



Gentlemen of the BTC,

February 2, 2023

I'm going to start this week by suggesting that everyone mark their calendars for March 14th. That will be our annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner at Mama Vesuvio's @ 6:30 pm. We hope to see everyone there. If you are on the fence about attending may I remind you that there will be a complimentary open bar.

Now that we have entered February, I think it's a good time to talk a little golf. Opening Day is exactly 3 months from today (May 2nd) at Silver Lake. It will be a 10:00 shot gun start followed by a dinner at the course. Our Golf Chairman **Larry Garetto** has been working hard and is close but not quite ready to publish the full schedule. I can tell you however that there are a few new courses being introduced to the rotation this year that I really think everyone will enjoy. I won't expose too many of Larry's secrets but I will say that Cinder Ridge is one of the new courses being added this year.

In other golf news, Sam Ryder blew a 5-stroke lead in the final round of the Farmers Insurance Open this past weekend. Max Homa took home the \$1,566,000 prize. I only mention this because little things bug me sometimes and when they describe a professional golfer's attire in the final round as fashion forward purple joggers with exposed ankles, I'm happy to see him blow a big lead. The big choke cost him about \$1.2m in prize money.

Now onto a sport that is currently in season....Bowling. I was fortunate enough to win a couple of pots for a change this week. **Mike Breier and Lee Kaz** helped me win 1st and 2nd place doubles. I got 2nd place in the blind doubles with **Jim Eppolito**. **Craig O'Reilly and Tom Kelly** beat us by one pin. For top scores this week **Doug Blyth (270)** edged out **Mike Heslop (267)** for the high game of the week and **Dave Blyth** had this week's high series (738).

I do have to mention a bowling rarity. **Greg Lewis** left a split combination that I had never seen before. Greg bowled well (600+ series) but the thing I will remember most about bowling against Greg this week is the 2-5-10 spare that he left. Let that visual sink in.

It was nice to see a couple non bowling BTC members at the bowling alley this week. Dick Kerkstra was there. It was the first time I had the pleasure of meeting Dick. Also, I got to chat a little bit with Jim Musser. They may not be bowling with is now, but I was told that they are both really good bowlers. I also saw Andy Zilis and Bob Kennedy. I know Bob tried bowling and now he needs a new knee. I haven't seen Andy bowl but I would like to see what he's got.

Happy February Birthdays: Lou Ornoff (2), Frank Carioti (5), Roger Byrnes (9), Dave Blyth (12), Dan Blyth (12), Bob DeFalco (13), Ben Tutka (13), Gary Bybee (15), Marv Huddleston (16), Ed Kern (18), Doug Blyth (22), Gar Ward (23), Don Franko (16), Steve Anderson (26), Charles Pettrone (28). Let me know if I missed anyone.

Anthony Serritella – Secretary
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Happy new year from your President!

A few things worth mentioning. We have a Saint Patrick's Day dinner at Mama Vesuvio's on March 14th at 6:30. Hope to see everyone there.

Golf news. The golf chairman (my dad) has let me know that he is almost done with golf schedule. A few new courses this year such as Cinder Ridge and Bolingbrook and a few more he wants to keep me guessing.

He needs people to let him know about their 2-man teams and if they want to be in the Club Championship which is sponsored by the club. If possible, bring their 2-man money to the Saint Pat's party.

Also, he wants to know if anyone would like to revive the 2-day Lake Geneva golf trip. It would be on Tuesday and Wednesday July 11th and 12th. If there is enough interest, it will be a BTC event and if not enough people are interested, he will book a course for the 11th instead. The cost would be around \$ 220 which includes golf and prize money. Rooms are available which he has held at Harbor Shores. The room is 2 beds for \$220 plus tax - no resort fee.

With that being said hope everyone is enjoying the new year and see you at the Saint Pat's party.

Thanks
Peter Garetto

Please email or leave a voice mail about the 2-man and club championship at 708-269-3464 or larrygaretto@beggarspizza.com

From your 2023 Treasurer & Board-

Also, please note **2023 dues are "due"** so appreciate you sending payment per the attached form. **Rich Schroeder** has an electronic payment system up and running as an additional way to pay your dues. **Payment links can now be found on the Club Information/Applicant/Dues page of the website.** Service fees are 2.9% plus \$0.30 per transaction. See Rich Schroeder or Bob Kennedy with questions and/or problems.

Mail completed form & dues to: Bob Kennedy, 128 Luther Lane, Frankfort IL 60423

Bob "Bad Knee" Kennedy- Treasurer
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MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

We would like to welcome back to the Club past member:

Jack Parisi, 7711 Oak Ridge Court, Palos Heights, IL 60463 cell# 708-638-2272
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Sincerely,
Jerry Jasinski, Chairman

Tennis News – Al Baldermann

17 players. Good matches. At this time of year everyone is working through the usual aches and pains. After tennis 10 of us went to Enrico's for dinner. Good to see Bob Kennedy and Dan Heraty join us.

