Old Waverly Golf Club and Mossy Oak Golf Club have been awarded the prestigious Distinguished Golf Destination award, as determined by the Annual Distinguished Golf Destinations award program conducted by BoardRoom magazine in partnership with Forbes Travel Guide. "On behalf of BoardRoom magazine in partnership with Forbes Travel Guide, we'd like to congratulate Old Waverly Golf Club and Mossy Oak Golf Club for earning Distinguished Golf Destination status," said John Fornaro, Publisher of BoardRoom magazine, "Special recognition also goes out to Old Waverly's General Manager, Engin Tuncay, Mr. T, as well as the facility's department heads, and entire staff for their efforts in providing an exceptional golf experience."

Awards
Presentation
Thursday,
November 16, 2023
4pm-6pm
Old Waverly
Clubhouse









### Dear Members,

On behalf of The Bryan Family, myself and the entire team we are extremely happy and proud to receive for both Old Waverly and Mossy Oak the Distinguished Golf Destination Award from Boardroom Magazine in partnership with Forbes Travel. We are the only clubs in Mississippi to receive this high honor. We are among 160 other prestigious clubs in the United States to receive this award.

Just to give you an update on things at Old Waverly and Mossy Oak, effective February 1 our Food and Beverage Minimum will go up to \$75 per month for Resident Members. The Non-Resident Food and Beverage Minimum will increase to \$250 semiannual. One of the many great things about our Club is that the Food and Beverage Minimum credits to both food and beverage, where most clubs it only applies toward food.

Remember that during the month of January, when we are closed for two weeks for repairs and maintenance, Chef John will have some special soups, casseroles and raw steaks to purchase to go. Look for those details in our blast emails. The end of January we will be offering a lavish Sunday Brunch for your enjoyment so please plan to attend.

As you know our Mossy Oak Happy Hour is going great. Everyone is enjoying the live music by Peyton Young singing and playing the guitar. We also want to thank LL Gates for helping make the Ladies Night so successful.

We are planning on hosting a Scotch Tasting with some outstanding Scotches at Mossy Oak. Don't miss it.

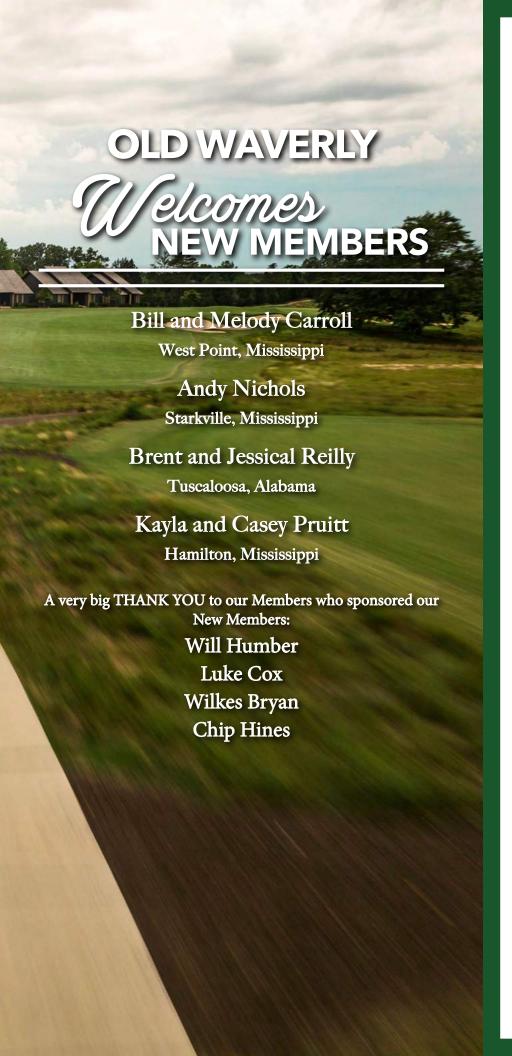
We are looking forward to a wonderful Christmas and Happy New Year with you all. We have planned a four course "early" dinner on New Year's Eve so those of you who would like to celebrate with us, make your reservations now as seating will be limited.

It has been a GREAT year for Old Waverly and Mossy Oak! Our goal is to deliver the best food, service, golf, grounds and lodging and continue to improve even more.

