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*The U.S. Amateur
at Olympia Fields*

**DeChambeau's
grand march**

The Buzz

LPGA falls hard for Chicago

Once upon a time, which is to say most of the summers in the last 50-plus years, watching championship golf in Chicago has meant watching the men. A string of Western Opens that was seemingly unending dominated the scene, punctuated by the occasional U.S. Open or PGA Championship.

It's different these days, with the Western Open renamed the BMW Championship and the sponsor, eager to sell cars in sundry ZIP codes, arm-twisting the WGA to move the old tournament around the country. Denver last year, Indianapolis next year, Philadelphia – not exactly western on any map – in 2018.

The ladies are coming to the rescue. Beginning next year, the LPGA will play for major individual or team titles in the Chicago area for three straight years.

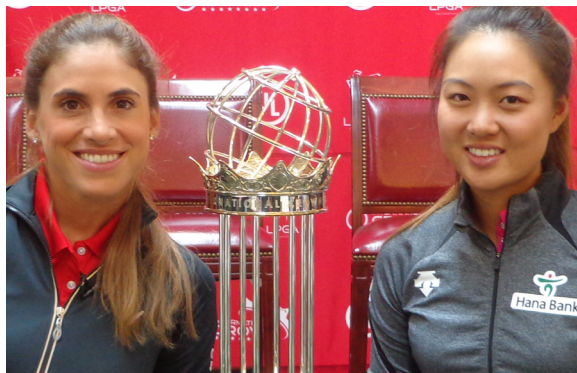
The 2016 International Crown, the creation of **Jer-ry Rich**, will be played at his **Rich Harvest Farms** in bucolic Sugar Grove.

The 2017 Women's PGA Championship – the renamed LPGA Championship, run by the PGA of America – will tee it up at **Olympia Fields Country Club**.

The 2018 Women's PGA will go 60 miles north and visit **Kemper Lakes Golf Club** in Hawthorn Woods. It hosted the 1989 PGA won by Payne Stewart.

And it wouldn't be a complete surprise to see the Crown, or something equally interesting, at Rich Harvest in 2020. Rich has all sorts of ideas, and, even better, the LPGA's ear.

That's three appearances in as many years for



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CROWNING GLORY Spain's Belen Muzo (left) and Australia's Minjee Lee crowd the International Crown trophy at Rich Harvest Farms.

the revitalized LPGA circuit, and perhaps four in five years, a great boost from the sporadic nature of the tour's visits in years past. There was the occasional U.S. Women's Open, and no regular LPGA tournament was able to gain traction – or keep a sponsor.

This is great news. And at least in the case of Olympia Fields, it may mean a PGA Championship down the line. Say, 2025.

None of this would probably have happened had not Rich won his campaign to host the 2009 Solheim Cup, which attracted 30,000 fans a day to his course. No women's tournament in Chicago had attracted that many for a week.

So, kudos to Rich. A feast of golf is coming.

ON THE COVER U.S. Amateur champion Bryson DeChambeau smacks an approach during the championship match at Olympia Fields. / Tim Cronin / Illinois Golfer.

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The Grill Room by Tim Cronin

U.S. Amateur was played with a man missing

Dawson Alexander should have been at Olympia Fields. He wasn't. That's because winning the Western Amateur means nothing to the United States Golf Association.

That's a mistake.

It should mean as much as winning the Mexican Amateur, or the Canadian Amateur.

The winners of those fine tournaments get a free pass to the United States Amateur. Fine.

But the champion of second-oldest amateur affair in the U.S. of A., one just four years younger than the U.S. Amateur?

No dice.

Alexander's victory in the Western Amateur at Rich Harvest Farms was as impressive as Bryson DeChambeau's in the U.S. Amateur at Olympia Fields.

Perhaps more so, considering DeChambeau was in the field at Rich Harvest. And missed the Sweet Sixteen for match play.

The Western Am is the most grueling tournament in golf. The winner and runner-up play eight rounds in five days, with the last six rounds – the final four match play – in the last three.

Conversely, the U.S. Amateur finalists play nine rounds, more or less, across seven days. The only double round days are the Thursday of match play, when the field is trimmed from 32 players to eight, and Sunday, the 36-hole final.

It can be said that there's more on the line in the U.S. Amateur thanks to the USGA's cozy



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OUTSIDE, LOOKING IN Dawson Armstrong didn't qualify for the U.S. Amateur, nor get rewarded for his achievement.

connections with the R&A and Augusta National. The semifinal winners in the U.S. Am get berths in the following year's Masters Tournament – and a free stay in the Crow's Nest – and in the U.S. Open, provided they're still amateurs. The winner is exempted into the British Open.

That's nifty. But the Western Amateur field is by invitation only. Armstrong was invited and rumbled through the field, winning the George Thorne Trophy. Among those he beat in head-to-head play: Jordan Niebrugge, the low amateur in the British Open.

The USGA invited Paul Dunne, the second-low amateur from the British Open, to Olympia Fields, but not the guy who beat the low amateur.

Go figure.

In the modern era, the USGA has never exempted the Western Amateur winner. Justin Leonard can tell you about a harrowing 1992 ride from Point O Woods in Benton Harbor to O'Hare to catch the last plane to Dallas and a midnight flight in order to tee it up in U.S. Amateur qualifying the next day.

He qualified, and won the U.S. Amateur.

A dozen players have won the Western Amateur and U.S. Amateur in the same year. Along with Leonard, those doubling up include Jack Nicklaus, Lanny Wadkins, Tiger Woods and, most recently, Danny Lee.

Slouches do not win the Western Am. The USGA ought to recognize that, and strengthen the 312-man field for its big amateur party.

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115TH U.S. AMATEUR DeChambeau dominates

Quirky physics major from Southern Methodist fifth to win Havemeyer Trophy, NCAA crown in same year

BY TIM CRONIN

REPORTING FROM OLYMPIA FIELDS

Like his hero Ben Hogan did decades ago, Bryson DeChambeau tests his golf balls for imperfections in Epsom salts before committing them to tournament play.

About two-thirds pass muster. The rest are tossed into the practice pile.

Unlike Hogan, DeChambeau is chatty and charming, willing to explain at length the quirky nature of his golf game, which includes irons of similar length and weight and an involved putting alignment that works more often than not.

Everything worked nearly to perfection on August 23 at Olympia Fields Country Club, where the 21-year-old DeChambeau rallied from a two-hole deficit to score a dominating 7 and 6 victory over Derek Bard to win the 115th United States Amateur.

Bard knew exactly what hit him.

"I didn't make anything and he made all the

putts he had to," Bard said.

That was especially true on the opening nine in the afternoon – after DeChambeau's opening detour to the left on the North Course, nearly onto the railroad tracks leading downtown. Somehow, his TaylorMade ball – perfectly balanced – was found after he snap-hooked his drive on the first tee. He scrambled to a bogey, Bard winning the hole with a par to move to 1 down.

Bard, the Virginia senior from New Hartford, N.Y., had been 3 down after 17 holes, but won the 18th with a bogey when DeChambeau played the hole even more erratically, leading to a double.

Momentum seemed to be draining away from the world's seventh-ranked amateur, the NCAA individual champion, and the favorite at day-break.

Tell that to DeChambeau, who found God last year at Beverly Country Club.

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PRECIOUS PRIZE The Havemeyer Trophy.



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BRIDGE TO GREATNESS Bryson DeChambeau and his caddie were followed by one and all in the championship match at Olympia Fields.

“Put the petal to the medal,” he told himself. “Hit shots close and let’s play Bryson golf. That’s what I did.”

Some day, it will surely be BrysonGolf™, complete with special clubs cut to 6-iron length and a television ad campaign. In the championship match, on a North Course that took nearly a half-inch of rain during a pair of morning downpours, one with lightning that stopped play for 53 minutes, Bryson golf meant a barrage of birdies, same as the rest of the week.

He birdied the second, third and fourth holes in the afternoon. His approach on the third was so close – gimme range – Bard conceded the putt after missing his par putt. The rout was on.

DeChambeau would win seven holes in a nine-hole stretch on what’s usually Olympia’s treacherous back nine to guarantee possession of the Havemeyer Trophy for the next year.

And, thanks to his annexing the NCAA individual championship in June, the rarely-scored

double of both in a calendar year. Only Jack Nicklaus (1961), Phil Mickelson (1990), Tiger Woods (1996) and Ryan Moore (2004) had done so previously. Three of those four have glittering professional records, and Moore hasn’t done badly himself.

“I can’t believe what I just did,” DeChambeau said. “I’m in golf history. I don’t understand it yet. It’s an honor to be in that field.”

DeChambeau’s 20-under reading for the North Course across 103 holes of match play was outstanding. The course, while it never played longer than 7,110 yards in match play, had deeper rough than for the 2003 U.S. Open, and thanks to early-week rains, it was thick. With the greens running nearly 13 feet on the Stimpmeter – 12 feet 11 inches, to be precise – the rest of the field had difficult coping with it. DeChambeau, an occasional miscue aside, thrived on the slick surfaces, wowing the gallery of about 600 spectators.

He had opened the final with birdies on the

first two holes, a pair of punches that Bard weathered and answered with birdies of his own on the fifth and sixth holes.

Bard would not birdie again. DeChambeau would make seven more, including a chip-in from behind the eighth green that earned a fist bump from Greg Norman, and edge the cup several other times.

The killer stroke was DeChambeau’s 20-foot par-saving putt on the 25th hole, the seventh in the afternoon, and usually the 16th for member play. He and Bard were bunkered off the tee, and after Bard’s bunker shot to 18 inches led to a conceded par, DeChambeau went through his unique lining up of the putt. Center cut to remain 5 up, and right into Bard’s heart.

“That had to hurt him a little bit,” DeChambeau said. “He was thinking he was going to win the hole, I’m sure, but knocking that putt in to halve and win the next few was huge. I could just see it in him. He was deflated and didn’t have the



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THE FINALISTS Derek Bard (left) didn't make a birdie after the sixth hole; Bryson DeChambeau went on an afternoon tear, including this critical par putt on the seventh. same step he had before."

DeChambeau had sunk a 6-footer for birdie after what he called "an incredible par" by Bard on the par-5 sixth, and followed the 20-foot halve on the seventh with a 15-foot birdie on the eighth.

"I just made everything," DeChambeau said.

He has the trophy to prove it.

The semifinals ended up with DeChambeau dusting Sean Crocker, 4 and 3, in the feature match, and Bard knocking off Kenta Konishi of Tokyo, 3 and 2, in the other semifinal. Konishi, a senior at Tohoku Fukushi University in Sendai City, Japan, was ranked 632nd coming into Olympia Fields. (Bard was 51st, Crocker 64th.)

DeChambeau was so much the favorite that even Bard, 20, agreed.

"I'm the underdog," Bard said. "Bryson has

had an incredible career so far. It's going to be tough, it really is. I told my dad, 'I'm going to have to play my best golf to have a chance.'"

He did not, and DeChambeau did, but the champion learned over the course of the week he didn't have to play his absolute best to win.

"It'll be a fun battle," DeChambeau said on Saturday afternoon. "If I can stay in the moment, I'll be all right."

DeChambeau never trailed Crocker, a Southern California sophomore from Westlake Village, Calif., winning the second hole with a birdie and never standing worse than all square. Crocker bogeyed the eighth and ninth, which DeChambeau parred to stand 2 up at the turn.

Crocker cut his deficit to 1 down with a birdie on the par-4 11th, but DeChambeau won the next

three holes, with birdies on the 12th and 14th to go with Crocker's double-bogey on the 13th. The 4 and 3 margin was set when Crocker failed to bogey the 15th hole.

"Nos. 8 and 9 swung the momentum my way," DeChambeau said. "I wasn't going to let down, and I think it got to him. At 13 he hit a bad tee shot; at 14, he hit a bad tee shot and that was the match."

Bard's victory over Konishi was less dramatic than DeChambeau's. Bard birdied the first hole and barely looked back. He was 2 up at the turn, and while Konishi squared the match by combining his own birdie on the 10th with Byrd's double on the 11th, Konishi bogeyed the 12th and Bard was ahead to stay.

"The key hole was the 12th," Bard figured.



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GOOD MATCH Todd Mitchell said he wouldn't have entered this year's U.S. Amateur but for it being played at Olympia Fields. He advanced to the Round of 16.

"He plugged his second shot in the lip of the bunker, and I was pin-high 15 feet away."

The semis tabbed Bard and DeChambeau as likely participants in next year's Masters. Finalists are traditionally invited to Augusta National.

"It's been my dream since I was a little kid to play in the Masters as a professional," Bard said. "I didn't think I'd be doing that at age 20."

DeChambeau also featured in the heavy-weight matchup of the quarterfinals, a 3 and 2 victory over Ireland's Paul Dunne, who scrambled well, but not well enough to win despite sinking a couple of 30-footers to keep the match going, plus a downhill 18-footer from the back of the third green to remain all square early on.

"My swing wasn't there," Dunne said. "I'm disappointed I didn't put a little bit of pressure on him. I was just trying to hang in."

DeChambeau's brace of birdies on the sixth and seventh holes moved him 2 up, and while he lost the ninth with a bogey, it was his only miscue of the day. He never gave Dunne an opening.

"I didn't make very many mistakes out there today," DeChambeau said. "He's an incredible player; didn't have his A game."

Crocker, a sophomore at Southern California, scored a 2 up quarterfinal victory over Austin James of Ontario, Crocker hit only four of the North Course's 14 fairways, rallying after a 2-down deficit at the turn.

"I went to the bathroom, washed my face a little bit, took a breath and stepped on the tee thinking I was all-square with him and had to go from there," Crocker said.

He won the 10th hole with a birdie, the 12th with a par to square the match, the 16th with a par to go 1 up, and finally birdied the last from 35 feet for his 2 up margin.



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KNOCKED OUT Alex Burge (left) and David Cooke, with older brother Jay on his bag, were bounced from the field in the Round of 32.

Bard was something of a giant killer in the early rounds. He bumped off fifth-ranked Hunter Stewart, and then top-ranked amateur Jon Rahm-Rodriguez, a senior at Arizona State.

Rahm-Rodriguez was 3 up through 10 holes, but Bard birdied the 11th and 12th holes to cut the margin to 1 hole, squared the affair when Rahm-Rodriguez bogeyed the par-4 16th, and took the lead with a bogey 4 to a double-bogey 5 on the 256-yard par-3 16th. A par at the last sealed it.

