

Byron Panorama

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Summer 2002

"THE ROCK" - OPENING SOON

For the EXTREME skating experience... "THE ROCK!"

German Church Road - Byron Forest Preserve

This new indoor/outdoor skate park is set to open in late August and will be a year-round facility. It will be open for skateboards, inline skates, and BMX bikes.

Hours: Monday-Friday 4-9 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m.-3 p.m. 4-9 p.m.
Sunday Noon-5 p.m. - 5:30-9 p.m.
Fee: General Admission \$5
Resident & Non-resident Season Passes Available



DEFY GRAVITY!

ByronFest 2002 Steering Committee Thanks Volunteers

The ByronFest Steering Committee would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the people of Byron and the Byron business community for their support of ByronFest 2002.

Over 300 volunteers donated their time over the course of the 3-day event. It is this spirit of volunteerism that makes our festival such a success, and we appreciate the efforts of everyone who participated in this opportunity to showcase our community.

Planning for ByronFest 2003 begins in late August. If you are interested in becoming involved with this fun family event, or if you would like to pass along an idea or suggestion, please call the Byron Chamber of Commerce at 234-5500.

Byron Township

Hard to believe, here it is already August. So far this year the road sides have been mowed twice. Short Road was sealed. Townline, Barker north of Oak Grove, Woodburn, Weldon, Severson, Hoisington, Open View Sub, Cascio Sub were all resealed. This year due to problems on right of ways, there won't be any construction, but instead, ditches will be reworked and seeded on the 5½ miles that we built in the last 3 years. Other ditch work will be done through out the Township, which has been a problem in the past.

There has been a problem with dumping trash all over the roads. I am asking your help in tracking down those responsible. The dumping problem happens on Sunday night or Monday morning before 2:30 A.M. Any help on this matter will be greatly appreciated. Our number is 234-8438.

**Remember,
If you can't see
my mirrors -
I can't see you!**

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CITY NEWS

City Receives Grant

Mayor Kathryn Hamas announced Monday that the City of Byron had received a grant in the amount of \$1,176.00 from the Illinois Liquor Control Commission to conduct retail education and enforcement programs in the community. The purpose of the grant program is to make a positive impact in reducing the illegal sale of tobacco to minors in Byron. There are currently six tobacco retailers in the city.





Byron Forest Preserve News

7993 North River Road, Byron (815) 234-8535

Preservation • Education • Recreation



Fall Preschool Registration Continues

The Byron Forest Preserve District Fall Preschool has openings for 2002-2003. Our preschool provides an invaluable experience for preschoolers ages 3-5 in dealing with groups of children their own age, learning to share and play together, and to respond to loving adults other than their own parents.

There are periods of free play when they can pursue activities which interest them the most, story time to learn to listen attentively and enjoy stories, periods of physical activity, and the alphabet and numbers are introduced. Songs, games, and rhythms are also taught. Nature study and outdoor activities will be the foundation of the curriculum. Come be a part of the fun and learning for a low fee of \$55 per month.

Monday & Wednesday 9-11am & 1-3 pm

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Register at the Jarrett Prairie Center, 7993 North River Road, Byron. A \$55 deposit and a registration sheet must be filled out at the time of registration to hold a spot for your child. Preregistration is required. Please call 234-8535 ext. 200 for more information.

Forest Preserve Welcomes New Teachers!

Dawn Schad and Kim Hada have been hired to fill the preschool teacher positions.

Dawn is an Illinois certified teacher with experience in Byron, Forestville Valley, and Meridian Schools. She graduated from the National College of Education and the College of Lake County. She lives in Byron with her husband, Jeff, of 29 years.

Kim has transferred from the Administrative Department into the Education Department. She has experience with the children as a preschool substitute and a field trip leader at the Forest Preserve. Her love of nature and children will be a great addition to our staff.

The preschool program still has some spots available for the Fall school year. We meet on Monday/Wednesday and Tuesday/Thursday from 9-11am or 1-3pm. Call now for more information, 234-8535 ext. 200.

Crafters Needed



The Byron Forest Preserve's Eleventh Annual Holiday Craft Show will be held on Saturday, November 16-17, 2002, at the Jarrett Prairie Center.

A few booths are still available.

This show offers over 35 exhibitors with a wide variety of unique, hand-made crafts.

