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The future of Jackson Park

The Buzz

D.A. was on point in P.R.

Just when you begin wondering if it's time to look for **D.A. Points** in the missing persons reports, he pops up with a good showing.

Such was the case for the Pekin pro with the up-and-down game on Sun., March 26, when he fired a final-round 6-under-par 66 and won the Puerto Rico Open by two strokes with a total of 20-under 268.

He finished with a birdie to hold off two-time U.S. Open winner **Retief Goosen**, erstwhile U.S. Amateur champion **Bryson DeChambeau** and **Bill Lunde**, but the key to his third PGA Tour title was a binge of five birdies in the first five holes. That earned Points a cushion that became critical when he bogeyed three of five holes beginning at the sixth. A par save on the 11th was followed by his needing to sink a five-footer to make par at the 12th.

Later, after signing his scorecard and holding the trophy, Points said he was thinking, "If I can just make this putt, I've got a chance to kind of get the momentum going back the other way."

Down went the putt. Another followed on the 13th, and Points was playing the way he wanted to again.

"Golf is like that, right?" he said. "You have highs and lows and rarely do you just play every hole perfect."

Points doesn't get a Masters invitation, because



D.A. Points

the Puerto Rico Open was played against the World Match Play in Austin, Tex., but he gets something better: a two-year exemption on the circuit. He'd lost his Tour card after last season's 184th place finish in the standings. Now, rather than scramble for spots here and there, he can set his schedule again.

He also earned starts in the Players, the PGA Championship, and next year's Tournament of Champions.

The 40-year-old Illinois grad's previous wins were at Pebble Beach in 2011 – with pro-am partner **Bill Murray** – and the 2013 Houston Open. In all three cases, he started strongly, with a 63 in the Crosby Clambake and 64s in Houston and Puerto Rico.

MAPPING IT OUT: Cog Hill and Gleneagles haven't moved, but they need new stationary. So does the Mid-Iron range. Previously listed as being in Lemont, even though they were in adjacent unincorporated Cook County, the courses are now within the city limits of Palos Park. That village annexed the property last year with the assent of the courses. For more on Cog Hill, see page 3.

OLD RULES OR NEW?: The proposed new rules, encompassing everything from how to drop – an inch from the ground, should you fancy that – to no longer being penalized if the ball moves at address – the **Dustin Johnson Rule** – don't take effect until 2019, after time for public comment and fine-tuning.

But why not get a head start with your buddies? Do as golf organizations, including the PGA Tour, do.

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Spring cleaning



Rory Spears / GolfersOnGolf.com (left); Beverly Country Club (right)

IMPROVEMENT DEPARTMENT Winter, especially a snowless one, is the season for course improvements. At Cog Hill (left), every bunker on Dubsdread, including those on No. 18, is getting Augusta National-style sand, but not every bunker in the remodeling by Rees Jones will remain. He visited in the fall and suggested elimination of some bunkers. How that will alter Dubsdread's difficulty remains to be seen. At Beverly Country Club (right), a new tree removal plan includes chopping down trees that weren't part of the original design, such as those standing in front of bunkers. Here, the first hole is being returned to the 1908 look.

Invoke a local rule. Play them this year to see if they work. If they don't, let the USGA know at www.usga.org/rules, where they are eager to see what you think. Might not be a bad idea to suggest a rule banning TV replays of potential rules infractions the day after they happen as well. Call that the **Lexi Thompson Rule**.

END OF ONE AUGUSTA ERA: It was as much a part of The Masters as the pimento cheese sandwich. For decades, former major champions – even the guys who won the British Amateur and were never heard from again – could play Augusta National Golf Club during the practice rounds, plus take part in the annual

Par-3 Contest on Wednesday of Masters week.

That's over with. The club announced in early March that all those non-Masters major winners were still welcome, but could no longer tee it up.

For the most part, this isn't the biggest deal in the world, unless you were one of those winners and wanted to waltz around Augusta once or twice during the week, cherishing what few others could experience.

But there's an exception, and here Billy Payne and Co. missed the point. The participation of those old champs in the Par-3 derby was the last on-course vestige of Bobby Jones' original notion of The Masters

as both a golf tournament and a reunion. Where else could someone see **Jack Fleck**, conqueror of **Ben Hogan** at the Olympic Club in the 1955 U.S. Open, tee it up. We had the good fortune to do so a few years ago, and were delighted to know that he was still alive. (That was his last appearance, in fact.)

And did it really hurt that a **Steve Melnyk** or **Ian Baker Finch** might play the par 3 and make a birdie or two? We think not.

One of the former U.S. Amateur champions it affects is **Fred Ridley**, the winner in 1975. Oh, wait, he's an Augusta National member. Never mind.

The Grill Room by Tim Cronin

The end of singular brilliance

The flame of greatness is fueled by genius and good fortune.

Sometimes, the flame goes out prematurely, either by the diminution of that genius or by bad luck.

For Tiger Woods, it's more of the latter than the former. We don't see him winning again.

Even in golf, there is a time when a player – great or less than great – can no longer make the shot that once was expected, or sink the putt that once was assumed to disappear.

Sam Snead had the longest career imaginable, breaking into the big league of golf in 1936-37, when he was 24. He was still going in the 1980s, teaming with Don January to win the 1982 Legends of Golf, three years after he bettered his age by a stroke in the final round of the Quad Cities Open at Oakwood Country Club.

A few years after that, in the BMW Golf Classic at Oak Brook Hills, Snead wowed a small gallery by hitting every green in regulation. By then, his eyesight troubled him, and nary a birdie putt fell. But the suppleness of his swing and the strength of his shotmaking was a wonder to behold.

Snead's flame flickered for a long time.

Woods' flame may be out. A back so bad that you can't play, can't practice, some days can't get out of bed, means there's no chance to return and play even middling golf on a regular basis.

That is where Woods is these days: A start at Torrey Pines and a missed cut. A long flight to

the Middle East and a start in the Dubai Desert Classic, where he looked like an old man climbing in and out of bunkers. A withdrawal the next morning. He's back on the disabled list, including missing The Masters.

"I've had three back surgeries," Woods reminded a questioner on television a couple of weeks ago.

Therein lies the rub. The back is the most fragile part of the body, especially when the knife, however well-meaning, has been stuck in it three times.

We wish Woods well, but since he re-injured his back at the Honda Classic in 2014 – following a 2013 campaign featuring five wins in 16 starts and \$8.5 million-plus into his pockets – he has been on the shelf more than on the course.

The hunch is he will have to be content with 17 major championships – we count the three U.S. Amateurs – and 79 PGA Tour victories. Thus he will fall three short of Jack Nicklaus' 20 in the former category and three short of Snead's mark in the latter.

To catch Nicklaus, he would have had to win three majors – four if you count only the pro majors – at and after age 38, which only a handful of players, one of them named Nicklaus, had accomplished. Each succeeding back injury and microdiscectomy made the odds longer. Now,



Tiger Woods

only a sucker would make that bet.

Woods won his third U.S. Open on a broken leg in 2008, beating Rocco Mediate on the 19th hole of a playoff. That, along with his 12-stroke victory at the 1997 Masters and the 15-stroke romp at the 2000 U.S. Open at Pebble Beach, when he was the only player under par, can be counted as his hallmark achievements. Oh, and that grand slam he authored in 2000-01, an odyssey from Pebble Beach to Augusta National.

What, though, will people remember? The kid hugging his father after the triumph at Augusta in 1997? The fist pumps of joy? Four trophies on his coffee table? Or the post-midnight escapade with the fire hydrant on Thanksgiving night 2008, the first news of his serial infidelity which cost him a marriage and broke up a family?

The mess, capped by a public apology covered by every network but C-SPAN, cost him endorsement money in the tens of millions and considerable respect from the public.

That was evident at Cog Hill in the summer of 2009. He went around the front nine on Thursday, then stepped through the ropes onto the 10th tee. Several hundred people were waiting.

Silence. Nobody applauded. Nobody. Where other luminaries with similar glories – Nicklaus, Palmer, Watson, Mickelson – would be bathed in warm applause, if not an ovation, just because they were on hand, Woods received the silent treatment.

There was no sympathy. There is little now.



Courtesy Erin Hills

MAJESTIC SETTING Laid upon the Kettle Moraine area of central Wisconsin, Erin Hills should provide a dramatic stage for the 117th United States Open.

A summer to savor

U.S. Open, NCAA finals finally return to Midwest

BY TIM CRONIN

Blink twice when scanning this year's golf calendar, and it doesn't go away. It's not a mirage.

The United States Open – the Big One – will be played in the Midwest this year.

Not in Illinois, of course. The last Open in this state was at Olympia Fields Country Club in

2003, the club having won an informal competition with Cog Hill Golf & Country Club during 1997, when Olympia hosted the U.S. Senior Open and Cog welcomed the U.S. Amateur. Jim Furyk won it, the galleries and Olympia members loved it, and the United States Golf Association was stuck with a big tab for security from Cook County not covered in the contract with the club.

Since then, the Open has been missing from

Illinois. Unless you count Oakmont, not far from Pittsburgh, it's not been in the Midwest since, and won't be again until – well, make the USGA an offer and see if the blue jackets bite.

This year, however, one need only drive across the border into Wisconsin, the home of cheese shops and fireworks emporiums, to witness the National Open firsthand.

It will be at Erin Hills, the marvelous course

in the boondocks northwest of Milwaukee that Robert Lang originally concocted as an employee amenity, had designed by Michael Hurdzan, Dana Fry and Ron Whitten, and then was forced to sell when he overspent on changes. It can play in the neighborhood of 8,000 yards if USGA boss and set-up guru Mike Davis is in a foul mood, but will be a more modest test most days. Say, 7,600 yards of up hill and down dale over 18 holes of fescue and moderately diabolical greens.

If defending champion Dustin Johnson hits his tee ball straight from June 15 to 18, it is the kind of course he could shoot 67 on for four days running, and run away from the field. If he's off target, he and anyone else could shoot a pair of 77s and be down the highway – two-lane roads exclusively – by Friday evening.

It's the first U.S. Open in Wisconsin, which has hosted a trio of PGAs at Whistling Straits in the last two decades.

Illinois' cup board is not bare this year. It's actually a crowded calendar, beginning in mid-May, when the NCAA Championships – ladies first, then the gents – rolls into Rich Harvest Farms for the first college title tiff in the state since the men teed off at Conway Farms in 1997.

June is crammed with spectator golf, beginning with the second Rust-Oleum Championship, a Web.com Tour weekend, at Ivanhoe Club in the northwest suburb of the same name the week before the U.S. Open.

Immediately after the Rust-Oleum, commencing on June 12, the Women's Western Amateur makes its first Chicago-area appearance since 2001, and first in the state since playing Urbana's Stone Creek Country Club in 2007. This year's venue is River Forest Country Club, ideally sized for the second most prestigious women's title in

THIS YEAR'S BIG SEVEN

NCAA Championship • May 19-24 (women); May 26-31 (men)
Rich Harvest Farms, Sugar Grove • Golf
www.ncaa.com

2nd Rust-Oleum Championship
Ivanhoe Club • June 8-11 • Golf
<http://rustoleumchampionship.com>

117th Women's Western Amateur • June 12-17
River Forest Country Club, Elmhurst
www.wpga.org

117th United States Open • June 15-18
Erin Hills, Erin, Wis. • FS1 / Fox
www.usga.org

63rd KPMG Women's PGA Championship • June 29-July 2
Olympia Fields Country Club / North • Golf / NBC
www.pga.com

47th John Deere Classic • July 13-16
TPC Deere Run, Silvis • Golf / CBS
www.johndeereclassic.com

BMW Championship • September 14-17
Conway Farms Golf Club, Lake Forest • Golf / NBC
www.bmwchampionshipusa.com



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ON TOP OF GOLF

Dustin Johnson hasn't stopped smiling since winning last year's U.S. Open. The world No. 1 will also defend his BMW Championship crown at Conway Farms in September.

the country behind only the U.S. Women's Amateur.

The junction of June and July brings the LPGA trail to Olympia Fields with the KPMG Women's PGA Championship, the first major on the circuit following the ANA Inspiration, in which Lexi Thompson was slapped with a four-stroke penalty, knocking her out of the lead and, after a gallant rally, into a play-off with eventual winner So Yeon Ryu. Think Thompson will be motivated on Olympia's North Course?

The John Deere Classic is July 13-16 at TPC Deere Run in Silvis, returning to its traditional weekend in advance of the British Open this year. Expect two defending champions: 2016 winner Ryan Moore and

2015 winner Jordan Spieth, who skipped last year because the date clashed with the Olympics, which he also skipped.

Along with the Western Amateur at Skokie Country Club (July 31-Aug. 5), the last big event is the BMW Championship, ye olde Western Open, back at Conway Farms for a third time in five years from Sept. 14-17. Johnson is the defending champion and the course barely reaches 7,200 yards, so expect crazy low scores.

It will be quite a year, and that's even before the eagerly-anticipated May opening of Sand Valley, the latest creation of Chicago's visionary developer, Mike Keiser. It is, where else, in Wisconsin. Say cheese.

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2016 IN REVIEW

The era of the big hitters?

Power often rules, but finesse carried several to victory last year

BY TIM CRONIN

Understand one thing at the outset: There is nobody else in golf like Dustin Johnson. At the moment, at least.

The big basher from South Carolina got his wild on-course tendencies under control last year on some of the game's biggest stages, beating his opponents and the ruling United States Golf Association to capture the U.S. Open, and springboarding from there to both win at Firestone and grab his second BMW Championship in six years. He's shown no sign of slowing down this year, and is a co-favorite for The Masters with Jordan Spieth.

Johnson's dominance, along with three wins by Jason Day last year, would lead to the conclusion that the often-touted era of the big hitters controlling golf is finally upon us.

Length certainly has its advantages, but players like Ryan Moore and Dylan Meyer would beg to differ.

Moore, long but not that long, played smartly en route to his fifth career victory on the circuit, registering only two bogeys in winning the John Deere Classic at TPC Deere Run. And Meyer, who will never be confused with Arnold Schwarzenegger, knocked off four straight foes, including Sam Horsfield, the world's No. 2 amateur at

the time, by a 3 and 1 margin in the championship match to capture the Western Amateur at Knollwood Club in Lake Forest.

Then throw in Northbrook's Nick Hardy, one of Meyer's teammates on Mike Small's Illinois powerhouse. All he did last year was qualify for the U.S. Open for the second straight summer, win the Illinois Amateur at St. Charles Country Club with a record score of 28-under-par 260, surpassing Bob Zender's 72-hole aggregate of 1971 by 10 strokes, and beating Jerry Haas' 13-under total of 1984 by a stunning 15.

"I just wanted to win," Hardy said.

Those exploits, plus those while wearing Fighting Illini colors, and that attitude earned Hardy the 2016 ILLINOIS GOLFER **Player of the Year** award.

Other candidates included Illinois Open winner Carlos Sainz Jr., Illinois Women's Open winner Stephanie Miller, a member of the Illinois women's squad, and the aforementioned Small, whose Illinois PGA Championship triumph was his 12th, and third on Olympia Fields Country Club's South Course in as many modern-era playings there.

Sainz scored a record-low 197 at Royal Fox and Royal Hawk in the Illinois Open's second year of two-course play, and outlasted unheralded Christian Heavens, from downstate Fair-



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PLAYER OF THE YEAR Nick Hardy dominated the Illinois Amateur, qualified for a second U.S. Open and made it to the Western Amateur's Sweet Sixteen.



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A SHARPIE Dylan Meyer of Illinois will be at Skokie Country Club to defend his Western Amateur title beginning on July 31.

view Heights, who scored 12-under 202, a total that would have won all but four Illinois Opens played at 54 holes.

Miller beat fellow amateur Kelly Grassel of Chesterton, Ind., by three strokes at Mistwood Golf Club, firing three straight 69s to finish at 9-under 207 and win the IWO crown on her fifth try.

Small's win in the Illinois PGA came at the

CHAMPIONS OF 2016

BMW Championship / Western Open
– Dustin Johnson

John Deere Classic – Ryan Moore

Western Amateur – Dylan Meyer

Western Junior – Sean Maruyama

Women's Western Amateur – Jillian Hollis

Women's Western Junior – Kate Lille

Illinois Open – Carlos Sainz Jr.

Illinois Women's Open – Stephanie Miller

Illinois Senior Open – a-Ron Waytula

Illinois PGA – Mike Small

Illinois PGA Match Play – Kyle Bauer

Illinois Players – Casey Pyne

Illinois Amateur – Nick Hardy

Illinois Women's Amateur – Lauren Chappell

Illinois Mid-Amateur – Todd Mitchell

Illinois Junior Amateur – Connor Prassas

Illinois Junior Girls' Amateur – Brianne Bolden

Illinois Senior Amateur – Dave Ryan

Illinois Senior Women's Amateur

– Mary Ellen Martin

CDGA Championship – Andrew Price

CDGA Mid-Amateur – Kyle Nathan

CDGA Senior Amateur – Vance Antoniou

CWDGA Championship – Ciara Rattana

Decatur-Forsyth Symetra Classic – Clariss Guce

Radix Cup – IPGA professionals

Thompson Cup – IPGA professionals

expense of Curtis Malm, who seemed to have command with a two-stroke lead midway through the back nine in the final round. But a pair of birdies by Small drew him even and Malm's bogey on the 16th and triple-bogey on the 17th knocked him out of the running.

On the amateur circuit, Todd Mitchell of Bloomington won the Illinois Mid-Amateur and was runner up to Andrew Price of Lake Bluff in the CDGA Championship, while Lauren Chappell won the Illinois Women's Amateur.

Hail and farewell

The state lost too many notables in 2016. We remember them all fondly, including:

Hubby Habjan, 84, the head pro at Onwentsia Club for 42 years beginning in 1956; a designer and builder of his own woods, popular not only with members but notables, including Arnold Palmer and Lee Trevino, on July 5 in The

Villages, Fla.

Leon McNair, 75, the veteran pro at Fox Bend in Oswego, a course he helped build working for Brent Wadsworth, for whom he later headed Wadsworth Golf Charities while overseeing the First Tee of Aurora and Fox River Valley, of ALS, on July 3.

Bob Mendrella, 86, the longtime sage craftsman who designed many of Wilson Golf's most popular and innovative clubs, including the Dynapower wedge line and the iconic 8802 putter, on July 20.

Gary Planos, 62, "Mr. Kapalua," referring to the Hawaii resort he worked at for some 35 years, heading it for most of those; an Evans Scholar and longtime WGA director who could be found on the first tee of the BMW Championship, of an apparent heart attack, on March 26, 2016 at his home in Kapalua.

2017 MASTERS TOURNAMENT PREVIEW

Unseen Augusta

An inside look from angles CBS doesn't show you

PHOTO ESSAY BY
TIM CRONIN

How's this for openers: The first green at the Augusta National Golf Club, the climax of one of the most difficult opening holes in golf. After a tee shot over a valley that has to miss a yawning bunker on the right edge of the fairway, the approach is to an elevated sloping green. Miss, as in this example, and you're pitching to one level or another at the highest point on the golf course, with no room for error.



THINK BIG The scale of the Augusta National Golf Club is astonishing. Above is the fifth fairway as seen from the tee. The near edge of the first of two bunkers on the left is 277 yards from the tee, and could swallow up the players and caddies traipsing along. Farther to the left is a huge dropoff. Hook one off the tee on this dogleg on one of the first two days, and you're in what is unaffectionately called the Delta Air Lines reservation center.



BACK, BACK, BACK ... IN AIKEN Only the field in The Masters uses this tee (right) on the 11th hole, 505 yards from the 11th and 105 yards from the member tee, which is in line with immediately right of the 10th green. From the Masters tee to the member tee is the distance of the par-3 seventh hole at Pebble Beach Golf Links. There's a green down there somewhere.





DOUBLE TROUBLE It's mentioned on the broadcast, but the second water hazard on the par-5 15th hole is rarely seen when that hole is being played. It's better known as the pond on the par-3 16th hole. From this angle close to the 16th tee, both are visible. Overclub on the second shot on the 15th to a green that is only 15 paces deep on the left and 24 paces deep on the right, with the closely-mown falloff very much in play, and a contender may be looking at a double-bogey 7 with three holes to play instead of a chance at an eagle 3.



DOWN THE BARREL The tee shot on the par-4 18th, one more familiar than others in this essay, is similar to the 11th in that trees on either side force a relatively straight shot. The tournament tee was pushed back some 50 yards in the lengthening of the course, putting the lip of the first fairway bunker 298 yards away. The tee had been almost equal with the TV camera platform covering the 17th hole.

JOHN BARNEY · 1926-2017

The junior's best friend

BY TIM CRONIN

It was never hard to find John Barney at a junior golf tournament.

Go to the scorer's table first. If he wasn't there, he was at the scoreboard. If he wasn't there, he was on the course, solving a rules problem that a player had gotten himself into.

What John Barney never did was shirk his duty. After all, with wife Jean, the Barneys had almost singlehandedly taken a small junior program run by the Northern Illinois Men's Amateur Golf Association and turned it into a full-fledged junior operation.

Certainly, they had help in establishing the Illinois Junior Golf Association, but John Barney was the man with the vision to see what junior golf in Illinois could be.

The IJGA has become all of that, a model organization emulated from coast to coast, and a fitting legacy to John Barney, who died March 16 in Lake Zurich at age 90.