“He had me early; just kind of grinded away at him,” Bard said. “Three-down, eight to go, it’s not a good position to be in. I just tried to keep it as simple as possible.”

A wedge close to the pin on the 11th set up the first birdie, and the momentum began to shift.

“I kept a positive outlook, stayed patient, and it fell my way,” Bard said.

With one exception, the 12-strong Illinois contingent made it no farther than the Round of 32, the second of the six match-play rounds. The young and old Bloomington duo of Alex Burge, the fifth-year senior at Illinois, and 37-year-old insurance executive Todd Mitchell, and Illinois Open winner David Cooke, who prepped in Bloomington, now calls Lisle home, and a senior at North Carolina State, were the three advancing that far.

Mitchell went one step more, but was eliminated by Matthew Perrine of Austin, Tex.

Mitchell chuckled when he asked if he’d thought of playing golf for money, as in, on the PGA Tour.

“I spend money to play golf,” Mitchell said, grinning.

At 37, Mitchell was the oldest player in the

Sweet Sixteen, and the last Illinoisan standing.

Given everything, including the site, Mitchell considered his run in the Am a success, even though he was bounced, 4 and 3, by Perrine in a windblown match where the only birdie was Mitchell’s, on the first hole.

That lead was short-lived, but Mitchell’s experience will stay with him.

“Making it to the Sweet Sixteen here at Olympia, it being so close (to Bloomington), it’s really the perfect place for it to happen,” Mitchell said. “I don’t really know how it happened. I’m disappointed with the way it finished; I didn’t give him a match at all. He just kinda had to stay out of his own way. I was unable to bring anything to the table.

“That said, I’m extremely proud of where I stand and where I finished. It’s a big accomplish-

ment to do that.”

Mitchell said the only reason he tried to qualify for this year's U.S. Am was because it was at Olympia Fields. He saw it under every condition: wet, dry, windy, and calm.

Thursday's wind blew out of the west at 22 mph much of the day, with gusts to 31 mph. More than one player eyed the starched-out flags atop the clubhouse's famous clock tower with disdain before picking a club on holes coming in.

“The wind blew the entire time (Thursday),” Mitchell said. “These golf courses are hard for the best players in the world when you have not much wind, and then you have something like this, it makes it even more difficult. To have five mid-amateurs make the cut and then be the last man standing, it means a lot.”

Mitchell had beaten Ryan Ruffels of Australia, 3 and 2, in the Round of 32 in the morning. But his game all but left him at lunchtime. Mitchell bogeyed six straight holes, double-bogeyed the ninth, and was lucky to be 3 down at the turn.

Perrine had two bogeys on those holes and doubled the ninth, blaming the wind.

“There were a lot of holes where you feel it's dead into the wind, then we'd get up there and hit our tee balls, and they'd go straight for 100 yards and all of a sudden, just veer off,” Perrine said. “We both got into some sticky situations a number of times.”

Perrine was better able to come away with a par save when needed. His par on the par-4 14th moved him 4-up, and while Mitchell won the next hole with a bogey when Perrine four-putted, Mitchell's bogey on the 15th ended the match. Perrine was 7-over, Mitchell 11-over, with the usual concessions.

The three other survivors with Illinois con-

nections – including Belgium's Thomas Detry, a key member of the Fighting Illini squad – fell in the morning round of 32. Detry fell to Japan's Kenta Konishi on the 19th hole, Konishi making a five-foot birdie putt to close out the match.

Burge, Detry's Illinois teammate and CDGA Amateur winner, dropped a 2 up decision to Kyle Mueller of Watkinsville, Ga. Mueller, who knocked off medalist Brett Coletta in the first round, rolled in a 60-foot putt with six feet of break on the 18th hole to seal the victory. That's the same green – usually the ninth in member play – that Jerry Barber made a similar putt on to force a playoff with Don January in the 1961 PGA Championship.

“That putt that kid just made!” Burge said. “But hey, I had my chances and couldn't get them to go. It's done.”

Detry and Burge will be back at Olympia Fields later this month for the Illini Invitational.

“My confidence is good; I feel my game has taken a turn and mentally I have, which is the biggest thing,” Burge said. “It's nice to know you don't have to play incredible. Just solid golf will take care of a lot of things.”

Finally, Cooke dropped his morning match to David Oraee, 2 up.

That meant the end of the summer golf season for the Illinois Open winner, and the start of his senior year at North Carolina State.

“I definitely had some positives this summer, had some confidence-building events,” Cooke said. “Being able to hang with guys out here and winning the Illinois Open makes me believe I'm doing the right thing. It kinda motivated me to turn pro after my college career.

“It was a good tournament. I played well for three days and got some good experience out



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IN HAND Bryson DeChambeau gets possession of the Havemeyer Trophy for one year.

here. I played some good holes out there, and I definitely played some bad ones,” Cooke said. “It was a good match.”

Mitchell beat Chase Koepka, brother of PGA Tour regular Brooks Koepka, 1 up in the openin-ground. Mitchell was 3 up with six holes to play, saw Koepka rally to square the match on the 17th holes, then got up and down for par at the last to advance to the second round.

“It was kind of a battle of who can make the least mistakes,” Mitchell said.

DeChambeau won that fight all week.

THE IG INTERVIEW: TOM O'TOOLE

“We’d hope we’ll have many invitations”

USGA president Tom O'Toole of St. Louis sat down with ILLINOIS GOLFER publisher Tim Cronin and GolfersOnGolf.com writer Rory Spears during the U.S. Amateur. Here are highlights from the interview, which began with site selection. First the first time in years, no USGA championship is scheduled for the Chicago area.

Q. *Is it tougher today getting invitations from clubs for smaller events, beyond the U.S. Open?*

A. I chaired the Championship Committee for four years during the (economic) downturn, and I would tell you we did not have the plethora of site invitations that we had had historically. But we've certainly seen a rebound of that.

We're fortunate that our national championships are coveted, and we have a lot of great clubs in this country that would like to participate or host a championship. There was a little bit of a blip from 2008 to maybe '11 or '12, but we're very fortunate. We get fabulous invitations.

Q. *Has any club from the Chicago area invited you lately? There's nothing on the calendar now.*

A. Because I moved out of the Championship Committee chair a couple of years ago, I don't keep the close tab on it I have in the past. I don't think anything comes to recollection. But it's a constant moving needle. As great a golf as there is in Chicago, I'm sure there's interest from some clubs to host championships.

While our practice has never been to solicit – during the downturn, we may have tried to be

a little more pro-active just to make it known we were open to invitations – I don't think the USGA ever wants to get into the situation where we're knocking on doors for championship sites.

Q. *No classified ad in GolfWeek?*

A. Hopefully, we don't get to that. But, that said, pass the information along to this community that we would always welcome coming to Chicago. We've had such wonderful history here. It's one of the great golfing cities in the U.S. and we'd hope we'll have many invitations from the wonderful plethora of clubs that are in the Chicago area.

We get all invitations into one place now, the Future Amateur Sites Committee. (There is also a Future Open Sites Committee.) We used to have subcommittees for each championship. We'd have a vote of clubs against clubs, and if a club didn't get a championship, they kind of went away.

Those invitation letters usually start out as letters of interest now. It's so much better a process. We don't a club that maybe had gone down the road for a U.S. Mid-Amateur, were not fortunate enough to get it, and then were off to the abyss.

We don't pit clubs against each other and have



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ON THE JOB USGA president Tom O'Toole introducing players on Olympia Fields' first tee.

vote-offs any more. That was always an awkward thing, I thought. In the U.S. Open, we try to move the chess pieces around the board. We try to do it with a broader view now.

Q. *Through Erin Hills (Wis.) in 2017, there will only be six U.S. Opens in the Midwest in a 33-year window. Is there an easy answer to how that happens?*

A. You know what the production of the U.S. Open has evolved to in that time, and it's caused the number of clubs that might issue invitations to have shrunk. Think of the wonderful golf here in Chicago, just gems, but they couldn't handle the

production of the U.S. Open.

There seems to be a shortage of courses in the Midwest that could handle that production. We continue to look at sites and get creative. Erin Hills obviously got in the mix. We had the 2011 U.S. Amateur there, a great test of golf there, and a lot of capabilities operationally. Our team, led by Mike Butz and Reg Jones, who handle the outside-the-ropes matter, continues to go to clubs frequently to see if our outside-the-box thinking, like we had at Merion, means there are other clubs like that that could raise their hand.

I'm a Midwest guy, right? Of course I'd like the U.S. Open to go to the Midwest. Geographics are not the only criteria which to take the U.S. Open, but we'd always look to explore sites in the Midwest.

Q. We know how long the big hitters hit it these days. Should there be bifurcation?

A. Our position about this is long-standing, and I'm certainly a proponent of it. The charm of golf is that we're playing by the same set of rules, playing and equipment, here at the Amateur, on the PGA Tour, and the round of golf I played this morning at Chicago Golf Club.

That's our romantic attachment to the sport, and there isn't any point of view that departs from that within the USGA. We think that's the game we want to preserve and protect, and I'm hopeful that point of view will prevail for a long time.

Q. How would you assess the broadcast deal with Fox so far?

A. I don't think we could be any happier with our broadcast arrangement. First, if you watch the effort they put in, and the manpower they exhibited in our three Open championships, this is a priority of theirs.

We knew when we got into this arrangement,

The Last Time		
Most recent playings of USGA championships in the Chicago area		
Year	Championship	Host
2015	U.S. Amateur	Olympia Fields
2012	U.S. Mid-Amateur	Conway Farms
2011	U.S. Girls Junior Amateur	Olympia Fields
2009	U.S. Senior Amateur	Beverly
2007	U.S. Public Links*	Cantigny Golf
2005	Walker Cup	Chicago Golf
2003	U.S. Open	Olympia Fields
2001	U.S. Women's Public Links*	Kemper Lakes
2000	U.S. Women's Open	Merit Club
1997	U.S. Senior Open	Olympia Fields
1992	U.S. Women's Amateur	Kemper Lakes
1988	U.S. Junior Amateur	Conway Farms
1965	U.S. Senior Women's Amateur	Exmoor
----	U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur	no visit
----	U.S. Men's Four-Ball	no visit
----	U.S. Women's Four-Ball	no visit
----	Curtis Cup	no visit
----	U.S. Men's State Team	no visit
----	U.S. Women's State Team	no visit
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they would push the envelope innovatively, like they have in other sports, and cause all our spectators and viewers to have a different and hopefully enhanced experience. I think that's what you saw at Chambers Bay.

We knew there would be some learning curve. I've gone back and watched all the broadcasts, and actually thought the final day was fabulous. Not a lot of talk. Let's watch golf shots. The excitement, the theater, the drama that went into Sunday at the U.S. Open, I thought they did fabulous.

And they continue to get better. They're coming more into their own.

Q. Can you sum up your stint as president?

A. It's a privilege of a lifetime. I'm humbled and honored to have had this opportunity. The best in my mind is the chance to work with a talented and wonderful staff led by Mike (Davis) and others. Then to work with an executive committee that's unbelievably successful and talented.

We've had a great group, great interaction the last two years.

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Unknown entering Rich Harvest makes himself known with memorable finish

BY TIM CRONIN

REPORTING FROM SUGAR GROVE

Dawson Armstrong has this penchant for the dramatic.

He'll hole a long putt, or sink a long chip shot, and like that, the match he's playing will turn around.

He did so several times in the 113th Western Amateur on August 8 at Rich Harvest Farms.

The first time, it brought Armstrong the momentum in his semifinal match against Robby Shelton.

The last time, it won Armstrong the championship. The 19-year-old from Brentwood, Tenn., a sophomore at Lipscomb University, holed out a 50-foot bunker shot on the second extra hole for an eagle 3 and victory over 19-year-old Aaron Wise of Lake Elsinore, Calif.

"My actual first thought when it went in? The pain in my stomach went away," Armstrong said. "My stomach started cramping up on me as soon as we finished the first hole. I did not feel good."

Armstrong won the first sudden-death championship since Ryan Moore's 19-hole triumph over James Nitties in 2004. But nobody in the 117-year



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SALUTE! Dawson Armstrong acknowledges the gallery after his stunning bunker shot that beat Aaron Wise (rear), being consoled by Dawson's father Dale, in the Western Amateur's championship match.

history of the Western Golf Association had won any WGA title as dramatically as Armstrong. His sand wedge from the deep bunker fronting the second green hopped twice and, with a gallery of about 100 watching at 5:15 p.m., dove into the cup.

"I ran up about two feet, and it hit the pin and dropped in," Armstrong said. "When we got up there, my dad told me, 'You've had a lot of great shots, but nothing's gone in.' I was, 'All right, let's try to knock this in.' I knew he was going to birdie it.

"I was trying to land it just over the ridge and trickle it down. It was going to have to be a lucky shot, and it was extremely lucky."

Fittingly, the second hole at Rich Harvest Farms is called "Chance."

"That was an incredible shot," Wise said. "Not much I could do about that."

Wise, who had reached the green of the 552-yard par-5 in two, still had a 25-foot downhill putt to force a third extra hole. He ran it by, and Armstrong was the champion.

"I'd missed a couple of putts low coming in, so I played a little more break on that one, and unfortunately it stayed out," Wise said.

Armstrong led only twice in the match earlier, and for only a hole in each case. He was 1 up after seven and nine holes, but Wise squared the match on the next hole each time, a brace of birdies moving up 1 up after 13 holes. Armstrong squared the match with a birdie on the 14th, and made a remarkable save from the junk to the left of the par-3 16th.

"It was the perfect shot for that moment," Armstrong said.

Wise's par save on the par-4 17th gave him the lead going to the last when Armstrong made one of his few mistakes, a putt through the fringe that

never got anywhere. But his 90-foot up-and-down birdie on the par-5 18th, coupled with Wise three-putting from the back fringe after a bold approach, forced extra holes.

"As I was walking up, I felt I had a chance, because my lag putting was real good this week," Armstrong said. "I'd had a putt earlier on No. 6 that almost went in from 20 feet off the green."

This cross-country putt stopped four feet below the hole. Wise, faced with a putt that would go uphill, then fall toward the hole, left the first putt 10 feet short, then tapped his next one, which would have won the match by halving the hole, two feet by.

"It was a touchy putt for a time like that," Armstrong said of Wise's putt from the fringe.

Armstrong's penchant from great shots every other hole started on the 14th, when his approach stopped five feet from the cup, setting up a birdie to square the match.

Armstrong's father Dale was on his bag for the four match-play rounds. He hadn't caddied for him since he was a 14-year-old, before he was playing in AJGA competition. And there are no caddies in college tournaments.