In closing, all the best for the Holiday Season and looking forward to success in 2024.

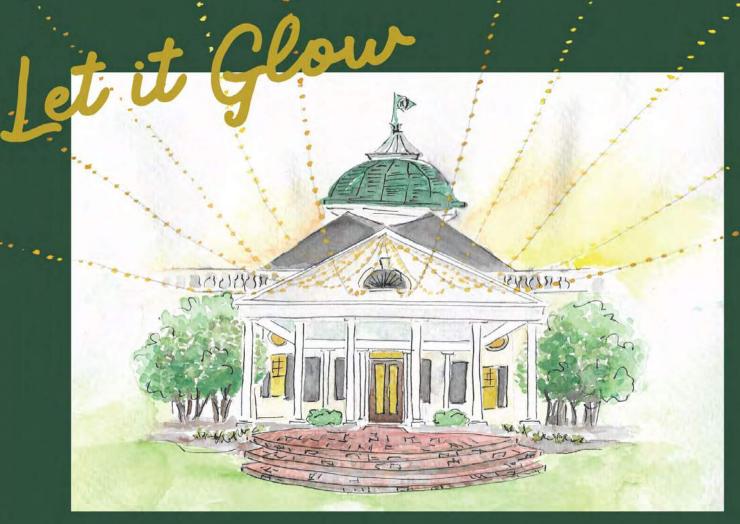
Respectfully, Engin Tuncay, CCM, CHA, FMP







Reminder: Non-Resident Members remember to spend your Food and Beverage **Minimum** coming due end of December.



# Let it Glow Saturday, December 9, 2023 at 7:00pm

Join us for our annual Victorian Dinner.

Enjoy a four course seated dinner featuring Baked Alaska for dessert. Make some memories by candlelight, enjoy festive holiday drinks and dance to the music of the Bonfire Orchestra. This evening is always so magical, so make your plans now to attend. Seating is limited. call 662.494.6463 to make your reservations.

Attire: Holiday Glow



Cameron Club Gathering Saturday, December 9 6:00pm Terrace



# Let it GLOW...but KNOW...

"There are two ways of spreading light, to be the candle or the mirror that reflects it."

~ Edith Wharton

Candlelight can turn a mundane event into a celebration! A candlelit dinner somehow magically becomes... more memorable. Candles have been integral to celebrations for centuries, from churches to dinner parties and atop birthday cakes. Candles create significant moments.

Someone said, "Everything tastes better in candlelight." And I think everyone "looks" better in candlelight!

### What is a simple way to "double" your candlelight?

Place candles in front of a mirror! This technique has been used for centuries. The double reflection of candlelight in a mirror is alluringly majestic.

### Why are white and ivory candles the most traditional choice of color?

Let's take a little peek at candle history! Candles were initially made of tallow (cow, sheep, animal fat, or oils). Beeswax was introduced to the Europeans in the Middle Ages as an alternative to tallow. Natural beeswax is the color of honey and was originally sun-bleached for a lighter white, thus making them more expensive. Due to their expense, white and ivory candles were considered a step above any other candle and historically were used in noble residences, palaces, and churches. They are often seen as a symbol of purity and elegance for an inviting atmosphere. A white candle continues to be a timeless, traditional choice, especially for formal events.!

## **Grand Millennial Tip:**

Beware of air-conditioning and/or window breezes. The air can cause the candle wax to drip endlessly on to upholstery, wood and family linens.

## How do you get candle wax off a table?

Use a rubber spatula to scrape off the larger bits and a soft cloth with dish soap and hot water to melt and remove the remaining wax smears. The use of a hairdryer will also melt the wax.

## How do you remove wax drips from a tablecloth?

Freeze the tablecloth first, and then scrape it off. Or, place a brown paper bag or towel over the remaining wax and iron it on a low setting. The wax will melt and transfer to the paper. Repeat this process until all of the wax is gone, and then wash it or send it off to be professionally cleaned

### Forbidden Faux Pas

No-no: To have the white wick visible on a candle.

What is done: A wick must always be blackened, even if the candle is never used. Candles are meant to be used, so blacken the wick on all candles to indicate you know this little, old-school secret.

# FROM CHEF JOHN



Dear Members,

I know we are all looking forward to Thanksgiving and the battle for the Golden Egg! Let's be thankful for fall temps and say goodbye to summer heat.