Results:Court 1

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| Johnson | 18/24 |
| Heraty | 12/24 |
| Ganz | 10/24 |
| Lillwitz | 8/24 |

Court 2

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| Kees | 15/23 |
| Kahlhammer | 13/23 |
| Bewley | 10/23 |
| Abramowicz | 8/23 |

Court 3

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| Schiera | 15/23 |
| Dr. Park | 13/23 |
| Reschke | 12/23 |
| Baldermann | 6/23 |

Court 4

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| Schroeder | 15/21 |
| DiNolfo | 11/20 |
| Rooks | 12/21 |
| Anderson | 9/21 |
| Sutko | 3/17 |

Bowling News:

Some of the top handicap series performers this past week were: **Dave Blyth 750 series, Don Borus 739 series, Mike Heslop 738 series, Tom Ollenburger 736 series, Craig O'Reilly 728 series, Kelly Melfi 727 series, Greg Lewis 724 series, Mike Breier 724 series, Tom Kelly 721 series, Vince Annel 720 series, Doug Blyth 718 series, Ron Harwig 709 series, Wayne Hutchinson 705 series, Pete Lambros 703 series, and Hal Eberling 703 series. Some of the best scratch scores were recorded by Dave Blyth 236, 255, 247, and a 738 series, Craig O'Reilly 256, 246, and a 728 series, Doug Blyth 270, 238, and 679 series, Mike Heslop 267, 232, and a 672 series, Tom Ollenburger 257, and a 670 series, Dave Jenner 236, and a 649 series, Dennis Samoska Jr. 236, and a 641 series, Anthony Serritella 245 game, Jack Brown 238 game, Tom Stahl 238 game, Ron Harwig 235 game, John Guarnieri 234 game, and Wayne Hutchinson 231 game.**

I will have the dates for the Brosius Doubles at bowling this week, I hoped to have them set last week, but am verifying some scheduling and will be able to announce them at bowling this coming Tuesday! For new bowlers the Brosius Doubles which is a 2-week doubles event, that you can get in with as many different partners as you want. The tournament runs 2 weeks during regular bowling, winners are the teams that have the most pins by adding the two weeks together. Have a Great Weekend – See you Tuesday!

Keith Tadevich
Bowling Secretary

POTS OF THE WEEK

| <u>Handicap</u> | | |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|
| Game 1 | Doug Blyth | 283 |
| | Gary Foster | 255 |

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| Game 2 | Anthony Serritella | 267 |
| | Craig O'Reilly | 256 |

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| Game 3 | John Guarnieri | 268 |
| | Jack Brown | 266 |

| <u>Mystery Pot</u> | | |
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| 1st Game | Tom Ollenberger | 186 |
| 2nd Game | No Winner | |

| <u>Clean Frames</u> | | |
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| Forward | Bill Slusarczyk | 15 |
| Reverse | Craig O'Reilly | 16 |
| Reverse | Dennis Samoska Jr. | 16 |
| 30 | No Winner | |

| <u>Last Game Handicap</u> | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-----|
| 1st Place | Tom Ollenberger | 279 |
| 2nd Place | Jack Brown | 266 |

| <u>Doubles</u> | | | |
|----------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----|
| Game 1 | 1st Place | Dave Blyth & Doug Blyth | 523 |
| | 2nd Place | Dave Blyth & Craig O'Reilly | 509 |
| Game 2 | 1st Place | Anthony Serritella & Mike Breier | 527 |
| | 2nd Place | Dave Blyth & Craig O'Reilly | 515 |
| | 2nd Place | Anthony Serritella & Lee Kaz | 515 |
| Game 3 | 1st Place | Tom Ollenberger & John Robers | 525 |
| | 2nd Place | Tom Ollenberger & Dave Jenner | 523 |

| <u>Handicap Survivor</u> | | |
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| 1st Place | Tom Kelly | 252 |
| 2nd Place | Dave Blyth | 251 |
| 3rd Place | Pete Lambros | 247 |
| 4th Place | Craig O'Reilly | 246 |

| <u>Blind Doubles</u> | | |
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| 1st Place | Tom Kelly & Craig O'Reilly | 505 |
| 2nd Place | Anthony Serritella & Joe Eppolito | 504 |

Standings

| # | Builders Tee Club | W | L | | # | Builders Tee Club | W | L |
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| 6 | Jan Michaels | 12 | 2 | | 12 | Mama Vesuvio | 9 | 5 |
| 4 | Beggars Pizza #2 | 12 | 2 | | 9 | Oak Forest Bowl | 8 | 6 |
| 2 | Bluebird Lanes | 10 | 4 | | 8 | Ascend Wealth Planning | 7 | 7 |
| 3 | Creative Colors | 7 | 7 | | 1 | Smokey's Bandits | 6 | 8 |
| 5 | Bright Metals | 7 | 7 | | 11 | Beggars Pizza #1 | 5 | 9 |
| 13 | Burr Oak Bowl | 5 | 9 | | 7 | Tri-Star | 4 | 10 |
| 10 | Van Henkelum | 4 | 10 | | | | | |

Lane Assignemnts

| Lanes | 19-20 | 21-22 | 23-24 | 25-26 | 27-28 | 29-30 | 31-32 |
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| 2/7/2023 | 11 vs. 7 | 2 vs. 3 | 13 vs. 9 | 14 vs. 10 | 4 vs. 5 | 12 vs. 6 | 8 vs. 1 |
| 2/14/2023 | 14 vs. 13 | 10 vs. 9 | 2 vs. 1 | 6 vs. 5 | 8 vs. 7 | 4 vs. 3 | 12 vs. 11 |



Builders Tee Club 2023 Annual Dues Notice

Dues for the Year January 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Additional Contribution- \$ _____ (Fill in Amount)

Insert check and mail NOW to Treasurer. Your cancelled check will be your receipt.

****PLEASE INCLUDE CHANGES ONLY!**

Member Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Wife's Name: _____ Cell: _____

Home Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____

Business Type: _____

Business Name: _____

THANK YOU FOR PRINTING CLEARLY!

Mail to: Bob Kennedy
128 Luther Ln. Frankfort, IL 60423
(Treasurer)

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

**Thank you- Roster Book Chairman -
Larry Garetto**

**DUES PAYMENTS SHOULD BE MADE BY JANUARY 31, 2023
AFTER THAT DATE, \$ 20 LATE FEE CHARGE WILL BE ASSESSED.**