Operations Team



RACKET SPORTS

TENNIS HOURS

8:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Tuesday - Sunday

5 State of the art Outdoor
Har-tru Courts (2 lighted)

4 Indoor Hard Courts (heated)

CLICK TO VIEW THE
SPORTS CALENDAR



Tennis Pro Shop Our Full-Service Tennis Pro Shop Includes

**Racket Sales | Stringing
Lessons | Clinics | Camps
Member Tournaments
Leagues | Cardio Tennis
Mixers & Social Events**



**For More Information Contact:
Tennis Professional Brian Hogge**



TENNIS LEAGUES

Men's Singles

3.5 Level

Wednesday, 9:00 AM

Ladies' Doubles

3.5 Level

Wednesday, 8:30 AM

Men's Doubles

3.5 Level

Tuesday, 6:00 PM

Friday, 8:00 AM

Ladies' Doubles

3.0/3.5 Level

Friday, 9:00 AM

Men's Singles/ Doubles

4.0/ 4.5 Level

Wednesday, 6:00 PM

Saturday, 9:30 AM

Mixed Doubles

3.0 Level

Sundays, 4:00 PM



CARDIO TENNIS

**THURSDAYS
9:00 AM
&
SATURDAYS
8:30 AM**



**18 AND UP • ONE HOUR OF INTENSE TENNIS • DRILLS
WORKOUT • FAST PACED PLAY • BEGINNERS WELCOME
RSVP TO BRIAN HOGGE:
(757)814-5019 • HOGGETENNIS@GMAIL.COM**



Pickleball

AT THE JRCC TENNIS COURTS

Tuesdays at 8:30 AM

&

Thursdays at 6:00 PM

**TO SIGN UP - RSVP TO BRIAN HOGGE:
(757)814-5019 • hoggetennis@gmail.com**



TOTS TENNIS

AGES 4-6

SELECT FRIDAYS

5:30-6:30

\$15

Join Us!

We focus on developing your little one's basic fundamentals of tennis through fun games and simple drills.

To RSVP Contact Brian Hogge
(757)814-5019
hoggetennis@gmail.com

JUNIOR TENNIS CLASSES

Tuesday & Thursday

4:30PM - 6:00PM

Ages 7-13 • \$20

RSVP TO BRIAN HOGGE:

(757)814-5019

hoggetennis@gmail.com



**INTERMEDIATE
LEVEL**

JUNIOR TENNIS CLASSES

ADVANCED
LEVEL



Wednesdays
4:30PM - 6:00PM

Ages 12+ • \$20

RSVP TO BRIAN HOGGE:
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hoggetennis@gmail.com

JUNIOR TEAM MATCHPLAY

Fridays
4:30PM - 6:30PM
Pizza After Play
Ages 12+
\$20

RSVP TO BRIAN HOGGE:
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hoggetennis@gmail.com

FITNESS



KENNEDY WELLNESS
AT JRCC

Classes for everyBODY



\$25 per class

Or take advantage of a 10 class pass
**see pricing page for more information*



Classes that focus on
improving mental, physical
and emotional wellbeing.



Courses that are accessible
to all fitness levels, health
situations, and body types.



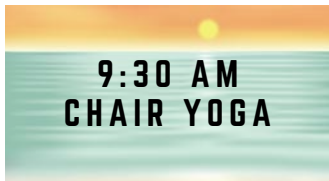
Affordable pricing plans and
flexible class schedules in a
private environment.

Join Carmen Kennedy's fitness classes!

Classes are offered for both beginner and intermediate level members, and focus on opening up both mind and body to heal, relieve stress, and strengthen the body.

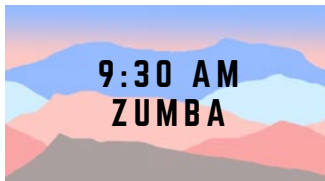
Kennedy Wellness is privately run by Carmen and Justin Kennedy, with James River Country Club as the proud host to a fitness program offered exclusively to its members.

