



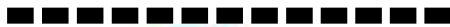
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## ZIMMERMAN TOPS WATERDOWNED IAA SANDY PINES FIELD 30 of 84 Participants succumb to rain, elect not to complete round

In a very tight match, it appears that Tom Zimmerman edged Mother Nature as the two battled and dominated the 84 IAA golfers challenging the very nice and picturesque Sandy Pines track. Zimmerman's even par 72 edged defending IAA Champion Frank Katsinis' 75 and Cleve Rankin's 77. Weather played havoc with the fourth and final qualifying outing as rain caused mid-round delays of nearly one hour. Though the majority of the field continued their rounds, some 30 players withdrew. These players will be credited with participation when determining qualifications for the championship event at Glenwoodie.

Championship team members for the August outing are Katsinis (75), Rose Ceperich (86), Dennis Perigo (91), and Randy Chavez (104), with a team total of 233. Each member will receive a paid entry into the September Championships at Glenwoodie (provided they play in two monthly events).

### TOP TEN

ZIMMERMAN, TOM	72	KRAUSHAAR, MIKE	79
KATSINAS, FRANK	75	DICIANNI, BOB	79
RANKIN, CLEVE	77	PATTERSON, CHET	80
SKERTICH, ERIC	78	KOUNELIS, FRANK	81
SPRINGER, BILL	79	ACEVEZ, PETE	81

## 24 Challenge Michigan Golf

Twenty four IAA members made the two hour trek into southwestern Michigan August 18 - 20 to partake in the IAA's 5th annual Golf Getaway Weekend. Participants challenged the difficult layouts offered by Stonehedge North & South (Richland, MI), Heritage Glen (Paw Paw MI), and Angel's Crossing (Vicksburg, MI), playing up to 90 holes in the three day stretch.

The trip's first round was played at Stonehedge South where the team of Mike Kraushaar (78), Alex Tants (88), Tim Messman (85), and Tony Clements (100) won the best ball format with a total of 244. In the afternoon round, Kraushaar (76) and Dan Pariso (97) fired a 85 total in the hi-lo format to edge Vasko Cacovski (85) and Jimmie Harris (91), 87 total. In Saturday action, Mike Edwards (80), Mark Pawlowski (87), Dan Serrato (94), and John "all-in" Hill (98) totaled 183 in the hi-lo format to easily outdistance the second place finishers Cavoski, Leon Williams, Messman, and Pam Golon. The afternoon scramble was won by Mike Edwards, John Leach, Ted Porter, and Tony Clements. Sunday's team low ball event was won by Mike Walls (93), Tim Messman (81), John Houchin (97), and Larry Robinson (90), with a total of 71. The players also enjoyed a night of texas holdem and pizza. Henry "Chip Bully" Cole walked away with the cash, while, "all-in" Hill lived up to his nickname, going all-in and all-out very early in the contest.

Plans for next year's event are in the works. Potential locations include courses in the West Lafayette area, Northern Michigan area, or a return trip to southwestern Michigan with a slight change in course itinerary.

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**ATTENTION  
NASCAR FANS**

IAA is planning a bus trip to the Indianapolis Motor Speedway for 2007. The race will be Sunday, July 29<sup>th</sup>. This trip is still in the planning stage. The price and details will be coming out in the next issue of the newsletter. We will be taking reservations to fill one bus, possibly two.

Please call Marlene Berwald @ 399-5916 or Steven Berwald @ 399-3830

If you are interested in this trip, please call so we can put you on the waiting list. Number of people responding will determine the number of buses. Please reserve your spot early.

**DEEP RIVER 2006**

While the IAA weather track record for the annual Deep River night is less than stellar, this year's crowd was the largest ever. Cool temperatures trimmed attendance to slightly less than 1500 members and their families. Eli Dimovski, who won one of the IAA logo

beach towels commented that it felt warmer than the reported 70 degrees since there was no wind. Other winners of the door prize drawing are listed below.

All IAA events are subsidized and require membership in order to participate. Look for membership info elsewhere in this newsletter. With all of our merged sister companies, the demand for tickets outpaced the comfortable limit for an evening event this year. Chairman Joey Koleff is investigating alternatives with Deep River folks. High on the feedback list is a reduced price all day ticket that can be used anyday during the summer. This will be beneficial for members and the park since we can eliminate the uncertainties of the weather and individual's schedules. Raffle winners should contact Joey @ 365-4978

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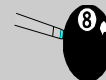
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**IAA POOL LEAGUE**

*Members are needed to participate in the IAA Pool League starting September 11, 2006. Get your team together! Let's have some fun. For more information, please contact:*

Minnie Nieves  
Home: 397-9017  
Cell: 902-9206  
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**GREAT AMERICA OUTING 2006**

With picture perfect weather and 700 in attendance, it doesn't get better than that! We really had a good turn out for our Great America weekend this year. We sold over 700 park tickets and 300 picnic grove tickets this year! "I would like to thank everyone who helped make this a fun weekend!" stated Great America Chairperson *Marlene Berwald*

**FRIENDLY REMINDER**

Thank you for considering to participate in our organization's many activities, events, and programs. When participating with our organization, keep in mind we are representatives of the I.A.A. Please maintain a respectful code of conduct while participating with the group. Let our behavior exuberate a sense of pride to be associated with the organization and allow us to continue to provide a wholesome environment.