With the Egg Bowl being played at Mississippi State this year we are having our Thanksgiving Buffet so be sure to make your reservations as we are booking up fast. Soups are back "ON" and available every day on our Murphy's Salad Bar as well as quarts available to take home to enjoy throughout the colder months.

We will also be offering a variety of to go 9 X 13 casserole's during the January closing period.

Please remember to book your holiday parties with Gabby Thompson.

I look forward to seeing you soon and often.

Chef John Thompson

# **EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**



Charlette "Cha Cha" Lindsey

The Old Waverly and Mossy Oak Food and Beverage
Team is proud to have Charlette "Cha Cha" Lindsey on
board. Charlette joined Old Waverly as an amazing cook
in March of this year. In this short period Charlette has
proven to be a great contributor to our Food and Beverage
operation. Her hard work and great attitude have been a
great asset to Old Waverly and Mossy Oak. Thank you for
all you do and always with the biggest SMILE!!

Congratulations Charlette!



# WINE AND FOOD THOUGHTS FROM OUR CELLAR MASTER Jon Story

As we enter the fall and early winter months of 2023 and 2024, I find myself wanting to concentrate on the finer things of life due to the world-wide and country wide calamities present in the everyday news. Good food and wine offer some respite from these exterior concerns. However as to wine, we find the present prices for real good wine somewhat prohibitive if from France while California prices especially for good Cabernet Sauvignon have also skyrocketed in the market. Therefore, when ordering from a restaurant menu I always look (after choosing the varietal or wine to go with the meal) for the best wine for the money! If it is a special occasion, then of course select the best wine on the list.

There are many factors when selecting a wine and price is one of them. HOWEVER, price is not always reflective of quality and there are many wines that are just as good and fit the occasion that are cheaper than a more expensive wine. The Old Waverly Wine of the Month for December, Oberon Cabernet Sauvignon, is a good example.

Another factor to look at on the label itself: the name of the winery if known to you to be of high quality generally, then good, order it. However, one of the most important gauges of wine quality can be measured from the location of the vineyard(s) that sourced the grapes, the vineyard's appellation or in American terms A.V.A. (American Viticultural Area), i.e., Napa Valley is known for its Cabernet and Merlots, Sonoma County for its beautiful Pinot Noirs and Chardonnays as are the vineyards in

the central coast. There are, of course, exceptions to these general guidelines. Alexander Valley AVA is in Sonoma County but is known for its Cabernet Sauvignon as an example.

Your wine server or steward can advise you too, don't hesitate to ask for recommendations to match the food that is ordered. Many west coast wines also are from single vineyards and that will be on the label always! A single vineyard wine reflects the nature of the soil and climate of its vineyard, and is usually more expensive too, but worth it! An example of this is our "Clark & Telephone" November Wine of the Month. More on choosing good wine later!

By the way I did not list two of our Caymus Family Wines last time: Quilt Cabernet Sauvignon and Quilt "Fabric of the Land" red blend both highly rated and of 2021 vintage. "Fabric is an unusual blend of Petite Syrah, Petite Verdot, Merlot and Zinfandel, Lucious!! The Cabernet is very rich also, and both of these wines are reasonably priced for their high quality and are also made by Joe Wagner. All for now. Any suggestions or questions will be well received. *Tom Storey* 

### NOVEMBER: BELLE GLOS CLARK & TELEPHONE 2021/\$55 (NORMALLY \$80)

WINE OF THE MONTH FOR NOVEMBER; For Turkey Month of 2023, I l have chosen the beautiful BELLE GLOS CLARK & TELEPHONE VINEYARD 2021. Only recently rated 91 and 92, this full bodied Pinot from the Santa Maria Valley on the Central California Coast (Santa Barbara County) but lying on the higher plateau up from the Pacific Coast where the vines receive full morning fog and cool ocean breezes flowing in from the Santa Maria River, along with a cool afternoon sun making this wine from Joseph Wagner's valise of fine wines remarkable. A Caymus Family wine, you will find his wine with full cranberry and raspberry fruits, beautifully deep scarlet red color in the glass. We have featured the other two single vineyards of Belle Glos before (they are still on the menu too) but is the first for this vineyard to be so featured. It's name is based on the intersection of the Clark and Telephone roads where it is located. Try it with Chef's beef rib eyes and filets; salmon (not blackened though), stuffed chicken dish, and I found it very good with the Old Waverly Catfish Lafitte! In November for reduced price of \$55per bottle. Happy Thanksgiving, Tom Storey, Cellar Master

