



# PrairieView Golfer

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## FROM THE DESK OF: JOE PARKS - CLUB- HOUSE MANAGER

Since the last report to the residents of the Byron Forest Preserve District, the clubhouse has been completed and is ready for the opening of the course on May 1, 1992. We plan for all 18 holes to be opened on this date.

During the month of October, the clubhouse and driving range were open. Over \$1,000 was taken in.

The district added ten more golf carts to the new fleet. This makes a total of 30 carts available for start-up. All motor carts will be equipped with roofs. The course has 20 pull carts ready for rental use.

Items are being ordered for the pro shop periodically so that golfers will have all the necessary equipment available for purchase at PrairieView. Should anyone wish to purchase gift certificates or equipment for Christmas gifts this holiday, call (815) 234-8535 or (815) 234-GOLF for information.

Groups are now beginning to inquire about the use of the course for leagues and outings. At the present time, five dates have been tentatively reserved.

Anyone interested in establishing times and dates for leagues or play days, should also call (815) 234-8535. All such requests are on a first-come, first-serve basis this year.

The winter months will see us completing some small equipment purchases for the course. This includes such items

as bag stands, trash cans, benches, etc. These items, along with the tee signs obtained through various businesses in the area, will be in place for our opening.

Resident, seasonal reservations will open at 8:00 AM on January 11, 1992. Residents must make their own reservations. Since each resident may make a foursome reserve, only one member of the foursome need be present or a member of his or her family with a written authorization. Again, this will be on a first-come, first-serve basis.

## BOARD APPROVES TENTATIVE OPERAT- ING SCHEDULE

The Byron Forest Preserve District Board of Commissioners approved a preliminary operating schedule, in July, for the new golf course scheduled for opening in the spring of 1992.

On the schedule, provisions are made for juniors, ladies, and senior citizens' golf. These three groups will be given a reduced rate for golf during these time periods.

Unlimited play passes will be offered to golfers also at a reduced rate.

Season passes are good seven days a week and are not transferrable.

Only play days supersede season passes. Passes may not be used for tournament and play day fees.

## GOLF PHOTO IDENTIFICATION PERMITS AVAILABLE

On Monday, December 2, 1991, the Byron Forest Preserve District started issuing photo identification permits to golfers who are residents of the Byron Forest Preserve District. The permits can be obtained at the Jarrett Prairie Center located at 7993 River Road, Byron, between the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM, Monday through Saturday.

To obtain special golf rates, all residents must have a photo I.D. permit, including all ages from 13 years old and up. Not having a permit will require all individuals to pay a regular non-resident fee.

The procedures for obtaining a photo I.D. permit is as follows:

1. Complete application form at the Jarrett Prairie Center.
2. Show proof of age and residency by driver's license or other means of identification.
3. A photo will be taken.
4. I.D. card will be completed.
5. I.D. card will identify you as a junior, regular, or senior golfer.
6. Junior is age 13-18, regular is age 19-64, and senior is age 65 and older.

## OUTINGS AND LEAGUE PROCEDURES

The Byron Forest Preserve District has established guidelines for groups who wish to have outings or leagues at the PrairieView Golf Course during the 1992 season.

### Outings:

1. All outings are accepted on a first come, first-serve basis.
2. Tee times are restricted to 6 AM - 4 PM.
3. A deposit will be paid at the time the date is set.
4. All golf fees must be paid 10 days in advance including any reservation fee. The original deposit will count towards this reservation fee.
5. Play days must be requested 45 days in advance if not done prior to March 14, 1992.
6. Outings can be 9 or 18 holes.
7. The golfers can be a minimum of 20 to a maximum of 200.
8. Reservations made six months in advance require a \$25 deposit. Others require a \$50 deposit.
9. Other requirements and information will be given upon request.

### Leagues:

1. The district does not sponsor any league play. Leagues are to be run independently of the Byron Forest Preserve District.
2. Leagues will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.
3. Being in a league does not guarantee "tee" time, as all league golfers are to register in the same manner as any open recreational golfer. However, through proper cooperation of the league and course manager, play on the course can be efficiently planned.
4. All league secretaries are required to notify the manager as to location, time, day, and the number of golfers along with the starting date for the league. A contact name and number should also be included.

### Tee Time Reserves:

The district has a procedure for golfers to reserve tee times for play during the whole season. A charge of \$1 per foursome will be required for each tee time to be reserved. The date for registering for reserve tee times is Saturday, January 11, 1992. Individual times for registering are as follows:

8:00 AM - Women draw for foursomes.

9:00 AM - Seniors draw for foursomes.

10:00 AM - All other residents draw for foursomes.

11:00 AM - Non-residents draw for foursomes.

Other rules for reserving tee times will be explained on January 11, 1992.

### Leagues and Tournaments:

PrairieView will be available for leagues and tournaments. Leagues will be scheduled on a first-come, first-serve basis. There will be a limit to the number of tournaments allowed for the 1992 season. Again, a request form must be completed and signed by the league president or sponsor. Other rules will be in force and provided with the application form. Call the district office at (815) 234-8535 or (815) 234-GOLF for other details.

### Fees and Charges:

Listed below are the fees for the 1992 season at the PrairieView Golf Course.

#### A. SEASON PERMITS

Resident	\$325.00
Resident Couple	525.00
Non-resident	400.00
Non-resident Couple	600.00
Sr. Citizen	275.00
Sr. Citizen Couple	375.00
Junior	70.00

(Must be accompanied by an adult when outside jr. play hrs)

#### B. ROUND FEES

	<u>WD</u>	<u>WE</u>
Resident (18 holes)	\$12.00	\$15.00
Non-resident (18 holes)	14.00	17.00
Sr. Citizen (18 holes)	10.00	
Sr. Citizen (9 holes)	8.00	
Resident (9 holes)	9.00	11.00
Resident Leagues (9 holes)	9.00	11.00
Junior	7.00	
(Must be accompanied by adult when outside designated jr. play hrs.)		
10-Play Corporate Pass (Only)	140.00	140.00

#### C. MISCELLANEOUS FEES

Motorized Carts (18 holes)	13.00	15.00
Motorized Carts (9 holes)	10.00	12.00
Private Carts	6.00	8.00
Pull Carts	1.00	1.00
Reserve Time Per Foursome	1.00	1.00
Reserve Time Playday Foursome (Negotiable authority permitted)	2.00	2.00
Club Rental (Driver's License for Deposit)	5.00	5.00
Driving Range Club (Driver's License for Deposit)	1.00	1.00
Driving Range - Small Bucket	1.50	1.50
Driving Range - Large Bucket	2.00	2.00
Driving Range Coupons (12 Small Buckets)	15.00	15.00
Photo I.D. Card	1.00	
Replacement I.D. Card (if lost)	10.00	
Renewal Cards	1.00	