

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS GOLF COURSE

July 2021 Newsletter

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MESSAGE FROM THE MANAGER

Mike Wallner

This has been a great summer so far and the golf course is in great shape. Carl, Will, and the crew have done an incredible job keeping it that way. As we head into to August, which is usually the hottest month of the summer, please make sure that you keep yourself hydrated while on the course. Our new water coolers are working great, so don't pass them up while on the course.

We have the Club Championship coming up, so please get signed up. This is a great tournament and the winner gets the use of a front row parking spot for the next year. Current champs, Mike Merrick, Sara Seed, Bruce Kelso, and Rick Wilson, don't want to give them up I'm sure.

We crowned the Players Cup champs in July. Mens Division champions were Cole Taylor and Bobby Harvey and Senior Division were Jim Hopper and Scott Peters. Congrats!

We also had a record number for the Ladies Players cup, which was won again this year by Samantha Parkhill and Judy Tennant. Congrats to them on the victory!

We hope that all of our members and guests have a great August and we certainly look forward to seeing you this month. Have a great month. Go Illini!!!



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GOLF COURSE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21 SUNDAY, AUGUST 22

GLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, August 21st (Blue Course) & Sunday, August 22nd (Orange Course)
9am Shotgun Start

\$40 per player

Entry fee includes: Cart fees both days, tee gift, prizes, and lunch after round on Sunday
Men, Women, Senior, and Super Senior divisions
Each winner gets a parking spot for one year

CONGRATS TO OUR PLAYERS CUP CHAMPIONS & THANKS FOR PLAYING!

We crowned four U of I Player's Cup champions on this past month:

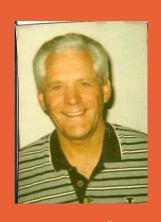
- o Men's Division: Cole Taylor & Bobby Harvey
- Senior Division: Jim Hopper & Scott Peters

Thanks again to all that played!

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Neal Yates

Neal has been a part of the U of I golf course for over 30 years. He is the starter/ranger on Sundays. He is always willing to step up when we need and extra hand. He does an excellent job and we are grateful to have him. Make sure you congratulate him but don't park in his spot come August. Thanks for all you do, Neal.



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JUNIOR GOLF AT UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS GOLF COURSE

August 9-12

Cost: \$125 per camper

Includes: t-shirt, lunch everyday, & membership in Jr. Illini Golf Club

Ages 7-14

Contact us to get a registration form and sign-up today! There's only a few spots left for this session!

adies / light Out at University of Illinois Golf Course



UAAA GOLF OUTING AT U OF I GOLF COURSE

The UAAA golf outing is coming up August 28th. It is our largest outing of the year and closes both courses until around 4:00. We would recommend you checking out another Rodems golf courses that day whether it be Ironhorse, Eagle Creek or Piper Glen. All are great courses and members can play for just a cart fee.



LOOKING TO IMPROVE YOUR GOLF GAME?

Call Jeff Butts, our Teaching Pro, to arrange some golf lessons!

jeffbuttsgolf@gmail.com (217) 369-9734

LEAGUES NEWS

Leagues are still going on thru the end of the month! We want to thank all of the leagues that play out here. We certainly appreciate your business.

HELP WANTED

We are looking for some more hands in both outside services or the snack bar. If you're interested in either, please contact Mike or Kyli!

HIGH SCHOOL GOLF TRYOUTS

August means that high school golf tryouts are coming.

If you are interested in playing high school golf, please contact the Athletic Department at either Centennial, Central, or Urbana. All of these teams play out here.

Good luck to all that tryout.