



**Gentlemen of the BTC**

**July 24, 2025**

Well, it was a beautiful day for golf at Green Gardens Blue. A little warm, but not bad at all other than my golf game. The club championship began. There were a lot of very good matches, and here are our winners: **B. Kennedy, F. Kossman, F. Furman, K. Kennedy, R. Elliot, Tommy O, B. Miller, T. Alexander, A. Serritella, J. Quilici, T. Schlessner, R. Bruno, R. Kogut, C. Rob, B. Vizdal, R. Bazan, R. Schroeder, R. Stewart, R. Samoska, D. Tomkins, C. Schwenn, Botwinski, J. Bondi, P. Lambros, D. Raymond, G. Ward, L. Swintek, J. Van Eck, G. Banas, D. Samoska, P. Kleinpaste, L. Kaz, M. Breier, Waldo, and D. Bay.** Congrats to all.

There were some great scores out there on a course I found tough. **T. Schlessner 78, B. Kennedy 79, Rob Elliot 80, T. Alexander 81, F. Kossman 82, Scott Lee 83, Frank Furman 85, Corey Rob 85, and P. Schlessner 85.**

Good handicap scores as well. **D. Samoska 86/64, G. Banas 90/69, K. Poteracki 92/70, R. Samoska 86/70, K. Bewley 87/71, Ray Bruno 89/71, G. Lewis 90/71, Voutiritsas 88/71, R. Bazan 89/72, D. Raymond 90/72 and C. Schwenn 90/72.**

The Ageless Wonder Club had some scores also. **R. Abramowicz 95/76, Bob Long 100/74, Jim Musser 100/79, and my idol Gar Ward 92/71.**

Well, as I said, there were some good matches out there but the only ones I have details on is my match against Tony Alexander and Gary Foster against Kevin Kennedy. Gary just couldn't make many pars. Kevin had a few bad holes, but other than that, he was pretty solid. As for me and Tony, I started out with two double bogeys to give him the lead. Got it even by 9 but couldn't make but one par on the back. 3-putted four holes all day. That's what killed me. The greens were slow, but I knew that after the first hole so that's no excuse. The course was, I thought, in very good shape. Again, congrats to all the winners.

Well, next week, we move on to Silver Lake South, a course I know very well, but I won't bore you with the details I never follow anyways. Just do well on the par 3's and you will do alright.

Italian Day is coming on 8-19-25 at Glenwoodie. If you're interested, sign the sheet, or let Rich Schroeder or one of the officers know.

Your secretary,  
DJ

P.S. I am going to shoot a good round on a Tuesday before this season is over. Just don't ask me how, when or where!!!

### **July Birthdays:**

**John Schiera (4), Vince Annel (6), William Janda (8), Jim Musser (9), Rob Elliott (10), Terry Jesk (12), Rich Schroeder (14), Al Baldermann (19), John Gagnon (20), Mike Kampfert (21), Vince Oliva (21), Jeff Dinga (23), Dan Raymond (27), Dave Jenner (31)**

## GOLF NEWS

From the Golf Desk:

**Club Championship:** The Club Championship got off to a great start. We were able to get 34 of 40 first round matches completed on Tuesday. If you had seen the breakdown of the Club Champ divisions that I sent out, you would have seen just how evenly the divisions were divided, and the match results further illustrated that fact. Almost all of the matches came down to the final holes before they were settled. Hopefully all future rounds will be just as competitive. The brackets have been updated and are attached to this week's newsletter. If you did not play your match, contact your opponent and make arrangements to get your match completed. Pass that information along to Anthony or Scott.

**2-Man Tournament:** We have a couple semi-final matches that still need to be settled before we get to the Final rounds scheduled for August 5<sup>th</sup>. If you haven't played your semi-final match yet, contact your opponents and try to get those matches completed at Silver Lake on the 29<sup>th</sup>. If you are going to play that match at Silver Lake, call the hotline (708-888-1355) ASAP to notify us so we can get it on the tee sheet.