Barney, a regular at Glenview Park Golf Course, was a NIMAGA member in 1969 when he became involved with the group's Junior Open division.

At that point, there were a mere handful of tournaments beyond the Illinois Junior Amateur. The Barneys did what they could to improve the schedule, and in 1983, with the calendar fuller, the IJGA was born.



John Barney



James Ashenden

Today, it reaches beyond state lines through the Mid-America Junior Golf Tour, and totals 140 tournaments annually for boys and girls from ages 8 to 18.

The Barneys ran the IJGA through 1992 – John was named the first executive director a year earlier – when they handed the reins to Roger Ulseth, and were inducted into the Illinois Golf Hall of Fame as a duo in 1997.

It was hardly a surprise that the IJGA was well built. As much as it seemed golf was Barney's entire life, he had a real life job. Barney had a degree in wood technology from Michigan, and was Motorola's chief cabinet engineer for 31 years. He might have designed the cabinet for your first color TV.

John Barney is survived by two children, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. The family requested donations to the IJGA rather than flowers. They will support the John Barney Elite Junior Event series.

Ashenden presided over WGA changes

It's hard to say what James Ashenden loved more, golf or his legal career.

Certainly, golf was more fun, but Ashenden, who died March 18 at age 92, was influential in both fields. A partner at O'Keefe, Ashenden, Lyons & Ward, he was a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers.

His influence in the world of golf was even larger. A longtime Western Golf Association director, he rose to the WGA presidency in 1990-91, precisely when the great Shoal Creek imbroglio caused the WGA to move from all-male Butler National Golf Club. Ashenden and WGA officials, including tournament director Peter de Young, placed the Western at Cog Hill at the invitation of Joe Jemsek, and the crown jewel of the PGA Tour's summer schedule thrived.

Ashenden, the WGA's general counsel from 1982 through 1989, was also devoted to the Evans Scholars Foundation. He oversaw the opening of a new chapter house at Purdue, and chaired the WGA's development committee, which created the first long-term endowment fund in WGA history. It has grown to about \$45 million over the years.

Along the way, he was also president of the Skokie Country Club, which hosts this year's Western Amateur. A Navy pilot in World War II who graduated from the ROTC program at Notre Dame and later Loyola University, he is survived by five children, eight grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

ILLINOIS GOLFER COVER STORY

The \$30 million question

Why rebuild Jackson Park for such a high price?

TEXT AND PHOTOGRAPH BY TIM CRONIN
REPORTING FROM CHICAGO

Imagine for a moment you have a golf course that is reasonably busy all season. There's a good deal of walkup play, a good deal of reserved play via phone calls and a website, and there are also long-standing groups who enjoy league play.

On the best days, people are lined up to play. On quieter days, there's still a steady succession of players eager to tee it up.

From April through October, there are players on the golf course, some faces familiar to the employees, some faces new, faces mostly smiling when they finish. It has been this way for over 100 years.

Would you take that golf course and close both it and a nine-hole course around the corner, tearing them both up to build a more difficult championship layout that would cost much more to play – and spend \$30 million or more in the process?

That's what the city of Chicago and its park district would like to do with Jackson Park Golf Course and the adjacent South Shore Golf Course on the South Side.

Why?

Call it the \$30 million question.

Or add a few zeros, enough digits to get to a billion dollars. A chunk of Jackson Park fronting Stony Island Avenue immediately north of the golf course is the planned site of the Obama Presidential Library, the construction and endowment for which is expected to hit 10 figures. A course with country club-quality fairways and greens a couple of blocks away would be an amenity that the library of a golf-loving former president could advertise to potential attendees of conferences, seminars and other events, however officially unconnected the library and the course would be.

The plan calls for an 18-hole course stretching over the current Jackson Park and South Shore footprints, as well as an improved practice facility and a so-called "short course," the specifics of which have not been clarified.

There had been chatter about the possibility for months, but city announced the plan, calling it "an economic and recreational asset for the South Side of Chicago," in a release on Dec. 18, a Sunday, doing so not with a news conference with key players, but on paper and via e-mails some 15 minutes before the Bears hosted the Green Bay Packers at Soldier Field.

The release also touted the possibility of playing the 2021 BMW Championship, the Western Golf Association's PGA Tour tournament, at the rebuilt course. In the release, WGA president John Kazkowski called it "a compelling site."

Aside from Chicago mayor Rahm Emanuel and park superintendent Mike Kelly, the most

MAN OF THE MOMENT

Michael Ruemmler has emerged as the power behind the potential rebuilding of Jackson Park and South Shore golf courses.



prominent names in the release were NBC golf commentator Mark Roling and star player Tiger Woods, whose design group would handle the redo, reportedly at the personal request of Barack Obama while he was president. But as is almost always the case in Chicago, there is a man behind the curtain.

His name is Michael Ruemmler. A senior director in the Chicago office of Bully Pulpit Interactive, a PR firm, he called golf "a passion of mine" in a Jan. 30 *Chicago Sun-Times* story that revealed his role.

It undoubtedly is. He played golf for downstate Mount Vernon High School, making it to the 1997 Class AA championship weekend with his team and shooting in the 80s. He played at least one AJGA tournament as well before enrolling at Illinois, where he was not on the golf team.

His political background is more intriguing. He worked in the White House on Emanuel's staff when the current mayor of Chicago was president Obama's chief of staff.

Ruemmler came to Chicago with Emanuel and was his campaign manager both in 2011 and 2015. Now, Ruemmler is tasked – his idea entirely, he says – with running the Chicago Parks Golf Alliance, a non-profit operation set up to raise four-fifths of the \$30 million it has been estimated

it will take to turn the current 27 holes of Jackson Park and South Shore into a posh 18-hole playground, along with a new clubhouse to replace the glorified shack currently in use, the improve range and the short course.

The city and park district would come up with the other \$6 million, or more, if there are cost overruns. (The price does not include the likely building of at least one and perhaps a pair of tunnels, one under 67th St., the other under Jeffrey Dr., the first to get golfers and park visitors from Jackson Park to South Shore, currently connected by a rocky outcrop on the lakefront.)

"Golf has been something I grew up with," Ruemmler told the *Sun-Times*. "I was given a special opportunity by a family friend when I was a kid to get me into the game. It was a positive thing for me — something that's been a big part of my life. I would love to see that continue with kids here in Chicago.

"I have been talking to friends about this for a long time. It's something that started as a day-dream and really just a cool possibility and now, it's inching closer to reality. It's not something that the mayor asked me to do."

Lifelong Chicagoans would likely raise an eyebrow at that, but whether he asked to lift the cudgel or was handed it, Ruemmler has a large chore. He needs to raise \$24 million on spec from people or companies with a charitable bent that won't have a say in the operation. In a city with many charity-connected hands out – in golf-related causes and otherwise – that's a big ask.

Officials downplay the Obama library connection, but on Aug. 3, 2016, Kelly sent a memo to Emanuel stating in part, "It is critical for YOU that this project has the support of the Obama Foundation and the surrounding community.



Tim Cronin / Illinois Golfer

THE LIVELY ART OF CONVERSATION

Chicago Park District superintendent Mike Kelly heard from the public at a Jan. 9 meeting, including Pat Harper, tournament director of the Women's Jackson Park Golf Club.



Furthermore, the community should initiate the request to improve the golf courses. ... Still we must be very cautious as this community typically weighs in loudly on any capital project that makes change.”

There had been no interest in the community to change anything, but at a Jan. 9 appearance by Kelly before about 120 people, many of them golfers, at a meeting of the Jackson Park Advisory Council, he referred to a 2000 plan for improving the golf courses as the root of the idea.

The meeting, some of which was loud, created some sparks and elicited some answers.

The \$30 million price, over \$1.6 million per hole, is close to twice as high as the \$16.8 million renovation of Oak Meadows, the DuPage County Forest Preserve District course in Wood Dale that will reopen this summer as The Preserve, where much of the cost is for flood mitigation along Salt Creek. It's over four times what Mount Prospect spent on a rebuild of its municipal course, which

also included flood mitigation, two years ago (chart, page 17).

The \$30 million will be split this way, according to CPGA spokesman Brian Hogan. He said \$20 million is for construction, \$5 million for running the operation, and \$5 million to endow maintenance and to underwrite resident pricing.

A second community meeting on Jan. 24 found more support among residents, if prices were kept reasonable to Chicagoans and if youth programs, such as reborn caddie program and a First Tee of Greater Chicago affiliation, were put in place, along with continued community involvement in the planning.

“You have my word we will get kids in at a next to nothing price,” Kelly said.

Later, the Jackson Park Advisory Council issued a release supporting the plan and saying juniors 17 and under would be able to play for free.

While Kelly was optimistic about the possibilities – “We have a pretty good record of im-

proving facilities with outside money,” he said at the Jan. 9 meeting – more recently Ruemmler has found the going difficult.

The CPGA is too new to have filed an annual tax return, but Ruemmler told the *Sun-Times* on March 7 that he was finding it difficult raising money until he had a complete plan. (A provisional plan showing how the South Shore property would be tied into Jackson Park as a unified course has been shown privately, but even that concept has been kept under wraps.)

Said Ruemmler optimistically, “Once there's a plan on paper that we can share with people and let them kick the tires on, then checks will be coming shortly after.”

Kelly, who hoped to break ground on a hole or two at South Shore by April 1 to showcase to players in Chicago for the BMW Championship at Conway Farms in September, said no work will be done until \$5 million in private funding is raised. Ruemmler said he's nowhere near that.

“We’re not going to touch Jackson Park this year,” Kelly insisted.

Nor, he said, will the South Shore Cultural Center – the original clubhouse for South Shore Country Club – be a part of the revamped golf operation, though it is due for at least \$3.2 million in renovations when a long-awaited state grant comes through. Meanwhile, at publication time, tee times for South Shore this week were available on the South Shore website.

There are several leagues that play on the courses, groups that form a financial backbone for the operations. While Kelly said non-Chicagoans will pay a much higher fee than city residents – figures of \$200 versus \$50 are being bandied about – how the loyal regulars will be accommodated is another question. The South Shore leagues would need to play somewhere this year if that course is closed, and everyone would need a course – Marquette Park’s nine-hole course is the closest facility in the park district chain – when Jackson Park goes under the knife.

“How will the existing groups be included in the prices?” asked Pat Harper, tournament of the Women’s Jackson Park Golf Club, a group that goes back to the 1930s.

“We will keep the fees as low as I possibly can – for city residents,” Kelly said.

One immediate move is to restart the caddie program that Jackson Park had some 20 years ago, a program that Elmer Beard started and which ended when he died. It produced at least one Evans Scholar, and caddies entering the program will be made aware of the possibilities. The CPGA will run the caddie program, which will have 20 spots in 2017, said Hogan.

Rolfing said he became interested in Jackson Park when undergoing cancer treatment at the

The price is ... right?					
Costs of some recent course purchases and renovations in the Chicago area					
\$16.8 million	Oak Meadows	18	renovation*	2017	
\$ 7.1 million	Mount Prospect	18	renovation*	2015	
\$ 6 million	Mistwood	18	renovation**	2012	
\$ 5.92 million	Green Garden	45	auction	2012	
\$ 5.2 million	Cog Hill No. 4	18	renovation	2008	
\$ 1.5 million	Course at Aberdeen	18	FOR SALE		
\$ 1.5 million***	Lakewood	18	sale	2016	
\$ 1.3 million***	Balmoral Woods	18	sale	2016	
\$ 950,000	Antioch	18	FOR SALE		

* includes flood mitigation; ** includes learning center; *** last listed price.
Sources: Illinois Golfer research, Links Capital Advisors.

nearby University of Chicago medical center in 2015, having seen the course previously. He was also Woods’ guide for his tour of the course. Last fall, they went around Jackson Park. According to the *Chicago Tribune*, Woods several times asked Rolfing, “Where are all the kids?”

Rolfing was hired to be the Chicago Park District’s “golf facilities and industry advisor” for 2016, according to the Aug. 3 memo from Kelly to Emanuel. Rolfing, a native of DeKalb and Northern Illinois graduate who has lived in Hawaii for decades, collected \$90,000.

The entire concept prompted Emanuel to e-mail Marty Nesbitt, chairman of the Obama Library Foundation, on Aug. 9 to gauge Obama’s interest in an improved golf course. Things continued to develop in private since then, including the secret visit by Woods and Rolfing. (ILLINOIS GOLFER has been unable to confirm visits by at least two other name architects, though one was

said to have thrown up his hands after a partial walk of the project, saying it was impossible to combine the two parcels.)

So far, officials of Billy Casper Golf, the Reston, Va.-based firm which has run the Chicago Park District courses since 2009, have had no public involvement in the Jackson Park-South Shore project. KemperSports, which ran the courses from 1994 through 2008, is handling some of the public relations.

Neither golf nor a presidential library, however, is the first priority of everyone in the community, one featuring empty storefronts, and wracked by unemployment and violence, including the murder of four people inside and near a fast-food restaurant a half-mile from South Shore Cultural Center’s front gate on March 30.

One woman put everything in perspective at the Jan. 24 meeting when she interrupted proceedings to ask, “Can we get a grocery store?”

How golf in Jackson Park began

BY TIM CRONIN

To hear James Tweedie tell it back in 1890, golf was first attempted in Jackson Park a few years before, when a handful of devotees pounded stakes in the ground and swatted golf balls toward them until a South Park policeman came upon them, baffled at their exploit, and chased them off.

Tweedie, a Liverpool native who was honorary secretary of Royal Liverpool Golf Club some years earlier, didn't admit to being among them, but it wouldn't have been a surprise if he was.

That cadre's effort was a one-off. It took a dozen-odd years, and the inauguration of real courses in the Chicago area, for the game to come back to Jackson Park, and to stick.

By 1899, most of the temporary buildings from the World's Columbian Exhibition of six years earlier had been taken down. The lone exception was the Palace of Fine Arts on the north end of Jackson Park, where today stands the similarly-designed Museum of Science and Industry.

A year earlier, Herbert James Tweedie, the son of James Tweedie and one of Chicago's leading golfers, began the drumbeating that would lead to the establishment of a course in the park.

"I see no reason why the city should not see its way clear to appropriate money for a public course," Tweedie told the *Inter Ocean* in March 1898. "The charge has been brought against (golf) that it is too expensive and, consequently, a game for the rich only. As is now the case in this country, the charge is a correct one. A poor man cannot

Illinois Golfer Archive

GENTLEMEN AT SPORT

A threesome complete with caddies at Jackson Park Golf Course, as pictured on a 1911 postcard.



play the game because he cannot afford to belong to the golf clubs, which own the only courses.

"(A)ll that is necessary to make it popular with all classes is to give the people an opportunity to play it."

At that time, Chicago had three independent park systems split among the north, west and south sides. It was thought Jackson Park, crown of the South Park system, was the logical site, given the area vacated by the World's Fair.

The South Park commissioners were unimpressed with Tweedie's quest until later in the year, when continuing support, some from professors at the nearby University of Chicago, began to change minds. By August, South Park superintendent J. Frank Foster said he thought a proper proposal would be approved. In the early spring of 1899, businessman B.J.D. Irwin, an Onwentsia Club member, pressed the issue. Foster approved a committee plan by Robert Risk, Charles Esson and Charles Zebulin for a nine-hole course of 1,610 yards that would cross the lagoons near

Wooded Island and finish on the isle itself.

By May 3, 1899, players were on the course. On May 11, it opened for business – free with a ticket issued by a park employee, often a policeman. The opening ceremony was on the second tee, because the first hole was perhaps the most intimidating in all golf. Players started by teeing off over the north edge of the lagoon – where the back steps of the Museum of Science and Industry are today – to a fairway to the southeast.

By 1900, the course was rearranged, and not for the only time. Thirteen new holes opened to make the course a full 18, with the northernmost holes designated for practice. The new first tee was at 64th Street. A complicated series of changes later, including a complete redesign of the 18 by Tom Bendelow into the layout used today in 1905, Jackson Park had 27 holes. In 1915, the two courses hosted an astonishing 308,174 rounds from March to December.

H.J. Tweedie was right. All that was needed to make the game popular was a chance to play.

A sad end for a hidden gem

Green Acres, Illinois' only Tillinghast course, expected to become housing development

BY TIM CRONIN

Changing times have caught up with a country club with deep roots.

Green Acres Country Club, run continuously since 1944 and with a history that stretches back an additional two decades, is fading into memory.

Designed by Albert W. Tillinghast in 1923 and opened the following year as Illinois Golf Club, the reconstituted Green Acres is on the verge of closing thanks to overextending itself on loans the last few years.

The club's 2014 tax return – the most recent, and available to the public, as Green Acres is a non-profit organization – shows \$20.57 million in liabilities, of which \$15.75 million was a mortgage. The club listed \$33.04 million in assets. That's nearly \$12.5 million to the good, but with yearly expenses running \$573,000 over income in 2014, continuing a trend, the numbers weren't pleasing to the lenders. Last fall, they forced a sale.

Lake Forest-based real estate developer Rick Swanson Development made a deal to buy Green Acres for \$20 million late last year. A hangup in financing, which Swanson has been reworking, prevented the club from closing at the end of 2016.

Meanwhile, members of the predominantly-Jewish club were bailing for other clubs, including Bryn Mawr, Briarwood and Lake Shore.



Green Acres timeline

September 24, 1924

Illinois Golf Club opens.

April 1934

Club folds, bank holding mortgage opens course to public.

October 8, 1943

Course auctioned for \$90,250 to 60-man group, taking it private as Green Acres Country Club.

September 2016

The 125-acre property is listed with Colliers International.

November 2016

Builder Rick Swanson and club make deal to sell property.

December 2016

Swanson's lenders back out, sale deadline extended.

February 2017

Remaining members play casual rounds on course during warm spell.

Some golf was played in the unusual warmth of February, but those few remaining members were effectively saying good bye. The Green Acres listing was removed from the CDGA's website.

"It's toast," said a person in a position to know who requested anonymity.

Much of Green Acres is zoned as open land and would have to be rezoned by the village of Northbrook for large-scale development. One possibility in play is for Swanson to keep about six holes of the course for the residents of the complex to have as an amenity, along with the 48,000-square foot clubhouse, pool and tennis courts.

That would keep some of the course, but it's not as if the original Illinois Golf Club design of Tillinghast has been played for decades. Green Acres has been extensively revised over the years, with fairways rerouted along with redesigning of greens. Ken Killian, Dick Nugent and Roger Packard are among the architects who reworked the acreage.

That it has survived this long in any form is amazing. Illinois Golf Club lasted only 10 years as a private club, going bankrupt in 1934. The bank holding that mortgage turned it into a public course, and it stayed that way until a 60-man group bought it at auction in 1943. The Green Acres era began. Few thought it would ever end, but the end is in sight.

28 in hunt for Hall of Fame

Major winners Carol Mann, Horton Smith among candidates

FROM IG NEWS SERVICES

The 17th class of the Illinois Golf Hall of Fame will be a distinguished one.

The 28 nominees eligible for selection guarantee that. The question is not if the inductees will be worthy, but who from the group will survive two rounds of deliberation by a 21-person panel to be honored in October, joining the 82 inductees in Illinois golf's Valhalla.

The panel will meet twice, on April 18, to whittle the full slate down to 10, and again on May 3, Selection Night, when presentations will be made on behalf of the finalists.

Immediately after the vote, the new members will be notified and the results will be announced.

The field includes a pair of winners of major championships in Carol Mann and Horton Smith, two more players in Gary Groh and Gary Hallberg who registered PGA Tour victories, and seven more players who scored victories in state majors – the CDGA Championship, Illinois Amateur, Illinois Open, Illinois PGA, Illinois PGA Match Play and Illinois Players Championship – in their careers.

It further includes a large coterie of behind-the-scenes movers and shakers who made an impact on the state golf scene as large or larger than those who collected trophies. It's that stew

The nominees

Don Armstrong: twice winner of state majors
Doug Bauman: winner of five state majors
Robert Berns: graphic arts expert at Wilson, Ram
Louis M. Brown Sr.: IPGA Foundation backer
Rick Dalpos: won 3 state majors, twice on Hogan
Emil Esposito: winner of three state majors
Gary Groh: won '75 Hawaiian Open, 5 state majors
Gary Hallberg: won 3 times on PGA Tour, '79 NCAA
Richie Hammel: co-founded IPGA's Cent. Ill. chap.
David Huske: won 2 state majors; rules guru
Drue Johnson: won WAC at Arizona
Phil Kosin: impresario of *Chicagoland Golf*
Greg Kunkel: ace caddie and caddie-master
William Langford: golf architect, ASGCA co-founder
Carol Mann: winner of two majors, 38 LPGA titles
Tim Miles Sr.: his GolfVisions runs 20 courses
Bruce Patterson: twice IPGA pro of year
Francis Peabody: his prodding led to CDGA
Gary Pinns: five-time Illinois Open winner
Earl Puckett: taught Hallberg, Ogrin, Sandra Palmer
Harry Radix: created Tour's first scoring award
Jerry Rich: behind Rich Harvest Farms, Intl. Crown
Horton Smith: won 28 times, inc. 1st, 3rd Masters
Jim Suttle: multiple teacher of year awards
Roger Warren: ran Seven Bridges, led PGA '04-06
Bob Wittek Sr.: led Wittek Golf Supply for decades
Bob Zender: six-time state major winner
Len Ziehm: expert writer for *Sun-Times*, *Daily Herald*

of superlatives the committee will have to work through en route to determining this year's class.