TUESDAY



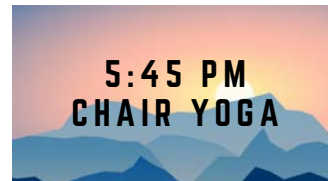
**9:30 AM
CHAIR YOGA**

WEDNESDAY



**9:30 AM
ZUMBA**

THURSDAY



**5:45 PM
CHAIR YOGA**

[CLICK HERE FOR CLASS DETAILS AND PRICING INFORMATION](#)

TO SIGN UP CONTACT CARMEN KENNEDY:
CARMEN.KENNEDY.MEDIA@GMAIL.COM
(201) 737-6778

DAILY DINING



HOURS OF OPERATION

LUNCH SERVICE

The River Room Lunch Menu & Huntington Lounge Menu

Tuesday – Sunday

11:30 AM – 2:00 PM

DINNER SERVICE

The River Room Dinner Menu & Huntington Lounge Menu

Tuesday – Thursday & on Sunday

5:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Friday & Saturday

5:30 PM – 9:00 PM

HOURS OF OPERATION

LUNCH SERVICE

The River Room Lunch Menu & Huntington Lounge Menu

Tuesday – Sunday

11:30 AM – 2:00 PM

Huntington Lounge Menu

2:00 PM – 5:30 PM

DINNER SERVICE

The River Room Dinner Menu & Huntington Lounge Menu

Tuesday – Thursday & on Sunday

5:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Friday & Saturday

5:30 PM – 9:00 PM

LATE NIGHT FOOD SERVICE

Huntington Lounge Menu

Tuesday – Thursday & on Sunday

Until 9:00 PM / Last Call 9:00 PM

Friday & Saturday

Until 10:00 PM / Last Call 10:00 PM

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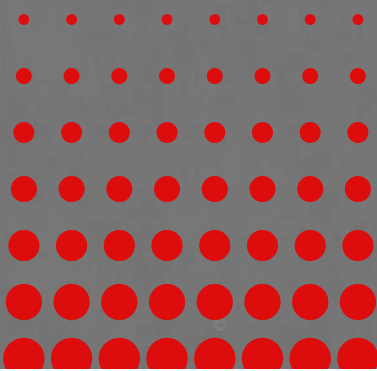
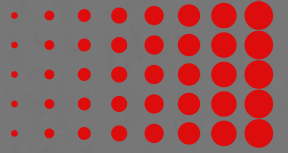
ALL MENUS

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DAILY SPECIALS

THURSDAY NIGHT MUSIC

KARL WERNE
& GUEST



THURSDAY
September 7th
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM
IN THE HUNTINGTON LOUNGE

Featuring: Bar Bites
Small Plate Dining Specials by
Executive Chef Matt Liles



[Click Here for Band Info](#)



[Click Here for the Music Line Up](#)



[Click Here to Email For Reservations](#)

SOCIAL EVENTS

IT'S TIME TO **PARTY** *Social Events Calendar*

SEP

02,03,04

Labor Day Weekend Poolside

Grill N Chill poolside cookout, drink specials

13

Cabana Deck Party

Asian cuisine Chef attended action station, Live Music, Cocktails

22

Family Friday Movie Night! - Super Mario Brothers!

Featuring - Whiskey Rebellion

24

Sunday Funday on the Back Lawn

Featuring The Unstoppable Hackbeats

30

Cigar Dinner & Ladies Wine Social

More information to follow

OCT

04

Octoberfest Lunch & Dinner Specials

Food & drink specials in

08

Fall Lobsterfest

In the River Room, Only Menu Available after 4:30 PM

15

Backyard Bash

Featuring the Island Boys

22

Comic Night in the Golf Museum - Featuring Al Ernst

Pasta Night in the River Room followed by live comedy show

SURPRISE!!!