"I'm hoping he'll never forget that moment, because I won't," Armstrong said.

"My attitude was, he's the boss," Dale Armstrong said. "I'm going to do what every caddie does: 'Show up, keep up and shut up.'"

"I hated that (Wise) lost it on the 18th. He gave Dawson a chance. We were thankful for the opportunity. Dawson's attitude the whole week was, 'Let's have fun and then we'll play good golf.' He stayed with it.

"He's got a great short game; always has," the proud father continued. "He's got great hands. To get the ball up-and-down on 16 out of the hazard,



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WISE VIEW Aaron Wise took Armstrong to the 20th green in the final before falling.

and then to have that putt (on 18) and then to hole it? Three out of five holes, he hit great short game shots. But it doesn't surprise me. It happens to him



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NEW FOLLOW-THROUGH Jordan Niebrugge didn't like the result on the 12th tee in his quarterfinal match.

all the time. I don't know where it comes from, but it shows up."

Armstrong, who called Rich Harvest "perfect, a dream of a golf course," beat Shelton 2 and 1 in the morning semifinal, an outcome keyed by his chip-in birdie 2 on the par-3 13th. It was the middle of three straight holes he won to break open the all-square match.

Wise advanced to the championship match by rolling over fellow Californian Jake Knapp 4 and 2. Wise, entering his sophomore year at Oregon, built a 5-up lead after eight holes thanks to five birdies, and coasted from there.

"Right now, it's hard to say, but I'm sure, reflecting back in the next couple of days, I'll learn a lot," said Wise, who, unlike Armstrong, advanced to the U.S. Amateur. So was Bryson DeChambeau, who missed the Western's Sweet Sixteen but rebounded to win at Olympia Fields Country Club.

"I really hadn't played any match play at the top amateur level," Wise said. "My goal was to make the match play this week, and I exceeded the goal; I almost got it done."

Armstrong's run as a giant killer began in Friday's quarterfinal match with 2013 Western Am champion Jordan Niebrugge, even better known for being the low amateur in the British Open.

He had knocked off Harrison Endycott, an Australian, 5 and 4 in the morning round of 16. In the afternoon he took down Niebrugge.

That 3 and 1 margin was built on a quick start. Armstrong was 2 up after six holes and never trailed thereafter, even though Niebrugge routinely hammered tee shots past him by 15 to 20 yards.

"It felt like the David vs. Goliath scene," Armstrong said. "I parred eight holes in a row, just fairway and green every time, and kept telling myself that hitting it in the middle of the green would put

pressure on him."

Yet, the match turned on Niebrugge's tee shot into the gunch on the par-3 16th after he'd won the previous hole to pull within a hole. Niebrugge went from there to a back bunker, and stayed there. That made Armstrong dormie with two holes to play.

And when Niebrugge, after smashing his driving iron some 40 yards past Armstrong, hit a hacker's approach 15 yards short of the green into the middle of a pond in front of the 17th green, it was all over.

Shelton's path to the semifinal was paved with victories over Jack Maguire (3 and 2) and Ryan Ruffels (4 and 3), each featuring blazing starts. He dropped a 35-footer for a birdie against Maguire on the first hole and was 2-up after four holes. Maguire squared the match on the seventh green, but Shelton was 2-up again after a birdie on the 10th hole. Ruffels, a 17-year-old Australian, felt a similar breeze by Shelton passing him by in the quarters, since the 19-year-old junior at Alabama and stroke play medalist (11-under 277) birdied the first and third holes, then the sixth, seventh and eighth.

Before Armstrong beat him, Shelton was 6-0 in match play at Rich Harvest, including his 4-0 mark in the Palmer Cup earlier in the summer.

"I know it pretty well by now," said Shelton, who will be a junior at Alabama. "If you hit the fairways, it's really gettable." The Alabama stalwart figured his run of success was "because I hit fairways. Now that I've gotten a feel for the place, I've made some putts. And I love match play."

Wise, from Lake Elsinore, Calif., knocked off Florida-based Sam Horsfield of Manchester, England, 3 and 2 in his quarterfinal. Knapp needed 24 holes to oust Gavin Hall, doing so with a birdie.

Knapp was the fly in ointment for Illinois senior Charlie Danielson of Osceola, Wis., in the round



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YOUNG EYES OBSERVING Western Amateur champion Dawson Armstrong's swing is watched carefully by the younger set during the final match.

of 16. Danielson played 2-under for the 16 holes of the match and never bogeyed, but Knapp was a steamroller, going out in 7-under 29, including an ace on the third hole to go 1-up. Danielson never had a chance.

Shelton's 11-under-par 277 in the qualifier beat Gavin Hall by two strokes.

Niebrugge, Armstrong, Wise and Sam Horsfield tied for third at 7-under 281, while Danielson of Osceola, Wis., was seventh at 6-under 282.

The last champion to win the stroke-play competition was Chris Williams in 2012. He was the 24th to do so, the 12th in the Sweet Sixteen era.

Between the Palmer Cup and Western Am, Shelton tied for third in the PGA Tour's Barbasol tournament, run concurrently with the British Open.

"Pretty cool," Shelton said. "I knew I had the game to come here and compete."

DeChambeau missed match play by a stroke. He was 5-under in his final round through 16 holes

and within the top 16, but triple-bogeyed the par-4 17th hole, and could only manage par at the last.

Armstrong is a bit of a student of history. He knew that Sweet Sixteen participants had accounted for more than 70 major championships. He knew that Jack Nicklaus and Tiger Woods had preceded him as Western Amateur champions. But he didn't know that in the century-plus history of the championship, nobody had finished a title match like that.

Dawson Armstrong stands alone.

BMW CHAMPIONSHIP PREVIEW

A tougher Conway Farms?

BY TIM CRONIN

Two years ago, the stars of the golf word rolled into Conway Farms Golf Club in Lake Forest, not knowing quite what to expect.

Yes, Luke Donald was and is a member there, and had fired a 61 in casual play, but with PGA Tour rough and pin placements, and \$8 million on the line in the BMW Championship, surely things would be different.

They were. When Matt Kuchar posted a 61 in the third round, nobody batted an eye.

That's because Jim Furyk had scored a championship- and course-record 59 in the second round.

Fifty-nine. Golf's magic number. And, with a couple of breaks, it could have been a 57, and there would have been no reason to ever pick up a club again.

This is the way of modern golf. Conway Farms never played longer than 6,997 yards, but the way players hit it these days, length or a lack thereof is almost inconsequential. They can get at any cup, and only knee-high rough seems to make an impact on scoring.

So, while the word is that Conway Farms has been toughened for the second visit of the BMW – the 112nd Western Open under the traditional moniker – there is reason to wonder how much tougher “tougher” would have to be for the select 70 who'll gain entrance to cavort on the Tom Fazio layout to take notice.



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SOFT TOUCH? Conway Farms yielded record low scores in the 2013 BMW Championship.

Consider last year, when the best and the brightest assembled for the BMW at mile-high Cherry Hills Country Club near Denver. Billy Horschel won with a total of 14-under-par 266, including a 63 in the third round, but Morgan Hoffman closed with a 62-63 outburst and the week's scoring average was 69.840. This on a course with more pedigree than Conway Farms, one that's hosted U.S.

Opens – and used the hallowed Arnold Palmer tee on the first hole for every round last year.

Didn't matter. Land mines in the fairways wouldn't stop these guys.

So the question isn't so much who'll win – and finish high enough to land in the top 30 in the Tour standings to advance to the Tour Championship at East Lake, the final cash grab of the season – but

how low they'll go in doing so.

Who can say?

What is sure is that it will be supremely entertaining. The capacity of the best players in the world to hit captivating golf shots is almost limitless. They may play under the same rules, and may be subject to the same equipment strictures, but their game is as different from the commoner's as Buckingham Palace is from your house.

This makes the tournament a must-see affair, either in person – and Western Golf Association officials promise that the egregious ingress-egress issues of 2013 have been rectified – or on television.

In the latter department, NBC and Golf Channel plan 20 hours of live coverage across the four days, with six hours each day on the weekend.

But such golfing prowess is best seen in person, so those inclined to travel to Conway Farms will be pleased to know the field used as a parking lot two years ago, and converted into a mud bog by Sunday's monsoons, is no more. Hard-surface parking is located in Waukegan, while BMW owners get use of a similar lot in Mettawa (see adjacent box). There are free shuttles from each spot.

To further make the trip painless, the WGA has arranged for shuttles from two Lake Forest Metra stops to come to an alternate entrance.

The WGA has also announced it's limiting attendance to 27,000 a day. Two years ago, knowing the forecast for Sunday was grim, about 35,000 turned out on Saturday using any-day tickets. This year, tickets are day-specific. (The limitation also shows just how cramped a footprint Conway Farms has compared to Cog Hill, which comfortably held as many as 50,000 during some weekend rounds of the Western Open during its 20 times as host.)

With the wealth of talent on hand, selecting favorites past the obvious choices is futile. But those

BMW Championship Conway Farms Golf Club Lake Forest September 17-20

Monday, Sept. 14:	Evans Scholars Cup	8:30 a.m.	
Tuesday, Sept. 15:	Practice rounds	7 a.m.	
Wednesday, Sept. 16:	Gardner Heidrick pro-am	7 a.m.	
Thursday, Sept. 17:	First round	11:25 a.m.	Golf Ch. (2 p.m.)
Friday, Sept. 18:	Second round	11:25 a.m.	Golf Ch. (2 p.m.)
Saturday, Sept. 19:	Third round	7:25 a.m.	NBC/GC (11 a.m.)
Sunday, Sept. 20:	Final round	7:15 a.m.	GC/NBC (11 a.m.)

Admission: \$135 (season), \$20 (Mon-Wed), \$65 (Thu-Fri), \$75 (Sat-Sun)

Defending champion: Billy Horschel

How To Get There

General parking: 399 Lakehurst Rd., Waukegan (free shuttle)

BMW parking: 2722 W. Everett Rd., Mettawa (free shuttle)

Rail: Metra Milwaukee District and Union Pacific North lines (free shuttle)

Recent BMW / Western Open Champions

2014	Billy Horschel	2009	Tiger Woods
2013	Zach Johnson	2008	Camilo Villegas
2012	Rory McIlroy	2007	Tiger Woods
2011	Justin Rose	2006	Trevor Immelman
2010	Dustin Johnson	2005	Jim Furyk

include Jordan Spieth, Jason Day (who tied for fourth in 2013), Zach Johnson (whose victory at St. Andrews showed a return to the form that won him the 2013 title at Conway), Furyk (only 1-under in the other three rounds besides his 12-under 59), and Bubba Watson, who can bring any course to heel.

The cause for the clamor nearly needs no introduction. The WGA's Evans Scholars Founda-

tion uses the tournament's profits to send smart but financially needy caddies to college, continuing to further the cause created by Chick Evans following his double victory in the 1916 U.S. Open and U.S. Amateur. Seven years later, the WGA agreed to back Evans, and seven years after that, the first two scholars entered Northwestern. Ten thousand have followed since.

AROUND ILLINOIS

Billiter adds Illinois PGA to Match Play

Ninth player to sweep both in year; beats Slowinski by two strokes on Medinah No. 1

BY TIM CRONIN

REPORTING FROM MEDINAH

Three holes into the final round, and Jim Billiter's three-stroke overnight lead in the 93rd Illinois PGA Championship was gone.

"Thank God I birdied No. 3 or it would have been a different story," Billiter said after holding off Matt Slowinski by two strokes and fast-closing Travis Johns by three on Medinah Country Club's Course One on Sept. 2, bringing him his first section title and second state major of the year.

Billiter, from Libertyville's Merit Club, scored 1-under-par 70 for a total of 9-under-par 204 to capture the Jim Kemper Cup and the \$10,000 first prize. He played the last 11 holes in 3-under-par after going 2-over on the first seven holes.

That birdie on the par-4 third, created via a chip to one inch, broke the instant tie Slowinski forged with a pair of birdies and Billiter going out 5-5, the latter a bogey. Slowinski's bogeying the third, fourth and fifth provided separation as well.

It was anything but smooth sailing for Billiter, who survived a case of the hooks, including the tee shots on the 10th, 11th and 12th holes.

"I had no business making par," Billiter said.

He did on all three occasions, twice thanks to remarkable recoveries from some of Medinah's thousands of trees, and with both Slowinski – 4-



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BENCH STRENGTH Illinois PGA champion Jim Billiter on the 17th tee of the final round.

under on the last six holes – and Johns, who like Slowinski closed in 3-under 32, putting pressure on, par saves were key. Billiter one-putted the first five holes on the back, including birdies on the 13th and 14th, and then parred in.

"I didn't think I could ever win this one," Billiter said. "I'm more a match-play guy."

He won the Illinois PGA Match Play title at Kemper Lakes on a raw day in May. Capturing the Illinois PGA Championship in the same year puts him in company with eight other players, seven of whom are in the Illinois Golf Hall of Fame.

"I never thought I could win one major, much less two," Billiter said.

As the only player to score under par all three days, Slowinski did his best to disrupt Billiter's glory. For him the killer was a bogey created by a bad chip on the par-4 11th. He birdied the next three holes and the 17th to finish with 69 for 206, worth \$7,000, but Billiter wouldn't crack.

"I was happy with the way I played today," Slowinski said. "I tried to make it interesting. It was going to be hard to catch Jim. When he hit bad shots, he was making nice pars, and on his good holes, he made birdies. He didn't really let anyone get close."

"On the 11th, Jim saved par and we (he and Steve Orrick) both made bogey."

Orrick, the 2012 champion, started the day four

strokes behind but never put a string of birdies together and scored 1-over 72 to finish fourth at 3-under 210.

Slowinski's last chance to make a move came on the 14th, when he rolled in a curling 30-footer for birdie. Billiter rolled in an 8-footer on top of him.

Johns, one of Medinah's teaching pros, started the day six strokes behind, and was still four back at the turn. Then he birdied the 10th, 11th, 13th and 15th holes to climb within two strokes. But just as quickly, a three-putt bogey at the 16th knocked him out of contention, and when Slowinski birdied the par-5 17th, Johns was shuffled back to third even with a 67 for 207 and a check for \$5,500.

Defending champion Mike Small's 1-under-par 70 lifted him to a tie for seventh at 2-over 215.

Billiter came into the section soiree aiming to finish in the top nine to grab a berth in next year's PGA club pro championship, from which the potential exists to get into the PGA Championship.

