#### THE SARNIA RIDING CLUB

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



<u>Upcoming Events</u>



#### Extended Food & Beverage Hours

STARTING MAY 12<sup>TH</sup> WE ARE OPEN MONDAY- FRIDAY 5-9:30PM, AND SATURDAY SUNDAY 10AM-9:30PM



Mother's Day Brunch sunday may 11th 10am, register now!



#### Opening Weekend & The Barnburners!

JOIN US FRIDAY MAY 16<sup>TH</sup> FOR OPENING NIGHT! FRIDAY NIGHT SPECIALS, POOL OPEN, MUSIC PLAYING, GOING TO BE A GREAT LONG WEEKEND! LIVE MUSIC EVERY FRIDAY TO FOLLOW



Shale Ridge White Wine Tasting & Info Thursday May 22<sup>ND</sup> 6:30PM, REGISTRATION REQUIRED

this month's issue:

- Calendars
- Important Member Info
- May & June F&B Schedule
- May Kitchen Promo's
- Squash Wrap Up Info
- SRC Opening Weekend Schedule
- CIT Program
- Mothers Day Brunch
- Live Entertainment
   Schedule & Friday Night
   Camps
- Pickleball Tournament
- NLS Course
- Shale Ridge White Event
- Spring Jr Tennis Lessons
- Adult Endurance Swim
- June 6<sup>th</sup> PA Day Camp
- SRC Day Camp Info

#### MAY 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Membership Dues Due	2 Member Dinner	3 Private Booking
4	5 	6 Spring Tennis & ickleball Leagues Starts	7 Business Networking Meeting Wing Night	8	9 Member Dinner	10 Private Booking
Mother's Day Brunch	12	13	14 Wing Night Staff Training	15 Business Networking Meeting Staff Training	16 Pool Opens! Member Dinner Live Entertainment	17 Mens/Ladies Open Pickleball Tournament
18 Open House 11-2pm Mixed Open PB Tourny Weekly Sunday Brunches Begin	19 , Office Closed	20	21 Wing Night	22 Shale Ridge White Wine Pairing Event NLS Course	23 Member Dinner Live Entertainment	24 Private Booking NLS Course
25  Cafe Open  NLS Course	26	27	28	29	30 Member Dinner Live Entertainment	31 NLS Course

Events subject to change due to final numbers and inclement weather Additional events may be added

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

May 1st - 2025/26 Membership Dues Due

May 5th- Spring Leagues Start

May 7<sup>th</sup>- Business Networking Event

May 11th - Mother's Day Brunch

May 15<sup>th</sup> - Solo-preneur Networking Event

May 16th - Pool Opens! Friday Night Dinner & Live Entertainment

May 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> - Open Pickleball Tournament, Sunday Brunch

May 22nd - Pairing Event, NLS Course Begins

May 23<sup>rd</sup> - Friday Night Dinner & Live Entertainment

May 30<sup>th</sup> - Friday Night Dinner & Live Entertainment

#### JUNE 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
I Sunday Brunch NLS Course	2 NLS Course	3	4	5 Private Event	6 PA Day Camp Member Dinner Live Entertainment	7
8 Sunday Brunch Pickleball Clinic Cafe Open	9	10 Squash Ontario Demonstration	<sup>11</sup> Squash Ontario Demonstration Wing Night	12 Ladies Luncheon	13 Member Dinner Live Entertainment	14
15 Sunday Brunch Father's Day BBQ Cafe Open	16	17 Private Booking	18 Wing Night	19	20 Member Dinner Live Entertainment	21 Private Booking
$2^{2}$ Sunday Brunch Tennis Clinic Cafe Open	23	24 Private Booking	25 Wing Night	26 Last Day of School! Private Booking	<sup>27</sup> PA Day Camp Member Dinner Live Entertainment	28
29 Sunday Brunch Cafe Open	30 <b>←</b>	JULY 1ST  Summer Tennis & Pickleball Leagues Sta		JULY 3RD	JULY 4TH	JULY 5TH

#### JUNE AT A GLANCE

June 4th - Business Networking Meeting

June 6<sup>th</sup> - PA Day Camp, Friday Night Dinner & Live Entertainment

June 8th - Pickleball Clinic

June 10<sup>th</sup> - Ontario Squash Glass Court Tour, Open House

June 12<sup>th</sup> - Ladies Luncheon

June 13<sup>th</sup> - Friday Night Dinner & Live Entertainment

June 15<sup>th</sup> - Father's Day BBQ

June 20<sup>th</sup> - Friday Night Dinner & Live Entertainment

June 22<sup>nd</sup> - Tennis Clinic

June 27<sup>th</sup> - PA Day Camp, Friday Night Dinner & Live Entertainment

# Important Membership Information

2025/2026 Membership Dues due May 1st

If you have not paid you cannot attend leagues.

