



Gentlemen of the BTC

August 27, 2026

Man, if I was a golfer I think I really would have enjoyed the day this past Tuesday. The weather was beautiful. A far cry from the past few weeks.

The White Sox magic number is 27 as I write this. The crosstown series split. That should keep Paliga quiet for a little while. Just a little while. It sure looked like the White Sox fans won in the bleachers though.

And on a sad note, beautiful Dolly Parton passed away.

George Johnsons memorial has been postponed indefinitely I hear. We lost them but heaven received them so maybe if we go out of our way a little, we will join them at the end of our journey. May the lord 🙏 be with us.....Magee Out!

Tim Magee—BTC Secretary

August Birthdays: Anthony Serritella (1), Mo Younus (2), John Delano (6), George Les (6), Greg Skierkiewicz (14), Tom Kelly (15), Keith Tadevich (15), John Zielinski (15), Jim Reschke (16), Ed Rooks (17), Tom Marino (18), John Guarnieri (19), Tim Dempsey (22), Adam Valentinas (22), Jim Van Eck (23), Greg Lewis (27),

Let Anthony know if there are any birthdays missing or incorrect.



Hopefully we will have some decent weather for this year's second attempt at Italian Day.

There are still plenty of spots open if you care to join us for Italian day this Tuesday September 1st at Glenwoodie. If you haven't already signed up and would like to play, contact Rich Schroeder (708-878-3913). Good Food, Good Golf and Good Company.

Unfortunately we will be missing one of our more popular mainstays of Italian day, the pepper and egg sandwich for breakfast. The always generous George Les once again was more than happy to provide pepper and egg sandwiches for us this year on the original date August 18th. Unfortunately for us though, George is currently in Greece and will not be able to provide sandwiches for us on the make-up date.

GOLF NEWS

What an absolutely gorgeous day we had at Ravisloe this week. It was a welcome change from the nightmare weather we've been having.

We were able to catch up on a lot of our matches that the weather has caused us to fall behind on.

Gene Banas and **Arnie Carlstrom** advanced in the two-man.

Club Championship winners included **Frank Furman, Ray Bruno, Jack Parisi, Bob Stanford, Rob Elliott, Brian Miller, Anthony Serritella, Ben Tutka, Mo Younus, Jeff Quilici**, and in a Clash of the Titans it was **Bob Kennedy** getting the best of Frank Kossman.

To go along with the great weather there was some great individual golf happening as well. **Bob Kennedy** had the low round of the week of (75). **Jim McDermott** (79), **Steve Ostrowski** (80) and **Jeff Quilci** (82) also had very good days. **Arnie Carlstrom** had the best net score of the week with an astonishing 58. He was followed by **Mike Gaynor's** 60 and a 61 from **Lee Kaz**.

Our closest "closest to the pin" this week belonged to **Brian Miller**. Brian stuck it just 2 inches from the cup on hole #6 just missing his second BTC hole in one. Brian has the most recent BTC hole in One. That happened at Naperbrook. I Believe it was in October of 2024.

In The Square: After Italian day next week, we will be at Deer Creek on September 8th. We will be making a second attempt at the "In the Square" tournament that was rained out previously.

Deer Creek Info: Sept. 8th at Deer Creek isn't just for "In The Square". It is still a regular golf week just like any other week including a Daily Game. Just because not everybody plays the "In The Square", that is no reason why we shouldn't still have the same large Deer Creek turnout that we usually have. Just make sure when you are signing up for Sept. 8th, only sign one of the sheets. There is one for "In The Square" and one for those that are not playing "In The Square".

Attachments: There are quite a few attachments with this email. There are up to date brackets for both the Two Man and the Club Championship tournaments. Also attached are the sign-up sheets for September 8th at Deer Creek. One is for those who will be participating in the “In the square” tournament and the other is for those who will be golfing Sept. 8th but will not be participating in the “In the square”. And of course, as always, this week's daily game results are also attached.

Date		Golf Course	1st Tee Time	Event	
Sept	1	Glenwoodie (Italian Day)		Shotgun Start	
<i>Sept</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Deer Creek</i>	<i>9:00</i>	<i>Split Tee Times</i>	<i>In The Square</i>
Sept	15	Silver Lake South	8:44	All Start On 1st Tee	Club Championship
Sept	22	Odyssey	8:30	All Start On 1st Tee	
Sept	29	Ravisloe	8:30	Split Tee Times	
Oct	6	Green Garden Blue	9:00	Split Tee Times	World Series
Oct	13	Waters Edge	8:30	Split Tee Times	World Series
Oct	20	Naperbrook	9:30	Split Tee Times	World Series (Make UP)
<i>Oct</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>Silver Lake South</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>Shotgun Start</i>	<i>Team Scramble</i>