### **DECEMBER: OBERON CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021/\$35 (NORMALLY \$50)**

WINE OF THE MONTH FOR DECEMBER 2023: For the winter month of 2023 I have selected OBERON CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2021 FROM NAPA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA. Founded by Robert Mondavi's oldest son, Michael Mondavi. Oberon is now owned by the Michael Mondavi Family and produces outstanding varietals, all from Napa County-and from Nappa Valley itself. This Cabernet is a blend from seven vineyards located within Napa County all from rich volcanic and alluvial soils. Well known winemaker, Tony Coltrin, described this wine as being full of black cherry and sweet blackberry with hints of coffee, chocolate, and spices finishing with a long and warm mouth feel. Aged in 45% French Oak for 12 months, it is at present drinking full of rich fruit and will marry well with Chef's Prime New York Strip and Filet of Beef. I would also try it with the Catfish Laffitte Oscar! This is one of the very best reasonably priced Cabernet Sauvignons on the market, ENJOY in December for only \$35 per bottle, Merry Christmas to the Old Waverly Family!! Tom Storey, Cellar Master









What a great sport.... from an Ole Miss GIRL!

Hi Members.

We have had so many great events in the last several months at both Old Waverly and Mossy Oak! Thank you all so much for choosing us to host your events as well as sponsoring your loved one's events.

As the year winds down, we are quickly filling up our holiday party slots. If you would like to host your holiday party or dinner at Old Waverly or Mossy Oak, please call me to get it set up.

> Best Wishes Always, Gabby 662.495.5468 events@oldwaverly.com



# TUESDAY NIGHTS IN NOVEMBER HOMEMADE SPAGHETTI AND MEATBALLS









Watch for details in our next newsletter and our blast emails.