#### **Food and Bev Hours**

New this year- starting May 12<sup>th</sup> the Kitchen will be open 7 days a week!

Kraeft Hospitality will be launching the 2025 Cafe menu on Friday May 16<sup>th.</sup>

Soft Launch will be May 5-9<sup>th</sup> and May 12<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup>.

Please See the following 2 pages for more information.



Exciting News!

The SRC is buying two Club Stand Up Paddle Boards!

These will be available to Full Members to sign out for free via ClubLocker. Age restrictions may apply, more information to come.





#### May Food and Beverage Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:00AM							
10:00AM							
11:00AM							Brunch Served
12:00PM	See Office for Bar and Food Availability						10am-1pm
1:00PM							
2:00PM						Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open
3:00PM						10am-9:30pm	10am-9:30pm
4:00PM							
5:00PM							
6:00PM	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open		
7:00PM	5-9:30pm	5-9:30pm	5-9:30pm	5-9:30pm	5-9:30pm		
8:00PM							
9:00PM							
10:00PM	Bar Open until guest demand winds down — thank you for joining us!						

Kitchen is Closed May 3rd, 4<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>. Bar is Open for Patio Drinks!

#### June Food and Beverage Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday		
9:00AM									
10:00AM									
11:00AM						Brunch Served			
12:00PM	See Office for Bar and Food Availability						10am-1pm		
1:00PM									
2:00PM				Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open			
3:00PM				10am-9:30pm	10am-9:30pm	10am-9:30pm			
4:00PM									
5:00PM									
6:00PM	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open	Kitchen Open					
7:00PM	5-9:30pm	5-9:30pm	5-9:30pm	5-9:30pm					
8:00PM									
9:00PM									
10:00PM	10:00PM Bar Open until guest demand winds down — thank you for joining us!								

F&B Hours subject to events booked.



#### 2025 Menu Soft Launch

SRC BAR AND KITCHEN WILL BE OPEN MONDAY MAY 5TH-FRIDAY MAY 9<sup>TH</sup> 5-9:30PM

AND

MONDAY MAY 12TH-THURSDAY
MAY 15<sup>TH</sup> 5-9:30PM

TO SOFT LAUNCH THE
2025 CAFE MENU!! CHECK OUT OUR
DAILY SPECIALS FOR THE 2 WEEKS!
DURING THIS TIME, THE 2024 CAFE
MENU WILL REMAIN AVAILABLE.

HANDHELDS



BAR OPEN 5PM- CLOSE

SCOTT MANERY & THE BARNBURNERS

PLAYING 7-11PM



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#### Junior Squash



OUR JUNIOR SQUASH
PROGRAM WELCOMED A
CREW FROM THE RACQUETUP
DETROIT PROGRAM ON
MARCH 1 FOR A DAY FILLED
WITH FUN, FRIENDS (AND A
FEW SNACKS!). WE HOPE TO
SEE THEM AGAIN SOON AND
CAN'T WAIT TO GO DOWN
AND SEE THEIR COOL NEW
FACILITY. CHECK OUT THEIR
PROGRAM HERE!

SEVERAL OF OUR JUNIOR PLAYERS PARTICIPATED IN THE SQUASH ONTARIO GRAND PRIX EVENT IN LONDON ON MARCH 29. FOR SEVERAL OF OUR JUNIORS, THIS WAS THEIR FIRST EXPERIENCE WITH A FORMAL SQUASH ONTARIO TOURNAMENT - WE COULDN'T BE MORE PROUD OF ALL THE HARD WORK THEY PUT IN THIS SEASON.SPECIAL SHOUT OUT TO CHELSEA FOR FINISHING IN 3RD PLACE AND BILLY FOR FINISHING IN 2ND PLACE IN THEIR DIVISIONS! PHOEBE AND CHELSEA ALSO CAUGHT THE TOURNAMENT BUG AND PARTICIPATED IN THE GRAND PRIX EVENT IN MISSISSAUGA - WAY TO GO, GIRLS!