Since this is a juried show, Jean will need to look at your crafts, or pictures of your crafts, before a booth can be reserved.

If you are interested in reserving a booth, call Jean at 815-234-8535 ext. 200.

New Saturday Morning Program to Replace Ranger Rick!

If your child loves nature, crafts, and games, they will love Rock On Saturday Camp. We meet at the Jarrett Center for two hours of fun with the animals and out on the prairie. This convenient time and day makes it perfect for parents to have some time for their chores. You can sign up for the day or month. Call 234-8535 today.



Need a Fund Raiser?

We need your group or organization to set up scary scenes along our hayride route for Halloween on the Prairie on October 27th from 1-6pm. We give out BIG prize money to best scene. Plus everyone gets a bonus check for just showing up! Call Richie at 234-8535 ext. 217 for more details.

Field trips to Natural History Museum, Observatory, and Heritage Farm

Scouts, schools, and senior groups are welcome to the Forest Preserve for an educational and fun tour of our great museums. Staff welcome and give tours for the low cost of \$1.50 per person with a minimum of \$30 per group. We offer many sessions to choose from including prairie ecology, animal encounter, and group dynamics. Call 234-8535, ext. 217 to schedule your next outing with us.

Gift Shop News

Come visit some friendly people at the Jarrett Prairie Center Gift Shop.

We now have 100% pure honey for sale in the Jarrett Prairie Center Gift Shop.

- 4 lbs.-\$10 plus a free squeeze bear for dispensing;
- 2 lbs.-\$5; 12 oz.-\$2. and
- Honey stirrers;
- Honey candy in assorted flavors
- Honey cook books.
- Maple Syrup for sale
- Maple syrup cook books.
- Necklace with meteor granules in it? We have them for sale too!
- Water jugs,
- Little buffalos, and
- Take along identification bags

Once you've visited us and you would like a special souvenir, we have all of the above and much more at reasonable prices. We look forward to seeing you.

~ Programs ~

Public Skyviewing

Explore the wonders of the night sky, stars, constellations, nebula, and many other sights wait to delight. The observatory is closed if it is cloudy so call ahead to confirm viewing conditions, (815) 234-8535.

Days: Tuesdays and Saturdays
Time: Dusk until 3 hours after dusk
Location: Weiskopf Observatory
Fee: Free



Rock On! Saturday Camps

Drop the kids off for a morning to yourself. Call 234-8535 ext. 200 to register.

Location: Jarrett Prairie Center
Date: Saturdays during school year.
Time: 9-11:30am.
Fee: \$30/month or \$10/day
Ages: K-5th grade



Hunter Safety

This 10-hour class is for all first-time hunters. Topics covered include wildlife management, rules, and gun safety. Students must complete all classes and pass a written exam to obtain a certification card.

Location: Jarrett Prairie Center
Day: Mon, Wed, Fri - Nov. 4, 6, 8
Time: 6-9pm, 6-9pm, 6-10pm
Fee: FREE
Ages: Must be able to pass written test to be certified.
Other: Call 234-8535 ext. 200 to register.

Canoeing the Rock River

Take a relaxing evening voyage on the Rock. All equipment provided.

Location: 7993 N. River Rd, Byron
Parking lot by the river
Day: Sundays, Aug. 18 & Oct. 13
Time: 5pm
Fee: \$15/canoe - max. of 3 per canoe
Other: Must pre-register by calling 234-8535 x200.

Family Overnight Camp Out

Enjoy an evening of stories, games, and a campfire before sleeping away the night under a tent.

Location: South Shelter
Day: Fri, August 9 & Sept 6 & 27
Time: 6pm-10am
Fee: \$45/tent (max 3) - tent provided. Includes at least one adult.
Ages: 5 and up.
Other: Please pre-register at 234-8535. Bring a pillow & sleeping bag.

Van trip to Maquoketa Caves State Park, Iowa

We'll explore unique limestone caves and hike over the spectacular Natural Bridge. Guided naturalist included.

Location: Meet at Jarrett Prairie Center
Date: Sunday, September 15
Time: 9am-4pm
Fee: \$25/person
Ages: 6 and up
Other: Must pre-register by calling 234-8535, ext 200. Lunch included.