New Year's Eve Dinner





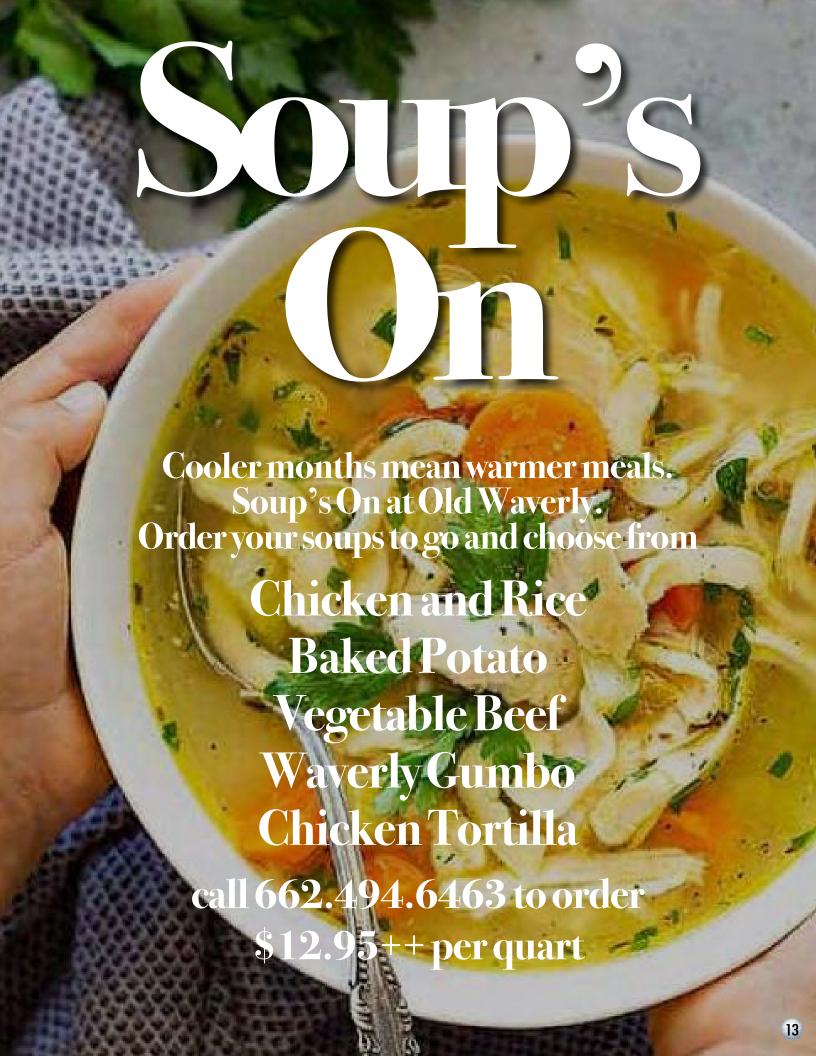
# CAJUN SHRIMP ETOUFFEE WITH RICE

Served with Mixed Green Salad with your choice of dressing and Garlic French Bread \$25++

# 2023 SEC Football Schedule

**East Division** 

East Division								
Team	Oct. 21	Oct. 28	Nov. 4	Nov. 11	Nov. 18	Nov. 25		
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FLORIDA	La	Georgia (1)	Arkansas	at LSU	at Missouri	Florida State		
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GEORGIA		Florida (1)	Missouri	Ole Miss	at Tennessee	at Georgia Tech		
KENTUCKY	OFF	Tennessee	at Mississippi St.	Alabama	at South Carolina	at Louisville		
MISSOURI	South Carolina	OFF	at Georgia	Tennessee	Florida	at Arkansas (Fri)		
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SOUTH CAROLINA	at Missouri	at Texas A&M	Jacksonville St.	Vanderbilt	Kentucky	Clemson		
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TENNESSEE	at Alabama	at Kentucky	UConn	at Missouri	Georgia	Vanderbilt		
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VANDERBILT		at Ole Miss	Auburn	at South Carolina		at Tennessee		
18 ALABAMA	Tennessee	OFF	LSU	at Kentucky	Chattanooga	at Auburn		
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ARKANSAS	Mississippi St.	OFF	at Florida	Auburn	FIU	Missouri (Fri)		
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OLE MICE		Non-death life	Tauran	at County	U.M.	at MS Sada (44/05)		
OLE MISS	at Auburn	Vanderbilt	Texas A&M	at Georgia	ULM	at MS State (11/23)		
TEXAS A&M	OFF	South Carolina	at Ole Miss	Mississippi St.	ACU	at LSU		
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# SANTA BRUNCH

Sunday December 3

11 am and 1pm Seatings

reservations 662.494.6463

# waverly casseroles to go

Chicken and Rice Mac and Cheese Shepherd's Pie

call 662.494.6463 to order \$30++ per casserole

JOIN US FOR A

# SCOTCH TASTING GOOD TIME

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH FROM 4-6 PM MOSSY OAK GOLF CLUB

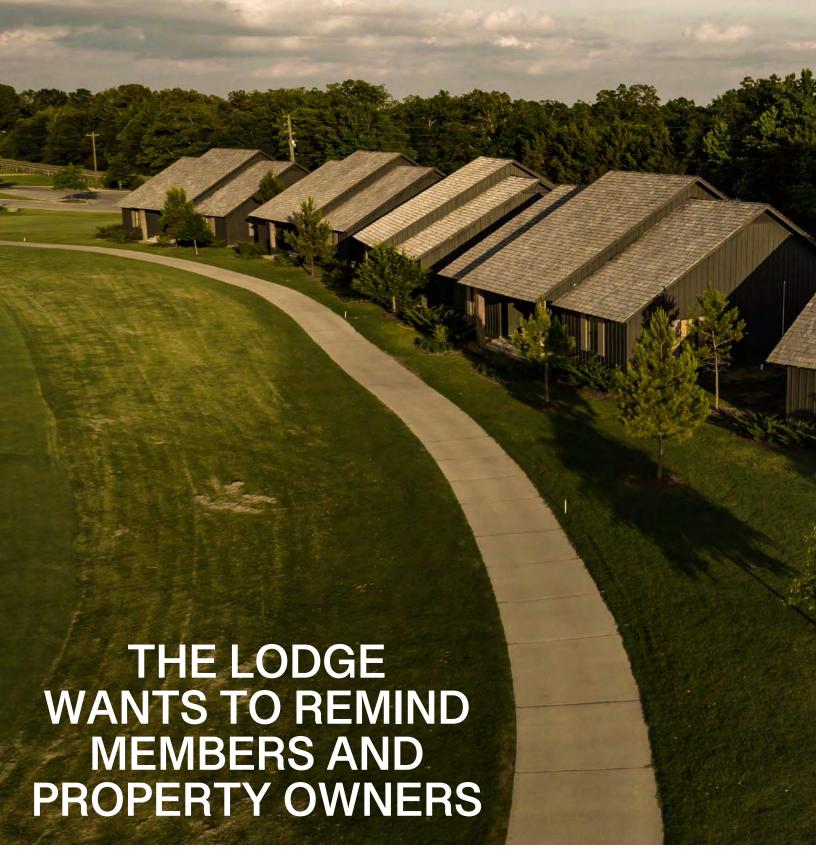
TOAST THE BEGINNING OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON WITH SOME HIGH END SCOTCHES AND PAIRED WITH CHEF AUSTIN'S DELICIOUS APPETIZERS \$40++ PER PERSON