Mann is back on the ballot after an absence. Already a member of the World Golf Hall of Fame, she learned the game at Olympia Fields Country Club, then took flight and scored 38 LPGA titles, including the 1964 Women's Western Open and the 1965 U.S. Women's Open, in her playing career. She later became the first woman with a regular role on golf telecasts.

Smith, also in the World Hall, was the head pro at Oak Park Country Club when he won the first Masters Tournament, and was an honorary member of the club when he won the third Masters. In all, he scored 13 of his 32 Tour triumphs while connected with Oak Park, and ranks 15th in all-time PGA Tour victories.

Groh scored his Tour title at the 1975 Hawaiian Open in a field including Arnold Palmer, and won five state majors while the longtime head pro at Bob O Link. Hallberg won three times on the circuit following a pair of Illinois Amateur wins, a Walker Cup berth, and a stellar college career at Wake Forest. He also won the Illinois Open as an amateur and as a pro.

Other notables include Jerry Rich, developer of Rich Harvest Farms and creator of the International Crown, influential architect William Langford, and Harry Radix, whose love of golf inspired the Radix Cup.

TOY DEPARTMENT

Call it Wilson Golf's mulligan

BY TIM CRONIN

It was a good idea at the time, everyone thought.

Take advantage of the reality TV craze, only bring it to golf. Pit club developers against each other to build the next great driver. Have big names test it. Then pick a winner and have it on sale within days of the final show with lofts of 9, 10.5 and 12 degrees.

What could possibly go wrong?

Ask the gang at Wilson Golf.

The answer is plenty.

“Driver vs. Driver” turned into a black comedy.

That’s why you can no longer find the original Wilson Staff Triton driver (pictured right) in stores. They were recalled days after going on sale when the United States Golf Association ruled the samples submitted failed to conform to equipment standards. The rear edge of the driver was too big by mere millimeters, and the use of a movable 12-gram weight made what the USGA called the club’s “characteristic time” over the limit.

Back to Wilson’s Sugar Grove plant came boxes of drivers for re-tooling.

The problem happened in part because Golf Channel, which aired the series, wanted secrecy, which prevented Wilson from sending the clubs to the USGA when the series was completed in the summer.

At least the fix was simple. New sole plates were put on every club to make them conform with the USGA’s “plain in shape” regulation, marked by a DVD (short for Driver vs. Driver) logo. And the 12-gram weight was dropped from the accessory kit that comes with the club – even though Wilson noted that the use of it the way the USGA tested it would have turned the driver into a slice machine.

“As we are a global golf brand with a 100-year track record of only bringing conforming products to the market, we want to assure the Triton is not the exception, regardless of configuration,” the company said in a statement.

Every Triton driver on sale now (at about \$450) is conforming.



Wilson Golf

TRY TO FIND ONE The original Wilson Staff Triton driver, which the USGA decided did not conform to the Rules of Golf for arcane engineering reasons.

COLLEGE

Don't forget about the Wildcats

FROM IG NEWS SERVICES

Illinois' men's golf team justifiably gets plenty of attention and praise for the quality of its play in this decade.

This year, don't forget about Northwestern. The Wildcats have made some noise this spring. It started in February, when they captured the Big Ten Match Play Championship for the fourth time in nine years, beating Penn State 3.5-2.5 in the title match at Hammock Beach Resort in Palm Coast, Fla. The Wildcats had knocked off Rutgers and Minnesota to advance to the final.

Key to the success was the play of freshman Everton Hawkins, who went 3-0 in his matches. A native of Irvine, Calif., Hawkins finished off the match with Penn State by draining a 35-foot birdie putt to defeat Alec Bard.

Northwestern is so deep, Hawkins wasn't even in the team lineup at the Wildcats' next tournament, at Desert Mountain in Arizona, but he played so well – a 66 among his rounds, the team low for the season, and finishing sixth as an individual – coach David Inglis is putting him in the lineup for the April 3-4 Redhawk Invitational at Chambers Bay in University Place, Wash., site of the 2015 U.S. Open. And he might stay there.

"I first saw Everton at the Junior World Championship in San Diego and was so impressed with his level of play on a major championship ven-

ue," Inglis said. "He plays the game with a great spirit and works incredibly hard – all signs that he is going to be a great player at Northwestern and beyond."

The Wildcats took second at Desert Mountain, led by Dylan Wu, ranked 25th in college golf by Golfweek. Wu, Hawkins, Andrew Whalen, Ryan Lumsden and Conor Richardson will be in the Northwestern lineup at Chambers Bay.

The college season winds up quickly. This is Northwestern's penultimate regular season tournament. A clash at Purdue on April 15-16 wraps it up. Then comes the Big Ten Championship at Baltimore Country Club's Five Farms course, and a possible berth in the NCAA playoffs.

Northwestern's women's team is also thinking NCAA, and met Duke in a match play format on April 2, which mimics the format of the NCAA Championship at Rich Harvest Farms in May. The Wildcats and Blue Devils split, Northwestern taking the afternoon match 4-2 after losing 5-1 in the morning.

Stephanie Lau was the only Wildcat to win both matches, beating Virginia Elena Carta 4 and 3 in the morning and knocking off highly-regarded Leona Maguire of Ireland 2 and 1 in the afternoon.

The Wildcat women return to stroke play action April 9-11 in the Silverado Showdown in Napa, Calif.

Illinois' Meyer wins in Augusta

FROM IG NEWS SERVICES

There was no green jacket for Dylan Meyer on Sun., April 2, even though he won a golf tournament in Augusta, Ga.

He was a week early and at the wrong course for collecting that prize, but he didn't mind. Just winning a college tournament for the first time as a freshman was enough.

Meyer, the Illinois junior who won last year's Western Amateur, hadn't triumphed in Illinois colors since Olympia Fields in his freshman debut. The drought ended at the 3M Augusta Invitational at Forest Hills Golf Club, where he scored 11-under 205 to beat Will Zalatoris of Wake Forest and Bobby Bai of Central Florida by a stroke. He closed with a 72 after opening 67-66.

"I didn't know it would take this long, but I knew it was coming," Meyer said. "Today was a good way to test my mental stamina because I didn't hit it great, but I kind of stuck through it."

Illinois finished fourth, having led through 36 holes.

"Not finishing tournaments is something this program is not used to," coach Mike Small said.

AMATEUR Jacket required on winner

BY TIM CRONIN

The plaque on the wall at Balmoral Woods in Crete detailing the history of the Will County Amateur goes all the way back to 1989, when Terry Werner won at Tuckaway Country Club.

That's the modern era. But Ted Meier of Joliet won a similarly-named Will County Amateur in 1969, when he was a teenager. That tournament was discontinued, but Marc Adduci, then the head pro at Tuckaway, remembered the name and brought it back, much to Werner's delight. Since then, it has thrived, moving to Balmoral Woods in 1996, where it continues on April 22-23 under Balmoral's new ownership.

The Mortell family sold Balmoral Woods to the new owners of Balmoral Park, the longstanding horse racing facility, over the winter, after a long, hard look at the economics of running a public golf course off the beaten path that is Route 394. It was a difficult decision, given that the family connection with Balmoral goes back to the course's founding in 1975, when it was known as Fairwinds, designed by Arthur Davis and Ron Kirby as a nine-hole course. Soon after, Don Mortell called in architect George Fazio, the creator of Butler National, and the duo expanded the renamed Balmoral Woods to 18 holes.

So it is today, and so it is expected to remain. The field headed by defending champion Glenn

Recent Will County Champs

2016 Glenn Przybylski
2015 Michael Fastert
2014 Todd Mitchell
2013 John Ehrgott
2012 Tom Kearfott
2011 Michael Natale
2010 Todd Mitchell
2009 Tony Romo
2008 John Ehrgott
2007 Todd Mitchell
2006 Todd Mitchell



Glenn Przybylski

Przybylski will tackle a course that opens with a straightaway par 5 and gets more complicated, finishing with an uphill par-4 to a drastically sloped green where being above the hole equals an extra stroke, perhaps two.

All hands in the first area tournament of the spring will be chasing a measure of glory and the opportunity to don the Brown Jacket. That's one of Don Mortell's old coats that went from a joking reference to Augusta National to now-traditional part of the award ceremony.

The field should be fast. Seven previous winners have also won the Illinois Amateur or CDGA Championship, hardly a surprise given the test that Balmoral Woods presents, rain or shine.

Drive, Chip and Putt honors go elsewhere

FROM IG NEWS SERVICES

The Midwest was shut out of the top spot in eight divisions of the the 4th Drive, Chip & Putt national finals at Augusta National Golf Club.

Titles went to players from California, Texas and Florida, traditional golf hotbeds, as well as to a suburb of Toronto, Canada.

But the Midwest, and Illinois? No dice.

Chelsea She of Buffalo Grove, playing in the Girls 11-12 bracket, made the best state showing, tying for fifth with 15 points, 12 behind division winner Lucy Yuan of San Diego. She scored fourth in driving with a belt of over 200 yards, but finished seventh in both chipping and putting. Ten points go to the winner in each category. Yuan won both the driving and putting disciplines, and took fourth in chipping to win by three points.

Lisa Copeland of Naperville finished eighth in the Girls 7-9 division, scoring 10.5 points. She finished sixth in driving, tied for eighth in chipping and was solo eighth in putting. Division winner Maye Huang of Katy, Tex. piled up 26 points with thirds in driving and chipping and a first in putting.

She and Copeland advanced to the sylvan acres of Augusta National by winning three rounds of qualifiers last year, including the regional finals at Medinah Country Club.

Registration for boys and girls from 7 to 15 is now open. For information, go to www.drivechipandputt.com.

AROUND ILLINOIS

Shrinking inventory statewide

BY TIM CRONIN

While golf as a business has shown signs of rebounding from the after-effects of the Great Recession, the reverse is true when the number of courses is considered.

Nationally, the number of facilities declined by 190 in 2016, with the equivalent of 171 18-hole courses closing, according to the National Golf Foundation. (There are still 15,014 facilities in the country, so don't worry. Golf isn't going away completely.)

It's no different in Illinois. With this issue, ILLINOIS GOLFER's public course directory includes every facility in the state, split into counties in the immediate Chicago area and regions for the rest of the state. Various lists compiled by golf associations were crosschecked and brought up to date to create what we believe is the most accurate list possible, a bounty of 487 courses from the Wisconsin state line on the north to the Ohio River on the south.

No other publication in the state, and few anywhere, lists as many facilities – exactly 600 when out-of-state courses and Chicago-area ranges and golf domes are accounted for. It starts on page 29.

The list isn't as extensive as was anticipated. While there have been a handful of additions

SELECT ILLINOIS COURSES CLOSED SINCE 2007

Blackhawk Trace at Indian Lakes Resort Highland / Woodland 18: 72 / 6,919 / 73.1 / 133 Island 9: 36 / 3,443 / 35.7 / 124 250 W. Schick Rd., Bloomington • (630) 529-6466 • www.golfindianlakes.com	DuPage	Lake View 23319 Hazel Rd., Sterling • (815) 262-2886	18: 71 / 6,350 / unrated	Whiteside
Cardinal Creek Center / South 18: 72 / 6,423 / 70.0 / 122 North 9: 36 / 3,274 / 35.1 / 122 615 S. Dixie Hwy., Beecher • (708) 946-2800 • www.cardinalcreekgolf.com	Kankakee	Locust Hills 1015 Belleville St., Lebanon • (618) 537-4590 • www.thehillsatmck.com	18: 72 / 6,047 / 67.8 / 116	St. Clair
Cedarbrooke Par 3 11127 Cedarbrook Rd., Sumner • (618) 936-2161 • no website	Lawrence	Mid Iron 903 S. Bell Rd., Palos Park • (630) 257-3340 • no website	9: 30 / 1,599 / 25.2 / 90	Cook
Crooked Creek 8250 E. Seven Oaks Rd., Mount Vernon • (618) 735-2445	Jefferson	Miller 1010 Washington Ave., Dixon • only range open now	9: 29 / 1,517 / unrated	Lee
Crooked Knee 1274 County Rd. 950 E., Henry • (309) 364-3012	Marshall	Oakville 8044 Oakville Rd., Mount Carroll	18: 36 / 3,111 / 35.5 / 116	Carroll
Deer Trail at Lake Shelbyville 1902 E. 1500 North Rd., Shelbyville • (217) 774-3030	Shelby	Plum Tree National 19511 Lembcke Rd., Harvard • (800) 851-3578 • www.plumtreegolf.com	18: 72 / 6,695 / 72.6 / 133	McHenry
Donovan 5805 N. Knoxville Ave., Peoria	Peoria	Prairie Ridge 903 W Morris St., Morrison • (815) 772-8989	18: 72 / 6,341 / 70.7 / 127	Whiteside
Fairway Hills 16607 Rt. 125, Virginia • (217) 452-3488 • no website	Cass	Robert P. Wadlow 1 Golf Rd., Alton • (618) 465-9861 • www.alton-il.com	18: 70 / 2,952 / 35.0 / 113	Madison
Gillespie 14060 RR 4, Gillespie • (217) 839-2703 • www.gillespiecountryclub.com	Macoupin	Snag Creek 1362 County Rd. 2200 N., Washburn • (309) 248-7300 • www.snagcreek.com	18: 72 / 6,300 / 70.1 / 115	Woodford
Graystone 7600 W. 191st St., Tinley Park • (708) 720-6600 • no website	Will	Stonebridge 7700 Stonebridge Golf Dr., Maryville • (618) 346-8800 • www.golfatstonebridge.com	18: 71 / 6,085 / 69.0 / 121	Madison
Great River Road 771 E. County Rd. 1815, Nauvoo • (217) 453-2417 • www.golfnauvoo.com	Hancock	Sugar River Greens 7330 Yale Bridge Rd., Rockton • (815) 629-2227	9: xx / 2,700 /	Winnebago
Hend-Co-Hills PO Box 107, Biggsville	Henderson	Sun N Fun Swim & Golf 20 Sun and Fun Ct., Decatur • (217) 877-0818	9: 28 / 1,235 / unrated	Macon
Illinois National 19000 National Dr., Petersburg • (217) 632-7710 • www.illinoisnationalgolfclub.com	Henderson	The Windmills 105 Knoxville Trail, Rio	9: 32 / 2,100 / unrated	Knox
Ken-Loch 1S601 Finley Rd., Lombard • (630) 620-9665 • no website	DuPage	Woodbine 14240 W. 151st St., Homer Glen • (708) 301-1252 • www.woodbinegolf.com	18: 70 / 6,020 / 68.2 / 115	Will

Phone numbers and websites noted for historical purposes, and are inactive.

– the opening of Metamora Fields in 2012 and the conversion of private Streator Country Club

to public Eastwood Golf Course in 2014 – our survey discovered that at about eight percent of

Illinois' public courses, 34 of 521 open in 2007, have closed in the last decade. The chart on the previous page lists 28 courses, most of them downstate, that would have been in the Directory had they not closed. There are enough of them to fill up another column in our Directory, which would make it a full 10 pages.

Some of the closures have been notable. The Indian Lakes Resort complex, a 27-hole facility in Bloomingdale that was 36 before a renovation by Rick Jacobsen in 2003, was shuttered on Nov. 15, the decision made when the hotel chain operating it decided it no longer wanted a loss-leader. And the closing several years ago of Plum Tree National, a well-regarded Joe Lee-designed course near Harvard, is still felt by the regulars who frequented it. (The new owners offer disc golf on a portion of the property, but have turned the clubhouse into a getaway facility for nature and entertainment.)

Other downstate courses that were shuttered include municipal layouts in Peoria (Donovan) and Alton (Wadlow), the former closed because of fewer players were teeing it up, the latter because the land was needed for a railroad station.

With fewer people playing, some private owners could no longer turn a profit. Thus, courses out in the country, including Hend-Co-Hills in Biggsville and Oakville in Mount Carroll, along with The Windmills in Rio, were padlocked. Hend-Co-Hills has long since been turned back into farmland.

Others, such as Graystone, a nine-hole course in Tinley Park, were closed because owners saw an opportunity for development. Nearby Mid Iron, a charming nine-holer adjacent to the 36-hole Gleneagles complex, closed most of its course two years ago, keeping the range and three



Courtesy Rantoul Park District

IN THE RED Rantoul's Brookhill Golf Course has seen declining revenue and rounds played in recent years. holes open for practice.

The most unusual closing in the state came in 2007, before the economic crash, and was of a course with the shortest shelf life imaginable. Few now recall Illinois National Golf Club, a 7,400-yard layout with a Petersburg address. That's 20 miles north of Springfield and 52 miles south of Peoria. That's also the middle of nowhere when it comes to a local base of golfers to draw from.

With \$85 weekend morning green fees and \$40 twilight, Illinois National, set among rolling ground and in a forest near Petersburg, was far more expensive than any other course around.

Owned and designed by Douglas Treadwell, who designed a handful of courses in Michigan before becoming a real estate broker in Naples, Fla., it opened June 8, 2007 and was closed by that October. A veterinary clinic bought and re-modeled the maintenance building.

This year may see more closures:

- In Vienna, The Gambit, hard by Interstate 24, is in limbo. It was closed in 2015 when losses outran the income by a free-spending owner, with new owners desiring to find someone else to buy and run the course.

If that happens, there's a chance it may re-open this year, either as a 9-hole layout or a full 18. It's still listed in our Directory for that reason. Call ahead if you're in the neighborhood and are interested in playing.

- In Rantoul, the saga of the Rantoul Park District, owner-operator of Brookhill Golf Course, goes on and on. The village voted to dissolve the park district in November, a vote nullified by a Dec. 30 court order finding the vote illegal because of filing improprieties.

The village was going to get the golf course – whether it wanted it or not – when the park district dissolved. Now, the course is open and the still-alive park district is running it. Brookhill

has lost money for several years, partly because of competition with the privately-owned Willow Pond course, the former military course at the former Chanute Air Force Base.

“We don’t want to run Brookhill this year,” Rantoul village administrator Jeff Fiegenschuh told park district officials in February, the *Rantoul Press* reported. “We told them, ‘You run it like you always have. We’ll work with you so we can come up with an agreement that is mutually acceptable, and if we can agree, we’ll run it next year maybe.’”

• Meanwhile, Edgewood, in Ogle County, is in limbo. It closed last fall and may not reopen.

There have also been sales. The Mortell family, in on the development of and sole owner of Balmoral Woods for over 40 years, sold the Crete course to the new owners of Balmoral Park, which is being turned into an equestrian center. Balmoral Woods will remain open to the public, while also being used as an enticement for the horsey set when they’re not in the saddle.

New super at Canal Shores

Tony Frandria, the longtime superintendent at Glen View Club, is the new superintendent at Canal Shores Golf Course – the old Peter Jans – in Evanston and Wilmette.

He replaces Tom Tully, who has taken a position in the parks department in Aurora, Colo.

Tully brought the all-but-abandoned Canal Shores back to life. Frandria hopes to build on that.

“This is a unique course, with a great history, and is truly part of the fabric of the Evanston and Wilmette communities,” Frandria said in the release announcing his hiring. “I hope that I can contribute to its growth as we build the next generation of golfers and demonstrate the value and importance of this course to the neighborhood.”

The 40-acre course is coming up on its 100th anniversary, and is beginning to develop a master plan for renovation building on the concepts heralded by uber-volunteer Jason Way for more than a year (ILLINOIS GOLFER, April 2016). Frandria will be intimately involved with that.

“He brings great skill and experience as well as many new ideas for the course,” Evanston-Wilmette Golf Course Association president Chris Carey said. “We believe that Tony will be an invaluable asset to Canal Shores as we continue to rebuild.”

A Penn State graduate, Frandria is a member of the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America; the Environmental Institute for Golf; the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents; the Chicagoland Association of Golf Course Superintendents; the Illinois Turfgrass Foundation; and the Penn State Turf Club.

Frandria was the head man at the Glen View Club in Golf from 2003 through last year, during which time the club restored 86 bunkers and re-boult greens, among other major projects. Similar chores will be under his watch at Canal Shores, which as a 9-hole public course flanking the North Shore Canal, is about as different an environment from the private sanctuary that is Glen View as one could imagine. He had been an assistant at Glen View, Midlothian and Riverside.

If the switch from the private-club life to the public scene seems abrupt for Frandria, it’s actually a return to his roots. A native of Palos Hills, he was a senior at Stagg when the village opened its nine-hole course. A job there started it all.