He opened with a 68 and added a course-record 66 in the second round, the 8-under 134 total earning him the three-stroke bulge on Slowinski, and four over Orrick, who had led after 18 holes.

Billiter scattered eight birdies across his card, starting with the first three holes, part of an outward 4-under 32. That calmed his nerves.

"I'd never shot under 70 in the section championship before," Billiter said.

"I knew 68 was a great start. I couldn't be happier with the way I played."

His goal was even par 71. He exceeded that by five strokes.

Slowinski opened with a watery bogey on the par-4 10th but birdied four straight holes on the back nine, his outward nine, for a 33, part of a card that featured eight birdies, six bogeys and four pars. He parred only one hole coming in and closed with a pair of bogeys, part of his three three-putt day.

"It would be hard to make it around without one three-putt," Slowinski said.

Slowinski was the runner-up in 2011 and tied for second with Curtis Malm in 2013.

On a sweltering day when the scoring average of 77.33 strokes, Orrick's even-par 71 was pedestrian compared to the rounds of Billiter and Slowinski, featuring three birdies and three bogeys, two of them caused by three-putts. He grouched about his play, especially on the greens.

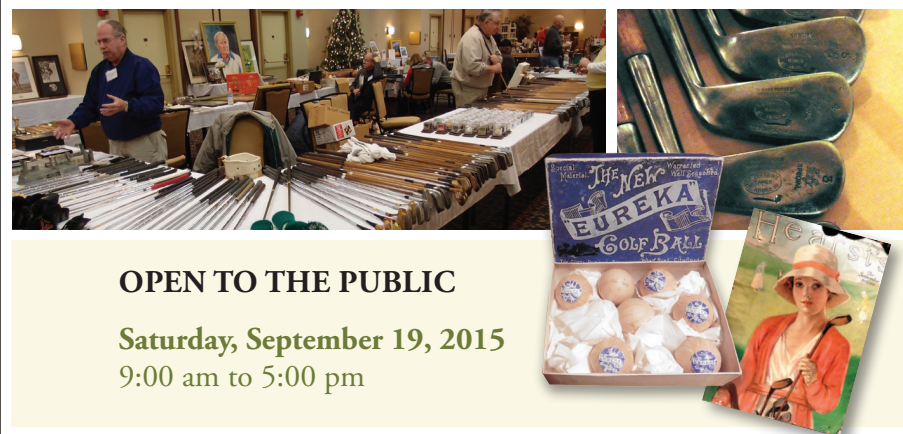
"I just didn't hit it good and didn't putt good," Orrick said. "The slopes (on the greens), it depends on where you're putting from. There are subtle reads."

Host Medinah had three players among the 61 who made the cut, which fell at 11-over 153. That included director of golf Marty DeAngelo, who made the cut on the number, and a pair of teaching pros: Rich Dukelow and Johns.

Biltmore assistant Katie Pius, who



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MIDNIGHT AT THE OASIS Steve Orrick launches a shot out of a greenside bunker on Medinah No. 1's ninth hole, with the famed first hole camel bunker looming in the background. Orrick finished fourth in the Illinois PGA.

is four months pregnant, added a 74 to an opening 72 for 4-over 146 and was tied for 13th after 36 holes, but a final-round 78 shoved her to a tie for 28th. She was seeking to become the fourth woman to qualify for the PGA club pro, now called the PGA Professional Championship, and the first from the Illinois Section.

Encompass dead

"We're buttoning it up," were the words of Encompass Championship tournament director Mike Galeski.

He was unable to accomplish the impossible, to find a sponsor on short notice similar to Encompass to take on at a reasonably hefty price and for the multiple years necessary to guarantee it a slot on the

Champions Tour. Oh, and find a new golf course, too, to replace lively North Shore Country Club.

Jerry Smith ends up as the champion without a tournament to defend it in.

People

Deer Park's **Chadd Slutzky** won the 23rd CDGA Mid-Amateur at Flossmoor, beating defending champion **Andrew Price** of Lake Bluff in a three-hole playoff after they tied at 3-under-par 213. Slutzky birdied the third playoff hole while Price parred. **Glenn Przybylski** of Frankfort was third, at 2-over 218. ... Pekin's **Ed Whitaker** will defend his Illinois Senior Amateur title, one of the more underrated titles in the state, beginning Sept. 16 at Ravisloe Country Club.

TOUR GUIDE



Kevin Streelman 101st WGR
\$1,509,274 in 236 starts 65th FEC
Best: 2nd Shriners
71.234 scoring average



Luke Donald 63rd WGR
\$992,818 in 19 starts 87th FEC
Best: T 7 Honda, Travelers
70.539 scoring average



Mark Wilson 316th WGR
\$835,345 in 27 starts 85th FEC
Best: T 7 Greenbrier Classic
70.925 scoring average



Scott Langley 243rd WGR
\$638,182 in 28 starts 127th FEC
Best: T13 Greenbrier Classic
71.023 scoring average



Luke Guthrie 292nd WGR
\$575,150 in 27 starts 148th FEC
Best: T 7 Valspar Championship
71.182 scoring average



D.A. Points 498th WGR
\$390,607 in 26 starts 171st FEC
Best: T12 New Orleans
71.689 scoring average



Carlos Sainz Jr. 787th WGR
\$124,115 in 20 starts 213th FEC
Best: T 9 Sanderson Farms
72.440 scoring average

FEC: FedEx Cup; through The Barclays 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
September

9-12	U.S. Women's State Team, Dalhousie GC, Cape Girardeau, Mo.
12-13	45th Walker Cup, Royal Lytham & St. Annes, Lancashire, England
17-20	112th BMW Championship (Western Open), Conway Farms GC, Lake Forest
24-27	29th Tour Championship, East Lake GC, Atlanta, Ga.
26-10/ 1	61st U.S. Senior Amateur, Hidden Creek GC, Egg Harbor Twp., N.J.
26-10/ 1	54th U.S. Senior Women's Amateur, Hillwood CC, Nashville, Tenn.
	October
3- 8	35th U.S. Mid-Amateur, John's Island C, Vero Beach, Fla.
3- 8	29th U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur, Squire Creek CC, Choudrant, La.
28-30	11th Presidents Cup, Jack Nicklaus GC Korea, Songdo IBD, Korea

USGA Qualifying

www.usga.org; generally conducted locally by CDGA
September

3	U.S. Mid-Amateur, Village Links of Glen Ellyn
10	U.S. Mid-Amateur, Crestwicke CC, Bloomington
10	U.S. Mid-Amateur, Glen View C, Golf
21	2016 U.S. Amateur Four-Ball, Mistwood GC, Romeoville
24	2016 U.S. Women's Amateur Four-Ball, Kankakee CC, Kankakee

Illinois PGA

www.ipga.com
September

14-15	Illinois Senior Open, McHenry CC, McHenry
	October
5-6	Illinois Players Championship, Eagle Ridge (General), Galena

Chicago District GA

www.cdga.org
September

2	CDGA Gross and Net, Heritage Bluffs GC, Channahon
8	8th CDGA Better Ball of Pairs, Kemper Lakes GC, Hawthorn Woods
16-18	29th Illinois Senior Amateur, Ravisloe CC, Homewood
14	41st CDGA Mixed Championship, Oak Park CC, River Grove

Chicago Women's District GA

www.cwdga.org
September

9	Tournament of Team Champions, Riverside GC, North Riverside
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Illinois Women's GA

http://iwga.org
September

15-17	45th Illinois Senior Women's Amateur, CC of Decatur
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Mid-America Junior Golf Tour

www.ijga.org/majgt
September

19-20	Minnesota Open, Legacy GC, Fairbault, Minn.
	October
24-25	Autumn Open, Mistwood GC, Romeoville

Notable Junior Tournaments

October

16-17	IHSA Championships: 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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NIMAGA

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September

12	Patriot's Day Classic South, Old Oak CC, Homer Glen
13	Patriot's Day Classic North, Randall Oaks GC, West Dundee
19	NIMAGA vs. Milwaukee, Evergreen GC, Elkhorn, Wis.
	October
3-4	NIMAGA Players Championship, Boone Creek GC, Bull Valley

Weekly Challenge Golf Tour

Key tournaments • www.wcgt.com
September

19	Balmoral Woods, Crete
	October
5	Tournament of Champions, Bull Valley GC, Woodstock

Notable Tournaments

September

12-13	Pontiac Elks Invitational, Pontiac Elks GC, Pontiac
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SCOREBOARD

113th Western Amateur

Rich Harvest Farms • Sugar Grove
Par 72 / 288 (stroke play qualifying) • August 4-8
Match Play
Round of 16

Robby Shelton, Wilmer, Ala., d. Jack Maguire, St. Petersburg, Fla., 3 & 2
Ryan Ruffels, Melbourne, Australia, d. Luke Toomey, Hamilton, New Zealand, 5 & 4
Jordan Niebrugge, Mequon, Wis., d. Adam Wood, Zionsville, Ind., 3 & 2
Dawson Armstrong, Brentwood, Tenn., d. Harrison Endycott, Sydney, Australia, 5 & 4
Gavin Hall, Pittsford, N.Y., d. Jonathan Garrick, Atherton, Calif., 1 up
Jake Knapp, Costa Mesa, Calif., d. Charles Danielson, Osceola, Wis., 3 & 2
Aaron Wise, Elsinore, Calif., d. Alex Franklin, San Rafael, Calif., 3 & 2
Sam Horsfield, Manchester, England, d. John Coultas, Valrico, Fla., 19 holes

Quarterfinals

Shelton d. Ruffels, 4 & 3
Armstrong d. Niebrugge, 3 & 1
Knapp d. Hall, 24 holes
Wise d. Horsfield, 3 & 2

Semifinals

Armstrong d. Shelton, 2 & 1
Wise d. Knapp, 4 & 2

Championship

Armstrong d. Wise, 20 holes

Stroke Play Qualifying

1	277 (-11)	Robby Shelton, Wilmer, Ala.	71-68-71-67
2	279 (- 9)	Gavin Hall, Pittsford, N.Y.	70-73-70-66
T 3	281 (- 7)	Aaron Wise, Lake Elsinore, Calif.	76-64-71-70
		Jordan Niebrugge, Mequon, Wis.	71-66-73-71
		Dawson Armstrong, Brentwood, Tenn.	67-66-74-74
		Sam Horsfield, Manchester, England	71-73-71-66
7	282 (- 6)	Charles Danielson, Osceola, Wis.	70-65-71-76
T 8	283 (- 5)	Ryan Ruffels, Melbourne, Australia	71-71-70-71
		Luke Toomey, Hamilton, New Zealand	71-71-74-67
		Jake Knapp, Costa Mesa, Calif.	71-70-72-70
		John Coultas, Valrico, Fla.	71-69-73-70
		Harrison Endycott, Sydney, Australia	72-66-72-73
T13	284 (- 4)	Adam Wood, Zionsville, Ind.	72-70-73-69
		Alex Franklin, San Rafael, Calif.	69-71-72-72

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T13 284 (- 4) Jonathan Garrick, Atherton, Calif. 75-69-71-69
16 285 (- 3) Jack Maguire, St. Petersburg, Fla. 74-69-74-68

These players missed the Sweet 16 and Match Play

T17 286 (- 2) Bryson DeChambeau, Clovis, Calif. (74-68-74-70); Alejandro Tosti, Rosario, Argentina (73-69-71-73)

T19 287 (- 1) Curtis Luck, Woodlands, Australia (70-71-73-73); Daniel Stringfellow, Roselle (72-71-73-71); Zachary Bauchou, Forest, Va. (71-68-76-72)

T22 288 (E) Matt Gilchrest, Southlake, Tex. (72-70-76-70); George Cunningham, Tucson, Ariz. (70-71-76-71); Carl Yuan, Lake Mary, Fla. (72-71-75-70); Ben Eccles, Melbourne, Australia (72-71-73-72); Will Starke, Chapin, S.Car. (68-70-73-77)

27 289 (+1) Sam Burns, Shreveport, La. (73-68-76-72)

28 291 (+3) Matthew NeSmith, North Augusta, S.Car. (70-72-73-76); Lucas Herbert, Cheltenham, Australia (73-70-79-69); Taylor Moore, Edmond, Okla. (71-73-73-74); Taylor Funk, Ponte Vedra, Fla. (68-67-77-79)

32 292 (+4) Chun An Yu, Taoyuan, Taiwan (70-74-76-72)

T33 293 (+5) Sean Elliott, Sandy Springs, Ga. (70-72-75-76); Nicolas Echavarria, Medellin, Colombia (71-70-78-74); Ben Crancer, Kirkwood, Mo. (72-71-77-73)

36 295 (+7) Kristoffer Ventura, Rygge, Norway (71-71-75-78)

T37 296 (+8) Charles Wang, Beijing, China (72-71-76-77); Zachary Olsen, Cordova, Tenn (75-69-76-76)

39 297 (+9) Kelby Scharmann, Trabuco Canyon, Calif. (71-73-72-81)

40 298 (+10) Sepp Straka, Valdosta, Ga. (72-70-79-77)

T41 299 (+11) Santiago Gomez, Armenia, Colombia (74-69-82-74), Josh Munn, Palmerston North, New Zealand (75-69-80-75), Andrew Whalen, Ephrata, Wash. (71-73-73-82)

44 300 (+12) Troy Moses, Werrington County, Australia (73-69-78-80)

45 304 (+16) Sam Madsen, Madison, Wis. (75-69-78-82)

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August 17-23

Match Play

Round of 64

Kyle Mueller, Watkinsville, Ga. (143) d. Brett Coletta, Australia (133), 1 up
Alex Burge, Bloomington, Ill. (141) d. Sam Stevens, Wichita, Kan. (141), 5 & 4

Thomas Detry, Belgium (140) d. Matt Oshrine, Baltimore, Md. (142), 2 up
Kenta Konishi, Japan (140) d. Cole Hammer, Houston, Texas (142), 4 & 3
Ryan Ruffels, Australia (138) d. Beau Hossler, Mission Viejo, Calif. (143), 5 & 4

Todd Mitchell, Bloomington, Ill. (142) d. Chase Koepka, West Palm Beach, Fla. (140), 1 up

Brad Nurski, St. Joseph, Mo. (143) d. Josh Munn, New Zealand (138), 8 & 7

Matthew Perrine, Austin, Texas (142) d. Taylor Hancock, Clearwater, Fla. (140), 1 up