(L TO R): PHOEBE, SOFIA, CHELSEA, LANDON, BILLY. NOT PICTURED: HUGO AND FAITH.



(L TO R): PHOEBE, CLAIRE, SOFIA, CHELSEA, FAITH, REESE, FIONA, HAYDEN, GORDON, HUGO AND HARRY.

MEANWHILE, OUR JUNIORS
TOOK A ROAD TRIP TO
LONDON FOR OUR ANNUAL
RECIPROCAL EVENT. AS
USUAL, WE HAD A LOT OF
FUN AND IT WAS GREAT TO
SEE HOW MUCH OUR
PLAYERS HAVE IMPROVED
THIS YEAR WITH ALL OF
THEIR TRAINING!

#### High School Squash

OUR HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL SEASON THIS YEAR, CULMINATING IN A GREAT SHOWING AT THE OFSAA INVITATIONAL JIM MASON TOURNAMENT IN TORONTO. WE ARE SO PROUD OF OUR NORTHERN 1 TEAM FOR BRINGING HOME THE GOLD MEDAL IN THE EMERGING TEAMS DIVISION. THIS TEAM HAS SHOWN SO MUCH HARD WORD AND DEDICATION TO THE GAME OVER THE LAST 3 YEARS AND WE COULDN'T BE MORE PROUD THAT THEIR HARD WORK HAS PAID OFF. CONGRATS TO OUR MEMBERS AAYLA, FRANCESCA, BEN, CHASE AND JULIAN, AS WELL AS COACH GARY ON YOUR WELL-EARNED WIN.



A SPECIAL MENTION TO COACH LEE AND ST. PAT'S TEAM (INCLUDING MEMBERS SOFIA, MATTEO, SAWYER AND LORENZO) ON THEIR 5TH PLACE FINISH AS WELL TO THE NORTHERN 2 TEAM INCLUDING MEMBERS MYAH AND QUINTEN AND OUR SMALL BUT MIGHTY TEAM FROM ST. FRANCOIS-XAVIER (NOT PICTURED).





#### High School Squash

ON FRIDAY APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup>, WE HOSTED THE ANNUAL SARNIA CITY SQUASH CHAMPIONSHIPS AND OUR MEMBERS WERE ON FIRE! WE HAD 30 PLAYERS PARTICIPATE IN THE EVENT AND ARE THRILLED AT THE GROWTH OF THIS PROGRAM!





THE SMALL BUT MIGHTY ST. PAT'S TEAM TOOK HOME THE JUNIOR TEAM BANNER AND THE LARGE AND MIGHTIER NORTHERN SENIOR TEAM TOOK HOME THE SR BANNER. SHOUTOUT TO TEACHER SUPPORT MICHELLE AND THE GREAT LAKES TEAM FOR THEIR DEBUT THIS SEASON! SPECIAL MEMBER MENTIONS INCLUDE:

- Chase: Senior 1st place

- Quinten: Junior 1st place - Francesca: Girls' 1st place

- Julian: Senior 2nd place

- Sawyer: Junior 2nd place

- Aayla: Girls' 2nd place

- Ben: Senior 3rd place

- Myah: Girls' 3rd place





Finally, this year's recipient of the Holly Delavigne Squash Scholarship was Ben Parkinson. It has been an absolute pleasure to witness Ben's squash journey over his high school career so far. Before high school, Ben thought squash was just a vegetable!

Though every squash journey has its ups and downs, Ben has always shown a sense of dedication and perseverance. He tackles each match with a sense of calm determination. He is a gracious opponent regardless of the outcome. He has grown into a wonderful coach in our junior program and a leader of his peers. Ben always goes the above and beyond and we can't wait to see what the future has in store for him (but we are also selfishly glad he's decided to stay back for a "victory lap" so we can hang onto him for one more year!).

#### Squash Season Wrap Up

It's a big week for squash! Join us this Wednesday April 30th for League Wrap-Up Night, followed by the Club Championships on Thursday and Friday. It's the perfect chance to cheer on your fellow players, relive some of the season's best moments, and enjoy top-level matches.

Thanks to everyone for making it a fantastic season — and with talk of a summer league already in the air, you have to wonder... is the season ever really over?