Tully, an outdoors adventurer, will find the Front Range of the Rocky Mountains perfect for his off-course passion, but had kind words upon

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TOUR GUIDE



D.A. Points 227th WGR
\$648,492 in 8 starts 52nd FEC
Best: **1st Puerto Rico**
70.910 scoring average



Kevin Streelman 127th WGR
\$625,431 in 13 starts 71st FEC
Best: T4 Mayakoba
71.220 scoring average



Luke Donald 94th WGR
\$235,255 in 8 starts 135th FEC
Best: T9 Franklin Templeton
70.723 scoring average



Mark Wilson 607th WGR
\$88,222 in 7 starts 179th FEC
Best: T26 Sanderson Farms
71.488 scoring average



Scott Langley 611th WGR
\$49,308 in 3 starts — FEC
Best: T33 RSM
70.800 scoring average



Luke Guthrie **Web.com Tour**
\$22,962 in 5 starts 42nd Web
Best: T12 Colombia
71.250 scoring average



Jeff Sluman **Champions Tour**
\$152,292 in 5 starts 18th Schwab
Best: 5th Diamond Resorts
70.000 scoring average

FEC: FedEx Cup; through Houston Open from PGA Tour, World Golf Ranking

TOURNAMENT CALENDAR

The National Scene

Key national and international championships,
WGA, WWGA, USGA, plus tour stops in Illinois and vicinity

	April
3/30-2	45th ANA Inspiration (Dinah Shore) , Mission Hills / Shore, Rancho Mirage, Calif.
6- 9	81st Masters Tournament , Augusta National GC, Augusta, Ga.
	May
11-14	Players Championship, TPC Sawgrass / Stadium, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.
17-21	Walgreens Championship (LPGA Legends Tour), Geneva National, Lake Geneva, Wis.
19-24	36th NCAA Women's Division I Championship, Rich Harvest Farms, Sugar Grove
25-28	78th Senior PGA Championship, Trump National GC, Washington, D.C.
26-31	120th NCAA Men's Division I Championship, Rich Harvest Farms, Sugar Grove
27-31	3rd U.S. Amateur Four-Ball, Pinehurst Resort, Pinehurst, N.C.
27-31	3rd U.S. Women's Amateur Four-Ball, Dunes C, Myrtle Beach, S.C.
	June
8-11	2nd Rust-Oleum Championship (web.com Tour), Ivanhoe C, Ivanhoe
9-11	Four Winds Invitational (Symetra Tour), Blackthorn GC, South Bend, Ind.
12-17	117th Women's Western Amateur , River Forest CC, Elmhurst
15-18	117th United States Open , Erin Hills, Erin, Wis.
16-18	Decatur-Forsyth Classic (Symetra Tour), Hickory Point GC, Decatur
19-22	100th Western Junior , Park Ridge CC, Park Ridge
22-25	2nd Lincoln Land Charity Championship (web.com Tour), Panther Creek CC, Springfield
23-25	2nd American Family Insurance Championship (Champions Tour), University Ridge GC, Madison, Wis.
29-7/ 2	U.S. Senior Open, Salem CC, Peabody, Mass.
29-7/ 2	63rd Women's PGA Championship , Olympia Fields CC / North, Olympia Fields
	July
7- 9	Inaugural Donald Ross Centennial Classic, French Lick Resort / Ross, French Lick, Ind.
9-12	Inaugural Senior LPGA Championship, French Lick Resort / Dye, French Lick, Ind.
10-14	91st Women's Western Junior , Dubuque G&CC, Dubuque, Iowa
13-16	47th John Deere Classic , TPC Deere Run, Silvis
13-16	72nd U.S. Women's Open , Trump National GC, Bedminster, N.J.
13-16	Senior Players Championship, Caves Valley GC, Baltimore, Md.
17-22	U.S. Junior Amateur, Flint Hills National GC, Andover, Kan.
20-23	146th Open Championship , Royal Birkdale GC, Southport, Eng.
24-29	U.S. Girls Junior Amateur, Boone Valley GC, Augusta, Mo.

27-30	British Senior Open, Royal Porthcawl, Bridgend, Wales
31-8/ 5	115th Western Amateur , Skokie CC, Glencoe
	August
3- 6	42nd Women's British Open , Kingsbarn GL, Fife, Scotland
7-13	117th U.S. Women's Amateur, San Diego CC, Chula Vista, Calif.
10-13	99th PGA Championship , Quail Hollow C, Charlotte, N.C.
14-20	117th U.S. Amateur, Riviera CC, Pacific Palisades, Calif.
26-31	U.S. Senior Amateur, Minikahda C, Minneapolis, Minn.
	September
9-10	Walker Cup, Los Angeles CC / North, Los Angeles, Calif.
9-14	U.S. Senior Women's Amateur, Waverley CC, Portland, Ore.
14-17	114th BMW Championship (Western Open), Conway Farms GC, Lake Forest
14-17	24th Evian Championship , Evian Resort GC, Evian les Bains, France
21-24	31st Tour Championship, East Lake GC, Atlanta, Ga.
26-28	USGA Women's State Team, Club at Las Campanas, Santa Fe, N.M.
	October
7-12	U.S. Mid Amateur, Capital City C, Atlanta, Ga.
7-12	U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur, Quail Creek CC, Naples, Fla.

USGA Qualifying

www.usga.org; generally conducted locally by CDGA

	May
8	U.S. Open Local Qualifying, Illini CC, Springfield
8	U.S. Open Local Qualifying, Midlane GC, Wadsworth
15	U.S. Open Local Qualifying, Cantigny G, Wheaton
	June
5	U.S. Senior Open Qualifying, Aurora CC, Aurora
12	U.S. Women's Open Qualifying, Prestwick CC, Frankfort
21	U.S. Junior Amateur Qualifying, Fox Bend GC, Oswego
29	U.S. Women's Amateur Qualifying, Bridges of Poplar Creek, Hoffman Estates
	July
5	U.S. Amateur Qualifying, Midlane GC, Wadsworth
10	U.S. Amateur Qualifying, Village Links of Glen Ellyn
11	U.S. Amateur Qualifying, Weibring GC at Illinois State, Normal
26	U.S. Senior Amateur Qualifying, Wilmette GC, Wilmette
	August
21	U.S. Mid-Amateur Qualifying, White Deer Run, Vernon Hills
23	U.S. Mid-Amateur Qualifying, Mt. Hawley CC, Peoria
	September
5	2018 U.S. Amateur Four-Ball Qualifying, Bolingbrook GC, Bolingbrook
13	U.S. Mid-Amateur Qualifying, Heritage Bluffs, Channahon
	October
4	2018 U.S. Women's Amateur Four-Ball, Glenview Park GC, Glenview
11	2018 U.S. Amateur Four-Ball, Twin Orchard CC, Long Grove

Illinois PGA

www.ipga.com • Key tournaments

	April
10	Pro-Pro-Pro Scramble, Harborside International GC, Chicago
17	Spring Pro-Assistant, Ruth Lake GC, Hinsdale
24	Assistant Match Play, site TBA
	May
4	Pro-Superintendent Championship, site TBA
8-11	Match Play Championship, Kemper Lakes GC, Hawthorn Woods
22-24	Senior Match Play Championship, Shoreacres, Lake Bluff
	June
5	Rust-Oleum Qualifier, Stonewall Orchard, Grayslake; White Deer Run, Vernon Hills
7	58th Radix Cup Match, Oak Park CC, River Grove
12	Stroke Play 3, Onwentsia C, Lake Forest
	July
10	Senior Masters Championship, Onwentsia C, Lake Forest
12	Thompson Cup Match, Olympia Fields CC (South), Olympia Fields
24-25	Illinois PGA Senior Championship, Merit C, Libertyville
	August
7- 9	68th Illinois Open, Glen Club, Glenview; 2nd site TBA
21-23	99th* Illinois PGA Championship, Medinah CC (No. 1), Medinah (*including three Middle States PGA Championships)
	September
5	Birdies for Charity, River Forest CC, Elmhurst
7	Pro-Women's Club Championship, site TBA
11	Assistant Championship, Mistwood GC, Romeoville
13	Fall Pro-Pro, Bull Valley GC, Woodstock
18-19	Illinois Senior Open, McHenry CC, McHenry
20	Pro-President, Evanston GC, Skokie
	October
2- 3	Illinois PGA Players Championship, Eagle Ridge (North), Galena
10	Pro-Club Championship, Glen Club, Glenview
12	Salesman-Pro Invitational, Ivanhoe C, Ivanhoe
18-19	Senior Players Championship, Old Elm C, Highland Park
	Chicago District GA
	www.cdga.org
	May
15-18	16th CDGA Senior Amateur, Ridge CC, Chicago
22-24	3rd CDGA Mid-Amateur, Mistwood GC, Romeoville
30	CDGA Net Better Ball of Pairs 1, Bull Valley GC, Woodstock
	June
7	56th Radix Cup Match, Oak Park CC, River Grove
12	CDGA Net Better Ball of Pairs 2, Royal Fox GC, St. Charles
27-30	98th CDGA Amateur, Briar Ridge CC, Schererville, Ind.

	July	24-25
18-20	87th Illinois Amateur, Calumet CC, Homewood	
31	CDGA Net Better Ball of Pairs 3, Kenosha CC, Kenosha	1- 2
	August	15-16
7-10	2nd CDGA Amateur Four-Ball, Wynstone GC, North Barrington	15-16
28-29	25th Illinois Mid-Amateur, Exmoor CC, Highland Park	21-23
28	CDGA Net Better Ball of Pairs 4, Naperville CC, Naperville	29-30
	September	29-8/6
7	5th CDGA Super Senior Championship, Idlewild CC, Flossmoor	
11-13	31st Illinois Senior Amateur, Senica's Oak Ridge GC, LaSalle	7-12
18	CDGA Individual Net, Cog Hill G&CC, Lemont	12-13
19	CDGA Net Better Ball of Pairs, Stonebridge CC, Aurora	
28	46th CDGA Mixed Championship, Aurora CC, Aurora	
	October	
2- 5	2nd CDGA Senior Amateur Four-Ball, Itasca CC, Otasca	

Chicago Women's District GA

www.cwdga.org

	June	
22	One-Day Stroke Play, Ridgemoor CC, Chicago	
	July	15
12	Better Ball of Pairs, Indian Hill C, Winnetka	
	August	6
14-16	86th CWDGA Championship, St. Charles CC, St. Charles	6
24	Senior Better Ball of Pairs, Oak Park CC, River Grove	
	September	4
14	Tournament of Team Champions, Ruth Lake CC, Hinsdale	4

Illinois Women's GA

<http://iwwga.org>

	June	
19-22	84th Illinois Women's Amateur, Pine Meadow GC, Mundelein	
	August	
1- 2	38th Illinois Junior Girls Amateur, U. of Illinois / Orange, Savoy	
	September	
19-21	48th Illinois Senior Women's Amateur, Rockford CC, Rockford	

Notable Tournaments

	April	
22-23	Will County Amateur, Balmoral Woods, Crete	
29-30	Illinois State Scramble, Village Greens of Woodridge	
	May	
20-21	I-80 Amateur, Sanctuary GC, New Lenox	
20-21	Peoria City Men's Stroke Play, Newman GC, Peoria	
25-26	Olympia Fields Four-Ball Invitational, Olympia Fields CC	
	June	
3- 4	52nd Joliet Amateur, Wedgewood GC, Plainfield	
3- 4	Central Illinois Amateur, Lincoln Greens GC, Springfield	
10-11	69th Pine Hills Invitational, Pine Hills GC, Ottawa	
10-11	Metropolitan East Side Amateur, Spencer T. Olin GC, Alton	
23-25	Cook County Amateur, Columbus Park GC, Chicago	
23-24	McHenry County Amateur, McHenry CC, McHenry	5

	July	
	Blackberry Amateur, Blackberry Oaks GC, Bristol	10
		31
	August	
	35th Zigfield Troy Open, Zigfield Troy Par-3 C, Woodridge	
	62nd North Shore Amateur, Highland Park CC	16
	Southern Illinois GA Championship, TBA	
	Chicago Amateur, Jackson Park GC, Chicago	2
	Lake County Amateur, Lake Bluff GC, Lake Bluff	
	Springfield City Amateur, Panther Creek CC, Springfield	
	September	
	Peoria City Men's Match Play, Newman GC, Peoria	
	Midwest Amateur, Marovitz (Waveland) GC, Chicago	
	October	
	Merit Amateur, Merit C, Libertyville	6- 7
	Chicago International Amateur, Robert A. Black GC, Chicago	9-10
	Pontiac Elks Invitational, Pontiac Elks GC, Pontiac	12-13

NIMAGA

www.nimaga.org • Key tournaments

	April	
	Spring Thaw, Gleneagles CC, Palos Park	
	May	
	May Jamboree, Naperville CC, Plainfield	
	May Jamboree, Springbrook GC, Naperville	
	June	
	Summer Classic, Blackberry Oaks GC, Bristol	
	Summer Classic, Coyote Run GC, Flossmoor	
	July	
15-16	NIMAGA Club Championship, Hughes Creek GC (high), Elburn; Red Tail GC (low), Lakewood	
	August	
	August Classic / North, Bridges of Poplar Creek, Hoffman Estates	
	August Classic / South, Heritage Bluffs GC, Channahon	
26-27	NIMAGA Players Championship, Bartlett Hills GC, Bartlett	
	September	
23	NIMAGA vs. Milwaukee, Evergreen GC, Elkhorn, Wis.	

Weekly Challenge Golf Tour

www.wcgt.com • Key tournaments

	April	
	Cog Hill G&CC / No. 2, Palos Park	
	Golf Club of Illinois, Algonquin	
	Village Links of Glen Ellyn, Glen Ellyn	
	May	
	Naperville CC, Naperville	25
	June	
	Glenwoodie GC, Glenwood	3
	Stonewall Orchard GC, Lakemoor	10
	July	
	Village Links of Glen Ellyn, Glen Ellyn	6
	Heritage Bluffs GC, Channahon	15
	Bolingbrook GC, Bolingbrook	29
	August	
	Cog Hill G&CC / Dubsread, Palos Park	5

	July	
	Glen Flora CC, Waukegan	10
	Ruffled Feathers GC, Lemont	31
	September	
	Balmoral Woods GC, Crete	16
	October	
	Tournament of Champions, Bull Valley GC, Woodstock	2

Mid-America Junior Golf Tour

www.ijga.org/majgt • Illinois tournaments

	April	
	U. of Illinois Open, Stone Creek GC, Urbana	1- 2
	Heritage Bluffs Open, Heritage Bluffs GC, Channahon	15-16
	Sanctuary Open, Sanctuary GC, New Lenox	22-23
	Shepherd's Crook Open, Shepherd's Crook GC, Zion	29-30
	May	
	Fox Bend Open, Fox Bend GC, Oswego	13-14
	June	
	Second City Classic, Ravisloe CC, Homewood	7- 8
	Championship at Harborside, Harborside International, Chicago	13-15
	Invitational, Highlands of Elgin GC, Elgin	19-20
	Girls Championship, Flossmoor CC, Flossmoor	28-29
	July	
	Illinois State Classic, Weibring GC at ISU, Normal	24-25
	Prairie Landing Classic, Prairie Landing GC, West Chicago	27-28
	August	
	MAJGT Championship, The Den at Fox Creek, Bloomington	1- 3
	October	
	Autumn Open, Thunderhawk, Beach Park	21-22
	Fall Shootout, Bull Valley GC, Woodstock	28-29

Illinois Junior GA

www.ijga.org • Key tournaments

	May	
	Medinah Shrine Junior Invitational, Medinah No. 1, Medinah	15
	June	
	48th Illinois Junior Amateur, Makray Memorial, Barrington	27-29
	July	
	IJGA-CDGA Junior Amateur, Mill Creek GC, Geneva	12-14
	37th Chick Evans Match Play, Itasca CC, Itasca	24-28
	August	
	Player of the Year Tournament, Highlands of Elgin GC, Elgin	7

Notable Junior Tournaments

	June	
	Pepsi Little People's Championships, Quincy	18-21
	Country Youth Classic, The Den at Fox Creek, Bloomington	25-28
	October	
	IHSA Championships:	15-16
	A Girls, Red Tail Run GC, Decatur	
	AA Girls, Hickory Point GC, Decatur	
	1A Boys, Prairie Vista GC, Bloomington	
	2A Boys, Weibring GC at Illinois State, Normal	
	3A Boys, The Den at Fox Creek, Bloomington	

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GREATER CHICAGO COOK COUNTY / NORTH

Anetsberger 9: 27 / 1,128 / unrated
1750 Techny Ct., Northbrook • (847) 291-2971 • www.sportsmansgolf.com Michael Wenzel

Arlington Lakes 18: 68 / 5,336 / 65.8 / 115
1211 S. New Wilke Rd., Arlington Heights • (847) 577-3030 • www.ahpd.org/programs/golf Tim Govern (GM)

Bartlett Hills 18: 71 / 6,463 / 71.7 / 130
800 W. Oneida, Bartlett • (630) 837-2741 • www.bartletthills.com Phil Lenz

Billy Caldwell 9: 35 / 3,108 / 69.6 / 115
6150 N. Caldwell Ave., Chicago • (773) 792-1930 • www.forestpreservegolf.com

Bridges of Poplar Creek 18: 70 / 6,500 / 71.2 / 136
1400 Poplar Creek Dr., Hoffman Estates • (847) 884-0219 • www.poplarcreekcc.com
Brian Bechtold

Canal Shores (Peter Jans) 18: 60 / 3,904 / 57.9 / 86
1031 Central St., Evanston • (847) 475-9173 • www.canalshores.org Tom Tully

Chick Evans 18: 71 / 5,626 / 67.2 / 122
6145 Golf Rd., Morton Grove • (847) 965-5353 • www.forestpreservegolf.com Grit Suyasri

Edgebrook 18: 66 / 4,567 / 61.2 / 88
6100 N. Central Ave., Chicago • (773) 763-8320 • www.forestpreservegolf.com Jim Tourloukis (GM)

Fox Run 18: 70 / 6,287 / 70.1 / 119
333 Plum Grove Rd., Elk Grove Village • (847) 228-3544 • www.foxrungolfinks.com
Thomas Klaas (GM)

The Glen Club 18: 72 / 7,149 / 74.8 / 140
2901 W. Lake Ave., Glenview • (847) 724-7272 • www.theglenclub.com Alex Prior

Glencoe 18: 72 / 6,527 / 71.6 / 130
621 Westley Rd., Glencoe • (847) 835-0250 • www.glencoeclub.com Matt Radde

Glenview Prairie 9: 31 / 1,955 / 29.7 / 94
2800 W. Lake Ave., Glenview • (847) 657-1637 • www.golfglenview.com Kristen Kechik (GM)

Glenview Park 18: 70 / 6,109 / 68.9 / 123
800 Shermer Rd., Glenview • (847) 724-0250 • www.golfglenview.com Michael Stone

Golf Center Des Plaines 9: 27 / 1,050 / 70.0 / 113
353 River Rd., Des Plaines • (847) 803-4653 • www.dpparks.org/golfcenter

Grayslake 9: 27 / 1,137 / unrated
2150 Drury Ln., Grayslake • (847) 548-4713 • www.glpd.com Mike Perez (GM)

Highland Woods 18: 72 / 6,934 / 72.5 / 124
2775 Ela Rd., Hoffman Estates • (847) 359-5850 • www.forestpreservegolf.com Joe Bidro (GM)

Hilldale 18: 71 / 6,432 / 71.6 / 135
1625 Ardwick Dr., Hoffman Estates • (847) 310-1100 • www.hilldalegolf.com

Indian Boundary 18: 72 / 6,068 / 69.0 / 116
8600 W. Forest Preserve Ave., Chicago • (773) 625-9630 • www.forestpreservegolf.com

Lake Park 9: 27 / 1,515 / unrated
1015 Howard St., Des Plaines • (847) 391-5730 • www.dpparks.org

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Course detail (yardage, rating, slope from back tees) supplied by courses and the CDGA. Head pro or GM listed if known. Please e-mail changes to illinoisgolfer@earthlink.net. **Expanded listings** are available; please e-mail or call (708) 638-1164.