Hunter Stewart, Lexington, Ky. (143) d. Lee McCoy, Athens, Ga. (136), 3 & 2

Will Zalatoris, Plano, Texas (141) d. Zachary Olsen, Cordova, Tenn. (142), 5 & 4

Sepp Straka, Valdosta, Ga. (138) d. Garrett Rank, Canada (142), 3 & 2
Derek Bard, New Hartford, N.Y. (142) d. Davis Riley, Hattiesburg, Miss. (140), 4 & 3

Jon Rahm, Spain (143) d. George Cunningham, Tucson, Ariz. (137), 21 holes

Cameron Young, Scarborough, N.Y. (141) d. Gunn Yang, South Korea (142), 3 & 2

Sam Horsfield, England (142) d. Jake Staiano, Cherry Hills Village, Colo. (138), 6 & 5

Daniel Wetterich, Cincinnati, Ohio (142) d. Corey Pereira, Cameron Park, Calif. (140), 2 & 1

David Oraee, Greeley, Colo. (134) d. Johnny De Los Reyes, Antioch, Calif. (143), 2 up

David Cooke, Bolingbrook, Ill. (141) d. Hank Lebioda, Winter Springs, Fla. (141), 3 & 2

Caleb Proveaux, Lexington, S.C. (140) d. Roman Robledo, Harlingen, Texas (142), 5 & 4

Paul Dunne, Ireland (140) d. Robbie Ziegler, Madison, Wis. (142), 2 up
Maverick Antcliff, Augusta, Ga. (137) d. Adrian Meronk, Poland (143), 1 up

Maverick McNealy, Portola Valley, Calif. (142) d. Austin Connelly, Canada (140), 1 up

Matt NeSmith, North Augusta, S.C. (138) d. Billy Kennerly, Alpharetta, Ga. (143), 1 up

Bryson DeChambeau, Clovis, Calif. (140) d. Robby Salomon, Monterey, Calif. (142), 8 & 6

Jake Knapp, Costa Mesa, Calif. (135) d. Noah Goodwin, Corinth, Texas (143), 21 holes

Chelso Barrett, Surry, N.H. (141) d. Nathan Yankovich, Blacklick, Ohio (141), 5 & 4

Denny McCarthy, Rockville, Md. (142) d. Jacob Hicks, Mebane, N.C. (140), 4 & 3

Austin James, Canada (140) d. Miller Capps, Denver, N.C. (142), 4 & 3
Robby Shelton, Wilmer, Ala. (137) d. Aaron Whalen, Ephrata, Wash. (143), 5 & 3

Will Grimmer, Cincinnati, Ohio (141) d. Broc Johnson, Auburn, Wash. (142), 3 & 2

Adam Ball, Glen Allen, Va. (138) d. Reed Hrynewich, Muskegon, Mich. (142), 3 & 2

Sean Crocker, Westlake Village, Calif. (140) d. Romain Langasque, France (142), 4 & 2

Round of 32

Mueller d. Burge, 2 up
Konishi d. Detry, 19 holes
Mitchell d. Ruffels, 3 & 2
Perrine d. Nurski, 2 & 1
Stewart d. Zalatoris, 3 & 1
Bard d. Straka, 6 & 5

Rahm d. Young, 7 & 6
Wetterich d. Horsfield, 2 & 1

Oraee d. Cooke, 2 up
Dunne d. Proveaux, 3 & 2

McNealy d. Antcliff, 5 & 4
DeChambeau d. NeSmith, 5 & 4

Knapp d. Barrett, 1 up
James d. McCarthy, 3 & 2

Shelton d. Grimmer, 3 & 2
Crocker d. Ball, 3 & 1

Round of 16

Konishi d. Mueller, 2 up
Perrine d. Mitchell, 4 & 3

Bard d. Stewart, 2 & 1
Rahm d. Wetterich, 3 & 1

Dunne d. Oraee, 3 & 2
DeChambeau d. McNealy, 3 & 2

James d. Knapp, 2 & 1
Crocker d. Shelton, 20 holes

Quarterfinals

Konishi d. Perrine, 1 up

Bard d. Rahm, 1 up

DeChambeau d. Dunne, 3 & 2

Crocker d. James, 2 up

Semifinals

Bard d. Konishi, 3 & 2

DeChambeau d. Crocker, 4 & 3

Championship

DeChambeau d. Bard, 7 & 6

Stroke Play Qualifying Leaders (NC-North Course; SC-South Course)

1	133 (- 7) Brett Coletta, Australia	67 SC-66 NC
2	134 (- 6) David Oraee, Greeley, Colo.	67 NC-67 SC
3	135 (- 5) Jake Knapp, Costa Mesa, Calif.	70 SC-65 NC
4	136 (- 4) Lee McCoy, Athens, Ga.	66 SC-70 NC
T 5	137 (- 3) George Cunningham, Tucson, Ariz.	71 NC-66 SC
	Robby Shelton, Wilmer, Ala.	68 NC-69 SC
	Maverick Antcliff, Augusta, Ga.	72 NC-65 SC

T 8 139 (- 2) Ryan Ruffels, Melbourne, Australia (66 NC-72 SC); Josh Munn, New Zealand (70 NC-68 SC); Matt NeSmith, North Augusta, S.C. (65 SC-73 NC); Adam Ball, Glen Allen, Va. (68 SC-70 NC); Jake Staiano, Cherry Hills Village, Colo. (71 SC-67 NC); Sepp Straka, Valdosta, Ga. (67 SC-71 NC)

T14 140 (E) Jacob Hicks, Mebane, N.C. (72 NC-68 SC); Caleb Proveaux, Lexington, S.C. (73 NC-67 SC); Thomas Detry, Belgium (72 NC-68 SC); Kenta Konishi, Japan (66 NC-74 SC); Paul Dunne, Dublin, Ireland (71 NC-69 SC); Austin James, Canada (73 NC-67 SC); Davis Riley, Hattiesburg, Miss. (71 NC-69 SC); Corey Pereira, Cameron Park, Calif. (69 SC-71 NC); Sean Crocker, Westlake Village, Calif. (69 SC-71 NC); Bryson DeChambeau, Clovis, Calif. (70 SC-70 NC); Taylor Hancock, Clearwater, Fla. (71 SC-69 NC); Chase Koepka, West Palm Beach, Fla. (69 SC-71 NC); Austin Connelly, Canada (71 SC-69 NC)

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Arlington Lakes 1211 S. New Wilke Rd., Arlington Heights • (847) 577-3030 • www.ahpd.org/programs/golf	18: 68 / 5,336 / 65.8 / 115	Day: \$34; End: \$37	Tim Govern (GM)
Bartlett Hills 800 W. Oneida, Bartlett • (630) 837-2741 • www.bartletthills.com	18: 71 / 6,463 / 71.7 / 130	TBA	Phil Lenz
Billy Caldwell 6150 N. Caldwell Ave., Chicago • (773) 792-1930 • www.forestpreservegolf.com	9: 35 / 3,108 / 69.6 / 115	Day: \$18; End: \$20	
Bridges of Poplar Creek 1400 Poplar Creek Dr., Hoffman Estates • (847) 884-0219 • www.poplarcreekcc.com	18: 70 / 6,500 / 71.2 / 136	Day: \$35; End: \$67	Brian Bechtold
Canal Shores (Peter Jans) 1031 Central St., Evanston • (847) 475-9173 • www.canalshores.org	18: 60 / 3,904 / 57.9 / 86	TBA	Donnie Oelerich
Chick Evans 6145 Golf Rd., Morton Grove • (847) 965-5353 • www.forestpreservegolf.com	18: 71 / 5,626 / 67.2 / 122	Day: \$30; End: \$33	Grit Suyasri
Edgebrook 6100 N. Central Ave., Chicago • (773) 763-8320 • www.forestpreservegolf.com	18: 66 / 4,567 / 61.2 / 88	Day: \$26; End: \$30	Jim Tourloukis (GM)
Fox Run 333 Plum Grove Rd., Elk Grove Village • (847) 228-3544 • www.foxrungolflinks.com	18: 70 / 6,287 / 70.1 / 119	Day: \$36.50; End: \$45.50	Thomas Klaas (GM)
The Glen Club 2901 W. Lake Ave., Glenview • (847) 724-7272 • www.theglenclub.com	18: 72 / 7,149 / 74.8 / 140	Sum M-Tu: \$165; W-Su: \$190	Alex Prior
Glencoe 621 Westley Rd., Glencoe • (847) 835-0250 • www.glencoe golfclub.com	18: 72 / 6,527 / 71.6 / 130	Day: \$42; End: \$50	Matt Radde
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Glenview Park 800 Shermer Rd., Glenview • (847) 724-0250 • www.golfglenview.com	18: 70 / 6,109 / 68.9 / 123	Day: 40; End: \$50	Michael Stone
Golf Center Des Plaines 353 River Rd., Des Plaines • (847) 803-4653 • www.dpparks.org/golfcenter	9: 27 / 1,050 / 70.0 / 113	Day: \$12; End: 14; Night: \$17	
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Highland Woods 2775 Ela Rd., Hoffman Estates • (847) 359-5850 • www.forestpreservegolf.com	18: 72 / 6,934 / 72.5 / 124	Day: \$38; End: \$43	Joe Bidro (GM)
Hilldale 1625 Ardwick Dr., Hoffman Estates • (847) 310-1100 • www.hilldalegolf.com	18: 71 / 6,432 / 71.6 / 135	TBA	
Indian Boundary 8600 W. Forest Preserve Ave., Chicago • (773) 625-9630 • www.forestpreservegolf.com	18: 72 / 6,068 / 69.0 / 116	Day: \$30; End: \$43	
Lake Park 1015 Howard St., Des Plaines • (847) 391-5730 • www.dpparks.org	9: 27 / 1,515 / unrated	Day: \$13; End: \$14	

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Marovitz (Waveland) 3600 N. Recreation Dr. (at Addison), Chicago • (312) 742-7930 • www.cpdgolf.com	9: 36 / 3,265 / 35.2 / 124	Day: \$26; End: \$29	Mark McCord (GM)
Mount Prospect 600 S. See Gwun Ave. (at Shabonee), Mount Prospect • (847) 259-4200 • www.mppd.org/golf.php	18: 71 / 6,305 / 71.3 / 135	Day: \$41; End: \$51	Brett Barcel
Nickoll Knoll 3800 N. Kennecott Ave., Arlington Heights • (847) 590-6050 • www.ahpd.org/programs/golf/nickoll	9: 27 / 1,163 / unrated	Day: \$13; End: \$15	Tim Govern (GM)
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Palatine Hills 512 W. Northwest Hwy., Palatine • (847) 359-4020 • www.palatinehills.org	18: 72 / 6,800 / 72.5 / 127	Day: \$40; End: \$46	Dan Hotchkin
Rob Roy 505 E. Camp McDonald Rd., Prospect Heights • (847) 253-4544 • www.robroygc.com	9: 36 / 3,022 / 37.8 / 119	Day: \$15; End: \$17	
Robert A. Black 2045 W. Pratt Blvd., Chicago • (312) 742-7931 • www.cpdgolf.com	9: 33 / 2,361 / 31.7 / 100	Day: \$20; End: \$22	Jerry Losos
Schaumburg Tournament / Baer Players 401 N. Roselle Rd., Schaumburg • (847) 885-9000 • www.schaumburggolf.com	18: 71 / 6,644 / 71.7 / 130	Day: \$22; End: \$27	Preston "Pepi" Irwin
Sportsman's 3535 Dundee Rd., Northbrook • (847) 291-2351 • www.sportsmansgolf.com	Classic 18: 70 / 6,278 / 70.4 / 126 East 9: 35 / 3,010 / 34.6 / 118	Day: \$41; End: \$51 Day: \$22; End: \$27	Greg Baron
Tam O'Shanter 6700 W. Howard St., Niles • (847) 965-2344 • www.niles-parks.org	9: 33 / 2,457 / 63.2 / 110	Day: \$18; End: \$20	Chris Urgo
Traditions at Chevy Chase 1000 N. Milwaukee Ave., Wheeling • (847) 465-2300 • www.chevychasecountryclub.com	18: 72 / 6,610 / 71.9 / 128		Margie Arnold (GM)

Twin Lakes 1200 E. Lake Dr., Palatine • (847) 934-6050 • saltcreek.multisportssystems.com	9: 29 / 1,460 / 35.0 / 113	Day: \$12; End: \$14	
Villa Olivia Rt. 20 & Naperville Rd., Bartlett • (630) 289-1000 • www.villaolivia.com/golfinfo	18: 72 / 6,510 / 72.4 / 124		
Walnut Greens 1150 N. Walnut Ln., Schaumburg • (847) 490-7878 • www.walnutgreensgolf.com	9: 27 / 1,078 / unrated		
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Winnetka 1300 Oak St., Winnetka • (847) 501-2050 • www.winpark.org/golf-club	18: 71 / 6,517 / 72.6 / 130 9: 27 / 1,194 / unrated		Cortney Miller

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Coyote Run 800 Kedzie Ave., Flossmoor • (708) 957-8700 • www.coyoterungolf.com	18: 71 / 6,478 / 69.5 / 123	Practice 3: 9 / 373 / unrated	Brian Smith
Deer Creek 25055 S. Western Ave., University Park • (708) 672-6667 • www.deercreekgolfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,905 / 73.2 / 129		Robert Speaker
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18: 71 / 6,018 / 67.9 / 116			
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18: 70 / 5,444 / 65.7 / 109			
6401 W. Richard Dr., Chicago • (773) 667-0524 • www.cdpgolf.com Tyrone Banks (GM)			
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18: 72 / 6,742 / 71.4 / 124			
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9: 36 / 3,245 / 35.5 / 119			
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9: 36 / 3,404 / 35.9 / 114			
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18: 71 / 6,581 / 71.3 / 121			
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13200 S. 76th Ave., Palos Heights • (708) 448-5544 • www.oakhills.com Allan Parkes			
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18: 72 / 7,095 / 73.1 / 131			
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18: 72 / 6,754 / 72.8 / 130			
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18: 72 / 6,701 / 72.3 / 128			
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18: 72 / 6,816 / 72.4 / 131			
1201 Saunders Dr., Riverwoods • (847) 945-8333 • www.deerfieldgolf.org Jason Minnina			
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18: 70 / 6,255 / 70.6 / 130			
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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.pinemeadowgc.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 Broley			
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.lcpd.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 / 130			
combinations vary West 9: 36 / 3,295 / 35.9 / 132			
26W151 Butterfield Rd., Wheaton • (630) 653-5800 • www.arrowheadgolfclub.org Bruce Stoller (GM)			
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., Bloomingdale • (630) 529-6466 • www.golfindianlakes.com Tom Denkiau			
Bloomingtondale			
18: 71 / 6,251 / 70.2 / 123			
181 Glen Elyn Rd., Bloomingtondale • (630) 529-6232 • www.bloomingtondalegc.com Dave Shallcross			
Cantigny			
Woodside 9: 36 / 3,587 / 37.6 / 143			
Day: \$79; End: \$95			
18-hole Lakeside 9: 36 / 3,437 / 36.6 / 136			
Replay: \$65; 9: \$40			
combinations vary Hillside 9: 36 / 3,394 / 36.2 / 135			
Youth Short 9: 27* / 954 / unrated			
Youth: \$10; Adult: \$17			