Don't miss the action. Come out and support!





## SRC Opening Weekend

#### Friday May 16th

Pool Opens!

3-4pm Adult Swim 4-9PM Open Swim Kitchen Open 5-9:30PM Bar Open 5- Close

Live Music 7-11pm: Scott Manery &

The Barnburners - An SRC Crowd Pleaser! 💰



Open Swim 9am-12pm/Adult Swim 12-1pm/ Open Swim 1-9pm Kitchen Open 10am-9:30pm/ Bar Open 10am-Close SRC Open Pickleball Tourney Mens/Ladies Divisions

#### Sunday May 18th - Open House 11am-2pm!

Open Swim 9am-12pm/Adult Swim 12-1pm/ Open Swim 1-9pm Weekly Brunches Begin- Served 10am-1pm/ Bar Open 10am-Close

Kitchen Open for Regular Menu 10am-9:30pm SRC Open Pickleball Tourney Mixed Divisions

Foam Party 11:30am-1pm

No Guest Fees during the Open House! Bring your friends and family to show off your club and Enjoy our Amenities!!

#### **Monday May 19th**

Open Swim 9am-12pm/Adult Swim 12-1pm/ Open Swim 1-9pm Kitchen Open 10am-9:30pm/ Bar Open 10am-Close



SARNIA RIDING CLUB

### **COUNSELLOR IN** TRAINING PROGRAM

Developing the skills to work in a team in a day camp setting.

> FOR MEMBERS AGED 14-16

#### **Program Benefits**

- Gain Experience
- · Grow your leadership abilities and comfort
- Reference letters from SRC Office Upon Successful Completion

#### **Details**

- Application Open May 1st-28th
- 4 In Person Practical Knowledge Workshops
- Guaranteed 1 Volunteer Shift/ Camp Week
- Final Project of Running Activity for Campers





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Join our new Counselor-in-Training (CIT) program and help shape the future! As our community grows older, we're looking for passionate young leaders to step up and carry on our traditions. This program is designed to develop leadership skills, hands-on experience, and a deep connection to our community. Whether you're looking to grow personally or make a lasting impact, the CIT program is your opportunity to learn, lead, and inspire the next generation.



#### 11 MAY | 10AM SERVICE

Let's celebrate together!

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ADULTS \$30// KIDS 7-12 \$14// 6 & UNDER FREE ALL PLUS TAX & GRAT



ADULTS \$30// KIDS 7-12 \$14// 6 & UNDER FREE

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#### **Breakfast Classics**

Scrambled Eggs – chives, mushrooms, and gruyère \*

Classic Eggs Benedict - lemon hollandaise, ham, English muffin

Waffle & Pancake Charcuterie Board – fresh berries, maple syrup, jams

Crudité Grazing Platter - veggies, cheese, spiced nuts, dips \*

Candied Maple Bacon - thick-cut, applewood smoked \*

Rosemary Roasted Potatoes \*

French Toast Casserole - vanilla icing drizzle

Toast Station - sourdough, rye, whipped butters & jam \*

Greek Yogurt Parfait Bar – granola, toasted nuts and seeds, fruit compote, honey

Spring Vegetable Lasagna – roasted tomato coulis, spinach, artichokes, mushrooms, vegan feta, butternut squash  $\pmb{\ast}$ 

Buttermilk Fried Chicken & Waffles – hot honey drizzle, coleslaw, crispy onions

Salad Bar - mixed greens, romaine, assorted toppings and dressing

Mini Cupcakes - lemon meringue & chocolate ganache \*

Cookie Platter - lemon thyme, rose sugar, Earl Grey

Dessert Sampler Bites - mousse cups & torte slices

Fruit Platter - sliced fruit, berries, coconut fruit dip \*

#### **Beverages**

Freshly Brewed Coffee & Assorted Teas - Locally roasted Backhome Coffee

Infused Water Station – cucumber-mint, citrus-berry

\* = Gluten Free Option

MAY 2025



email recesarniar dingclub.com with questions registration

Registrations Available 2 Weeks Prior Via Email

AUGUST 22ND 5:30-7:30PM MIKE BLACKMORE

SCOTT MANERY &

THE BARNBURNERS





# Become a Lifeguard!

## LIFESAVING SOCIETY NL COURSE

#### DATES:

Thursday May 22nd: 5:30-9:00 PM May 24th/25th 8:30am-6pm May 31st/June 1st 8:30am-6pm June 2nd 5:30-9pm





\$ 225

Non-member Fee:

\$ 275

**TextBook Fee** 

\$60

Registration Opens to Non-Member April 1st and Closes May 1st



## REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:

- 15 years of age
- Standard First Aid CPR-C
- Bronze Cross

#### **ABOUT THE COURSE**

The National Lifeguard -Pool award builds on the knowledge from Bronze Cross. The candidates will learn how to supervise a pool and rescue those in distress. Only those who hold a National Lifeguard – Pool award may lifeguard in a pool setting.