Makray Memorial 18: 72 / 7,015 / 74.1 / 132
1010 S. Northwest Hwy., Barrington • (847) 381-6500 • www.makraygolf.com Don Habjan

Marovitz (Waveland) 9: 36 / 3,265 / 35.2 / 124
3600 N. Recreation Dr. (at Addison), Chicago • (312) 742-7930 • www.cpdgolf.com
Mark McCord (GM)

Mount Prospect 18: 71 / 6,305 / 71.3 / 135
600 S. See Gwun Ave. (at Shabonee), Mount Prospect • (847) 259-4200 • www.mppd.org/golf.php Brett Barcel

Nickol Knoll 9: 27 / 1,163 / unrated
3800 N. Kennebec Ave., Arlington Heights • (847) 590-6050 • www.ahpd.org/programs/golf/nickol Tim Govern (GM)

Old Orchard 18: 70 / 6,119 / 70.1 / 130
700 W. Rand Rd., Mount Prospect • (847) 255-2025 • www.oldorchardcc.com Doug Brezeau

Palatine Hills 18: 72 / 6,800 / 72.5 / 127
512 W. Northwest Hwy., Palatine • (847) 359-4020 • www.palatinehills.org Dan Hotchkin

Rob Roy 9: 36 / 3,022 / 37.8 / 119
505 E. Camp McDonald Rd., Prospect Heights • (847) 253-4544 • www.robroygc.com

Robert A. Black 9: 33 / 2,361 / 31.7 / 100
2045 W. Pratt Blvd., Chicago • (312) 742-7931 • www.cpdgolf.com Jerry Losos

Schaumburg
Tournament / Baer 18: 71 / 6,644 / 71.7 / 130
Players 9: 35 / 3,189 / 34.7 / 124
401 N. Roselle Rd., Schaumburg • (847) 885-9000 • www.schaumburggolf.com
Preston "Pepe" Irwin

Sportsman's Classic 18: 70 / 6,278 / 70.4 / 126
East 9: 35 / 3,010 / 34.6 / 118
3535 Dundee Rd., Northbrook • (847) 291-2351 • www.sportsmansgolf.com Greg Baron

Tam O'Shanter 9: 33 / 2,457 / 63.2 / 110
6700 W. Howard St., Niles • (847) 965-2344 • www.niles-parks.org Chris Urgo

Traditions at Chevy Chase 18: 72 / 6,610 / 71.9 / 128
1000 N. Milwaukee Ave., Wheeling • (847) 465-2300 • www.chevychasecountryclub.com
Margie Arnold (GM)

Twin Lakes 9: 29 / 1,460 / 35.0 / 113
1200 E. Lake Dr., Palatine • (847) 934-6050 • saltcreek.multisportssystem.com

Villa Olivia 18: 72 / 6,510 / 72.4 / 124
Rt. 20 & Naperville Rd., Bartlett • (630) 289-1000 • www.villaolivia.com/golfinfo

Walnut Greens 9: 27 / 1,078 / unrated
1150 N. Walnut Ln., Schaumburg • (847) 490-7878 • www.walnutgreengolf.com

Weber Park 9: 27 / 1,095 / 35.5 / 113
9300 Weber Park Pl., Skokie • (847) 674-1400 x3600 • www.skokieparkdistrict.org

Willow Hill 9: 35 / 2,895 / 34.2 / 118
1350 Willow Rd., Northbrook • (847) 480-7888 • www.willowhillgolfcourse.com Adam Kwiatkoski

Wilmette 18: 70 / 6,400 / 70.9 / 130
3900 Fairway Dr., Wilmette • (847) 256-9777 • www.golfwilmette.com Jamie Locke

Winnetka 18: 71 / 6,517 / 72.6 / 130
9: 27 / 1,194 / unrated
1300 Oak St., Winnetka • (847) 501-2050 • www.winpark.org/golf-club Cortney Miller

COOK COUNTY / SOUTH

Cog Hill No. 1 / Blue 18: 70 / 6,282 / 69.7 / 118
No. 2 / Ravines 18: 72 / 6,639 / 71.8 / 124
No. 3 / Red 18: 72 / 6,402 / 69.7 / 116
No. 4 / Dubsread 18: 72 / 7,616 / 77.8 / 151
12294 Archer Ave., Palos Park • (630) 257-5872 • www.coghilgolf.com

Coyote Run 18: 71 / 6,478 / 69.5 / 123
Practice 3: 9 / 373 / unrated
800 Kedzie Ave., Flossmoor • (708) 957-8700 • www.coyoterungolf.com Brian Smith

Dunne National 18: 72 / 7,262 / 75.4 / 142
16310 S. Central Ave., Oak Forest • (708) 429-6886 • www.forestpreservegolf.com

Flagg Creek 9: 33 / 2,493 / 31.9 / 104
6939 S. Wolf Rd., Countryside • (708) 246-3336 • www.flaggcreekgolfcourse.com Billy Rosinia

Fountain Hills 9: 36 / 3,233 / 35.1 / 112
12601 S. Kedzie Ave., Alsip • (708) 388-4653 • www.fountainhillsgc.com Rich Gottardo (GM)

Fresh Meadow 18: 70 / 6,283 / 70.1 / 116
2144 S. Wolf Rd., Hillside • (708) 449-0000 • www.freshmeadowgc.com Michael Huber

Gleneagles Red / Lakes 18: 70 / 6,029 / 68.0 / 116
White / Woodland 18: 70 / 6,302 / 70.1 / 124
13070 McCarthy Rd., Palos Park • (630) 257-5466 • www.golfgleneagles.com Gregg Miller

Glenwoodie 18: 72 / 6,902 / 71.6 / 125
19301 S. State St., Glenwood • (708) 758-1212 • www.glenwoodiegolf.com Phil Robbins

Harborside International
Port 18: 72 / 7,164 / 74.8 / 136
Starboard 18: 72 / 7,166 / 74.7 / 135
11001 S. Doty Ave. East, Chicago • (312) 782-7837 • www.harborsideinternational.com Joel Voss

Hickory Hills 18: 71 / 6,018 / 67.9 / 116
9: 30 / 1,560 / unrated
8201 W. 95th St., Hickory Hills • (708) 598-5900 • www.hickoryhillsgolfclub.com

Jackson Park 18: 70 / 5,444 / 65.7 / 109
6401 W. Richard Dr., Chicago • (773) 667-0524 • www.cdpgolf.com Tyrone Banks (GM)

Joe Louis The Champ 18: 72 / 6,742 / 71.4 / 124
13100 S. Halsted St., Riverdale • (708) 849-1731 • www.forestpreservgolf.com Bryan Carroll

Marquette Park 9: 36 / 3,245 / 35.5 / 119
6700 S. Kedzie Ave., Chicago • (312) 747-2761 • www.cdpgolf.com Steve McDaniels (GM)

Meadowlark 9: 36 / 3,404 / 35.9 / 114
11599 W. 31st St., Oak Brook • (708) 562-2977 • www.forestpreservgolf.com

Meadows of Blue Island 18: 71 / 6,581 / 71.3 / 121
2802 W. 123rd St., Blue Island • (708) 385-1994 • www.meadowsgc.com Jerry Vidovic

Oak Hills 9: 34 / 2,520 / 33.0 / 109
13200 S. 76th Ave., Palos Heights • (708) 448-5544 • www.oakhills.com Allan Parkes

Odyssey 18: 72 / 7,095 / 73.1 / 131
19110 S. Ridgeland Ave., Tinley Park • (708) 429-7400 • www.odysseycountryclub.com Ed Staffan

Palos Southmoor 9: 35 / 3,154 / 70.4 / 128
13100 Southwest Hwy., Orland Park • (708) 448-6550 • www.paloscountryclub.com

Palos Hills 9: 35 / 2,838 / 67.4 / 119
7301 W. 105th St., Palos Hills • (708) 599-0202 • www.paloshillsweb.org/golf Gwen Leddy (GM)

Ravisloe 18: 70 / 6,321 / 70.8 / 127
18231 S. Park Ave., Homewood • (708) 798-5600 • www.ravisloecountryclub.com

River Oaks 18: 72 / 5,952 / 69.3 / 119
1 Park Ave., Calumet City • (708) 868-4090 • www.forestpreservgolf.com

Ruffled Feathers 18: 72 / 6,898 / 73.7 / 140
1 Pete Dye Dr., Lemont • (630) 257-1000 • www.ruffledfeathersgsc.com Gordon Acton

Silver Lake North 18: 72 / 6,826 / 72.6 / 124
South 18: 70 / 6,337 / 70.2 / 124
Rolling Hills 9: 29 / 1,587 / 27.1 / **unslopped**
14700 S. 82nd Ave., Orland Park • (708) 349-6940 • www.silverlakecc.com Gregg Tengerstrom

South Shore 9: 33 / 2,713 / 32.9 / 112
7059 S. South Shore Dr., Chicago • (312) 955-1892 • www.cpdgolf.com Adrienne Carney (GM)

Stony Creek 18: 65 / 5,004 / 62.5 / 103
5850 W. 103rd St., Oak Lawn • (708) 857-2433 • www.golfstonycreek.com

Water's Edge 18: 72 / 6,904 / 72.9 / 131
7205 W. 115th St., Worth • (708) 671-1032 • www.watersedgegolf.com Jim Torloukis (GM)

White Mountain 9: 29 / 1,741 / 27.1 / **unslopped**
9901 W. 179th St., Orland Park • (708) 478-4653 • www.whitemountaingolfpark.com Mike Camerano

LAKE COUNTY / ILLINOIS

Antioch 18: 71 / 6,183 / 70.2 / 130
40150 N. Rt. 59, Antioch • (847) 395-3004 • www.antiochgolfclub.com Vince Juarez

Arboretum 18: 72 / 6,447 / 71.6 / 137
401 Half Day Rd., Buffalo Grove • (847) 913-1112 • www.arboretumgolf.com Carmen Molinaro

Barrington Park District 5: 15 / 675 / unrated
235 Lions Dr., Barrington • (847) 381-0687 • www.barringtonparkdistrict.com

Bittersweet 18: 72 / 6,754 / 72.8 / 130
875 Almond Rd., Gurnee • (847) 855-9031 • www.bittersweetgolf.com Sean Joyce

Bonnie Brook 18: 72 / 6,701 / 72.3 / 128
2800 N. Lewis Ave., Waukegan • (847) 360-4730 • www.waukegangolf.org Tony Tinetti

Brae Loch 18: 70 / 5,876 / 67.5 / 114
33600 N. Hwy. 45, Grayslake • (847) 968-3444 • www.lcfdp.org/brae_loch Bill Ebdon

Buffalo Grove 18: 72 / 6,693 / 72.1 / 127
48 Raupp Blvd., Buffalo Grove • (847) 459-5520 • www.buffalogrovegolf.com Joe Bridges

Countryside Traditional 18: 72 / 6,397 / 70.3 / 118
Prairie 18: 72 / 6,757 / 71.4 / 121
20800 W. Hawley St., Mundelein • (847) 968-3466 • www.lcfdp.org/countryside

Crane's Landing Marriott 18: 70 / 6,290 / 71.1 / 130
10 Marriott Dr., Lincolnshire • (847) 634-5935 • www.craneslandinggolf.com Tim Pagel

Deerfield 18: 72 / 6,816 / 72.4 / 131
1201 Saunders Dr., Riverwoods • (847) 945-8333 • www.deerfieldgolf.org Jason Minnina

Deerpath 18: 70 / 6,255 / 70.6 / 130
500 W. Deerpath Rd., Lake Forest • (847) 615-4290 • www.deerpathgolf.com Rick Walrath (GM)

Foss Park 18: 72 / 6,839 / 71.9 / 113
3124 Argonne Dr., North Chicago • (847) 689-7490 • www.fossparkgolf.org Gabe Monroe

Fox Lake 18: 72 / 6,359 / 71.3 / 126
7220 State Park Rd., Fox Lake • (847) 587-6411 • www.foxlakecc.net Vince Juarez (GM)

Greenshire 9: 27 / 1,265 / unrated
38727 N. Lewis Ave., Beach Park • (847) 360-4777 • www.waukegangolf.org

Heather Ridge 9: 35 / 3,007 / 35.1 / 117
5900 HeatherRidge Dr., Gurnee • (847) 367-6010 • www.heatheridgegolf.com Dirk Skelley

Hickory Knoll 9: 30 / 1,780 / 35.5 / 113
24745 W. Monaville Rd., Lake Villa • (847) 356-8640 • www.golfhickoryknoll.com

Highland Park 18: 71 / 6,618 / 71.5 / 132
1201 Park Ave. West, Highland Park • (847) 433-9015 • www.highlandparkcc.com Rick Sargent

Lake Bluff 18: 72 / 6,589 / 71.3 / 124
355 W. Washington St., Lake Bluff • (847) 234-6771 • www.lakebluffgolfclub.com Ed Heiser

Lakemoor 18: 72 / 6,334 / 70.5 / 124
29000 W. Sullivan Lake Rd., Lakemoor • (815) 759-0011 • *no website*

Libertyville 9: 27 / 1,205 / 35.0 / 113
870 Country Club Dr., Libertyville • (847) 362-5733 • www.libertyville.com Connie Kowal (GM)

Midlane 18: 71 / 6,681 / 73.1 / 131
4555 W. Yorkhouse Rd., Wadsworth • (847) 623-4653 • www.midlaneresort.com Michael Chappell

Pine Meadow 18: 72 / 7,297 / 74.8 / 138
1 Pine Meadow Ln., Mundelein • (847) 566-4653 • www.pineadowgc.com Dennis Johnsen

Renwood 18: 72 / 6,062 / 69.0 / 124
701 E. Shorewood Rd., Round Lake Beach • (847) 231-4711 • www.renwoodgolf.com Brad Rouse

Shepherd's Crook 18: 71 / 6,769 / 72.1 / 128
351 N. Greenbay Rd., Zion • (847) 872-2080 • www.shepherdsCrook.org Larry Myers (GM)

Shiloh 9: 35 / 2,900 / 67.2 / 118
23rd St. and Bethesda Rd., Zion • (847) 746-5500, x420 • www.shilohparkgolf.com

Steeple Chase 18: 72 / 6,827 / 73.1 / 139
200 N. La Vista Dr., Mundelein • (847) 949-8900 • www.mundeleinparks.org/steeplechase.html Bill Brolley

Stonewall Orchard 18: 72 / 7,124 / 74.7 / 148
25675 W. Hwy. 60, Grayslake • (847) 740-4890 • www.stonewallorchard.com Jeff Pajula

Sunset Valley 18: 72 / 6,484 / 71.8 / 131
1390 Sunset Rd., Highland Park • (847) 432-7140 • www.sunsetvalleygolfcourse.org Rob Saunders (GM)

Thunderhawk 18: 72 / 7,031 / 73.8 / 136
39700 N. Lewis Ave., Beach Park • (847) 872-4295 • www.lcfdp.org Bill Ebdon

Vernon Hills 9: 34 / 2,836 / 34.2 / 120
291 Evergreen Dr., Vernon Hills • (847) 680-9310 • www.vernonhillsgolf.com O.B. Sanders (GM)

Village Green 18: 70 / 6,018 / 68.6 / 117
2501 N. Midlothian, Mundelein • (847) 566-7373 • www.villagegreenc.com Tim Miles Jr. (GM)

White Deer Run 18: 72 / 7,101 / 74.5 / 142
250 W. Gregg's Pkwy., Vernon Hills • (847) 680-6100 • www.whitedeergolf.com Bob Malpede

Willow Glen 18: 71 / 6,637 / 72.1 / 125
2821 Great Lakes Dr., Great Lakes • (847) 688-4593 • www.mwrgl.com/recreation/golf/golf.htm Dan Kraft (GM)

DUPAGE COUNTY

Apple Orchard 9: 27 / 1,275 / unrated
692 W. Stearns Rd., Bartlett • (630) 540-4807 • www.bartlettparks.org/Golf/general Tony Nuzzo

Arrowhead South-East 18: 72 / 6,738 / 72.5 / 132
combinations vary **West** 9: 36 / 3,295 / 35.9 / 130
26W151 Butterfield Rd., Wheaton • (630) 653-5800 • www.arrowheadgolfclub.org Bruce Stoller (GM)

Bloomington 18: 71 / 6,251 / 70.2 / 123
181 Glen Elyn Rd., Bloomington • (630) 529-6232 • www.bloomingtondalegc.com Dave Shallcross

Cantigny Woodside 9: 36 / 3,587 / 37.6 / 143
18-hole **Lakeside** 9: 36 / 3,437 / 36.6 / 136
combinations vary **Hillside** 9: 36 / 3,394 / 36.2 / 135
Youth Short 9: 27* / 954 / unrated
27W270 Mack Rd., Wheaton • (630) 668-8463 • www.cantignygolf.com Patrick Lynch

Carriage Greens 18: 70 / 6,395 / 71.4 / 126
8700 Carriage Greens Dr., Darien • (630) 985-3400 • www.carriagegreens.com James Sims (GM)

Country Lakes 18: 73 / 6,656 / 71.9 / 121
1601 Fairway Dr., Naperville • (630) 420-1060 • *website inactive* Mike Jablecki

Eaglewood Resort 18: 72 / 6,017 / 68.2 / 120
1401 Nordic Rd., Itasca • (630) 773-1400 • www.eaglewoodresort.com Andy Carr

Downers Grove 9: 36 / 3,233 / 72.6 / 131
2420 Haddow Dr., Downers Grove • (630) 963-1306 • www.dgparks.org

Glendale Lakes 18: 71 / 6,190 / 69.8 / 125
1550 President St., Glendale Heights • (630) 260-0018 • www.glendalelakes.com Jennifer Ferrell

Green Meadows 9: 30 / 1,888 / unrated
18W201 W. 63rd St., Westmont • (630) 810-5330 • www.dupagegolf.com Dean Westrom

Klein Creek 18: 72 / 6,701 / 72.6 / 137
1N333 Pleasant Hill Rd., Winfield • (630) 690-0101 • www.kleincreek.com Matte Allman

Links & Tees 9: 27 / 1,161 / unrated
900 W. Lake St., Addison • (630) 458-2660 • www.addisonparks.org/links_and_tees

Maple Meadows 18: 70 / 6,438 / 71.0 / 126
East 9: 34 / 2,815 / 33.7 / 121
272 S. Addison Rd., Wood Dale • (630) 616-8424 • www.dupage.golf Chris Malek (GM)

Oak Brook 18: 72 / 6,541 / 71.1 / 126
2606 York Rd., Oak Brook • (630) 990-3032 • www.oak-brook.org Trey Van Dyke

Pheasant Run Resort 18: 72 / 6,424 / 70.6 / 122
4051 E. Main St., St. Charles • (630) 584-4914 • www.pheasantrun.com Robert Jan

Prairie Landing 18: 72 / 6,950 / 73.8 / 139
2325 Longest Dr., West Chicago • (630) 208-7600 • www.prairielanding.com Brian King

Preserve at Oak Meadows 18: 71 / 6,718 / 71.9 / 127
900 N. Wood Dale Rd., Addison • (630) 595-0071 • www.dupagegolf.com Ed Stevenson

River Bend 9: 36 / 3,300 / 70.8 / 126
5900 S. Rt. 53, Lisle • (630) 968-1920 • www.riverbendgolfclub.org Debbie Culbertson

St. Andrews St. Andrews 18: 71 / 6,920 / 71.8 / 124
Joe Jemsek 18: 72 / 6,770 / 72.0 / 120
3 N. 441 Rt. 59, West Chicago • (630) 231-3100 • www.standrewsgc.com Dave Erickson

Salt Creek 18: 63 / 3,946 / unrated
701 W. Thorndale Ave., Wood Dale • (630) 773-0184 • www.saltcreekgolfclub.com Tony Perry

Seven Bridges 18: 72 / 7,111 / 74.6 / 144
1 Mulligan Dr., Woodridge • (630) 964-7777 • www.sevenbridgesgolfclub.com Ben Nachtwey

Springbrook 18: 72 / 6,896 / 73.0 / 130
2220 W. 83rd St., Naperville • (630) 848-5060 • www.springbrookgolfcourse.org Mike Lzyun

Streamwood Oaks 9: 36 / 3,404 / 72.9 / 125
565 Madison Dr., Streamwood • (630) 483-1881 • www.streamwood.org

Sugar Creek 9: 32 / 2,344 / 62.0 / 106
500 E. Van Buren, Villa Park • (630) 834-3325 • www.sugarcreekgolfcourse.org Cory Ferrell

Twin Lakes 9: 28 / 1,381 / unrated
400 W. 59th St., Westmont • (630) 852-7167 • www.wpd4fun.com Ashley Medley (GM)

Village Greens of Woodridge
18: 72 / 6,638 / 71.2 / 121
1575 W. 75th St., Woodridge • (630) 985-3610 • www.villagegreensgolf.com Brandon Evans

Village Links of Glen Ellyn 18: 72 / 7,208 / 74.9 / 138
9: 36 / 3,303 / 35.7 / 129
485 Winchell Way, Glen Ellyn • (630) 469-8180 • www.villagelinksgolf.com Noel Allen

Western Acres 9: 35 / 3,052 / 69.2 / 111
2400 W. Butterfield Rd., Lombard • (630) 469-6768 • www.westernacres.com Don Voth

White Pines East 18: 70 / 6,371 / 71.1 / 127
West 18: 72 / 6,624 / 71.5 / 127
500 W. Jefferson St., Bensenville • (630) 766-0304 • www.whitepinesgolf.com Mike Huber (GM)

Willow Crest 18: 70 / 6,474 / 71.1 / 132
3500 Midwest Rd., Westmont • (630) 850-5515 • www.oakbrookhillsresortchicago.com/golf/golf.htm

Zigfield Troy 9: 27 / 1,089 / unrated
1535 75th St., Woodridge • (630) 985-4653 • www.zigfieldtroygolf.com Tim Troy, Dennis Troy

WILL COUNTY

Balmoral Woods 18: 72 / 6,625 / 72.4 / 131
26732 S. Balmoral Woods Dr., Crete • (708) 672-7448 • www.balmoralwoods.com Bill Abrams

Big Run 18: 72 / 7,028 / 74.4 / 138
17211 W. 135th St., Lockport • (815) 838-1057 • www.bigrungolf.com Bill Roper

Bolingbrook 18: 72 / 7,104 / 73.8 / 135
2001 Rodeo Dr., Bolingbrook • (630) 771-9400 • www.bolingbrookgolfclub.com Eric Aldrich

Boughton Ridge 9: 32 / 2,205 / 30.1 / 105
335 E. Boughton Dr., Bolingbrook • (630) 739-4100 • www.bolingbrookparks.org

Braidwood Fairways 9: 36 / 2,914 / unrated
35494 Essex Rd. south of Smiley Rd., Wilmington • (815) 458-2965 • no website

Broken Arrow East / North 18: 72 / 7,034 / 74.5 / 130
South 9: 36 / 3,469 / 37.0 / 140
16325 W. Broken Arrow Dr., Lockport • (815) 836-8858 • www.golfbrokenarrow.com Michael Chen (GM)