Forest Preserve Announce Museum Schedules

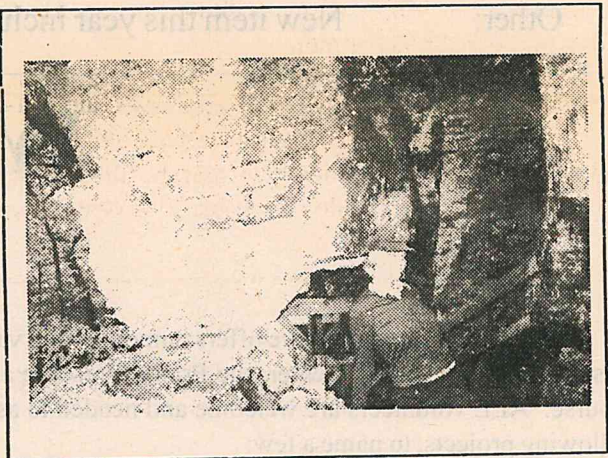


Heritage Farm Museum

Location: 8059 N. River Rd, Byron
Day: Every Day through October
Time: Monday-Friday 8am-4:30pm.
Saturday 10am-4pm
Sunday 2-6pm
Fee: Free self guided tours
Ages: All
Other: Call for more info.

Natural History Museum

Location: 7993 N. River Rd, Byron
Day: Every Day
Time: Mon-Thurs 8am-8pm
Fri. 8am-4:30pm
Sat 9am-4pm
Sun 1-4pm
Fee: Free
Ages: All
Other: Habitat exhibits, dioramas, audio interpretation, and prairie view.



Maquoketa Caves is a nature lover's paradise.



Summer Outdoor Concerts

All concerts are held at the Prairie Stage, 7993 N. River Rd., Byron on Sundays and begin at 7 pm. Rain location is the Jarrett Prairie Center.

August 11 - Rockford Pipe Band & Scottish Dancers

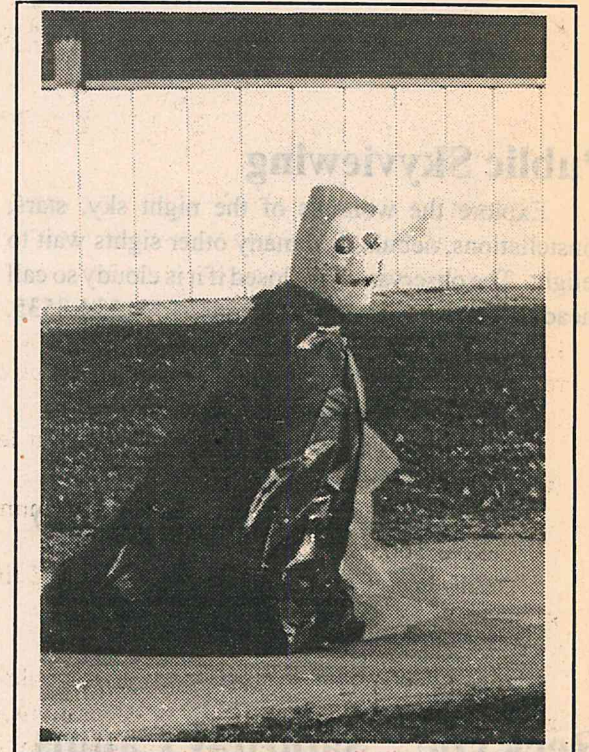
A favorite of First Night in Rockford, these area musicians put on a show that you will not soon forget. Arrive early because good seating will go quickly.

August 25- Pitch Packin Poppas

This talented Barbershop Quartet has won many contests for their singing. They have performed for all types of public and private functions and look forward to entertaining you.

This series is partially supported by a grant from the Rockford Area Arts Council which receives funding from the City of Rockford, the Illinois Arts Council, and its members.

Halloween on the Prairie - October 27, 2002-1:00-6:00p.m.



This annual event allows families to enjoy holiday crafts, games, and food. Our popular Haunted hayride will be back with more daylight hours. Games staffed by Byron Park District.

Location: Jarrett Prairie Center
 Day: Sunday, October 27
 Time: 1-6pm
 Fee: \$2/hayride.
 Ages: All
 Other: New item this year includes a giant inflatable toy!