reservations 662.494.6463/ext. 0









to make reservations early for 2024 holidays, events and football games. Contact the Lodge at 662-495-5485 or lodge@oldwaverly.com.

# Massage Therapy

By Ewaldson François



10 years of sports massage experience with high school, collegiate and professional athletes specializing in pain management and stress relief

### **Testimonials**

"Francois is really good at focusing on where you need the most attention...great deep tissue massage...He really is AMAZING!"

- Mary Frances Griffin

"Growing up I thought I was Evil Knievel so somedays I pay for it. Francois, two words, life saver."

- Wilkes Bryan

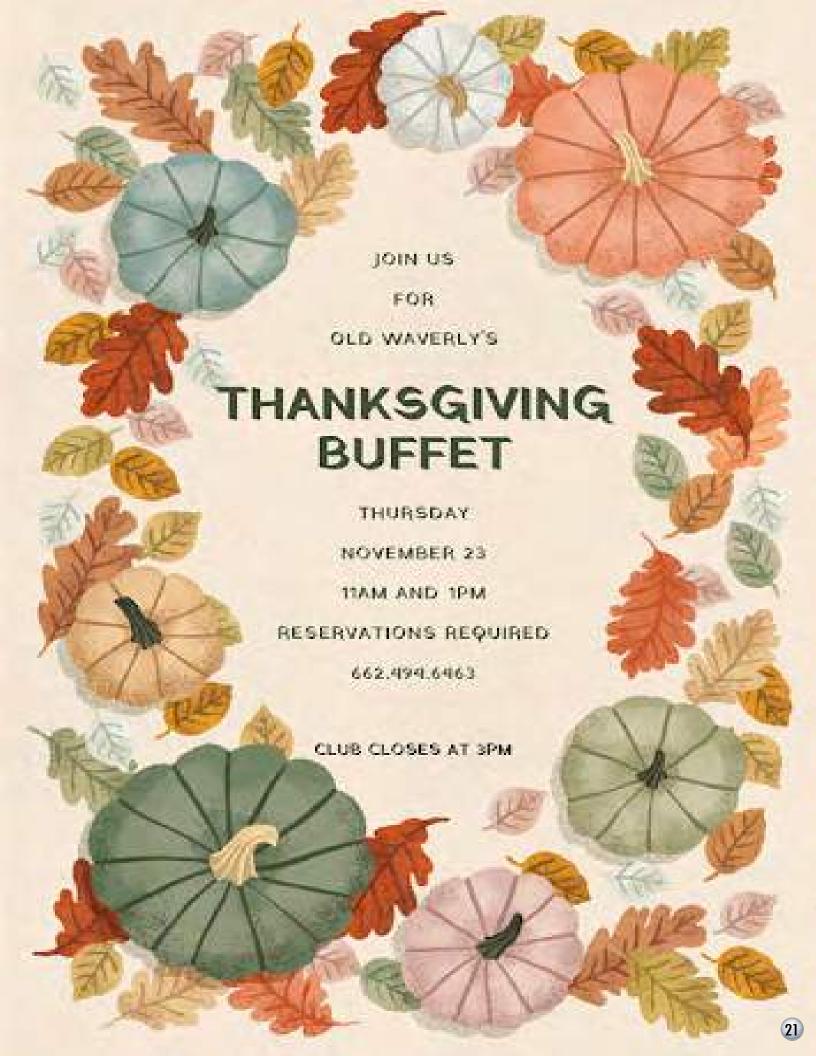
When Olympic track and field athlete Marco Arop took home the Bronze Medal in the Men's 800-meter

race at the 2022 World Championships in Eugine, Oregon, he says he felt lucky to have Licensed Massage Therapist Ewaldson Francois, LMT-who goes by Francois-at the meet with him.