Cinder Ridge 18: 72 / 6,968 / 73.1 / 139
24801 Lakepoint Dr., Wilmington • (815) 476-4000 • www.cinderridge.com Sue Krueger (GM)

Deer Creek 18: 72 / 6,905 / 73.2 / 129
25055 S. Western Ave., University Park • (708) 672-6667 • www.deercreekgolfcourse.com

Golf Vista Estates 9: 29 / 1,505 / unrated
4951 Augusta Blvd., Monee • (708) 534-8204 • www.golfvistagolfclub.com

Green Garden Blue 18: 72 / 6,670 / 71.7 / 120
Gold 18: 72 / 6,713 / 71.8 / 126
Emerald 9: / 3,181 / 70.8 / 122
9511 W. Manhattan-Monee Rd., Frankfort • (815) 469-3350 • www.greengardencc.com

Heritage Bluffs 18: 72 / 7,171 / 74.1 / 138
24355 W. Bluff Rd., Channahon • (815) 467-7888 • www.heritagebluffs.com Brian Smith

Inwood 18: 71 / 6,196 / 70.1 / 131
3200 W. Jefferson St., Joliet • (815) 741-7265 • www.jolietinwoodgc.com Brian Legan

Lincoln Oaks 18: 71 / 6,186 / 69.0 / 120
395 E. Richton Rd., Crete • (708) 672-9401 • www.lincolnoaksgolfcourse.com Bob Seymour (GM)

Links at Carillon Blue / Red 18: 71 / 6,844 / 70.9 / 124
White 9: 36 / 3,438 / 36.0 / 61
21200 S. Carillon Dr., Plainfield • (815) 886-2132 • www.carillongolf.com Jeff Yackley

Longwood 18: 70 / 6,404 / 70.7 / 130
3503 E. Steger Rd., Crete • (708) 758-1811 • longwoodcc.com Joe Tintari (GM)

Mistwood 18: 72 / 6,773 / 72.4 / 137
1700 W. Renwick Rd., Romeoville • (815) 254-3333 • www.mistwoodgolf.net Andy Mickelson

Naperbrook 18: 72 / 6,677 / 72.0 / 127
22204 W. 111th St., Plainfield • (630) 378-4215 • www.naperbrookgolfcourse.org Tim Dunn

Old Oak 18: 71 / 6,609 / 71.1 / 128
14200 S. Parker Rd., Homer Glen • (708) 301-3344 • www.oldoakcc.com Dan Shields

Prairie Bluff 18: 72 / 7,007 / 73.2 / 125
19433 Renwick Rd., Lockport • (815) 836-4653 • www.prairiebluffgc.com Steve Lunde

Sanctuary 18: 72 / 6,917 / 72.5 / 131
485 N. Marley Rd., New Lenox • (815) 462-4653 • www.golfsanctuary.com Bob Schulz

Square Links 9: 30 / 1,749 / unrated
7861 W. St. Francis Rd., Frankfort • (815) 469-1600 • www.fspd.org Brian Zipse

Tamarack 18: 70 / 6,901 / 73.7 / 136
24032 Royal Worlington Dr., Naperville • (630) 904-4000 • www.tamarackgc.com Brett Hafstad (GM)

Tuckaway 18: 72 / 6,192 / 69.7 / 117
27641 Stony Island Ave., Crete • (708) 946-2259 • website inactive Jason Poblocki

University Park 18: 71 / 6,701 / 71.4 / 123
23520 Crawford Ave., University Park • (708) 747-0306 • www.universitygolfclub.com Bob Geppert

Wedgewood 18: 72 / 6,836 / 72.5 / 128
5001 Caton Farm Rd., Joliet • (815) 741-7270 • www.jolietwedgewoodgc.com Jason Shook

Willow Run 9: 35 / 2,930 / 33.9 / 113
12600 W. 187th St., Mokena • (815) 485-2119 • www.willowrungolf.net Rich Wisslead (GM)

Woodruff 18: 68 / 5,424 / 66.1 / 114
621 N. Gougar Rd., Joliet • (815) 741-7272 • www.jolietwoodruffgc.com Kirk Blakney (GM)

McHENRY COUNTY

Blackstone 18: 72 / 6,734 / 72.8 / 139
9700 N. Andrews Dr., Marengo • (815) 923-1800 • www.blackstonegc.com Susan Concialdi (GM)

Boone Creek
Prairie/Creekside 18: 71 / 6,435 / 70.4 / 122
Valley 9: 35 / 2,883 / 33.9 / 115
6912 Mason Hill Rd., Bull Valley • (815) 455-6900 • www.boonecreekgolfclub.com Tyler Wollberg

Cary 18: 72 / 6,135 / 69.0 / 119
2400 Grove Ln., Cary • (847) 639-3161 • www.carycountryclub.com Bob Keith

Chalet Hills 18: 73 / 6,877 / 73.6 / 137
943 Rawson Bridge Rd., Cary • (847) 639-0666 • www.chalethillsgolfclub.com Brian Smith

Chapel Hill 18: 70 / 6,133 / 70.1 / 122
2500 N. Chapel Hill Rd., McHenry • (815) 385-3337 • www.chapelhillgolf.com Larry Piet (GM)

Craig Woods 9: 34 / 2,290 / 70.0 / 113
5815 S. Rt. 47, Woodstock • (815) 338-9781 • www.crystalwoodsgc.com

Crystal Woods 18: 72 / 6,427 / 70.6 / 128
5919 S. Rt. 47, Woodstock • (815) 338-3111 • www.crystalwoodsgc.com John Craig

Foxford Hills 18: 72 / 7,047 / 74.2 / 142
6800 S. Rawson Bridge Rd., Cary • (847) 639-0400 • www.foxfordhillsgolfclub.com Rob Sankey

Golf Club of Illinois 18: 71 / 7,011 / 74.4 / 137
1575 Edgewood Rd., Algonquin • (847) 658-4400 • www.golfclubofil.com Robert Lemke (GM)

Hunter 18: 72 / 6,381 / 69.2 / 115
5419 Kenosha St., Richmond • (847) 678-7940 • no website

Marengo Ridge 18: 72 / 6,654 / 72.5 / 129
9106 Harmony Hill Rd., Marengo • (815) 923-2332 • www.marengoridgegolfclub.com Bob Witek (GM)

Oak Grove 18: 71 / 7,021 / 75.0 / 142
16914 Oak Grove Rd., Harvard • (815) 648-2550 • www.oakgrovegolfcourse.com Tim Miles Jr. (GM)

Old Top Farm 9: 37 / 2,881 / 30.0 / 113
2120 Crystal Lake Rd., Crystal Lake • (815) 479-9361 • no website Scott Kerbs

Pinecrest 18: 72 / 6,604 / 71.5 / 123
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RedTail 18: 72 / 6,803 / 72.8 / 130
7900 Redtail Dr., Lakewood • (815) 477-0055 • www.redtailgolf.com Chris Neuhart

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4005 N. Rt. 23, Marengo • (815) 568-5983 • no website Mark Horan

Whisper Creek 18: 72 / 7,103 / 73.7 / 133
12840 Del Webb Blvd., Huntley • (815) 515-7680 • www.whispercreekgolf.com Christopher Strand

KANE COUNTY

Bliss Creek 18: 69 / 5,592 / 67.0 / 115
1 Golfview Rd., Sugar Grove • (630) 466-4177 • www.blisscreekgolf.com Gordon Pike (GM)

Bonnie Dundee 18: 69 / 6,015 / 68.1 / 112
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Bowes Creek 18: 71 / 6,917 / 73.2 / 142
1250 Bowes Creek Blvd., Elgin • (847) 214-5880 • www.bowescreekcc.com Mike Lehman

Deer Valley 9: 29 / 1,358 / unrated
46W994 Jericho Rd., Big Rock • (630) 556-3333 • www.deervalleygc.net

Fox Valley 18: 72 / 5,937 / 68.6 / 126
2500 N. River Rd., North Aurora • (630) 879-1030 • www.aurora-il.org/operations Jeff Schmidt

Highlands of Elgin 18: 72 / 6,961 / 73.8 / 136
875 Sports Way, Elgin • (847) 931-5950 • www.highlandsofelgin.com Jim Vogt

Hughes Creek 18: 72 / 6,506 / 71.6 / 127
1749 Spring Valley Dr., Elburn • (630) 365-9200 • www.hughescreek.com Sam Bradberry

Mill Creek 18: 71 / 6,420 / 71.4 / 135
39W525 Herrington Dr., Geneva • (630) 208-7272 • www.millcreekgolfcourse.com Craig Kight

Orchard Valley 18: 72 / 6,745 / 72.4 / 134
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Phillips Park 18: 71 / 6,186 / 69.8 / 121
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Pottawatomie Park 9: 35 / 3,007 / 69.8 / 122
845 N. Second Ave., St. Charles • (630) 584-8356 • www.stcparks.org James Wheeler

Randall Oaks 18: 71 / 6,598 / 71.7 / 133
3: 9 / 300 apx.
4101 Binnie Rd., West Dundee • (847) 428-5661 • www.randalloaksgc.com Steve Gillie

Settler's Hill 18: 72 / 6,630 / 72.1 / 130
919 E. Fabyan Pkwy., Batavia • (630) 232-1636 • www.settlershill.com John O'Connor

Tanna Farms 18: 71 / 6,510 / 72.0 / 131
39W808 Hughes Rd., Geneva • (630) 232-4300 • www.tannafarms.com Chad Zipse

Valley Green 18: 60 / 3,841 / 70.0 / 113
314 Kingswood Dr., North Aurora • (630) 897-3000 • www.valleygreengc.com

Wing Park 9: 36 / 3,077 / 70.8 / 115
1000 Wing St., Elgin • (847) 931-5952 • www.cityofelgin.org Bill Eubanks

Wolf Run 9: 64 / 4,229 / 70.0 / 113
1700 Jericho Rd., Aurora • (630) 906-1402 • www.wolfrunolfcourse.net Roger Wolf (GM)

KENDALL COUNTY

Blackberry Oaks 18: 72 / 6,404 / 71.3 / 134
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Cedardell 9: 35 / 3,029 / 69.4 / 127
14264 S. Hale St., Plano • (630) 552-3242 • www.cedardellgolfclub.com Terry Donahue

Fox Bend 18: 72 / 6,890 / 73.1 / 130
3516 U.S. Hwy 34, Oswego • (630) 554-3939 • www.foxbendgolfcourse.com Brad Doyle (GM)

Whitetail Ridge 18: 71 / 6,524 / 71.0 / 128
7671 Clubhouse Dr., Yorkville • (630) 882-8988 • www.whitetailridge.us Patrick MacDonald

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Aspen Ridge 18: 70 / 6,191 / 69.6 / 119
1763 E. 4000 N Rd., Bourbonnais • (815) 939-1742 • www.aspenridgegolf.com Leo Ciaccio (GM)

High Point 9: 27 / 3,263 / 70.8 / 116
309 High Point Dr., Essex • (815) 365-4000 • www.golfhighpoint.com Debra Deegan

Kankakee Elks 18: 71 / 6,430 / 71.1 / 120
2283 Bittersweet Dr., Aroma Park • (815) 937-9547 • www.elksgolf627.com Kyle Morris

Manteno 18: 72 / 6,462 / 70.8 / 120
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Minne Monesse 18: 72 / 6,357 / 70.7 / 126
15944 E. Six Mile Grove Rd., Grant Park • (815) 465-6653 • www.minnemonesse.com Debra Hurler

Oak Springs 18: 72 / 6,260 / 70.0 / 122
6740 E. 3500 S Rd., St. Anne • (815) 937-1648 • www.oakspringsgolf.com Sam Ortman (GM)

Shamrock 18: 60 / 3,357 / 65.0 / 107
6575-B E. Rt. 17, Aroma Park • (815) 937-9355 • golfshamrock.com Gene Smith

South Shore 18: 72 / 6,200 / 68.9 / 122
1727 N. River South Rd., Mokenca • (815) 472-4407 • website inactive

LAKE COUNTY / INDIANA

Cedar Creek 9: 31 / 1,741 / 66.5 / 104
10483 W. 109th Ave., Cedar Lake • (219) 365-2902 • www.lakecountyparks.com Tom Zimmerman

Centennial Park 9: 36 / 3,300 / 72.4 / 132
1005 S. Centennial Dr., Munster • (219) 836-6931 • www.munster.org Matt Meneghetti

Indian Ridge 18: 72 / 6,217 / 69.1 / 110
6363 Grand Blvd., Hobart • (219) 942-6850 • www.hegangolf.com Chuck Hegan (GM)

Lost Marsh 18: 72 / 6,872 / 72.0 / 128
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1001 E. 129th St., Hammond • (219) 932-4046 • www.lostmargolf.com Niko Sullivan

MacArthur 9: 27 / 1,390 / unrated
4000 Indianapolis Blvd. (at 140th St.), East Chicago • (219) 391-8362 • no website

Oak Knoll 18: 70 / 5,703 / 67.3 / 107
11200 Whitcomb St., Crown Point • (219) 663-3349 • www.hegangolf.com Dave Steuer (GM)

Palmira 18: 72 / 6,921 / 72.7 / 122
12111 W. 109th St., St. John • (219) 365-4331 • www.palmiragolf.com Rich Nicpon (GM)

Pheasant Valley 18: 72 / 6,869 / 72.3 / 126
3838 W. 141st Ave., Crown Point • (219) 663-5000 • www.hegangolf.com Pat Hedge

River Pointe Pointe 9: 36 / 3,256
Pines 9: 36 / 3,167
Ponds 9: 36 / 3,299
6700 Country Club Rd., Hobart • (219) 942-2747 • www.whitehawkcountryclub.com/river-pointe

Scherwood 18: 71 / 6,849 / 73.4 / 125
9: 30 / 1,463 / unrated
600 E. Joliet St., Schererville • (317) 865-2554 • www.scherwood.com Marv Hanson

South Gleason Park 18: 71 / 6,312 / 68.5 / 108
3400 Jefferson St., Gary • (219) 980-1089 • www.gary.in.us/parks/golf.asp Nymrod Adkins

South Shore 18: 70 / 5,466 / 67.0 / 118
14400 Lake Shore Dr., Cedar Lake • (219) 374-6070 • www.golfssc.com/ Dennis Scaggs

Summertree 18: 72 / 6,596 / 71.9 / 124
2323 E. 101st Ave., Crown Point • (219) 663-0800 • www.hegangolf.com

Turkey Creek 18: 70 / 6,202 / 69.3 / 118
6400 Harrison St., Merrillville • (219) 980-5170 • www.turkeycreekgolf.com Chris Cioroianu

White Hawk Grey / Black 18: 72 / 7,011 / 73.9 / 141
Red / Silver 18: 72 / 7,201 / 75.1 / 139
1001 White Hawk Dr., Crown Point • (219) 661-2323 • www.whitehawkcountryclub.com Drew Brining

Wicker Memorial Park 18: 72 / 6,887 / 72.6 / 122
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http://www.applecanyonlake.org/amenities/golf.php

Atwood Homestead 18: 72 / 7,431 / 74.7 / 127
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Beaver Creek 9: 35 / 3,033 / unrated
19619 Leroy Center Rd., Capron • (815) 569-2427 • http://www.beavercreekgolf.com/

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3501 S Golf Rd., Stockton • (815) 947-3011
http://www.galena.org/places/black-hawk-run-golf-course/

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2001 W Saint James Rd., Orangeville • (815) 789-4042 • http://www.brushcreekgolf.com/

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Lakewood Rt. 78, Bath • (309) 546-2274 • www.facebook.com/lakewoodgolfclub4	9: 36 / 3,365 / 35.7 / 119	Mason
LeRoy 27307 Rt. 150, LeRoy • (309) 962-3421 • <i>website inactive</i>	9: 36 / 3,000 / 33.4 / 105	McLean
Lick Creek 2210 N. Parkway Dr., Pekin • (309) 346-0077 • www.pekinparkdistrict.org	18: 72 / 6,910 / 73.5 / 137	Tazewell
Links At Ireland Grove 3807 Ballyunion Rd., Bloomington • (309) 661-8040 • www.thelinksatirelandgrove.com/	9: 29 / 1,575 / unrated	McLean
Madison Park 2735 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., Peoria • (309) 673-7161 • www.ppdgolf.org/madison/	18: 69 / 5,476 / 64.5 / 96	Peoria
Mendota 35666 Rt. 34 W., Mendota • (815) 538-7241 • www.mendotagolfclub.com/	18: 70 / 6,186 / 69.5 / 117	LaSalle
Metamora Fields 801 Progress St., Metamora • (309) 367-4000 • www.metamorafields.com	18: 71 / 7,023 / 74.1 / 130	Woodford Jeff Roche
Nettle Creek 5355 N. Saratoga Rd., Morris • (815) 941-4300 • www.nettlecreek.com	18: 71 / 6,562 / 72.1 / 130	Grundy Kurt Nolen
Newman 2021 W. Nebraska Ave., Peoria • (309) 674-1663 • www.ppdgolf.org/newman/	18: 71 / 6,908 / 72.9 / 132	Peoria
Oak Club of Genoa 11770 Elwood Greens Rd., Genoa • (815) 784-5678 • www.oakclubgolf.com (<i>inactive</i>)	18: 72 / 7,032 / 74.1 / 135	DeKalb
Parkview 2300 Broadway St., Pekin • (309) 346-8494 • www.parkviewgolfcourseil.com/	18: 70 / 6,002 / 65.4 / 102	Tazewell
Pine Hills 1667 N. 2501st Rd., Ottawa • (815) 434-3985 • www.ottawapinehillsgolfclub.com	9: 35 / 3,203 / 72.0 / 122	LaSalle
Pine Lakes RR 2, Washington • (309) 745-9344 • www.golfpinelakesgc.com	18: 71 / 6,385 / 70.3 / 122	Tazewell
Pontiac Elks Rt. 116 W at Elks Club Rd. (east of I-55), Pontiac • (815) 842-1249 • www.pontiacelks.com	18: 72 / 6,804 / 73.0 / 132	Livingston
Prairie Lake 2550 N 32nd Rd., Marseilles • (815) 795-5107 • <i>no website</i>	9: 37 / 3,218 / 35.4 / 114	LaSalle
Prairie Vista 502 W. Hamilton Rd., Bloomington • (309) 434-2217 http://4.17.232.139/parks/golf-courses/Prairie-Vista/general-info.htm	18: 72 / 6,745 / 72.2 / 129	McLean
Quail Meadows 2215 Centennial Dr., Washington • (309) 694-3139 • www.quailmeadowsgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,916 / 72.9 / 124	Tazewell
Senica's Deer Park 100 Deer Park Ln., Oglesby • (815) 667-4239 • <i>no website</i>	18: 71 / 6,378 / 70.6 / 120	LaSalle Jesse Cavanaugh

Senica's Oak Ridge 658 U.S. Hwy. 6, LaSalle • (815) 223-7273 • www.senicasoakridge.net	18: 72 / 6,830 / 72.1 / 131	LaSalle Jesse Cavanaugh
Shagbark 1262 N 640 E Rd, Onarga • (815) 268-7308 • www.shagbarkgolf.com	9: 36 / 2,867 / 32.5 / unslp'd	Iroquis
Silver Ridge 3069 N. Hill Rd., Oregon • (815) 734-4440 • <i>no website</i>	18: 72 / 7,005 / 73.5 / 130	Ogle Jason Wombacher
South Bluff 229 N. 2550th Rd., Peru • (815) 223-0603 • www.southbluff.net	9: 36 / 2,851 / 33.2 / 106	LaSalle
Spring Creek 286 Spring Creek Dr., Spring Valley • (815) 894-2137 • www.springcreek-golfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,225 / 71.9 / 125	Bureau
Sunset Hills 1620 Summit Dr., Pekin • (309) 347-7553 • www.mashiespub.com	18: 71 / 6,649 / 71.9 / 129	Tazewell
Swan Creek 1189 Golf Course Rd., Avon • (309) 465-3127 • www.swancreekgolfclub.com	18: 72 / 6,814 / 72.7 / 127	Fulton
Twin Creeks 30396 N. 700 E. Rd., Marville • (815) 642-4220 • www.eastwoodtwincreeks.com/twin-creeks	9: 36 / 3,036 / 69.7 / unslp'd	Livingston
Wyatton Hills 17879 1500 North Ave., Princeton • (815) 872-2641 • <i>no website</i>	9: 36 / 3,071 / 66.8 / 117	Bureau Max Hallberg Jr.
WeaverRidge 5100 WeaverRidge Blvd., Peoria • (309) 691-3344 • www.weaveridge.com	18: 72 / 7,030 / 73.1 / 136	Peoria Clay Stevens
Weibring at Illinois State 800 Gregory St., Normal • (309) 438-8065 • www.isugolf.com	18: 72 / 6,915 / 72.7 / 131	McLean Laura Provost
Wolf Creek 21062 N 1850 East Rd., Cayuga • (815) 842-9008 • www.golfatwolfcreek.com	18: 72 / 6,637 / 69.1 / 117	Livingston Brett Hendren