Wanted: Volunteers

COME ONE! COME ALL!
 ALL AGES * ALL INTERESTS

The Byron Forest Preserve offers numerous and varied volunteer opportunities at the Jarrett Prairie Center, the Prairie Preserve and the Prairie View Golf Course. ALL volunteers are welcome and needed to assist with any or all of the following projects, to name a few:

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| *Beekeeping | *Nature Walks |
| *Bluebird Houses | *Observatory |
| *Filling Divots | *Operation Santa Claus |
| *Gift Shop | *Organizing the Library |
| *Greeting Visitors | *Prairie Restoration |
| *Halloween on the Prairie | *Ranger Rick Program |
| *Harvesting Seeds | *Teaching |
| *Junior Golf Tourney | *Tuesday Volunteer Group |
| *Maple Syrup-Making | *NEW WOODSHOP! |
| *Museum Operation | *MUCH MORE! |

The Byron Forest Preserve has many projects and special events that would greatly benefit from your assistance and expertise as the district continues to grow and develop new programs for the Prairie, Museum, Gift Shop & Golf Course.

***Choose a time to volunteer that fits your schedule!**

*Join us each Tuesday for fun projects from 8:30-11:30am

*Count your volunteer time as a Class Project!

*Make it an Eagle Scout Award or Silver/Gold Award Project!

FOR MORE INFORMATION: CALL KIM AT 815-234-8535 X203

WHAT DO VOLUNTEERS DO?

We have a woodworking department that specializes in projects for the Forest Preserve, a Nature Center that houses many different facilities for the community, a Prairie that envelopes over 600 acres, an Observatory that encompasses large telescopes for public viewing, and a Golf Course that draws people from every direction. With that in mind, we truly appreciate the support we receive each month from the volunteers.

IS THERE A SPECIAL TIME VOLUNTEERS MEET?

Volunteers are welcome just about anytime to assist with the many projects that are going on. If you would like to take part in the morning volunteer group, we meet Tuesday mornings from 8:30-11:30 in the Jarrett Prairie Center Blazingstar Room. We work on projects from the Education, Observatory, Clubhouse, and Maintenance Departments.

Although volunteers can set their own schedule, some activities require certain hours to best serve that division. For example, if you'd prefer to work on the prairie with beekeeping, honey making, brush removal, and prairie maintenance, the best time to work is between 6:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. If you'd like to help with at the Jarrett Prairie Center, the center is open between 8:30-8:00, but most employees leave before 5pm. Note: because the Observatory operates both daytime and evening hours, we do have an employee that stays into the evening hours to assist the volunteers.

Please call 234-8535 X 203 if you would like further information. For Observatory info call X217. We welcome your assistance!

WHERE DO VOLUNTEERS MEET?

For those who enjoy working inside, we need volunteers to help with education projects, special events, museum tours, the Observatory, and the workshop. For those who enjoy being outside, we need individuals to expedite with Prairie Maintenance, Golf Maintenance, beekeeping, brush removal, birdkeeping, hosting special events, and much more! THERE IS A PLACE FOR YOU!



Celebrate Your Birthday at the Forest Preserve!

Lots of fun without the work! Children five and up can celebrate their Birthday here at the forest preserve. Choose a theme, and we provide nature-oriented activities, games, and crafts for any group of kids. Choose a deluxe party and we will also provide refreshments, decorations, and clean-up. It's fun and it's easy!

DATE and TIME: Should be reserved at least two weeks before the party date.

COST: Standard: \$5.00 per child/\$30.00 minimum
Deluxe: \$60.00

OTHER: Call to reserve your date and time: 815-234-8535 ext. 232.

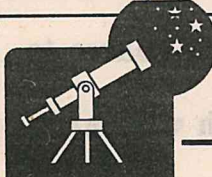
Standard party: Adults are responsible for providing refreshments, party favors, decorations, and help with clean-up. Forest Preserve staff provides games, crafts, and other theme-related activities.

Deluxe party: We will provide cake, ice cream, punch, plates, cups, napkins, a Birthday banner, and all clean-up. The \$60.00 fee will provide servings for twelve (12) people. If more guests are expected, extra cake and ice cream can be ordered for an additional \$30.00.



Preschool is just around the corner!

Star Notes



As the Earth continues its travels around the sun, we prepare to say good-bye to the summer constellations and enjoy the fall constellations.