Eaglewood Resort 1401 Nordic Rd., Itasca • (630) 773-1400 • www.eaglewoodresort.com	18: 72 / 6,017 / 68.2 / 120 Andy Carr
Downers Grove 2420 Hadow Dr., Downers Grove • (630) 963-1306 • www.dgparks.org	9: 36 / 3,233 / 72.6 / 131
Glendale Lakes 1550 President St., Glendale Heights • (630) 260-0018 • www.glendalelakes.com	18: 71 / 6,190 / 69.8 / 125 Jennifer Ferrell
Green Meadows 18W201 W. 63rd St., Westmont • (630) 810-5330 • www.dupagegolf.com	9: 30 / 1,888 / unrated Dean Westrom
Ken-Loch 1S601 Finley Rd., Lombard • (630) 620-9665 • <i>no website</i>	9: 30 / 1,840 / unrated Linda Lies
Klein Creek 1N333 Pleasant Hill Rd., Winfield • (630) 690-0101 • www.kleincreek.com	18: 72 / 6,701 / 72.6 / 137 Matte Allman
Links & Tees 900 W. Lake St., Addison • (630) 458-2660 • www.addisonparks.org/links_and_tees	9: 27 / 1,161 / unrated
Maple Meadows 272 S. Addison Rd., Wood Dale • (630) 616-8424 • www.dupage.golf	18: 70 / 6,438 / 71.0 / 126 East 9: 34 / 2,815 / 33.7 / 121 Chris Malek (GM)
Oak Brook 2606 York Rd., Oak Brook • (630) 990-3032 • www.oak-brook.org	18: 72 / 6,541 / 71.1 / 126 Trey Van Dyke
Oak Meadows 900 N. Wood Dale Rd., Addison • (630) 595-0071 • www.dupagegolf.com	18: 71 / 6,718 / 71.9 / 127 Ed Stevenson
Pheasant Run Resort 4051 E. Main St., St. Charles • (630) 584-4914 • www.pheasantrun.com	18: 72 / 6,424 / 70.6 / 122 Robert Jan
Prairie Landing 2325 Longest Dr., West Chicago • (630) 208-7600 • www.prairielanding.com	18: 72 / 6,950 / 73.8 / 139 Brian King
River Bend 5900 S. Rt. 53, Lisle • (630) 968-1920 • www.riverbendgolfclub.org	9: 36 / 3,300 / 70.8 / 126 Debbie Culbertson
St. Andrews 3 N. 441 Rt. 59, West Chicago • (630) 231-3100 • www.standrewsgc.com	St. Andrews 18: 71 / 6,920 / 71.8 / 124 Joe Jemsek 18: 72 / 6,770 / 72.0 / 120 Dave Erickson
Salt Creek 701 W. Thorndale Ave., Wood Dale • (630) 773-0184 • www.saltcreekgolfclub.com	18: 63 / 3,946 / unrated Tony Perry
Seven Bridges 1 Mulligan Dr., Woodridge • (630) 964-7777 • www.sevenbridges.com	18: 72 / 7,111 / 74.6 / 144 Don Ferreri
Springbrook 2220 W. 83rd St., Naperville • (630) 848-5060 • www.springbrookgolfcourse.org	18: 72 / 6,896 / 73.0 / 130 Mike Lzyun
Streamwood Oaks 565 Madison Dr., Streamwood • (630) 483-1881 • www.streamwood.org	9: 36 / 3,404 / 72.9 / 125
Sugar Creek 500 E. Van Buren, Villa Park • (630) 834-3325 • www.sugarcreekgolfcourse.org	9: 32 / 2,344 / 62.0 / 106 Cory Ferrell
Twin Lakes 400 W. 59th St., Westmont • (630) 852-7167 • www.wpd4fun.com	9: 28 / 1,381 / unrated Ashley Medley (GM)
Village Greens of Woodridge 1575 W. 75th St., Woodridge • (630) 985-3610 • www.villagegreensgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,638 / 71.2 / 121 Brandon Evans
Village Links of Glen Ellyn 485 Winchell Way, Glen Ellyn • (630) 469-8180 • www.villagelinksgolf.com	18: 72 / 7,208 / 74.9 / 138 9: 36 / 3,303 / 35.7 / 129 Noel Allen

Western Acres 2400 W. Butterfield Rd., Lombard • (630) 469-6768 • www.westernacres.com	9: 35 / 3,052 / 69.2 / 111 Don Voth
White Pines 500 W. Jefferson St., Bensenville • (630) 766-0304 • www.whitepinesgolf.com	East 18: 70 / 6,371 / 71.1 / 127 West 18: 72 / 6,624 / 71.5 / 127 Mike Huber (GM)
Willow Crest 3500 Midwest Rd., Westmont • (630) 850-5515 • www.oakbrookhillsresortchicago.com/golf/golf.htm	18: 70 / 6,474 / 71.1 / 132 Randy Bolstad
Zigfield Troy 1535 75th St., Woodridge • (630) 985-4653 • www.zigfieldtroygolf.com	9: 27 / 1,089 / unrated Tim Troy, Dennis Troy

WILL COUNTY

Balmoral Woods 26732 S. Balmoral Woods Dr., Crete • (708) 672-7448 • www.balmoralwoods.com	18: 72 / 6,625 / 72.4 / 131 Bill Abrams	Day: \$32; End: \$43
Big Run 17211 W. 135th St., Lockport • (815) 838-1057 • www.bigrungolf.com	18: 72 / 7,028 / 74.4 / 138 Bill Roper	
Bolingbrook 2001 Rodeo Dr., Bolingbrook • (630) 771-9400 • www.bolingbrookgolfclub.com	18: 72 / 7,104 / 73.8 / 135 Eric Aldrich	
Boughton Ridge 335 E. Boughton Dr., Bolingbrook • (630) 739-4100 • www.bolingbrookparks.org	9: 32 / 2,205 / 30.1 / 105 Peter Pope (GM)	
Braidwood Fairways 35494 Essex Rd. south of Smiley Rd., Wilmington • (815) 458-2965 • <i>no website</i>	9: 36 / 2,914 / unrated	
Broken Arrow East / North 16325 W. Broken Arrow Dr., Lockport • (815) 836-8858 • www.golfbrokenarrow.com	18: 72 / 7,034 / 74.5 / 130 South 9: 36 / 3,469 / 37.0 / 140 Michael Chen (GM)	

Cinder Ridge 24801 Lakepoint Dr., Wlmington • (815) 476-4000 • www.cinderridge.com	18: 72 / 6,968 / 73.1 / 139 Sue Krueger (GM)
Deer Creek 25055 S. Western Ave., University Park • (708) 672-6667 • www.deercreekgolfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,905 / 73.2 / 129 Robert Speaker
Golf Vista Estates 4951 Augusta Blvd., Monee • (708) 534-8204 • www.golfvistagolfclub.com	9: 29 / 1,505 / unrated

Green Garden 9511 W. Manhattan-Monee Rd., Frankfort • (815) 469-3350 • www.greengardencc.com	Blue 18: 72 / 6,670 / 71.7 / 120 Gold 18: 72 / 6,713 / 71.8 / 126 Emerald 9: / 3,181 / 70.8 / 122 Scott Lunde (GM)
Heritage Bluffs 24355 W. Bluff Rd., Channahon • (815) 467-7888 • www.heritagebluffs.com	18: 72 / 7,171 / 74.1 / 138 Brian Smith
Inwood 3200 W. Jefferson St., Joliet • (815) 741-7265 • www.jolietinwoodgc.com	18: 71 / 6,196 / 70.1 / 131 Brian Legan
Lincoln Oaks 395 E. Richton Rd., Crete • (708) 672-9401 • www.lincolnoaksgolfcourse.com	18: 71 / 6,186 / 69.0 / 120 Bob Seymour (GM)
Links at Carillon 21200 S. Carillon Dr., Plainfield • (815) 886-2132 • www.carillongolf.com	Blue / Red 18: 71 / 6,844 / 70.9 / 124 White 9: 36 / 3,438 / 36.0 / 61 Jeff Yackley
Longwood 3503 E. Steger Rd., Crete • (708) 758-1811 • longwoodcc.com	18: 70 / 6,404 / 70.7 / 130 Joe Tintari (GM)

Mistwood 1700 W. Renwick Rd., Romeoville • (815) 254-3333 • www.mistwoodgolf.net	18: 72 / 6,773 / 72.4 / 137 Andy Mickelson	M-Th: \$80; twi \$60 F-Su: \$95; \$twi 75
Naperbrook 22204 W. 111th St., Plainfield • (630) 378-4215 • www.naperbrookgolfcourse.org	18: 72 / 6,677 / 72.0 / 127 Tim Dunn	
Old Oak 14200 S. Parker Rd., Homer Glen • (708) 301-3344 • www.oldoakcc.com	18: 71 / 6,609 / 71.1 / 128 Dan Shields	
Prairie Bluff 19433 Renwick Rd., Lockport • (815) 836-4653 • www.prairiebluffgc.com	18: 72 / 7,007 / 73.2 / 125 Steve Lunde	
Sanctuary 485 N. Marley Rd., New Lenox • (815) 462-4653 • www.golfsanctuary.com	18: 72 / 6,917 / 72.5 / 131 Bob Schulz	
Square Links 7861 W. St. Francis Rd., Frankfort • (815) 469-1600 • www.fspd.org	9: 30 / 1,749 / unrated Brian Zipse	
Tamarack 24032 Royal Worlington Dr., Naperville • (630) 904-4000 • www.tamarackgc.com	18: 70 / 6,901 / 73.7 / 136 Brett Hafstad (GM)	
Tuckaway 27641 Stony Island Ave., Crete • (708) 946-2259 • <i>website inactive</i>	18: 72 / 6,192 / 69.7 / 117 Jason Poblocki	
University 23520 Crawford Ave., University Park • (708) 747-0306 • www.universitygolfclub.com	18: 71 / 6,701 / 71.4 / 123 Paul Blockoms	
Wedgewood 5001 Caton Farm Rd., Joliet • (815) 741-7270 • www.jolietwedgewoodgc.com	18: 72 / 6,836 / 72.5 / 128 Jason Shook	
Willow Run 12600 W. 187th St., Mokena • (815) 485-2119 • www.willowrungolf.net	9: 35 / 2,930 / 33.9 / 113 Rich Wisslead (GM)	
Woodruff 621 N. Gougar Rd., Joliet • (815) 741-7272 • www.jolietwoodruffgc.com	18: 68 / 5,424 / 66.1 / 114 Kirk Blakney (GM)	

McHENRY COUNTY

Blackstone 9700 St. Andrews Dr., Marengo • (815) 923-1800 • www.blackstonegc.com	18: 72 / 6,734 / 72.8 / 139 Susan Concialdi (GM)
Boone Creek 6912 Mason Hill Rd., Bull Valley • (815) 455-6900 • www.boonecreekgolfclub.com	Prairie/Creekside 18: 71 / 6,435 / 70.4 / 122 Valley 9: 35 / 2,883 / 33.9 / 115 Tyler Wollberg
Cary 2400 Grove Ln., Cary • (847) 639-3161 • www.carycountryclub.com	18: 72 / 6,135 / 69.0 / 119 Bob Keith
Chalet Hills 943 Rawson Bridge Rd., Cary • (847) 639-0666 • www.chalethillsgolfclub.com	18: 73 / 6,877 / 73.6 / 137 Brian Smith
Chapel Hill 2500 N. Chapel Hill Rd., McHenry • (815) 385-3337 • www.chapelhillgolf.com	18: 70 / 6,133 / 70.1 / 122 Larry Piet (GM)
Craig Woods 5815 S. Rt. 47, Woodstock • (815) 338-9781 • www.crystalwoodsgc.com	9: 34 / 2,290 / 70.0 / 113
Crystal Woods 5919 S. Rt. 47, Woodstock • (815) 338-3111 • www.crystalwoodsgc.com	18: 72 / 6,427 / 70.6 / 128 John Craig
Foxford Hills 6800 S. Rawson Bridge Rd., Cary • (847) 639-0400 • www.foxfordhillsgolfclub.com	18: 72 / 7,047 / 74.2 / 142 Rob Sankey
Golf Club of Illinois 1575 Edgewood Rd., Algonquin • (847) 658-4400 • www.golfclubofil.com	18: 71 / 7,011 / 74.4 / 137 Robert Lemke (GM)

Hunter 5419 Kenosha St., Richmond • (847) 678-7940 • <i>no website</i>	18: 72 / 6,381 / 69.2 / 115	
Marengo Ridge 9106 Harmony Hill Rd., Marengo • (815) 923-2332 • www.marengoridgegolfclub.com Bob Witek (GM)	18: 72 / 6,654 / 72.5 / 129	
Oak Grove 16914 Oak Grove Rd., Harvard • (815) 648-2550 • www.oakgrovegolfcourse.com Tim Miles Jr. (GM)	18: 71 / 7,021 / 75.0 / 142	
Old Top Farm 2120 Crystal Lake Rd., Crystal Lake • (815) 479-9361 • <i>no website</i>	9: 37 / 2,881 / 30.0 / 113	Scott Kerbs
Pinecrest 11220 Algonquin Rd., Huntley • (847) 669-3111 • www.huntleyparks.org/parks-facilities/golf/ Mike Yackle	18: 72 / 6,604 / 71.5 / 123	
Pistakee 815 W. Bay Rd., McHenry • (815) 385-9854 • <i>no website</i>	9: 36 / 3,029 / unrated	Jason Whitt (GM)
RedTail 7900 Redtail Dr., Lakewood • (815) 477-0055 • www.redtailgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,803 / 72.8 / 130	Chris Neuhart
Waters Edge 4005 N. Rt. 23, Marengo • (815) 568-5983 • <i>no website</i>	18: 33 / 1,700 / unrated	Mark Horan
Whisper Creek 12840 Del Webb Blvd., Huntley • (847) 515-7680 • www.whispercreekgolf.com Christopher Strand	18: 72 / 7,103 / 73.7 / 133	