"Francois traveled with a group of us, and every one of us medaled at Worlds," Marco says. "That's pretty impressive."

The group met Francois when he was the massage therapist for the athletics department at Mississippi State University.

Massage Therapy Appointments available on Fridays 9am-4pm at Mossy Oak Massage Room adjacent to Founders Room Upstairs Call Francois at 662.456.6886 to book your appointment today!



# R E A EST















# 36 Waverly Drive

The new completed townhome at 36 Waverly Drive with many upgrades. Listed for \$699,000

These are a few of our newest townhomes for sale.
Contact Shane Williams
662.295.0101

# A RARE lot for sale on Hole #11





Lot 6 within the private gated golf course community of Old Waverly Golf Club offers an incredible home building site atop the rise of # 11 fairway with long views across the 40 acres of Lake Waverly/\$180,000



# **GUEST PASSES**

Reminder: Please use all guest passes by December 31st. Call the Golf Shop to reserve your tee time and enjoy the great Fall weather!





# Holiday Season Sale

November 27th starts our Holiday Sales so be sure to shop early to get the best selection of items from Peter Millar, Greyson, Lululemon, Holderness & Bourne and many more. Both golf shops will have discounts ranging from 25-75%. Look forward to seeing you this Holiday Season.

# Holiday Hours

November
Close at
3:00pm on
Thanksgiving
Day

December
23rd close at
noon through
December 27th
Re-open on
28th of
December

January
1st -16th
Closed for
repairs and
maintenance.
Re-open on
17th of January



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2023

FROM 9AM-6PM

T OLD WAVERLY AND MOSSY OAK GOLF SHOP

ENJOY DRINKS AND HOR D'OEUVRES

COMPLIMENTARY GIFT WRAPPING

HAPPY SHOPPING AND MERRY CHIRSTMASI



from all of us at Old Waverly and Mossy Oak



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Happy Hour at Mossy Oak Ladies Night 5-7pm	Member Social 5-6:30pm Cameron's	3 Down Home Lunch Buffet Dinner at Mossy Oak	4 Breakfast Buffet Dinner at Mossy Oak
5 Breakfast Buffet Scotch Tasting at Mossy Oak Hours 4-6pm	6 Club Closed Mossy Oak Open	7 Spaghetti & Meatballs Special	8 Happy Hour at Mossy Oak Ladies Night 5-7pm	9 Member Social 5-6:30pm Cameron's	Down Home Lunch Buffet Dinner at Mossy Oak Magnolia & Cameron's Closed	11 Breakfast Buffet Dinner at Mossy Oak Upstairs Closed
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19 Breakfast Buffet	20 Club Closed Mossy Oak Open College X Tour	21 Spaghetti & Meatballs Special College X Tour	22 Happy Hour at Mossy Oak Ladies Night 5-7pm	23 Thanksgiving Buffet 11-2 Close at 3pm	Down Home Lunch Buffet  Dinner at Mossy Oak	25 Breakfast Buffet Dinner at Mossy Oak
<b>26</b> Breakfast Buffet	27	28 Spaghetti & Meatballs Special	29 Happy Hour at Mossy Oak Ladies Night 5-7pm	30 Member Social 5-6:30pm Cameron's		

# Secret Member Number

Look for your Member Number in the Newsletter To enjoy Sunday Brunch for 2! Call Melody at 662.494.6463 with your find!

# December 2023 at Old Waverly

			2025 at Old Waverly				
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
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31 New Year's Eve Dinner 6-9pm

Dining Reservations: 662-494-6463 Golf Shop: 662-494-8780 Lodging: 662-495-5485 Mossy Oak: 662-524-1000