August-Mars is still the brightest thing in the evening sky next to the moon. Unfortunately it is the only bright planet visible in our evening skies. Sagittarius and Scorpio ride low in the southwest now while the Milky Way swings high overhead and is easy to see. It is made up of the light of the billions of stars that make up our galaxy. This band of light passes right through two of the bright stars of the Summer Triangle, Altair and Deneb. The other star, bright Vega lies a little to the west. The highlight of the month will be the Perseid Meteor shower. Active July 17-August 24, the main peak should be around Saturday/Sunday August 11/12. We should get good views of meteors until the

Choose a theme:

Native Americans: Experience an ancient way of life and make your own traditional child's toy to take home.

The Sky's the Limit: Enter a real observatory and explore the stars, moons, and planets. Create a galaxy in a jar or other craft to take home.

Snakes are Terrific: Meet a real snake up close and learn about how they live, then make a great snake craft to take home.

Where Does a Butterfly Go When It Rains? Have fun acting out this story and make a butterfly mobile to put in your room.

Creepy Crawlies: Discover the amazing world of bugs! Catch live insects with a net, and finish with an insect craft.

We can also plan activities around a nature theme of your choice—please let us know!



Recycling Station

The Byron Forest Preserve, in conjunction with the Ogle County Solid Waste Management Department, has established a recycling station at the Forest Preserve. The station accepts glass, aluminum, plastic #1-5 & #7, tin, steel, mixed paper, cardboard, and newspaper. The bin is located in the maintenance parking lot at 7993 N. River Rd in Byron.

The station is open during daylight hours, seven days per week. Please recycle responsibly by leaving the area cleaner than when you arrived.

Banquets . . .

Need a beautiful place to hold your holiday party or your next social or business occasion?



PrairieView offers the Pavilion Banquet Hall and a meeting room located in the clubhouse.

The Jarrett Prairie Center has several rooms available for rental at reasonable rates. The newly remodeled Prairie View room, overlooking the splendors of nature in all seasons, the Blazingstar Room and the Indigo Room, are all located in the Jarrett Prairie Center. These banquet rooms are available for seminars, family reunions, outdoor education classes, group tours, and a variety of other uses. The Jarrett Prairie Center accommodates up to 250 people. Full bar service is available.

There are also two picnic shelters available. The shelters include tables, electricity, water, grills, and handicap accessible restrooms. Plus, you and your guests will enjoy the priceless natural beauty of the Byron Forest Preserve. If you would like more information, please call Robin at 815-234-8535 ext. 200.

third quarter moon comes up shortly after midnight. See the Backyard Astronomy schedule for the Shooting Stars Meteor Watch.

On September nights the Milky Way arcs high across the sky, running through Cassiopeia, Cygnus, Aquila and Sagittarius. The Summer Triangle still rides high and rising in the east is the Great Square of Pegasus and W shaped Cassiopeia. Andromeda, the woman in chains follows Pegasus and carries with her the great Andromeda galaxy. This galaxy is part of our local group of galaxies and is only 2.4 million light years away.

October brings us the return of the ringed planet Saturn to our evening skies. In the beginning of the month it rises late, around 10:00 p.m., but by the end of the month it's up by 7:00 p.m. In the telescope,

Saturn's rings are clearly visible, also often seen are at least one of its 21 moons.

The Weiskopf Observatory is open for Public Viewing every Saturday and Tuesday of each month. The Observatory is closed if it is cloudy, please call (815)-234-8535 to confirm viewing conditions. Sessions start about dark and are free to the public. Please dress for the weather as the dome is not heated.

The Weiskopf Observatory is also available for private tours. The program includes fun and interesting activities relating to constellations, the Solar system, stars and star movements, telescopes and constellation myths. Cost is \$2 per person and tours can be arranged by calling Richie at the above number, ext 217.

PrairieView Golf Course News

North German Church Road, Byron (815) 234-GOLF(4653)

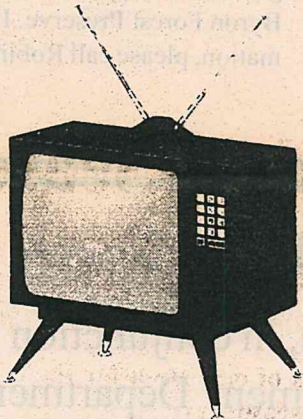
Gold Medal Classic

Here is your chance to compete against Northern Illinois' best amateur golfers.

