

Gentlemen of the BTC

May 8, 2025

It was a beautiful day for our opening day of golf. 75 and sunny, one of the best that I can remember. Of course, it didn't do my golf game any good as I hacked it up as usual. But my foursome: Anthony, Lee Kaz, Bob Kennedy and I had lots of fun. Kennedy was the only one that golfed decent even though we all hit a few good shots. On one par 3 we all were within 20 feet but only two of use made par. Could have been all the pops we were drinking because Catherine, the best cart girl, was at our side every other hole.

The pace of play was pretty good considering we had over 100 golfers and we got to eat early, around 3:30. The dinner was very good I thought and there was a very good crowd. It was good to see all the faces that have not been around for a while and all the applicants that were there. For me, it was great to see Dave Downey, Jack Parisi and Dick Kerkstra. And my good friend Andy Zilis was there who has been having heart problems and is looking at a possible heart transplant. Let's hope for a great recovery.

Well, there weren't a lot of great scratch scores out there. Three guys: **Bob Kennedy, Scott Lee and George Les** shot 80, **Steve O** shot 84 and **Ron Kogut** an 86. **Applicant Kevin Kennedy** shot 84. There were some good handicap scores with **Derrick Bay who shot 69, Les Podlasek 71, and Arnie Carlstrom 71**. **Jimmy "I can't stop talking"McDermott shot 72 as did Matt Janda, Bob Long, Jeff Quilici, and Jim Van Eck. Dan Grimes had a 73. John Boyle and Dan Raymond shot 74. Last but not least, Corey Rob shot 70.**

The Ageless Wonder Club did all right. Jack Heatter shot 77, Gar Ward 95-78, Don Franko 94-77, and Ron Abramowicz 98-81. Hey, if you're over 85 and golf, let me know and you can be in the Ageless Wonder Club.

All and all, it was a great day, and I hope everyone had a great time. Next week, we are at the sanctuary. It's a relatively short course but you have to keep it straight cause there is trouble out there. But as I say, Bogey is a good score.

Your secretary, DJ

P.S. Whoops, I hit it right again.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Gentlemen please welcome our newest applicants to the Club:

Tony Clementi, 13615 Royal Court, Crestwood, IL 60418 Cell: 708-515-6311 email address: <u>tonyclementi@comcast.net</u> Sponsors: George Les and Jim McDermott

Bruce Clark, 21993 Rosemary, Frankfort, IL 60423 Cell: 312-498-8000 email address: <u>bruceclark0@gmail.com</u> Sponsors: Bob Schaefer and Rich Schroeder

Let's make these gentlemen feel welcome in the Club and help them out as much as possible.

Sincerely, Jerry Jasinski, Chairman

Golf News

We couldn't have asked for a better day to kick off the 2025 golf season. The weather was amazing. We had 117 signed up to golf and 108 actually played. Coincidentally enough, 108 was also the number of members that attended the dinner afterwards.

Golf scores as well as daily game results are included in this newsletter as an attachment. As for next week at Sanctuary, I am still receiving hotline requests to play Tuesday. A separate email with tee times will be sent out either Friday or Saturday. Golf emails outside of the newsletter will come from **builderstee@gmail.com** (Senders Name: Builders Tee). Please add that address to your email contacts list so that the golf emails don't end up in your spam/junk folder.

The first round of the 2-Man Tournament will be June 3rd. All members with an established Builders Tee Club handicap are eligible for the tournament. If you have not submitted your team yet, please do so as soon as possible. You can enter by calling the hot line (708-888-1355) or stop by the score table after golf. The entry fee for the tournament is \$100 per team (\$50 each). You can pay Scott or Anthony at the score table after golf.

We currently have 85 golfers signed up for golf at Sanctuary next week. They are not going to let us tee off on holes 1 and 10. Everyone will be starting on hole #1. The first tee time will be at 8:30 and depending on how many groups we end up with, the final tee time will be somewhere around noon.

If you haven't signed up yet and want to golf at Sanctuary, call the hotline right away.

Roster Books:

Those who were at dinner on Tuesday should have received a copy of this year's roster/members book. Everyone take a look at your name and make sure that the information is correct. Let Anthony Serritella know if you find any errors. I want to send a special thank you to Larry Garetto for not only the time and effort he put into preparing the roster book but also for taking time out if his busy day to drop the books off at the golf course Tuesday so they could be distributed.

If anyone has any questions, please don't hesitate to call Scott or Anthony.

Your 2025 Golf Guys,

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2025 GOLF SCHEDULE

(subject to change)

Date		Golf Course	1st Tee Time	
May	6	Silver Lake North	10:00	Shotgun Start
May	13	Sanctuary	8:30	All Start On 1st Tee
May	20	Green Garden Blue	9:00	Split Tee Times
May	27	Silver Lake South	8:06	All Start On 1st Tee
June	3	Glenwoodie	8:00	2 - Man

June	10	Deer Creek	8:30	Split Tee Times
June	17	Hickory Hills	8:30	Split Tee Times
June	24	Green Garden Gold	9:30	2 - Man
July	1	Glenwoodie	8:00	Split Tee Times
July	8	Deer Creek	8:30	Split Tee Times
July	15	Silver Lake North	8:06	2 - Man
July	22	Green Garden Blue	9:00	Club Championship
July	29	Silver Lake South	8:06	All Start On 1st Tee
Aug	5	Hickory Hills	8:30	2 - Man
Aug	12	George Dunne	8:30	Club Championship
Aug	19	Glenwoodie (Italian Day)	TBD	Shotgun Start
Aug	26	Ravisloe	8:30	
Sept	2	Sanctuary	8:00	Club Championship
Sept	9	Deer Creek	9:00	
Sept	16	Silver Lake North	8:06	All Start On 1st Tee
Sept	23	Ravisloe	8:30	
Sept	30	George Dunn	8:30	
Oct	7	Green Garden Blue	9:00	Split Tee Times
Oct	14	Waters Edge	8:30	Split Tee Times
Oct	21	Naperbrook	TBD	Split Tee Times
Oct	28	Silver Lake	10:00	Shotgun Start