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Bow Lake 1500 William R. Croxville Dr., Barry • (217) 335-7043 • www.bowlakegolf.com	18: 35 / 2,820 / 33.3 / 106	Pike
Carthage 1561 N. County Rd. 1830, Carthage • (217) 357-3625 • www.carthagegolfclub.com	9: 35 / 2,805 / 33.5 / unslp'd	Hancock
Cedar Crest 3312 N. 36th St., Quincy • (217) 223-1210 • www.cedarcrestquincy.com	9: 36 / 3,054 / 67.6 / 111	Adams
Deer Run 1 Deer Run Dr., Hamilton • (217) 847-3623 www.facebook.com/pages/Deer-Run-Golf-Course/113877965310098	18: 72 / 6,673 / 69.7 / 120	Hancock
Gold Hills 10980 E. 900th St., Colchester • (309) 837-2930 • www.gold-hills.com/main_menu.htm	18: 70 / 6,540 / 69.9 / 115	McDonough
Knights of Columbus Par 3 700 S. 36th St., Quincy • (217) 222-4105 • http://www.quincykofc.org/sportsmenu/11-golf	9: 27 / 897 / unrated	Adams
Lamoine Valley W. Archer at N. E St., La Harpe • (217) 659-3918 • <i>no website</i>	9: 27 / 2,568 / unrated	Hancock
Links at Jacksonville 319 Holkenbrink Dr., Jacksonville • (217) 479-4663 • www.linkssofjacksonville.com	18: 72 / 6,836 / 72.1 / 122 Executive 9: 27 / 2,463 / unrated	Morgan

Mussatto at W. Illinois 1215 Tower Rd., Macomb • (309) 298-3676 • www.wiu.edu/student_services/golf_course/	18: 72 / 6,862 / 73.6 / 136	McDonough
Northridge Hills 1265 Sandusky Rd., Jacksonville • (217) 243-4241 • www.northridgehills.com (inactive)	9: 32 / 2,316 / 31.2 / 104	Morgan
Plum Creek 1135 Golf Course Rd., Winchester • (217) 742-9018 • no website	9: 36 / 3,150 / 34.9 / 114	Scott
Rolling Greens Rt 99 N., Mount Sterling • (217) 773-3085 • www.rollinggreensbc.com	18: 72 / 6,715 / unrated	Brown
Scripps Park RR 2, Rushville • (217) 322-4444 • no website	18: 70 / 5,660 / 66.7 / 107	Schuyler
Shaw Creek 300 1/2 Miller St., Bushnell • (309) 772-3422 • no website	9: 36 / 2,917 / unrated	McDonough
Tri County Off Hwy. 61, Augusta • (309) 458-3226 www.facebook.com/Tri-County-Golf-Course-85700863251/	9: 34 / 2,637 / unrated	Hancock
Twin Oaks 800 W. Adams St., Blandinsville • (309) 652-9519 • no website	9: 35 / 3,004 / unrated	McDonough
Westview 2150 S. 36th St., Quincy • (217) 223-7499 • www.westviewgolf.com	Glasgow 18: 71 / 6,400 / 69.7 / 117 Course 2 9: 35 / 3,057 / 68.8 / 112	Adams

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Bent Tree 14618 E. County Rd. 400 N., Charleston • (217) 348-1611 • no website	18: 70 / 6,240 / unrated	Coles
Bergen 200 Eastdale Ave., Springfield • (217) 753-6211 http://springfieldparkdistrictgolf.org/bergen.html	18: 35 / 2,657 / 32.4 / 97	Sangamon
Blue Needles 9202 Blue Needles Dr., Fairmount • (217) 427-5536 • www.blueeedles.com	18: 72 / 6,081 / 68.9 / 116	Vermilion
Brookhill 3150 County Rd 1700 E, Rantoul • (217) 893-1200 • www.golfbrookhillgc.com	18: 72 / 6,597 / 71.3 / 125	Champaign
Brookhills 5350 Old Jacksonville Rd., Springfield • (217) 787-8576 • no website	18: 31 / 1,918 / 29.8 / 90	Sangamon
Bunn 2500 S. 11th St., Springfield • (217) 522-2633 • http://springfieldparkdistrictgolf.org/bunn.html	18: 72 / 6,297 / 70.2 / 122	Sangamon
Country Hills 21723 Smoot St., Greenville • (217) 632-7242 • www.countryhillsgc.com	18: 72 / 6,414 / 70.0 / 119	Menard
Eagle Ridge (Sycamore Hills) 928 Clinton Rd., Paris • (217) 463-3434 • www.eagleridgeparis.com	18: 6,589 / 72.2 / 124	Edgar
Edgewood 16497 Kennedy Rd., Auburn • (217) 438-3221 • www.golfedgewood.com	18: 71 / 6,667 / 71.9 / 128	Sangamon
Fox Prairie 3035 Co. Hwy. 38, Windsor • (217) 459-2805 • www.foxprairiegolf.com	18: 71 / 6,712 / 71.8 / 128	Shelby
Harrison Park 1300 W. Voorhees St., Danville • (217) 431-2266 • www.harrisonparkgolfcourse.com	18: 71 / 6,111 / 70.3 / 119	Vermilion

Hubbard Trail 13937 E. 3680 North Rd., Hoopston • (217) 748-6521 • www.hubbardtrail.com	9: 36 / 3,042 / unrated	Vermilion
Ironhorse 2000 Ironhorse Dr., Tuscola • (217) 253-6644 • www.ironhorsegc.com	18: 72 / 7,131 / 73.0 / 125	Douglas
Lake of the Woods 405 N. Lake Of The Woods Rd., Mahomet • (217) 586-2183 • www.golflakelake.com	18: 72 / 6,578 / 71.2 / 125 Hartwell C. Howard Par 3 9: 27 / 865 / unrated	Champaign
Lake Shore 1460 E. 1000 North Rd., Taylorville • (217) 824-5521 • https://golflakeshore.com	18: 72 / 6,778 / 72.0 / 117	Christian
Legends of Champaign 4551 Nicklaus Dr., Champaign • (217) 863-2145 • www.legendsofchampaign.com	18: 29 / 1,479 / unrated	Champaign
Lincoln Elks RR 4, Box 25, Lincoln • (217) 732-4010 • www.elks914.org/Golf.aspx	18: 71 / 6,200 / 68.6 / 120	Logan
Lincoln Greens 700 E. Lake Dr., Springfield • (217) 786-4111 http://springfieldparkdistrictgolf.org/lincoln-greens.html	18: 72 / 6,869 / 72.7 / 127	Sangamon
Long Bridge 1055 W. Camp Sangamo Rd., Springfield • (217) 744-8311 • www.longbridgegc.com	18: 36 / 2,834 / 33.4 / 107	Sangamon
Marshall 110 Golf Course Rd., Marshall • (217) 826-2404 • no website	9: 35 / 2,747 / 32.7 / 110	Clark
Meadowview 6489 Meadowview Ln., Mattoon • (217) 258-7888 • https://meadowviewgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,745 / 72.6 / 121	Coles
Moweaqua 2598 E. 1900 North Rd., Moweaqua • (217) 768-3411 • http://moweaquagolfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,307 / 69.3 / 112	Christian
National at Eagle Creek Eagle Creek State Park, Findlay • (217) 756-5550 • www.golfateaglecreek.com	18: 72 / 6,924 / 73.5 / 134	Shelby
North Greens 901 NE 1st St., Atlanta • (217) 648-5500 • https://m.facebook.com/northgreens/	9: 36 / 3,390 / 72.0 / 125	Logan
Norton Knolls N. Reel St., Oakland • (217) 346-3102 • https://m.facebook.com/NortonKnollsGolfCourse	9: 34 / 2,558 / 65.0 / 111	Coles
Oak Terrace Resort 100 Beyers Lake, Pana • (217) 651-4250 • https://oakterraceresort.com/golf	18: 72 / 6,375 / 70.5 / 123	Christian
The Oaks 851 Dave Stockton Dr., Springfield • (217) 528-6600 • www.theoaksgolfcourse.com	18: 70 / 6,130 / 68.8 / 117	Sangamon
Pasfield 1700 W. Lawrence Ave., Springfield • (217) 698-6049 http://springfieldparkdistrictgolf.org/pasfield.html	9: 34 / 2,299 / 30.8 / 89	Sangamon
Piper Glen 7112 Piper Glen Dr., Springfield • (217) 483-6537 • www.piperglen.com	18: 72 / 7,005 / 73.5 / 132	Sangamon Audra Burks
The Rail 1400 S. Club House Dr., Springfield • (217) 525-0365 • www.railgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,583 / 71.7 / 127	Sangamon Ryan Matrisch
Railside 120 W. 19th St., Gibson City • (217) 784-5000 • www.railside.com	18: 72 / 6,755 / 71.8 / 121	Ford Cody Warmoth
Red Tail Run 520 W. Grove Rd., Decatur • (217) 422-2211 • www.redtailrun.org	18: 72 / 7,351 / 74.4 / 132	Macon
Rogala Public Links 1322 State Hwy. 16, Mattoon • (217) 235-5518 • http://rogalagolf.com/Home_Page_S165.html	18: 35 / 3,069 / 37.3 / unsloped	Coles

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Shamblee 442 S Shore Dr., Petersburg • (217) 632-2140 • http://www.golfshamblee.com	18: 72 / 6,748 / 72.1 / 119	Menard
Stone Creek 2600 Stone Creek Blvd., Urbana • (217) 367-3000 • www.stonecreekgolfclub.com Mickey Finn	18: 72 / 7,118 / 74.1 / 131	Champaign
Timberlake 957 CR 700E, Sullivan • (217) 797-6496 • http://timberlakegolfcourse.com	9: 35 / 3,045 / 34.7 / 112	Moultrie
Turtle Run 332 E. Liberty Ln., Danville • (217) 422-8876 • www.turtleungolfclub.com	18: 72 / 6,771 / 72.1 / 127	Vermilion
Univ. of Illinois 800 Hartwell Dr., Savoy • (217) 359-5613 • www.uofigolf.com Michael Wallner	Orange 18: 72 / 6,896 / 72.9 / 130 Blue 18: 72 / 6,479 / 70.2 / 119	Champaign
Willow Pond 808 Golf Course Rd., Rantoul • (217) 893-9000 • http://www.willowpondgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,799 / 71.8 / 115	Champaign
Wolf Creek 2521 Perrysville Rd., Danville • (217) 446-1025 • www.wolfcreeknine.com	9: 35 / 3,120 / unrated	Vermilion
Woodlawn 905 E. Richardson St., Farmer City • (309) 928-3215 • www.woodlawncountryclubfc.com	9: 36 / 3,117 / 69.0 / 117	DeWitt

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American Legion Post Ill. Rt. 157, Edwardsville • (618) 656-9774 • www.edwardsvillelegion.com/golf-course.html	9: 35 / 2,652 / unrated	Madison
Annbriar 1524 Birdie Ln., Waterloo • (888) 939-5191 • www.annbriar.com	18: 72 / 6,863 / 72.8 / 136	Monroe
Arlington Greens 200 Arlington Dr., Granite City • (618) 931-5232 • www.arlingtongreens.com	18: 72 / 6,907 / 72.4 / 125	Madison
Barkau Memorial 1501 N Waterworks Rd., Okaville • (618) 243-6610 • www.rbmrgolf.com	18: 71 / 6,513 / 70.9 / 128	Washington
Belk Park 880 Belk Park Rd., Wood River • (618) 251-3115 • http://belkpark.com	18: 72 / 6,812 / 71.5 / 121	Madison
Bent Oak 1725 S. Broadway, Breese • (618) 526-8181 • http://breese.org/golf-course/	18: 36 / 3,290 / unrated	Clinton
The Bridges 1655 Columbia Bridges Rd., Columbia • (618) 281-3900 • http://columbiagolfclub.net	18: 72 / 6,998 / 73.0 / 125	Monroe
Carlyle Lake 11777 Ill. Rt. 127, Carlyle • (618) 594-2758 • http://carlylelake.com/golf	18: 36 / 3,309 / 35.4 / 124	Clinton
Clinton Hill 3700 Old Collinsville Rd., Swansea • (618) 277-3700 • http://clintonhillgolfcourse.com	18: 71 / 6,480 / 70.6 / 129	St. Clair
Cloverleaf 3555 Fosterburg Rd., Alton • (618) 462-3022 • www.cloverleafgolfcourse.com	18: 70 / 5,514 / 64.2 / 108	Madison
Columbia 125 Aa Rd., Columbia • (618) 286-4455 • http://columbiagolfclub.net	18: 71 / 5,970 / 67.6 / 113	Monroe

Elmwood 1400 Eiler Rd., Belleville • (618) 538-5826 • www.golfatelmwood.com	18: 36 / 2,931 / unrated	St. Clair
Fox Creek 6555 Fox Creek Dr., Edwardsville • (618) 692-9400 • www.golffoxcreek.com	18: 72 / 7,027 / 74.9 / 144	Madison
Fairfield 1900 Columbia Quarry Rd., Columbia • (618) 847-7222 • www.fairfieldgolfclub.com	18: 71 / 5,864 / 66.2 / 110	Monroe
Gateway National 18 Golf Dr., Madison • (618) 482-4653 • www.gatewaynational.com	18: 71 / 7,178 / 75.0 / 138	St. Clair
Governor's Run 3300 Governors Dr., Carlyle • (618) 594-4585 • www.governorsrun.com	18: 72 / 7,013 / 73.9 / 131	Clinton
Grand Marais 5802 Lake Dr., East Saint Louis • (618) 398-9999 • www.grandmaraisgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,998 / 71.9 / 129	St. Clair
Granite City Legacy 3500 Cargil Rd., Granite City • (618) 931-4653 • www.thelegacygolfcourse.com	18: 71 / 6,327 / 70.4 / 114	Madison
Indian Mounds 3500 Kingshighway, Fairmont City • (618) 271-4000 • www.indianmoundsgolfcourse.com	18: 59 / 3,381 / unrated	St. Clair
Indian Springs 21347 Ill. Rt. 185, Fillmore • (217) 538-2392 • www.indianspringsgolf.net	18: 70 / 6,148 / 68.9 / 122	Montgomery
Lone Oak Off Hwy. 108, Carrollton • (217) 942-6166 • <i>no website</i>	9: 32 / 2,150 / unrated	Greene
Nashville 660 E Memorial Dr., Nashville • (618) 327-3821 • https://m.facebook.com/NashMGC/	18: 36 / 6,214 / 70.0 / 124	Washington
Oak Brook 9157 Fruit Rd., Edwardsville • (618) 656-5600 • http://oakbrookgc.com	East 9: 36 / 3,195 (71 / 6,231 with West) North 9: 36 / 3,605 (71 / 6,641 with West) West 9: 35 / 3,036 / 71.5 / 118	Madison
Oak Leaf 186898 Oak Leaf Country Club Rd., Girard • (618) 627-3015 • www.oakleafcc.com	9: 32 / 2,236 / 60.6 / 98	Macoupin
The Orchards 1499 Golf Course Dr., Belleville • (618) 233-8921 • www.orchardsgolfclub.com	18: 71 / 6,787 / 72.2 / 126	St. Clair
The Prairies 300 Tricentennial Ct., Cahokia • (618) 332-6944 • www.prairiesgc.com	18: 71 / 6,490 / 72.0 / 127	St. Clair
Mystic Oak (Ridge) 643 Ridge Rd., Waterloo • (618) 939-4646 • www.mysticoakgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,358 / 70.6 / 125	Monroe
River Lakes 2218 Ramsey Rd., Columbia • (618) 281-6665 • www.riverlakesgolfcourse.com	18: 71 / 5,478 / 65.7 / 100	Monroe
Rock Spring 2116 College Ave., Alton • (618) 465-9898 • www.rockspringgolfcourse.com	9: 35 / 3,015 / unrated	Madison
Rolling Hills 5801 Pierce Ln., Godfrey • (877) 610-1416 • www.rollinghillsgc.com	18: 71 / 5,687 / 66.1 / 100 Executive 9: 29 / 1,927 / unrated	Madison
Spencer T. Olin 4701 College Ave., Alton • (618) 465-3111 • http://spencerolingolf.com	18: 72 / 6,941 / 73.5 / 135	Madison
Shoal Creek 505 Northwest St., Raymond • (217) 229-4545 • https://m.facebook.com/ShoalCreekGolfCourse	9: 35 / 3,172 / 35.0 / 115	Montgomery
Stonewolf 1195 Stonewolf Trl., Fairview Heights • (618) 624-4653 • http://stonewolfgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,943 / 73.5 / 137	St. Clair

Tamarack 800 Tamarack Ln., Shiloh • (618) 623-6666 • www.golffattamarack.com	18: 71 / 6,282 / 69.8 / 120	St. Clair
Terry Park 30565 Terry Park Rd., Palmyra • (217) 436-2531 • www.terryparkgc.com	18: 35 / 2,814 / 66.4 / 100	Macoupin
Timber Lakes 3120 Forest Lake Ln., Staunton • (618) 635-4653 • http://timberlakesgolfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,960 / 72.5 / 128	Macoupin
Triple Lakes 6942 Triple Lakes Rd., Millstadt • (618) 476-9985 • http://triplelakesgolfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,227 / 69.1 / 112	St. Clair
Twin Oaks 21900 Ill. Rt. 127, Greenville • (618) 749-5611 • www.twinoaksgolf.net	18: 36 / 3,190 / unrated	Bond
White Oak 545 Rec Area Rd., Marissa • (618) 295-2889 https://m.facebook.com/White-Oak-Golf-Course-319603801501647/	18: 36 / 3,067 / 67.1 / 109	St. Clair
Wolves Crossing 23745 N. Centennial Rd., Jerseyville • (618) 498-3178 • http://golfhgm.com/wolves-crossing	18: 71 / 6,028 / 67.3 / 107	Jersey
The Woodlands 2839 Harris Ln., Alton • (618) 462-1456 • http://golfhgm.com/the-woodlands/	18: 72 / 6,418 / 70.6 / 123	Madison
Yorktown 300 Goalby Dr., Belleville • (618) 233-2000 http://shilohil.org/parks-recreation/yorktown-golf-course	18: 54 / 2,146 / unrated	St. Clair

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Carmi 883 Country Club Rd. N. 1350, Carmi • (618) 384-5011 • www.carmacountryclub.com	9: 36 / 2,978 / 65.1 / 99	White
Chester 1310 Lehmen Dr., Chester • (618) 826-3168 • www.chestercountryclub.com	18: 36 / 3,598 / 36.0 / 120	Randolph
Colonial 3449 Old Rt. 51 S., Sandoval • (618) 247-3307 • www.sandovalcolonialgolf.com	18: 70 / 5,667 / 65.1 / 102	Marion
Crab Orchard 901 W. Grand Ave., Carterville • (618) 985-2321 • www.craborchardgolfclub.com	18: 70 / 6,420 / 71.0 / 129	Williamson
Crooked Creek 8250 E. Seven Oaks Rd., Mount Vernon • (618) 735-2445	18: 70 / 5,454 / 64.6 / 111	Jefferson
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Egyptian 4880 US Hwy. 51, Mounds • (618) 745-6412 • www.egyptiancountryclub.com	9: 36 / 3,042 / unrated	Pulaski
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Fore-Way 16041 N. 1000th St., Effingham • (217) 868-5418 • www.forewaygolfcourse.com	9: 36 / 2,910 / unrated	Effingham
The Gambit 1550 Ill. Rt. 146 E., Vienna • (618) 658-6022 • www.gambitgolf.com Closed 2015, status in limbo	18: 71 / 6,546 / 72.4 / 137	Johnson
Green Hills 3800 E. Fairfield Rd., Mount Vernon • (618) 244-3961 • www.greenhillsgolfclub.net	18: 71 / 6,490 / 72.2 / 127	Jefferson
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Hardin County (TTI) RR 1, Cave In Rock • (618) 289-4587 • www.hardincountygolfcourse.com	9: 36 / 2,657 / unrated	Hardin
Hickory Ridge 2727 W. Glenn Rd., Carbondale • (618) 529-4386 • www.cpkd.org	18: 72 / 6,863 / 73.3 / 137	Jackson Michael Day
Indian Hills 20 Indian Trail Dr., Mount Vernon • (618) 244-9697 www.facebook.com/Indian-Hills-Golf-Course-Mt-Vernon-IL-175249045826863/	18: 72 / 6,022 / 66.0 / 99	Jefferson
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Links at Kokopelli 1527 Champions Dr., Marion • (618) 997-5656 • www.kokopelligolf.com	18: 71 / 7,039 / 74.7 / 139	Williamson
McLeansboro Golf Course Rd., McLeansboro • (618) 643-2400 • www.mclgolf.org	9: 36 / 3,228 / 70.0 / 112	Hamilton
Mount Carmel Municipal 700 Park Rd., Mount Carmel • (618) 262-5771 • www.mtcarmelgolfcourse.com	18: 71 / 6,121 / 69.2 / 123	Wabash
North County 703 W. Market St., Red Bud • (618) 282-6590 • http://ncclub.weebly.com	9: 35 / 2,842 / unrated	Randolph
Oak Glen 11234 N. 600th St., Robinson • (618) 592-3030 • www.golfoakglen.com	18: 71 / 6,086 / 67.7 / 112	Crawford
Pine Lakes 2705 S. Park Ave., Herrin • (618) 942-6816 • www.pinelakes18.com	18: 71 / 6,003 / 68.9 / 123	Williamson
Pyramid Oaks 5500 Ill. Rt. 4 S., Percy • (618) 497-8484 • www.pyramidoaks.com (website inactive)	9: 36 / 3,100 / 69.9 / 126	Randolph
Ramsey Lake RR 1 Box 221, Ramsey • (618) 423-2261 • <i>no website</i>	9: 35 / 2,750 / 62.0 / 103	Fayette
Red Hawk 6204 Ill. Rt. 154, Tamaroa • (618) 357-8712 • http://redhawkgc.net	18: 70 / 6,273 / 70.5 / 133	Perry
Rend Lake 12575 Golf Course Dr., Whittington • (618) 629-2353 • www.rendlakegolfresort.com	East-West 18: 36 / 6,812 / 71.8 / 131 South 9: 36 / 3,442 /	Franklin
Saint Elmo 1 mi. NW of Saint Elmo, Saint Elmo • (618) 829-3390 • www.stelmogolfclub.com	9: 36 / 3,220 / 35.3 / 126	Fayette
Saline County 355 Golf Course Rd., Eldorado • (618) 273-9002 • <i>no website</i>	18: 70 / 5,975 / 66.9 / 108	Saline
Shawnee Hills 1110 Shawnee Hills Rd., Harrisburg • (618) 253-7294 • https://www.facebook.com/playgolferhere/	9: 36 / 2,948 / 35.1 / 128	Saline