**Green Garden Daily Game:** The daily game results are attached. The results always show the net scores of all that were in the Daily Game. Some guys have requested that all scores be published. From this point forward, if you scroll down to the last page of the Daily Game results you will see an alphabetical list of the net and gross scores of all members that played that week whether they were in the Daily Game or not.

Check out the attached Silver Lake sign-up sheet. If you want to play Tuesday and your name is not checked off, call the hotline (708-888-1355) ASAP.

Also attached to this newsletter you will find the updated indexes and the handicaps for Silver Lake.

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

Your 2025 Golf Guys,

Scott Lee (312) 340-4171

Anthony Serritella (630) 430-5742

## ITALIAN DAY INFO

**Italian Day is August 19, 2025, 10 AM SHOTGUN START** at Glenwoodie. The price is \$110 & tickets go on sale 7/15/25 (after golf each week, or online at (<https://builderstee.com/applicant.html>)). Early paid signups receive a bonus gift at the check-in table. For those that cannot make golf, the dinner-only price is \$25.00.

There is raffle included with the ticket price for such items like restaurant or services gift cards, golf foursomes, and such. A second raffle will also be held, with more upscale prizes. We need prizes for the 2<sup>nd</sup> raffle such as sports memorabilia, golf clubs, putters, drivers, etc. and any other appropriate items for our Club members you may have and would like to donate or re-gift (please no ugly sweaters)

Please consider sponsoring a hole (\$100) or the keg of beer (\$200). Your name or business will be prominently displayed on a tee box and also mentioned in the handouts the day of the event.

Contact Bob Kennedy (708.712.7400) with these donations and sponsorships.

Volunteers for setup & registration, and/or during & after golf, are asked to contact Rich Schroeder (708-878-3913-phone or text).

## 2025 GOLF SCHEDULE

(subject to change)

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

**ITALIAN DAY**  
**AUGUST 19, 2025, 10:00 SHOTGUN**

FEATURING: Deluxe Golf Prizes & Favors  
SHAMBLE format-3 tee shots from each player  
Individual score with Peoria handicap  
Long & "Accurate" drive contests  
Beat-The-Pro contest on hole 12

Every Par 3 HOLE: Proxy Event (A deal you can't refuse) CTP &  
Win a car or other prizes from (???)

AT THE TURN: Pizza slices at the turn sponsored by Larry Garetto

AFTER GOLF: Buffet dinner served by Glenwoodie  
Raffles for all participants

**MAMA MIA!**

**GLENWOODIE GOLF COURSE**

193<sup>rd</sup> & State St.  
Glenwood, IL 60425  
(708) 758-1212

**MEMBERS & GUESTS INVITED (limit of 144 players)**

**AT THE LOW PRICE OF \$110 PER PERSON FOR ALL THIS FUN!**

**TO RESERVE YOUR SLOT, SEND a TEXT to Rich @ 708-878-3913,  
Or email ([BuildersTeeGolf@gmail.com](mailto:BuildersTeeGolf@gmail.com))**

Phone reservations held for 7 days only. **ADVANCE PAYMENT REQUIRED. DEADLINE TO SIGNUP & PAY  
IS August 12, 2025**

Mail payment by August 9, 2025-Tickets can be picked-up from Rich after golf each Tuesday thru August 12th or  
at the event.

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| PLAYER'S NAME | (M)ember<br>or(G)uest | MEMBER PHONE # |
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Groups less than 4 will be filled-in. A member SHOULD play in each group to keep up the pace of play. Give to Rich Schroeder, or mail to: B.T.C., 5228 Central Ave, Western Springs, IL 60558 or **Send by fax (708-246-5696)** or scan and attach to an email, and pay after next Tuesday's golf or Online at [Builderstee.com/applicant](http://Builderstee.com/applicant) page. **Tickets go on sale 7/15/25.**