MAY 2025



## White Wine Pairing

Led by Shale Ridge Representatives

#### May 22nd 2025

6:30-7pm Welcome Cocktail Pairing Begins Promptly at 7pm at the Sarnia Riding Club

**RSVP REQUIRED** 



#### Shale Ridge Pairing & Info Night



Welcome Cocktail: Purple Rain Cider

1st Course: Compressed Melon & Pickled Ginger Crudo with Crispy Prosciutto Paired with Lucia Sparkling

2nd Course: Jerk-Spiced Chicken Lollipops with Mango Butter & Plantain Crisp Paired with SR Chardonnay

3rd Course: Five-Spice Pork Belly with Peach-Lime Glaze, Pickled Shallots & Coconut Sticky Rice Cake Paired with 2023 Ridge White



## THE SARNIA RIDING CLUB

## SPRING JUNIOR TENNIS PROGRAM

Whether you are new to the game of tennis or want to develop your skills before Summer begins...

The Sarnia Riding Club offers a 6-Week Junior Spring

Tennis program for Members AND Non-Members.

#### AGES 4+ MAY 19TH- JUNE 26TH

Monday & Wednesday: 5pm-5:45pm (Ages 4-8) Monday & Wednesday: 5:45pm-6:30pm (Ages 9-12) Tuesday & Thursday: 5pm-5:45pm (Ages 4-8)



Members: \$150, Non-Members: \$185

Call 519-542-5588 or email rec@sarniaridingclub.com to register





#### Adult Endurance Swim

## Starting June 16th 2025 at the Sarnia Riding Club Pool

Monday, Wednesday & Friday Mornings 6:00-7:00am **OR** 7:00-8:00am

Guided Workouts with Swim Coaches

SRC Members \$185.60+tax

Only 22 Spots Available per session, Register ASAP

#### Requirements:

- Able to swim 500 yards without stopping (20 lengths)
- Comfortable with a variety of strokes and techniques (front crawl, back crawl, breast stroke, flutter board, pull buoy)





Please email Cayleigh at rec@sarniaridingclub.com with any questions





# PA Day Camp JUNE 6TH

8:30AM-4:30PM

4 Years old +

A fun packed day with crafts, swimming, racquet sports and games!



Questions? Email rec@sarniaridingclub.com





IF YOU NEED TO MAKE
ANY CHANGES TO
YOUR REGISTRATION,
PLEASE EMAIL REC!





JULY 2-4TH- ONCE UPON A CAMP
JULY 7TH-11TH- LOST TREASURE CAMP
JULY 14TH-18TH- MISSION: SPACE CAMP
JULY 21ST-25TH- HOLIDAYS CAMP
JULY28TH- AUG 1ST- CAMP TIME WARP
AUG 5TH-8TH- ART-TASTIC CAMP
AUG 11TH-15TH- WILDERNESS EXPLORERS
AUG 18TH- 22ND-SPLASH-TACULAR
AUG 25TH-29TH- SRC SPIRIT CAMP

\$200/WEEK REDUCED PRICE FOR SHORT WEEKS AGES 4-12

#### INFO:

8:30AM DROP OFF 4:30PM PICK UP

EARLY DROP OFF & PICK UP
AVAILABLE

OPTIONAL LUNCH AND SNACK TO PURCHASE EVERY DAY

TYPICAL DAY INCLUDES AGE APPROPRIATE GAMES & CRAFT, OUTDOOR FREE PLAY AND SWIMMING



DAY CAMP REGISTRATION OPENED TO CURRENT MEMBERS MARCH 17TH. NEW MEMBERS GET ACCESS TO DAYCAMP REGISTRATION APRIL 14TH. MEMBERS CAN REGISTER THEIR EXTENDED

