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Laurel Hill Golf Club Invites the Public to Open House

Laurel Hill Golf Club recently celebrated its 10th anniversary, marking the occasion late last year. Now it continues the festivities, celebrating the New Year by inviting the public to experience all of its unique features at a free open house event on Saturday, January 16, 2016.

Laurel Hill is a special course appreciated by those new to the game as well as seasoned pros. The championship greens, designed by world-renowned architect Bill Love, are nestled in picturesque rolling hills surrounded by trees and wildlife. With generous fairways and troublesome rough, the championship course is a true test for all levels of play. Laurel Hill was most recently the host site of the 2013 U.S. Amateur Public Links Championship, one of the last occurrences of this since-retired, prestigious national event of the USGA.

Although Laurel Hill is a municipal golf facility owned and operated by the Fairfax County Park Authority it offers membership opportunities and many of the amenities traditionally found at private golf facilities. This combination of affordability and world-class service make this course a great place for a special golf outing.

In addition to the top-notch golf Laurel Hill offers, the course also protects both natural and cultural resources. It is designated as an Audubon Society Bird Sanctuary and reuses irrigation water. Laurel Hill also protects its historic roots as the District of Columbia's Department of Corrections facility at Lorton, a history rich in architectural amenities, unusual artifacts and lore.

The free open house event will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres prepared by club chef, Edison Rosales, will be served. Tour the 18-hole course, 30-station practice range, multi-tiered putting green, Pro Shop, American pub-style Grille and banquet room. Meet and hear from club staff, including PGA Class A Pro, Gene Orrico.

Space is limited. To attend this event or for more information about Laurel Hill, contact Chris McIntosh at 703-493-8849 or Christopher.McIntosh@fairfaxcounty.gov by January 13.

Laurel Hill Golf Club is operated by the Fairfax County Park Authority. For more information visit online at <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/golf/lhgc/> or call 703-493-8849. Laurel Hill Golf Club is located at 8701 Laurel Crest Drive in Lorton, VA.

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