

BERKELEY HALL CLUB

A Community of Connection



Terry and Blythe Merrifield



The two Tom Fazio courses feature a core routing patterned after the classic designs of Winged Foot and Seminole— with a layout uninterrupted by any interior homes or roads.

“I consider it one of the best in the Coastal Carolinas. Every round feels like a walk in the park.” —TOM FAZIO

BLUFFTON, SOUTH CAROLINA: Five years ago, Terry Merrifield created a file on his iPad simply labeled “Next.”

“I was a man on a mission to find the perfect location for our forever home,” remembered Terry. “My criteria included a mild climate, classical architecture, strong financials, a younger membership, reasonable taxes, low real estate density, and a community that offered quality golf and tennis. Although all boxes checked for Berkeley Hall, the fact that both of its Tom Fazio designs are walkable sealed the deal. I took up golf while on a ten-year work assignment in Asia, where walking is the norm.”

“While Terry is the golfer in the family, tennis is my game,” shared Blythe Merrifield. “During a Discovery Tour of Berkeley Hall, I attended a complimentary tennis clinic which was wonderful, as I found people to play with right away. As a professional singer, I really felt at home

once I met one of our fellow members who helped connect me to the music world here,” added Blythe. “Singing myself and teaching private voice students has been a wonderful way to get to know the Lowcountry arts community.”

Berkeley Hall is known for its friendly, welcoming membership and with many members relocating from other parts of the country, finding the right fit and becoming part of the community is what it’s all about. Blythe is well familiar with that, “As an ex-pat overseas, it was much the same experience, finding new people, creating genuine friendships, a sense of family, and feeling at home.”

“All of us are looking for contentment and fulfillment in life and we’ve been able to find that,” said Blythe and Terry. “The rich lifestyle afforded to us at Berkeley Hall makes us feel blessed to be here.”

PLATINUM CLUB OF THE WORLD STATUS

“I consider Berkeley Hall to be a true community of connection,” shared Adam Kushner, GM/COO at Berkeley Hall. “Most of our members have come to the Lowcountry from other states, and we’re here to ensure that transition is as smooth as possible.

“We recently attained status by Platinum Clubs of the World as ‘No. 110 Best Club in the World,’ truly an extraordinary honor. This status points to our momentum and the incredible lifestyle of our private golf community. It’s a balancing act to maintain a fiscally conservative operational lookout while planning for the future. Transparency and active communication to our membership, coupled with a strong vision and mission continue to take us forward.” ■

For membership information, visit BerkeleyHallClub.com.

Spanish moss waves in the wind as the unofficial flag of the Lowcountry of South Carolina.

Berkeley Hall is among the lowest density private golf clubs in the Southeast with 980 acres for its 500 member families.

