



Gentlemen of the BTC,

September 14, 2023

I am deeply saddened to report the passing of **Dan Woodward Sr...** Dan was admitted into the hospital on Tuesday September 5<sup>th</sup>. During the following week he had gone through three amputations due to blood clots and passed away this past Tuesday September 12<sup>th</sup>. Dan was 79 years old and a BTC member since 1987. Dan was truly one of the great gentlemen of the Builders Tee Club as is his son Dan Jr.. **Visitation will be Sunday September 17<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 to 4:00pm at McKenzie Funeral Home (156<sup>th</sup> & Cicero, Oak Forest). A memorial service will then be held at 4pm followed by a Memorial Dinner at Mama Vesuvio's East on College Drive. A burial service with full military honors will be held at a later date. Please keep Dan Woodward Sr. in your prayers as well as Dan Jr. and the entire Woodward family.**

I'm finding it very difficult to transition from this tragic news to current and upcoming BTC news and events so I will be short and to the point.

Next week (Sept 19) we will be at Silver Lake. This will be a scramble event (\$40 per man). There were two sign-up sheets on the bulletin board for this day. One was for the scramble and the other was for those that were not going to be in the scramble but still wanted to golf. If you did not sign either sheet and still want to golf or participate in the scramble, call the hotline right away.

The following week is the Michigan City trip. You can golf both days (Sept 25 and Sept 26) or just one of the days. Dick Kamin has been posting information about this event in the newsletter for the last few weeks. If you haven't spoken to Dick and would like to participate in this event, contact Dick as soon as possible.

I received another shipment of the BTC ¼ Zip Pullovers. I now have in stock sizes L, XL, XXL & XXXL. If you would like one or had previously ordered one and haven't received it yet, see me at the scorer's table after golf on Tuesday. The cost of the pullover is \$40.

**Important AED Information:** If you haven't watched the AED video yet, please do so. It describes both the procedure for getting help and what you should do if one of our members has a suspected heart attack on the golf course. The following link will take you directly to the video.

<https://youtube.com/watch?v=7UI4iJlvjGQ&feature=share> Like I said before, I am not a cinematic genius, but the video does have some very valuable information.

**Happy September Birthdays:** Frank Furman (6), Joe Bonarigo (7), Phil Schlessner (7), Tony Schlessner (7), Jeff Quilici (9), Tom Cleary (10), Ed Chmelar (14), Andrew Slowinski (16), Robert O'Connor (19), Dan Lyman (21), Dale Bandauski (23), Ray Bruno (26), Tom Ollenburger (27), Wally Botwinski (28),

Let me know if I missed anyone.

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**GOLF NEWS    Hot-line number 708-888-1355.**

**Daily Game results will be available at a later date when completed or in next week's newsletter.**

Another thing, if you could call your golf group before **Friday at 5pm please**. If you call after that I will try to get you on the tee sheet but can't guarantee it. More to come on my golf news by the weekend.

IF I MAKE THE CHANGES (WHICH HAPPENS EVERY WEEK) THE FINAL TEE SHEET WILL BE ON THE BUILDER TEE WEBSITE BY **SUNDAY** SO PLEASE GO BACK AND LOOK FOR ANY CHANGES. IT WILL BE IN THE CURRENT NEWSLETTER ON THE WEBSITE

#### **Message from Dick Kamin**

Monday 9/25 is at Beechwood Golf Course in LaPorte. Shotgun start at 11:00 a.m. Their phone number is 219-362-2651. Tuesday 9/26 is at Michigan City Municipal golf course. Shotgun start at 11:30 a.m. Their phone number is 219-873-1516.

**The cost for golf each day is \$55 which includes the Daily Game.**

I have reserved a block of rooms at Blue Chip Casino & Hotel for both Sunday and Monday nights. The original tower rooms will be \$99 per night and the Spa tower will be \$109 per night. I recommend the Spa Tower which is newer. To make reservations call 888-879-7711 and use the code **BT924G** for our block of rooms. If you want to reserve online [www.bluechipcasino.com](http://www.bluechipcasino.com) is their website.

I will continue to be signing up players and collecting for the trip this coming week at Silver Lake. You may also sign up to play by calling Dick Kamin (708) 359-0000 and pay on the day out at the golf courses. It is important to know that guests are welcome to participate. Looking forward to seeing everyone again real soon.

# BTC UPCOMING GOLF SCHEDULE-2023

| DATE     | COURSE  | TEE TIME         | EVENT              |
|----------|---|------------------|--------------------|
| 09/19/23 | SILVER LAKE NORTH                             | 8:30 SPLIT TEES  | SCRAMBLE           |
| 09/25/23 | MICHIGAN CITY                                 | SHOTGUN          | DAILY GAME         |
| 09/26/23 | MICHIGAN CITY                                 | SHOTGUN          | DAILY GAME         |
| 10/03/23 | TUCKAWAY                                      | 9AM SPLIT TEES   | TBD                |
| 10/10/23 | GREEN GARDEN EMERALD/BLUE 18                  | 9:30 SPLIT TEES  | WORLD SERIES       |
| 10/17/23 | NAPERBROOK                                    | 10 AM SPLIT TEES | WORLD SERIES       |
| 10/24/23 | BOLINGBROOK                                   | 10 AM SPLIT TEES | CALCUTTA?          |
| 10/31/23 | SILVER LAKE SOUTH                             | 10 SHOTGUN       | GOLF AWARDS DINNER |
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|          | SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE BUT NOT LIKELY! |                  |                    |
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