Sparta 19 Fairway Dr., Sparta • (618) 443-4911 • <i>no website</i>	18: 35 / 2,981 / 32.7 / 101	Randolph
Stardust 14756 Stardust Rd., Johnston City • (618) 983-8822 https://m.facebook.com/StardustGolfCourse/	9: 36 / 2,972 / 35.0 / 129	Williamson
Stone Creek 503 Stone Creek Dr., Makanda • (618) 457-5455 • www.stonecreekgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,875 / 74.0 / 140	Jackson
Union County 430 E. Jefferson St., Anna • (618) 833-7912 • www.uccggolf.com	18: 71 / 6,613 / 71.4 / 132	Saline
Vandalia 1110 S. 8th St., Vandalia • (618) 283-1365 • <i>no website</i>	9: 35 / 2,782 / 34.6 / 113	Fayette

INDIANA OUTLYING

Aberdeen 245 Tower Rd., Valparaiso • (219) 462-5050 • www.golftaberdeen.com	18: 72 / 6,917 / 73.0 / 134	Mike Higdon
Beechwood 2222 Woodlawn Dr., LaPorte • (219) 362-2651 • www.thebeachwoodgolfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,657 / 72.8 / 129	
Birck Boilermaker Kampen 18: 72 / 7,253 / 76.5 / 145 Ackerman 18: 71 / 6,436 / 70.3 / 124 1300 Cherry Ln., West Lafayette • (765) 494-3139 • www.purduegolf.com		
Blackthorn 6100 Nimitz Pkwy., South Bend • (574) 232-4653 • www.blackthorn.com	18: 72 / 7,105 / 75.2 / 135	Rich Love
The Brassie 1110 Pearson Rd., Chesterton • (219) 921-1192 • www.thebrassie.com	18: 72 / 7,008 / 74.3 / 137	Deane Borcherding
Briar Leaf 3233 N. State Rd., LaPorte • (219) 326-1992 • www.briarleaf.com	18: 72 / 6,850 / 73.2 / 132	Jay Williams
Brickyard Crossing 4400 W. 16th St., Speedway • (317) 484-6572 • www.brickyardcrossing.com	18: 72 / 6,994 / 74.5 / 137	Jeff Schroeder
Creekside 2335 Clifford Rd., Valparaiso • (219) 531-7888 • www.creeksidegolfcourse.com	Glen 9: 36 / 3,270 / 36.0 / 125 Meadows 3:	
Curtis Creek 5385 S. 1080 W., Rensselaer (east of) • (219) 866-7729 • www.curtiscreekcountryclub.com	18: 72 / 6,284 / 70.6 / 117	
Duck Creek 636 N. 700 W., Hobart • (219) 759-5870 • www.duckcreekgolfcourse.com	18: 70 / 5,338 / 70.0 / 113	Ken Habhan (GM)
Elbel Park 26595 Auten Rd., South Bend • (574) 271-9180 • www.sbparkgolf.org/elbel/	18: 70 / 6,885 / 70.7 / 113	
Erskine Park 4200 Miami Rd., South Bend • (574) 291-3216 • www.sbparkgolf.org/erskine/	18: 70 / 6,098 / 68.5 / 120	
Forest Park 1155 Sheffield Dr., Valparaiso • (219) 531-7888 • www.forestparkgolfcourse.com	18: 70 / 5,642 / 67.2 / 114	
The Fort 5200 N. Post Rd., Indianapolis • (317) 543-9597 • www.thefortgolfcourse.com	18: 72 / 7,148 / 74.4 / 139	
French Lick Resort Ross 18: 70 / 7,030 / 72.3 / 135 Dye 18: 72 / 8,102 / 80.0 / 148 Valley Links Bendelow 9: 36 / 3,478 / 8670 W. State Rd. 56, French Lick • (888) 936-9360 • www.frenchlick.com		

Harrison Hills 413 E. New St., Attica • (765) 762-1135 • www.harrisonhills.com	18: 72 / 6,820 / 72.6 / 131	Geoff Curtis (GM)
Hazelden 3705 E. Ind. 16 • (219) 275-7771 • www.hazeldencountryclub.com	18: 70 / 5,137 / 68.4 / 111	
Hulman Links 990 N. Chamberlain St., Terre Haute • (812) 877-2096 • www.hulmanlinks.com	18: 72 / 7,225 / 74.9 / 144	David Kennedy
Legacy Hills 299 W. Johnson Rd., LaPorte • (219) 324-4777 https://m.facebook.com/Legacy-Hills-Golf-Club-Inc-113554758679199/	18: 72 / 6,600 / unrated	
LuGene Links 8687 N 300 W, Lake Village • (219) 992-3337 • <i>no website</i>	9: 36 / 3,200 / 34.9 / 112	Gene Berry
Michigan City South 18: 72 / 6,169 / 68.7 / 113 North 18: 60 / 3,531 / 58.2 / 90 4000 E. Michigan Blvd., Michigan City • (219) 873-1516 • www.michigancitygolfcourse.com		
Mink Lake 636 N. Calumet Ave., Valparaiso • (219) 462-2585 • <i>no website</i>	9: 35 / 3,000 / 33.5 / 102	
Notre Dame Burke US 933 at Dorr Rd. (east) • (574) 631-6425 • http://burkegolfcourse.nd.edu/	9: 35 / 3,211 / 35.5 / 116	John Foster
Notre Dame Warren 110 Warren Golf Course, Notre Dame • (574) 631-4653 • www.warrencourse.com	18: 71 / 7,020 / 74.6 / 135	John Foster
Robbinhurst 383 W. County Rd. 875 N., Portage • (219) 762-9711 • www.robbinhurst.com	18: 68 / 5,629 / 66.5 / 111	Andrew Elderkin
Sandy Pines 10527 Bunker Dr., DeMotte • (877) 987-3611 • www.sandypinesgc.com	18: 72 / 6,801 / 72.2 / 135	Brad Burvan
Studebaker 718 E. Calvert St., South Bend • (574) 287-6634 • www.sbparkgolf.org/studebaker/	9: 29 / 1,898 / unrated	
Swan Lake Black 18: 72 / 7,112 / 74.2 / 129 Silver 18: 72 / 6,825 / 72.0 / 126 5203 Plymouth Tr., Plymouth • (800) 935-5545 • http://swanlakeresort.com		
Trophy Club 3875 N. State Rd. 52, Lebanon • (765) 482-7272 • www.thetrophyclubgolf.com	18: 72 / 7,317 / 75.3 / 138	B.G. Winings

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Abbey Springs 1 Country Club Dr., Fontana • (262) 275-6113 • www.abbeysprings.com	18: 72 / 6,466 / 71.4 / 133	Jerry Mortier (GM)
Big Oaks 6117 123rd Pl., Pleasant Prairie • (262) 694-4200 • www.bigoaksgolf.com	18: 72 / 5,848 / unrated 9: 36 / 2,962 / unrated	Jose Reyes
Blackwolf Run River 18: 72 / 7,404 / 76.2 / 151 Meadow Valleys 18: 72 / 7,250 / 75.1 / 145 1111 W. Riverside Dr., Kohler • (866) 847-4856 • www.destinationkohler.com		
The Bog 3121 County Hwy. 1, Saukville • (800) 484-3264 • www.golfthebog.com	18: 72 / 7,110 / 74.9 / 142	
Brighton Dale Links Blue Spruce 18: 72 / 6,687 / 72.0 / 129 Red Pine 18: 72 / 7,024 / 72.9 / 132 White Birch 18: 72 / 6,977 / 73.3 / 130 830 248th Ave., Kansasville • (262) 878-1440 • www.co.kenosha.wi.us/publicworks/golf		

Bristol Oaks 16801 75th St., Bristol • (262) 857-2302 • www.bristoloaks.com	18: 72 / 6,319 / 70.1 / 120	Frank Blum (GM)
Brown Deer Park 7625 N. Range Line Rd., Milwaukee • (414) 352-8080 • http://milwaukee-county-golf.com	18: 71 / 6,716 / 72.6 / 132	
Country Club Estates 365 Pottawatomie Dr., Fontana • (262) 275-3705 • www.countryclubestatesgolf.com	9: 35 / 3,011 / 32.3 / 121	
Delbrook 700 S. 2nd St., Delavan • (262) 728-3966 • www.delbrookgc.com	North 9: 35 / 3,183 / ratings Middle 9: 36 / 3,326 / combine South 9: 36 / 3,266 / on 9s	Dan Piecha
Erin Hills 7169 County Rd. O, Erin • (866) 772-4769, (262) 670-8600 • www.erinhills.com	18: 72 / 7,820 / 77.9 / 145	Rich Tock
Geneva National Palmer 18: 72 / 7,171 / 74.8 / 140 Trevino 18: 72 / 7,120 / 74.5 / 137 Player 18: 72 / 7,039 / 74.4 / 138 1221 Geneva National Ave. South, Lake Geneva • (262) 245-7000 www.genevanationalresort.com		David Winget
Grand Geneva Brute 18: 72 / 6,997 / 73.8 / 136 Highlands 18: 71 / 6,167 / 71.9 / 131 7036 Grand Geneva Way, Lake Geneva • (262) 248-8811 • www.grandgeneva.com		
Hawk's View Como Crossing 18: 72 / 7,032 / 73.1 / 133 Barn's Hollow 18: 54 / 2,708 / unrated 7377 Krueger Rd., Lake Geneva • (262) 348-9900 • www.hawksviewgolfclub.com		
Johnson Park 6200 Northwestern Ave., Racine • (262) 637-5068 • www.racinegolfonline.com	18: 72 / 6,703 / 71.5 / 124	
Lake Lawn Resort 2400 E. Geneva St., Delavan • (262) 728-2347 • www.lakelawnresort.com	18: 70 / 6,418 / 69.2 / 120	Jeff Selgren
Lawsonia Links 18: 72 / 6,853 / 72.8 / 130 Woodlands 18: 72 / 6,618 / 72.7 / 132 W2615 S. Valley View Dr., Green Lake • (920) 294-3320 • www.lawsonia.com		Jeff Kleinke
Nippersink Resort N1055 Tombeau Rd., Genoa City • (262) 279-6311 • www.nippersinkresort.com	18: 71 / 6,652 / 69.9 / 119	Tracy Heim
Petrifying Springs 4909 7th St., Kenosha • (262) 552-9052 • www.co.kenosha.wi.us/publicworks/golf	18: 70 / 5,979 / 67.8 / 119	Chris Adams
Sand Valley 1697 Leopold Way, Neokosa • (888) 651-5539 • www.sandvalleygolfresorts.com	18: 72 / 6,909 / 72.6 / 128	
Shoop Park 4510 Lighthouse Dr., Racine • (262) 681-9714 • www.racinegolfonline.com	9: 34 / 2,631 / 35.5 / 113	
Spring Valley 23913 Wilmot Rd., Salem • (262) 862-2626 • www.springvalleyccsalem.com	18: 70 / 6,354 / 70.1 / 119	John Wagner
Twin Lakes 1230 Legion Dr., Twin Lakes • (262) 877-2500 • www.tlccgolf.com	18: 70 / 5,930 / 67.5 / 116	Chad Cantwell
University Ridge 9002 County Rd. PD, Verona • (800) 897-4343 • www.universityridge.com	18: 72 / 6,888 / 73.2 / 142	Mike Gaspard
Washington Park 2801 12th St., Racine • (262) 635-0118 • www.racinegolfonline.com	9: 35 / 2,759 / unrated	
Whistling Straits Straits 18: 72 / 7,790 / 77.2 / 152 Irish 18: 72 / 7,201 / 75.6 / 146 N8501 Hwy. LS, Haven • (800) 618-5535 • www.destinationkohler.com		

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Angels Crossing 18: 72 / 7,169 / 74.3 / 135
3600 E. West (Schoolcraft) Ave., Vicksburg • (269) 694-2700 • www.golfangelscrossing.com

Arcadia Bluffs 18: 72 / 7,300 / 75.7 / 146
14710 Northwood Hwy., Arcadia • (800) 494-8666 • https://arcadiabluffs.com

Bay Harbor Preserve / Links 18: 71 / 6,784 / 72.9 / 142
Quarry 9: 36 / 3,341 / 73.0 / 145 (Links to Quarry)
5800 Coastal Ridge Dr., Bay Harbor • (231) 439-4085 • www.bayharborgolf.com

Belvedere 18: 72 / 6,943 / 73.7 / 134
5371 Marion Center Rd., Charlevoix • (866) 547-2611 • www.belvederegolfclub.com

Black Lake 18: 72 / 7,035 / 74.8 / 143
2800 Maxon Rd., Onaway • (989) 733-4653 • www.blacklakegolf.com

Eagle Eye 18: 72 / 7,323 / 75.9 / 145
15500 Chandler Rd., Bath • (517) 903-8064 • www.hawkhollow.com/eagle-eye-golf-course/

Forest Dunes 18: 72 / 7,116 / 75.2 / 146
Loop / Red 18: 70 / 6,786 / to be rated – counterclockwise routing
Loop / Black 18: 70 / 6,861 / to be rated – clockwise routing
6376 Forest Dunes Dr., Roscommon • (989) 275-0700 • www.forestdunesgolf.com

Grand Beach 9: 36 / 2,955 / 68.6 / 122
Grand Beach • (269) 469-4888 • www.grandbeach.org/pro_shop.html

Grand Traverse Bear 18: 72 / 7,078 / 76.3 / 148
Wolverine 18: 72 / 7,043 / 71.1 / 138
Spruce Run 18: 70 / 6,304 / 71.1 / 134
100 Grand Traverse Village Blvd., Acme • (231) 534-6000
https://www.grandtraverseresort.com

Marquette Heritage 18: 71 / 6,260 / 70.0 / 124
Greywalls 18: 71 / 6,828 / 73.0 / 144
1075 Grove St., Marquette • (906) 225-0721 • www.marquettgolfclub.com

Harbor Shores 18: 72 / 6,861 / 71.7 / 143
201 Graham Ave., Benton Harbor • (269) 927-4653 • www.harborshoresgolf.com Ross Smith (GM)

HawksHead 18: 72 / 7,003 / 72.8 / 129
523 HawksNest Dr., South Haven • (269) 639-2121 • www.hawksheadlinks.com Lary Tebelak

Lake Michigan Hills 18: 72 / 6,911 / 73.9 / 135
2520 Kerlikowske Rd., Benton Harbor • (269) 849-4653 • www.lakemichiganhills.com

Pilgrim's Run 18: 73 / 7,093 / 74.4 / 143
11401 Newcosta Ave., Pierson • (888) 533-7742 • www.pilgrimsrun.com

Timberstone 18: 72 / 6,938 / 74.5 / 150
N. 3332 Pine Mountain Rd., Iron Mountain • (906) 776-0111 • www.pinemountainresort.com

Otsego Classic 18: 72 / 6,267 / 69.8 / 121
Tribute 18: 72 / 7,155 / 74.1 / 134
696 M-32 East, Gaylord • (800) 752-5510 • www.otsegoclub.com

St. Ives 18: 72 / 6,702 / 73.1 / 146
9900 St. Ives Dr., Stanwood • (800) 972-4837 • http://www.tullymoregolf.com

Tullymore 18: 72 / 7,250 / 76.0 / 150
11969 Tullymore Dr., Stanwood • (800) 972-4837 • http://www.tullymoregolf.com

Whittaker Woods 18: 72 / 7,071 / 74.3 / 144
12578 Wilson Rd., New Buffalo • (269) 469-3400 • www.golfwhittaker.com Steve Dell

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STAND-ALONE OUTDOOR FACILITIES / INDOOR DOMES

BallyBunion 4200 Rt. 83, Long Grove (847) 634-3363
Bartlett Golf Center 1301 W. Lake St., Bartlett (847) 830-9385
Better Shots 825 Tyrell Rd., Gilberts (847) 697-5000
Birdies & Eagles 800 McDonald Rd., South Elgin (847) 931-2233
Bobby's Hunt Club 491 S. Hunt Club Rd., Gurnee (847) 549-6090
Boulder Golf Range 2900 Beverly Rd., Hoffman Estates (847) 426-1588
Buffalo Grove Sports Center

801 McHenry Rd., Buffalo Grove (847) 353-7575
30 W. Madison St., Maywood (708) 344-2700
Central Park Range 5799 Central Ave., Portage, Ind. (219) 762-4653
Crete Family Fun Center 955 Main St., Crete (708) 672-7991
Deer Run Family Golf 11007 Rt. 120, Woodstock (815) 338-9701
Diversey Driving Range 141 W. Diversey Pkwy., Chicago (312) 742-7929
Douglas Park Learning 1401 S. Sacramento Ave., Chicago (312) 747-7670
Fore Seasons 4418 Buhl Rd., Crystal Lake (815) 444-8100
Golf Farm 2100 N. Rt. 12, Wauconda (847) 526-4000
Green Garden Golf Dome 9511 W. Monee-Manhattan Rd., Frankfort (815) 469-3350
Green Valley Golf 26W101 Lake St., Hanover Park (630) 289-6600
Buffalo Grove Sports Center

500 Park Blvd., Itasca (630) 773-7997
Harry Semrow Range 1150 E. Golf Rd., Des Plaines (847) 296-5764
Highland Park Learning 2205 Skokie Valley Rd., Highland Park (847) 433-3422
Lippold Park 1 E. Crystal Lake Ave., Crystal Lake (815) 459-0680
Master Golf 425 S. Rt. 45, Grayslake (847) 223-6886
McQ's Sports Dome 730 N. Bolingbrook Dr., Bolingbrook (708) 739-7600
Mid Iron (and 3 holes) 12680 S. Bell Rd., Palos Park (630) 257-3340
Oakton Range 2800 W. Oakton Ave., Park Ridge (847) 692-3580
Paradise Golf Supply 1500 N. Main St., Crown Point, Ind. (219) 313-6769
Perfection Park 6215 S. Bridge St., Yorkville (630) 553-6855
Partner Golf Center 6615 W. Irving Park Rd., Chicago (773) 286-2060
Pro Circle 1810 Rt. 12, Spring Grove (815) 675-2747
Riedy's Tee Time 1400 Maple Ave., Lisle (630) 852-5759
Skokie Sports Park 3459 Oakton St., Skokie (847) 674-1500
Sports Zone Family Fun 100 Business Rt. 30, Aurora (630) 820-8624
Sugar Grove Family Fun Rt. 47 & Jericho Rd., Sugar Grove (630) 466-3866
Sunset Meadows Range 811 S. Dwyer Ave., Arlington Heights (847) 394-5865
T-Time Golf 13750 W. 159th St., Homer Glen (708) 301-6500
Top Golf 3211 Odyssey Ct., Naperville (630) 596-1000
Top Golf 699 W. Thorndale Ave., Wood Dale (630) 595-4653
Westland Golf 11900 Algonquin Rd., Huntley (847) 669-0204
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leaving Canal Shores.

“It was a blessing to have so many passionate and dedicated people who could help,” Tully said.

Pinecrest under new management

Last October, KemperSports was selected by the Huntley Park District to manage Pinecrest Golf Club, a municipal course that opened in 1972.

“Building on a great foundation, we feel KemperSports is the best partner to take Pinecrest to the next level in operations and customer service excellence,” Huntley Park District executive director Thom Palmer said. “Their experience in managing some of the top daily fee properties in the area will be a tremendous asset to residents of Huntley and surrounding communities.”

People

Garrett Chaussard is the new director of instruction at Skokie Country Club, having left Chicago Highlands. **Simon Allen** has joined the Flossmoor Country Club staff as director of golf. He had been at Prestwick Country Club. ... **Brad Slocum** has jumped from the Illinois Junior Golf Association to the Illinois PGA as the tournament director. He had been the director of youth programming at the IJGA following a Wisconsin PGA internship and a stint as a caddie at Erin Hills. ... **Robert Duke**, whom Slocum replaces at the Illinois PGA, landed nicely at the Colorado Golf Association as director of rules and competitions. The CGA is one of the better amateur golf bodies in the land. ... **Mason Jacobs** of Metropolis shot 8-under 136 and lost a three-man play-off on the Minor League Golf Tour in West Palm Beach, Fla. He won \$1,150. **Michael Schachner** of Libertyville took 10th and pocketed \$300.

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