KANE COUNTY

Bliss Creek 1 Golfview Rd., Sugar Grove • (630) 466-4177 • www.blisscreekgolf.com Gordon Pike (GM)	18: 69 / 5,592 / 67.0 / 115	
Bonnie Dundee 270 Kennedy Dr., Carpentersville • (847) 426-5511 • www.bonnieundeeegc.com Jim Opp	18: 69 / 6,015 / 68.1 / 112	
Bowes Creek 1250 Bowes Creek Blvd., Elgin • (847) 214-5880 • www.bowescreekcc.com Mike Lehman	18: 71 / 6,917 / 73.2 / 142	
Deer Valley 46W994 Jericho Rd., Big Rock • (630) 556-3333 • www.deervalleygyc.net	9: 29 / 1,358 / unrated	
Fox Valley 2500 N. River Rd., North Aurora • (630) 879-1030 • www.aurora-il.org/operations Jeff Schmidt	18: 72 / 5,937 / 68.6 / 126	
Highlands of Elgin 875 Sports Way, Elgin • (847) 931-5950 • www.highlandsofelgin.com Jim Vogt	18: 72 / 6,961 / 73.8 / 136	
Hughes Creek 1749 Spring Valley Dr., Elburn • (630) 365-9200 • www.hughescreek.com Sam Bradberry	18: 72 / 6,506 / 71.6 / 127	
Mill Creek 39W525 Herrington Dr., Geneva • (630) 208-7272 • www.millcreekgolfcourse.com Craig Kight	18: 71 / 6,420 / 71.4 / 135	
Orchard Valley 2411 W. Illinois Ave., Aurora • (630) 907-0500 • www.orchardvalleygolf.com Jim Tourloukis (GM)	18: 72 / 6,745 / 72.4 / 134	
Phillips Park 1001 Hill Ave., Aurora • (630) 256-3760 • www.phillipsparkaurora.com Jeff Schmidt	18: 71 / 6,186 / 69.8 / 121	
Pottawatomie Park 845 N. Second Ave., St. Charles • (630) 584-8356 • www.stcparks.org James Wheeler	9: 35 / 3,007 / 69.8 / 122	

Randall Oaks 4101 Binnie Rd., West Dundee • (847) 428-5661 • www.randalloaksgc.com Steve Gillie	18: 71 / 6,598 / 71.7 / 133 3: 9 / 300 apx.	
Settler's Hill 919 E. Fabyan Pkwy., Batavia • (630) 232-1636 • www.settlershill.com John O'Connor	18: 72 / 6,630 / 72.1 / 130	
Tanna Farms 39W808 Hughes Rd., Geneva • (630) 232-4300 • www.tannafarms.com Chad Zipse	18: 71 / 6,510 / 72.0 / 131	
Valley Green 314 Kingswood Dr., North Aurora • (630) 897-3000 • www.valleygreengc.com	18: 60 / 3,841 / 70.0 / 113	
Wing Park 1000 Wing St., Elgin • (847) 931-5952 • www.cityofelgin.org Bill Eubanks	9: 36 / 3,077 / 70.8 / 115	
Wolf Run 1700 Jericho Rd., Aurora • (630) 906-1402 • www.wolfrungolfcourse.net Roger Wolf (GM)	9: 64 / 4,229 / 70.0 / 113	

KENDALL COUNTY

Blackberry Oaks 2245 Kennedy Rd., Bristol • (630) 553-7170 • www.blackberryoaks.com	18: 72 / 6,404 / 71.3 / 134	
Cedardell 14264 S. Hale St., Plano • (630) 552-3242 • www.cedardellgolfclub.com Terry Donahue	9: 35 / 3,029 / 69.4 / 127	
Fox Bend 3516 U.S. Hwy 34, Oswego • (630) 554-3939 • www.foxbendgolfcourse.com Brad Doyle (GM)	18: 72 / 6,890 / 73.1 / 130	
Whitetail Ridge 7671 Clubhouse Dr., Yorkville • (630) 882-8988 • www.whitetailridge.us Patrick MacDonald	18: 71 / 6,524 / 71.0 / 128	

KANKAKEE COUNTY

Aspen Ridge 1763 E. 4000 N Rd., Bourbonnais • (815) 939-1742 • www.aspenridgegolf.com Leo Ciaccio (GM)	18: 70 / 6,191 / 69.6 / 119	
Cardinal Creek Center / South 615 S. Dixie Hwy., Beecher • (708) 946-2800 • www.cardinalcreekgolf.com Ron Lyon (GM)	18: 72 / 6,423 / 70.0 / 122 North 9: 36 / 3,274 / 35.1 / 122	
High Point 309 High Point Dr., Essex • (815) 365-4000 • www.golfhighpoint.com Debra Deegan	9: 27 / 3,263 / 70.8 / 116	
Kankakee Elks 2283 Bittersweet Dr., Aroma Park • (815) 937-9547 • www.elks golf627.com Kyle Morris	18: 71 / 6,430 / 71.1 / 120	
Manteno 7202 N. 4000 E Rd., Manteno • (815) 468-8827 • www.mantenogolf.com C.J. Wade (GM)	18: 72 / 6,462 / 70.8 / 120	
Minne Monesse 15944 E. Six Mile Grove Rd., Grant Park • (815) 465-6653 • www.minnemonesse.com Debra Hurley	18: 72 / 6,357 / 70.7 / 126	
Oak Springs 6740 E. 3500 S Rd., St. Anne • (815) 937-1648 • www.oakspringsgolf.com Sam Ortman (GM)	18: 72 / 6,260 / 70.0 / 122	
Shamrock 6575-B E. Rt. 17, Aroma Park • (815) 937-9355 • golfs shamrock.com Gene Smith	18: 60 / 3,357 / 65.0 / 107	
South Shore 1727 N. River South Rd., Momence • (815) 472-4407 • <i>website inactive</i>	18: 72 / 6,200 / 68.9 / 122	

LAKE COUNTY / INDIANA

Cedar Creek 10483 W. 109th Ave., Cedar Lake • (219) 365-2902 • www.lakecountyparks.com Tom Zimmerman	9: 31 / 1,741 / 66.5 / 104	
Centennial Park 1005 S. Centennial Dr., Munster • (219) 836-6931 • www.munster.org Matt Meneghetti	9: 36 / 3,300 / 72.4 / 132	
Indian Ridge 6363 Grand Blvd., Hobart • (219) 942-6850 • www.hegangolf.com Chuck Hegan (GM)	18: 72 / 6,217 / 69.1 / 110	
Lost Marsh 1001 E. 129th St., Hammond • (219) 932-4046 • www.lostmarsghgolf.com Niko Sullivan	18: 72 / 6,872 / 72.0 / 128 9: 27 / 2,600 / unrated	
MacArthur 4000 Indianapolis Blvd. (at 140th St.), East Chicago • (219) 391-8362 • <i>no website</i>	9: 27 / 1,390 / unrated	
Oak Knoll 11200 Whitcomb St., Crown Point • (219) 663-3349 • www.hegangolf.com Dave Steuer (GM)	18: 70 / 5,703 / 67.3 / 107	
Palmira 12111 W. 109th St., St. John • (219) 365-4331 • www.palmiragolf.com Rich Nicpon (GM)	18: 72 / 6,921 / 72.7 / 122	
Pheasant Valley 3838 W. 141st Ave., Crown Point • (219) 663-5000 • www.hegangolf.com Pat Hedge	18: 72 / 6,869 / 72.3 / 126	
River Pointe 6700 Country Club Rd., Hobart • (219) 942-2747 • www.whitehawkcountryclub.com/river-pointe	Pointe 9: 36 / 3,256 Pines 9: 36 / 3,167 Ponds 9: 36 / 3,299	
Scherwood 600 E. Joliet St., Schererville • (219) 865-2554 • www.scherwood.com Marv Hanson	18: 71 / 6,849 / 73.4 / 125 9: 30 / 1,463 / unrated	
South Gleason Park 3400 Jefferson St., Gary • (219) 980-1089 • www.gary.in.us/parks/golf.asp Nymrod Adkins	18: 71 / 6,312 / 68.5 / 108	
South Shore 14400 Lake Shore Dr., Cedar Lake • (219) 374-6070 • www.golfssc.com/ Dennis Scaggs	18: 70 / 5,466 / 67.0 / 118	
Summertree 2323 E. 101st Ave., Crown Point • (219) 663-0800 • www.hegangolf.com	18: 72 / 6,596 / 71.9 / 124	
Turkey Creek 6400 Harrison St., Merrillville • (219) 980-5170 • www.turkeycreekgolf.com Chris Cioroianu	18: 70 / 6,202 / 69.3 / 118 TO HERE	
White Hawk 1001 White Hawk Dr., Crown Point • (219) 661-2323 • www.whitehawkcountryclub.com Drew Brining	Grey / Black 18: 72 / 7,011 / 73.9 / 141 Red / Silver 18: 72 / 7,201 / 75.1 / 139	
Wicker Memorial Park 8554 Indianapolis Blvd., Highland • (219) 838-9809 • www.wickermemorialpark.com Bill Springer	18: 72 / 6,887 / 72.6 / 122	

ILLINOIS OUTLYING

Aldeen 1900 Reid Farm Rd., Rockford • (815) 282-4653 • www.aldeengolfclub.com Dennis Geddes	18: 72 / 7,131 / 74.7 / 139	
Atwood Homestead 8990 Old River Rd., Rockford • (815) 623-2411 • www.winnebagoountygolf.com	18: 72 / 7,431 / 74.7 / 127	
The Bourne 2359 N. 35th Rd., Norway • (815) 496-2301 • <i>no website</i> Deb Rollo	18: 72 / 6,355 / 70.0 / 123	

Buena Vista 131 Buena Vista Dr., DeKalb • (815) 758-4812 • www.dekalbparkdistrict.com	9: 32 / 2,477 / 31.3 / 53 Russ Robinson
Chicago Golf & Tiki Tees 210 S. Pointe Ct, DeKalb • (815) 517-1449 • http://chicagogolfandtikititees.com/	9: 34 / 2,690 / unrated 7-Day: \$9
Deer Valley 3298 Hoover Rd., Deer Grove • (815) 438-4653 • www.dvforegolf.com	18: 71 / 6,415 / 70.7 / 124 9: 27 / 715 / unrated Chris Sandell
The Den at Fox Creek 3002 Fox Creek Rd., Bloomington • (309) 434-2300 • www.thedengc.com	18: 72 / 6,926 / 73.3 / 134 Jason Wingate
Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa Hwy. 20 at Galena Territory, Galena • (815) 777-5000 • www.eagleridge.com	General 18: 72 / 6,820 / 73.2 / 142 North 18: 72 / 6,836 / 73.2 / 134 South 18: 72 / 6,862 / 73.7 / 140 East 9: 34 / 2,648 / 66.0 / 117 Ikhlas Ahmed
Edgebrook Suydam Rd., Sandwich • (815) 786-3058 • www.sandwichgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,294 / 70.9 / 126 Clyde Henning
Elliot 888 S. Lyford Rd., Rockford • (815) 332-5130 • www.rockfordparks.org	18: 72 / 6,433 / 70.3 / 120 David Claeysens
Emerald Hill 16802 Prairieville Rd., Sterling • (815) 622-6204 • www.emeraldhillgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,318 / 70.3 / 121 M-Th: \$23; F-Su: \$25 Kristen Wegmann (GM)
Fairways 555 S. Seventh St., Rochelle • (815) 562-6666 • www.rochellecountryclub.com	18: 66 / 4,649 / 64.4 / 104 Randy Mershon
Hickory Ridge 2727 W. Glenn Rd., Carbondale • (618) 529-4386 • www.cpkd.org	18: 72 / 6,863 / 73.3 / 137 Michael Day
Hidden Lake 12985 350 East St., Sheffield • (815) 454-2660 • www.hiddenlakegolfclub.com	18: 70 / 5,735 / 67.1 / 115 Pete Macnaughton
Highland Springs 9500 35th St. W, Rock Island • (309) 732-7265 • www.rigov.org	18: 72 / 6,777 / 70.2 / 129 Day: \$20; End: \$23 Todd Winter (GM)
Hunter's Ridge 12927 Ill. Hwy. 26, Princeton • (815) 879-6531 • www.huntersridgegc.com	18: 72 / 6,337 / 70.5 / 125 Wanda Nelson
Indian Oaks 603 E. Preserve Rd., Shabbona • (815) 824-2282 • www.indianoakscountryclub.com	9: 36 / 3,345 / 71.8 / 118
Ingersoll 101 Daisyfield Dr., Rockford • (815) 987-8834 • www.rockfordparks.org	18: 71 / 6,107 / 68.9 / 111 Youth 4: par up to player Nancy Joan Kauzlarich
Ironhorse 2000 Ironhorse Dr., Tuscola • (217) 253-6644 • www.ironhorsegc.com	18: 72 / 7,131 / 73.0 / 125
Kewanee Dunes 3536 Midland Rd., Kewanee • (309) 852-4508 • www.kewaneedunes.com	18: 72 / 6,832 / 72.4 / 130 Day: \$32r; End: \$37r Colby Horsley (GM)
Lake Carroll 2911 Ironwood Dr., Lanark • (815) 493-2808 • www.visitlakecarroll.com	18: 72 / 6,418 / 71.6 / 130
Ledges 7111 McCurry Rd., Roscoe • (815) 389-0979 • www.winnebagoountygolf.com	18: 72 / 6,740 / 72.5 / 129 Steven Hare
Lena / Wolf Hollow 6546 N. Shippee Road, Lena • (815) 369-5513 • www.wolfhollowgolf.net	18: 71 / 6,408 / 70.9 / 122 Day: \$25; End: \$30
Lick Creek 2210 N. Parkway Dr., Pekin • (309) 346-0077 • www.pekinparkdistrict.org	18: 72 / 6,910 / 73.5 / 137
More facilities (372) are listed in Illinois Golfer than any other area publication.	