JRCC Pools & the Cabana WILL BE OPEN Next Weekend!!

SAT • SEPT 9 & SUN • SEPT 10

Upper Pools: 11AM-7PM | Lower Pool: 11AM-7PM

Pool Cabana: 11:30AM-6:30PM



With over 80° temps predicted, we decided to extend our pool season and operations.
Please note: Staffing will be a little thin.

LOOKING FORWARD TO ANOTHER AWESOME WEEKEND!!



JRCC CABANA

OFF SEASON MENU

CABANA BITES

TRUFFLE FRIES 8
Truffle oil, Parmesan cheese, parsley

WINGS 6 | 10 or 12 | 17
(Buffalo, BBQ, Truffalo, or Hawaiian Teriyaki)
Celery, carrots, ranch

POKE BOWL* 14
Raw tuna or salmon, furikake seasoning, rice, edamame, corn, red onion, spicy Gochugang sauce, sweet Yum-Yum sauce

FEATURED FLATBREAD OF THE DAY
(Ask server for details & pricing)

SHRIMP BASKET 8 for 22
Grilled or fried, choice of two sides

SALADS

Dressings: Onion Poppy Vinaigrette, Ranch, Blue Cheese, Balsamic, Caesar

HOUSE 4 | 7
Mixed greens, tomato, cucumber, mandarin orange, radish

CAESAR* 5 | 8
Romaine, croutons, Parmesan cheese

CHEF SALAD 12
Romaine, ham, turkey, bacon, cherry tomato, cheddar cheese, cucumber, choice of dressing

SALAD ADD ONS 8
Chicken | Shrimp (4) | Salmon*

* Items are served raw or undercooked, or contain raw or undercooked ingredients. Consuming raw or undercooked meals, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of food-borne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions.

HANDHELDS

*Includes Pickle Spear and Choice of Side:
Fries, Tots, Chips, Mixed Fruit, Celery & Carrots*

ALL BEEF HOT DOG 7

BLTA 8
Bacon, lettuce, tomato, avocado, mayo
(Croissant, white bread, wrap)

CHICKEN SALAD 9
Lettuce, tomato, mayo
(Croissant, white bread, wrap)

CHICKEN CAESAR WRAP* 12
Grilled chicken, Romaine, Parmesan cheese, tomato, Caesar dressing

JRCC SMASH BURGER* 9
Served well done with lettuce, tomato, onion, choice of cheese, on toasted brioche
Cheese: Cheddar, Provolone, Swiss, American
Double Patty: Add \$6

JUNIOR MENU

*Includes One Side:
Fries, Tots, Chips, Mixed Fruit, Carrots & Celery*

CHICKEN NUGGETS 5 | 6 or 10 | 10

JUNIOR SHRIMP BASKET 4 for 12

JUNIOR BURGER* 6

CORN DOG 5

GRILLED CHEESE 5

AZZURI'S PIZZA 8 | 10
CHEESE/PEPPERONI



Cabana DECK PARTY

WEDNESDAY
SEPT 13 | 5-8PM

Live Music by: **The Lewis McGehee Band**

CHEF ATTENDED COOKING STATION

with Executive Chef Matt Liles

- **Stir Fry:** Chicken, Beef, Shrimp, Noodles, Rice, Assorted Vegetables, Hot Sesame Sauce or Yum-Yum Sauce
- **Crispy Asian Pork Belly**
- **Sesame Salmon**
- **Vegetable Stir Fry**
- **Teriyaki Fried Tofu**
- **Scallion Pancakes**

Adults
\$18
Kids 3-12
\$9
Kids 3-Under
Free

HAND-CRAFTED COCKTAIL SPECIALS

Created by Director Of Restaurants, Rachael Mizelle

PREMIUM SELECTED WINE STATION

by General Manager, Conrad Lickel

— Priced Separately —

No Reservations Required; however, heads-up attendance can be sent to

Bella@JamesRiverCountryClub.com



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