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› **SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY**
FATHER-SON, PARENT-CHILD
EVENTS CROSS GENERATIONS

› **MYSTERY OF BLOWING ROCK**
DEBATE CONTINUES OVER WHO
DESIGNED COURSE IN N.C.

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Victor Carter Jenkins didn't let a pesky thing like weather rain on his Carolinas Amateur parade.

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Questions have swirled around the identity of the designer of the Blowing Rock Country Club golf course for years.

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Camaraderie and support: Annual Foundation fundraiser is Oct. 13-14.

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It's time to think outside the tee box.

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Orangeburg (S.C.) Country Club has installed 10 large pole clocks at its first and 10th tees (shown here) to help emphasize the importance of keeping up the pace of play.

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Across the Carolinas, clubs and public/resort courses are embracing USGA's "While We're Young" initiative to reduce the amount of time it takes to play a round of golf and curtail erosion in player numbers nationwide due to slow play.