Links at Kokopelli 1527 Champions Dr., Marion • (618) 997-5656 • www.kokopelligolf.com	18: 71 / 7,039 / 74.7 / 139
Lost Nation 6931 S. Lost Nation Rd., Dixon • (815) 652-4212 • www.lostnationgolf.com	18: 71 / 6,222 / 69.5 / 114 Brian Goad
Macctown 2221 Freeport Rd., Rockton • (815) 624-7410 • www.winnebagoountygolf.com	18: 71 / 5,756 / 67.9 / 112
Maple Bluff E. 1600 St., Geneseo • (309) 944-5418 • www.golfmaplebluffgeneseo.com	18: 72 / 6,569 / 71.1 / 121 Day: \$20; End: \$22 Dennis Peck (GM)
Metamora Fields 801 Progress St., Metamora • (309) 367-4000 • www.metamorafields.com	18: 71 / 7,023 / 74.1 / 130 Jeff Roche
Nettle Creek 5355 N. Saratoga Rd., Morris • (815) 941-4300 • www.nettlecreek.com	18: 71 / 6,562 / 72.1 / 130 Kurt Nolen
Oak Club of Genoa 11770 Elwood Greens Rd., Genoa • (815) 784-5678 • www.oakclubgolf.com	18: 72 / 7,032 / 74.1 / 135 <i>(inactive)</i>
Pine Hills 1667 N. 2501st Rd., Ottawa • (815) 434-3985 • www.pinehillsgc.com	9: 35 / 3,203 / 72.0 / 122 <i>(inactive)</i> Jim Sipula
Piper Glen 7112 Piper Glen Dr., Springfield • (217) 483-6537 • www.piperglen.com	18: 72 / 7,005 / 73.5 / 132 Audra Burks
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 Ron Dohman
PrairieView 7993 N. River Rd., Byron • (815) 234-4653 • www.prairieviewgolf.com	18: 72 / 7,135 / 73.5 / 133
Prophet Hills 4319 Bishop Rd., Prophetstown • (815) 537-5226 • www.prophethills.com	9: 35 / 3,040 / 67.6 / 106 7-Day: \$23r Jodi Farral (GM)
The Rail 1400 S. Club House Dr., Springfield • (217) 525-0365 • www.railgolf.com	18: 72 / 6,583 / 71.7 / 127 Ryan Matrisch
Railside 120 W. 19th St., Gibson City • (217) 784-5000 • www.railside.com	18: 72 / 6,755 / 71.8 / 121 Cody Warmoth
Red Barn 12379 Wagon Wheel Rd., Rockton • (815) 624-8037 • www.redbarngolfcourse.com	9: 32 / 2,120 / 28.0 / 113 Marianne Kaiser
Red Tail Run 520 W. Grove Rd., Decatur • (217) 422-2211 • www.redtailrun.org	18: 72 / 7,351 / 74.4 / 132
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 / Craig Zingzilieta
River Heights 1100 S. Annie Glidden Rd., DeKalb • (815) 758-1550 • www.riverheightsgc.com	18: 72 / 6,528 / 70.8 / 126 Roger Huber
Rock River Golf & Pool 3901 Dixon Ave., Rock Falls • (815) 625-2322 • www.rockriversupperclub.com/golf	18: 70 / 5,920 / 69.2 / 123 Day: \$20; End: \$23
Sandy Hollow 2500 Sandy Hollow Rd., Rockford • (815) 987-8836 www.rockfordparkdistrict.org/sandy-hollow	18: 71 / 6,228 / 69.3 / 115 Nancy Joan Kauzlarich
Senica's Oak Ridge 658 U.S. Hwy. 6, LaSalle • (815) 223-7273 • www.senicasoakridge.net	18: 72 / 6,830 / 72.1 / 131 Sherry Henkel
Shady Oaks 577 U.S. Hwy. 52, Sublette • (815) 849-5424 • www.shadyoaksgcc.com	18: 71 / 6,212 / 69.6 / 123

Silver Ridge 3069 N. Hill Rd., Oregon • (815) 734-4440 • <i>no website</i>	18: 72 / 7,005 / 73.5 / 130 Jason Wombacher
Sinnissippi 1401 N. Second St., Rockford • (815) 987-8838 • www.rockfordparks.org	9: 37 / 3,230 / 35.5 / 130
Spencer T. Olin 4701 College Ave., Alton • (618) 465-3111 • http://spencerolingolf.com	18: 72 / 6,941 / 73.5 / 135 Adam Rockey
Spring Creek 286 Spring Creek Dr., Spring Valley • (815) 894-2137 • www.springcreek-golfcourse.com	18: 72 / 6,225 / 71.9 / 125 Day: \$21; End: \$24
Stone Creek 2600 Stone Creek Blvd., Urbana • (217) 367-3000 • www.stonecreekgolfclub.com	18: 72 / 7,118 / 74.1 / 131 Mickey Finn
Sunset 216 Sunset Hill, Mount Morris • (815) 734-4839 • www.sunsetgolfmm.com	9: 36 / 3,169 / 69.5 / 115 7-Day: \$10 (18), \$8 (9)
Swan Hills 2600 Gustafson Rd., Belvidere • (815) 547-3232 • <i>no website</i>	18: 71 / 6,359 / 71.0 / 113 Catherine Beaves
Sycamore 940 E. State St., Sycamore • (815) 895-3884 • www.sycamoreparkdistrict.com	18: 71 / 5,993 / 68.0 / 114 Kirk Lundbeck
Timber Creek 729 Timber Creek Rd., Dixon • (815) 288-5110 • www.timbercreekdixon.com	18: 71 / 6,504 / 71.6 / 126 Day: \$27; End: \$33
Timber Pointe 5750 Woodstock Rd., Poplar Grove • (815) 544-1935 • www.golfthepointe.com	18: 72 / 7,077 / 73.8 / 125 Randy Schairer
TPC at Deere Run 3100 Heather Knoll, Silvis • (309) 796-6000 • www.tpc.com/tpc-deere-run	18: 71 / 7,258 / 75.8 / 144 Brian DeJohn
U. of Illinois 800 Hartwell Dr., Savoy • (217) 359-5613 • www.uofigolf.com	Orange 18: 72 / 6,896 / 72.9 / 130 Blue 18: 72 / 6,479 / 70.2 / 119 Michael Wallner
WeaverRidge 5100 WeaverRidge Blvd., Peoria • (309) 691-3344 • www.weaverridge.com	18: 72 / 7,030 / 73.1 / 136 Clay Stevens
Weibring at Illinois State 800 Gregory St., Normal • (309) 438-8065 • www.usigolf.com	18: 72 / 6,915 / 72.7 / 131 Laura Provost
Wolf Creek 21062 N 1850 East Rd., Pontiac • (815) 842-9008 • www.golfatwolfcreek.com	18: 72 / 6,637 / 69.1 / 117 Brett Hendren
Wyaton Hills 17879 1500 North Ave., Princeton • (815) 872-2641 • <i>no website</i>	9: 36 / 3,071 / 66.8 / 117 Max Hallberg Jr.

INDIANA OUTLYING

Aberdeen 245 Tower Rd., Valparaiso • (219) 462-5050 • www.golfataberdeen.com	18: 72 / 6,917 / 73.0 / 134 Mike Higdon
Birck Boilermaker Kampen 1300 Cherry Ln., West Lafayette • (765) 494-3139 • www.purduegolf.com	18: 72 / 7,253 / 76.5 / 145 Ackerman 18: 71 / 6,436 / 70.3 / 124
Blackthorn 6100 Nimitz Pkwy., South Bend • (574) 232-4653 • www.blackthorngolf.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 Borchering
Briar Leaf 3233 N. State Rd., LaPorte • (219) 326-1992 • www.briarleaf.com	18: 72 / 6,850 / 73.2 / 132 Jay Williams

Brickyard Crossing	18: 72 / 6,994 / 74.5 / 137	
4400 W. 16th St., Speedway • (317) 484-6572 • www.brickyardcrossing.com Jeff Schroeder		
Creekside	Glen 9: 36 / 3,270 / 36.0 / 125	
Meadows 3:		
2335 Clifford Rd., Valparaiso • (219) 531-7888 • www.creeksidegolfcourse.com		
Duck Creek	18: 70 / 5,338 / 70.0 / 113	
636 N. 700 W., Hobart • (219) 759-5870 • www.duckcreekgolfcourse.com Ken Habhan (GM)		
Forest Park	18: 70 / 5,642 / 67.2 / 114	
1155 Sheffield Dr., Valparaiso • (219) 531-7888 • www.forestparkgolfcourse.com Emma Eichhorn (GM)		
The Fort	18: 72 / 7,148 / 74.4 / 139	
5200 N. Post Rd., Indianapolis • (317) 543-9597 • www.thefortgolfcourse.com		
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	18: 72 / 6,820 / 72.6 / 131	
413 E. New St., Attica • (765) 762-1135 • www.harrisonhills.com Geoff Curtis (GM)		
Hulman Links	18: 72 / 7,225 / 74.9 / 144	
990 N. Chamberlain St., Terre Haute • (812) 877-2096 • www.hulmanlinks.com David Kennedy		
Mink Lake	9: 35 / 3,000 / 33.5 / 102	
636 N. Calumet Ave., Valparaiso • (219) 462-2585 • no website		
Robbinhurst	18: 68 / 5,629 / 66.5 / 111	
383 W. County Rd. 875 N., Portage • (219) 762-9711 • www.robbinhurst.com Andrew Elderkin		
Sandy Pines	18: 72 / 6,801 / 72.2 / 135	
10527 Bunker Dr., DeMotte • (877) 987-3611 • www.sandypinesgc.com Brad Burvan		
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	18: 72 / 7,317 / 75.3 / 138	
3875 N. State Rd. 52, Lebanon • (765) 482-7272 • www.thetrophyclubgolf.com B.G. Winings		
Warren at Notre Dame	18: 71 / 7,020 / 74.6 / 135	
110 Warren Golf Course, Notre Dame • (574) 631-4653 • www.warrencourse.com John Foster		

WISCONSIN

Abbey Springs	18: 72 / 6,466 / 71.4 / 133	
1 Country Club Dr., Fontana • (262) 275-6113 • www.abbeysprings.com Jerry Mortier (GM)		
Big Oaks	18: 72 / 5,848 / unrated	
9: 36 / 2,962 / unrated		
6117 123rd Pl., Pleasant Prairie • (262) 694-4200 • www.bigoaksgolf.com 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	18: 72 / 7,110 / 74.9 / 142	
3121 County Hwy. 1, Saukville • (800) 484-3264 • www.golfthebog.com		
Brighton Dale Links		
Blue Spruce 18: 72 / 6,687 / 72.0 / 129	Day: \$26; End: \$33	
Red Pine 18: 72 / 7,024 / 72.9 / 132	Day 9: \$16; End 9: \$18	
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	18: 72 / 6,319 / 70.1 / 120	
18601 75th St., Bristol • (262) 857-2302 • www.bristolooks.com Frank Blum (GM)		
Brown Deer Park	18: 71 / 6,716 / 72.6 / 132	
7625 N. Range Line Rd., Milwaukee • (414) 352-8080 • http://milwaukeecountygolfcourses.com		
Delbrook	North 9: 35 / 3,183 / ratings	
Middle 9: 36 / 3,326 / combine		
South 9: 36 / 3,266 / on 9s		
700 S. 2nd St., Delavan • (262) 728-3966 • www.delbrookgc.com Dan Piecha		
Erin Hills	18: 72 / 7,820 / 77.9 / 145	
7169 County Rd. O, Erin • (866) 772-4769, (262) 670-8600 • www.erinhills.com 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 Patrick Hansen (GM)		
Hawk's View		
Como Crossing 18: 72 / 7,032 / 73.1 / 133	M-Th: \$75; F-Su: \$85	
Barn's Hollow 18: 54 / 2,708 / unrated	M-Th: \$20; F-Su: \$25	
7377 Krueger Rd., Lake Geneva • (262) 348-9900 • www.hawksviewgolfclub.com Matt Boesch		
Johnson Park	18: 72 / 6,703 / 71.5 / 124	
6200 Northwestern Ave., Racine • (262) 637-5068 • www.racinegolfonline.com		
Lake Lawn Resort	18: 70 / 6,418 / 69.2 / 120	
2400 E. Geneva St., Delavan • (262) 728-2347 • www.lakelawnresort.com 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	18: 71 / 6,652 / 69.9 / 119	
N1055 Tombeau Rd., Genoa City • (262) 279-6311 • www.nippersinkresort.com Tracy Heim		
Petrifying Springs	18: 70 / 5,979 / 67.8 / 119	
Day: \$24; End: \$32		
4909 7th St., Kenosha • (262) 552-9052 • www.co.kenosha.wi.us/publicworks.golf Chris Adams		
Shoop Park	9: 34 / 2,631 / 35.5 / 113	
4510 Lighthouse Dr., Racine • (262) 681-9714 • www.racinegolfonline.com		
Spring Valley	18: 70 / 6,354 / 70.1 / 119	
23913 Wilmot Rd., Salem • (262) 862-2626 • www.springvalleyccsalem.com John Wagner		
Twin Lakes	18: 70 / 5,930 / 67.5 / 116	
1230 Legion Dr., Twin Lakes • (262) 877-2500 • www.tlccgolf.com Chad Cantwell		
University Ridge	18: 72 / 6,888 / 73.2 / 142	
9002 County Rd. PD, Verona • (800) 897-4343 • www.universityridge.com Mike Gaspard		
Washington Park	9: 35 / 2,759 / unrated	
2801 12th St., Racine • (262) 635-0118 • www.racinegolfonline.com		
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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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 Larry Tebelak		
Lake Michigan Hills	18: 72 / 6,911 / 73.9 / 135	
2520 Kerlikowske Rd., Benton Harbor • (269) 849-4653 • www.lakemichiganhills.com Mike Longyear		
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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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
Bridgeview Sports Dome	8900 S. 77th Ave., Bridgeview	(708) 924-8290
Bushwood Golf	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
Crystal Lake Learning	4418 Buhl Rd., Crystal Lake	(815) 479-9150
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
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
Golf Learning Center Hamilton Lakes		
	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	(630) 739-7600
Mid Iron	12680 S. Bell Rd., Lemont	(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
Parfection Park	6215 S. Bridge St., Yorkville	(630) 553-6855
Partner Golf Center	6615 W. Irving Park Rd., Chicago	(773) 286-2060
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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
The Players Club Chicago	8500 W. 79th St., Justice	(708) 924-9889
Top Golf	699 W. Thorndale Ave., Wood Dale	(630) 595-4653
Westland Golf	11900 Algonquin Rd., Huntley	(847) 669-0204
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