This thirty-six hole two-day tournament will be held on September 7 & 8. Anyone over the age of 18 is welcome to play and compete for prizes totaling over \$5,000! All players are flighted after the first round, so you will have a chance to win your flight championship. Registration forms are available in the clubhouse or by calling 234-4653.

New Commercial!!

If you haven't seen PrairieView's commercial yet, you must not have a TV! This commercial has been broadcast every weekend during professional golf tournaments. Be sure to tune in, and try to guess where all the pictures were taken.



Junior Fundraiser a Success!!

Nearly \$13,000 was raised to benefit junior golf.



June 22nd marked the seventh annual Junior Fundraiser Tournament with a field of 152 people. Nearly \$13,000 was raised to benefit junior golf. This day would not be possible without the help and hard work of all the volunteers. Byron golf coach Mark Cameron made a huge contribution of time and effort once again.

A special thanks goes to the many local businesses that donated to the event and made it a success.

Funds from the tournament help support the many junior golf programs such as the annual bus trips, trophies and prizes, tournaments, and leagues. None of this would be possible without the help and generosity of all the people involved.

Women's Golf League

Check out the Fall Hours!

It's not too late to sign up and play in one of the ladies golf leagues. The Tuesday morning and evening leagues are open to anyone interested in playing. All ability levels are encouraged to come join anytime. There is a bulletin board in the ladies room that posts starting hours for the fall, and other special events. For more information, call 234-GOLF.

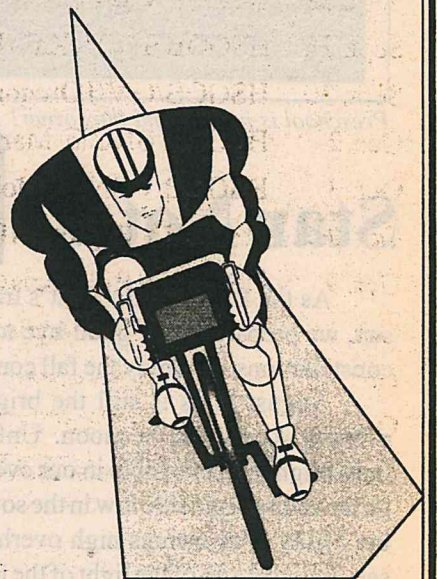
New Scorecards!

If you haven't played PrairieView lately, then you haven't seen the new scorecards. A large card with several pictures on it will be the main card for most people to use. This card has pictures of every hole, with yardage to bunkers and other landmarks. The pictures on the front and inside of the card were taken last fall by Rick Masterson of Focus Marketing. We were pleased with the results. Two smaller cards were also developed without pictures for people who play the course regularly, and don't need the extra information. The smaller cards also are easier to handle by a junior, and will be used extensively in junior league.



Great News for Parents! Bike Path Completed

The bike path connecting the golf course to town has been completed! This path will safely guide people across Route 72 and River Road, and up to the golf course. As always, lockers are available for club storage in the basement of the clubhouse. The small fee is worth the convenience of keeping the golf clubs at the course.



BHS Golf Teams

The Byron High School Golf Team enjoyed a successful 2001 season by winning their Regional, Sectional, and placing fourth at the state tournament. A few Seniors have graduated, but the team still looks to be a strong contender in 2002. The girls team had it's best showing highlighted by Senior Sarah Morine qualifying for the state tournament. The commitment to practice was a key part to all of their success.

Please contact Coach Mark Cameron if you are interested in playing on one of the teams. The first day of practice is scheduled for August 19. During home practice sessions and home meets, the course may be busier than normal, and your patience and understanding is appreciated.

Come Out and Support the Team!!!

