



Gentlemen of the BTC,

December 26, 2024

Merry Christmas to all of my brothers in the Builders Tee Club!

As the years pass the friendships grow deeper and new ones are made almost every week. Our **Club** has a comrade like no other and it has been a pleasure serving as your Club Secretary for the 2024 calendar year. I tried to make the newsletter educational, informative and funny. Many of you took the time to approach me with your positive comments and I thank you. I hope you enjoyed my writing attempts.

I am proud to serve on this board and am very excited at the ideas and enhancements to come. Our **Club** is in very good hands and will only continue to get better. We realize that we cannot please everybody all the time (we are not prostitutes), however the one thing I ask of you as members is if you come to us with a complaint, please couple that complaint with a possible solution to be considered for a better alternative. We are all in this together and for the most part enjoy and look forward to the weekly proverbial 'ball busting'.

Together let's keep the fun and integrity of our **Club** going strong.

The members we lost this year will live forever within the legacy of our **Club**. I know this as a fact because as I pass members and overhear conversations they often reminisce and tell stories of them.

Also attached to the newsletter is the 2025 Annual Dues Notice and a fill-in notice can be accessed on our web site for changes and updates to member information. 2025 dues must be paid by January 31 to remain in good standing.

Happy December Birthdays

Greg Will (1), Gary Klonowski (3), Mike Loye (4), Bob Schaefer (6), Joe Eppolito (11), Daniel Grimes (12), Todd Johnson (14), Dan Heraty (16), Bob Kennedy (16), Mike Sutko (19), Nick Mady (21), Gene Banas (23), Jack Carter (23), Chuck Cahill (25), Bart Crosby (28), Dick Kerkstra (31), Joe Rymsza (31).

Final Parting Thought:

Suggested by Jeff Quilici

One day, Little Johnny was playing in the yard when he accidentally kicked a chicken.



His mother saw this and said, "Johnny, you kicked the chicken! No eggs for a month!"

Later, Johnny accidentally kicked a pig.



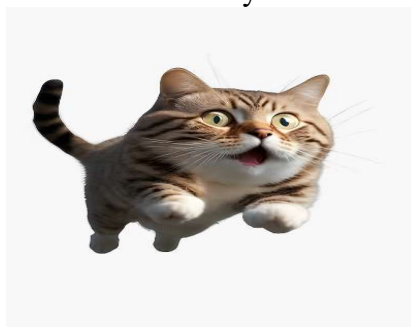
His mother saw this and said, "Johnny, you kicked the pig! No bacon for a month!"

Before supper he accidentally kicked a cow.



His mother saw this and said, "Johnny, you kicked the cow! No milk for a month!"

That evening, Johnny's father came home and accidentally kicked the cat and sent it flying across the kitchen.



Little Johnny looked at his mother and said, "Are you going to tell him, or should I?"

It's at this time I turn the reins over to your newly elected secretary **Dave Jenner**.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Lee J Kaz

GOLF NEWS

Please review this video from Anthony Serritella before responding to the survey in the link below.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q1ilZ0UASX8>

Golf Survey— (Please take the time and fill out – we respect your opinion and always look for ideas to improve our golf experiences).

Thank you to all that have responded to the golf survey. As of this writing, 60 people have responded with answers to the questions as well as some very insightful comments. If you haven't responded yet, please do so as soon as possible. We want to give people a little more time to respond before discussing survey results. There is one thing we want to make sure is clear to all. Some have commented about having to compete against those that are playing from a forward tee box (shorter distance). Keep in mind that with the new handicap system, your handicap will be affected not only by the difficulty of the golf course but also by the tee box you are playing from on any given day. If a golfer is playing from the forward tee his handicap will be multiple strokes lower than if he were playing back. If there is anything about the survey or the questions that you don't understand, please feel free to call either Anthony Serritella or Scott Lee. We will do our best to clear up any confusion that you may have. Also, if you have not received the survey email, text us your correct email address. Perhaps there was a typo or maybe we don't have your correct email.

Your New Golf Guys,

Scott Lee

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Anthony Serritella

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Please use the following link to complete a Survey regarding play next year.

[Link to Survey](#)

Tennis Report – Al Baldermann

We will play Tuesday, New Years Eve from **1pm to 3pm.**

Bowling News

"A" Division				Standings	"B" Division			
#	Builders Tee Club	W	L		#	Builders Tee Club	W	L
2	Beggars Pizza	40	9		4	Band of Brothers	30	19
10	Smokey's Bandits	34	15		11	Oak Forest Bowl	29	20
5	Traitors	27	22		7	Ascend Wealth Planning	24	25
1	Arena Lanes	25	24		3	Bright Metals	23	26
9	Tri-Star	20	29		8	Burr Oak Bowl	16	33
6	Creative Colors	19	30					

Lane Assignments						
Lanes	1 & 2	3 & 4	5 & 6	7 & 8	9 & 10	11 & 12
1/7/2025	5 vs. 7	4 vs. 12	2 vs. 10	1 vs. 9	6 vs. 8	3 vs. 11
1/14/2025	1 vs. 9	10 vs. 5	7 vs. 11	4 vs. 6	2 vs. 3	8 vs. 1

Builders Tee Club 2025 Annual Dues Notice

Dues for the Year January 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025

Make check payable to **BUILDERS TEE CLUB** in the amount of **\$200.00**

Senior Dues (25-year member & 65+ years of age)- \$120.00

Out of State (At least 10 months)- \$100.00

Ad Book- Help us pay for the roster book while promoting your business!

Ads will be printed in full color- you provide the artwork or an ad can be custom made for you.

½ page (2"x3")- **\$75.00** _____ - or Full Page (4"x6") - **\$125.00** _____

Back Inside Cover *- **\$150.00** _____ Back Cover * **\$175.00** _____ ****only one spot available***

Please email artwork/logos and ad information to amandagaretto@beggarspizza.com by March 1st

Additional Contribution- \$ _____ **(Fill in Amount)**

Insert check and mail NOW to Treasurer. Your canceled check will be your receipt. Due date is February 1st. Add the \$20 late fee if paid later. Payment by credit/debit card with a small convenience fee can be made at builderstee.com/applicant page.

***PLEASE INCLUDE CHANGES ONLY! (mark X if no changes __)**

Member Name (rqrd.): _____ Date of Birth: _____

Wife's Name: _____ Cell: _____

Home Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____

Business Type: _____

Business Name: _____

THANK YOU FOR PRINTING CLEARLY!

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(Treasurer)

Opponents in golf matches may need to get in touch with you so please make sure to include your cell phone number.