- Aug. 19 HSGOB/G Practice Starts
- Aug. 26 HSGOB S @ Lutheran Tourn Boys Sophomore
- Aug. 28 HSGOB/G V/J Christian Life @ PV, 4:00 PM Boys/Girls Varsity
- Aug. 29 HSGOB/G Richmond Burton, 4:00 PM
- Aug. 31 HSGOB V @ Lena Invite, 8AM
- Sept. 3 HSGOB/G R. Falls & Bureau Va. @ PV, 4:00 PM
- Sept. 4 HSGOB/G @ R. Lutheran, 4PM Boys/Girls
- Sept. 5 HSGOG V/J @ Freeport, 4 PM Girls Varsity
- Sept. 10 HSGOB/G Genoa Kingston @ PV, 4:00 PM Boys/Girls
- Sept. 11 HSGOB/G @ Central, 4:00 PM Boys/Girls
- Sept. 12 HSGOG V/J Boylan @ PV, 4PM Girls Varsity
- Sept. 14 HSGOB S @ Oregon Tourn., 9:00 AM Boys Sophomore
- Sept. 16 HSGOG V/J @ Harlem, 4 PM Girls Varsity
- Sept. 17 HSGOB/G V/J @ Marengo, 4:15 PM Boys/Girls Varsity
- Sept. 18 HSGOB Mendota @ PV, 4 PM Boys
- Sept. 19 HSGOB/G V/J Hampshire @ PV, 4:00 PM Boys/Girls Varsity
- Sept. 21 HSGOB V @ Wessels Invite, 9:00 AM Boys Varsity
- Sept. 23 HSGOB/G Harvard @ PV, 4PM Boys/Girls Varsity
- Sept. 25 HSGOB V/J @ Johnsburg, 4PM Boys Varsity
- Sept. 26 HSGOG V/J Freeport @ PV, 4:00 PM Girls Varsity
- Sept. 28 HSGOB V @ Fran Noyes Invite Boys Varsity
- Sept. 28 HSGOB S @ DeKalb Invite, 8:00 AM Boys Sophomore
- Sept. 30 HSGOB/G V/J Oregon @ PV, 4:00 PM Boys/Girls Varsity
- Oct. 2 HSGOG BNC @ Marengo
- Oct. 3 HSGOB V BNC @ Johnsburg, 9:00 AM Boys Varsity
- Oct. 8 HSGOB V Regionals Boys Varsity
- Oct. 9 HSGOG V Regionals Girls Varsity
- Oct. 15 HSGOB V Sectionals Boys Varsity @ PrairieView
- Oct. 15 HSGOG V Sectionals Girls Varsity
- Oct. 18 HSGOB/G State Finals Boys Varsity
- Oct. 19 HSGOB/G State Finals Girls Varsity

Hours of Operation & Reservation Information

PrairieView's golf course and practice facilities summer hours of operation are 6 a.m. to dusk, Monday - Sunday from May 1st through Labor Day.

Tee time reservations are available seven days a week before 4pm. Byron residents and PrairieView passholders may reserve a tee time eight days in advance, otherwise tee times are available seven days in advance for all others. Weekend and holiday reservations fill up quickly. Be prepared to give your PrairieView ID Card number, or a MasterCard/Visa or Discover charge card number to guarantee your reservation. As in the past, junior season passholders may not reserve tee times.

Junior Golf News

The junior summer golf leagues were a tremendous success at PrairieView. The Junior Developmental League (JDL) had over 80 juniors registered to play on Tuesdays or Thursdays throughout the summer. They were placed in divisions based on ability with the less experienced golfers playing 5 to 6 holes, while more experienced golfers play 9 to 18 holes. A reward program was used in which they earn tickets by answering rules questions correctly, dressing in an appropriate manner, calling in the day before league play to reserve a spot, or turning in and posting their score. These tickets will be exchanged for pro shop merchandise at the picnic on August 13th. Advanced Players Series League (APS) is a competitive league in which experienced tournament players compete against each other. Prizes are awarded based on low scores for stroke play.

Fall Junior Golf League

The Fall Junior League was a huge success last year with 14 teams with 6 players on each. This fall, plans are underway to expand the league, dividing it into three levels, based on playing ability. Any local business that would like sponsor a Fall league team should call Ken Ledene at 234-4653 for information.

End-of-Season Hours

Hours of operation for the remainder of the 2002 golf season are:

- August - September 2 (Labor Day) - 6:00 AM - dusk, Monday - Sunday
- September 3 - October - 7:00 AM - dusk weekdays and 6:30 AM - dusk weekends
- October 7 - October 31 - 8:00 AM - dusk week days and 7:30 AM - dusk weekends
- November - Closing - 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM Monday - Sunday as weather conditions allow