## SCHULDT, VAUTER SHARE TOP LONGWOOD HONORS WITH 70's Field of 108 participate in Third IAA Event of 2006

Scott Schuldt and Lou Vauter fired 2-under par 70's to top a field of 108 IAA golfers at the July event hosted by Longwood Country Club. Schuldt and Vauter ran away from their next closest counterparts Bill Springer (74) and Todd Victor (74). Rounding out the top five with 75's were Tony Falluca, Dennis Shattuck, and Dave Alvarado.

Championship team members for the July outing are John Weller (79), JC Reed (84), Mike Karpik (97), and John Leach (104) with a team total of 231. Each member will receive a paid entry into the September Championships at Glenwoodie (provided they play in two monthly events).

Skins were won by Todd Victor (#1), James Harris (#3), Lou Vauter (#8), Ryan Schuldt (#10), and John Weller (#16). Closest-to-the pins were won by Dennis Shattuck (#3), Vasko Cacovoski (#8), John Weller (#11), and Bill Springer (#18). Fifty/Fifty drawing was won by OC Sams.

### TOP TEN

SCHULDT, SCOTT	70	FALLUCA, TONY	75	SCHULDT, RYAN	77
VAUTER, LOU	70	SHATTUCK, DENNIS	75	CRAWFORD, ALAN	77
VICTOR, TODD	74	ALVARADO, DAVE	75	DICIANNI, BOB	77
SPRINGER, BILL	74	SKERTICH, ERIC	76	SIMPKINS, EUGENE	77
				WHITE, MELVIN	77

## DICIANNI LIGHTS UP SOUTH SHORE WITH 4-UNDER 66, TOPS IAA FIELD OF 132 Springer, Katsinis fire 69's to finish second

Bob Diciani carded a nifty 31 on the South Shore inward nine enroute to a spectacular 66 to top the field of 132 at South Shore June 17. DiCianni distanced himself from second place finishers Bill Springer (69) and Frank Katsinis (69). Lou Vauter, Scott Schuldt, Frank Kounelis, and Ken Garson rounded out the top five by firing 73's.

Championship team members for the June outing are Tony Falluca (76), Eugene Simpkins (83), Jaime Calderon (92), and Joe Urbancyk (101) with a team total of 225. Each member will receive a paid entry into the September Championships at Glenwoodie (provided they play in two monthly events).

Skins were won by Tony Falluca (#3), John Fife (#9), Mike Karpik (#14), Lou Spann (#15), and Rob Ganz (#16). Falluca and Spann both recorded eagles. Closest-to-the pins were won by Ken Garson (#5), Leon Williams (#7), Lou Vauter (#11), and Dennis McCarthy (#13). Ron Parsanko won the 50/50 drawing.

### TOP TEN

DICIANNI, BOB	66	KOUNELIS, FRANK	73	SCHULDT, RYAN	75
SPRINGER, BILL	69	GARSON, KEN	73	SHATTUCK, DENNIS	76
KATISINAS, FRANK	69	SCHULDT, SCOTT	73	FALLUCA, TONY	76
VAUTER, LOU	73	KRAUSHAAR, MIKE	74	VICTOR, TODD	76

## WILCOX FIRES 74, TOPS IAA FIELD OF 108 Springer, Zimmerman One Stroke Back @ Glenwoodie Event

Mark Wilcox, a contender in the previous two IAA championships, has served notice to this year's hopefuls, with a strong 74 in the inaugural event of the 2006 campaign. Wilcox edged playing partners Tom Zimmerman and Bill Springer by a single stroke in the event contested at Glenwoodie, the site of the 2006 championships. Lou Vauter (77), Cleve Rankin (79), past champion Les Victor (79), and three-time defending IAA champion Frank Katsinis (79) rounded out the top five.

Once again, the monthly events will feature team champions. The teams will be drawn randomly from those participating. The field is separated into four flights based on score, and one person from each flight is assigned to a team.

Championship team members for the May outing are Dave Alvarado (84), Frank Kowal (93), Jeff Kopil (99), and Romeo Garnett (111) with a team total of 240. Each member will receive a paid entry into the September Championships at Glenwoodie (provided they play in two monthly events). The team edged Zimmerman, Rick Ward, Don Ward, and John "All-in" Hill - who tallied 242.

Zimmerman's birdie on #10 and Mike Kraushaar's birdie on #4 were the only skins. Katsinis, Vauter, Robert Acevez, and Dennis Altgilbers won closest-to-the-pin honors.

### TOP TEN

WILCOX, MARK	74	RANKIN, CLEVE	79	FRAZIER, OTIS	81
ZIMMERMAN, TOM	75	KATSINIS, FRANK	79	KRAUSHAAR, MIKE	83
SPRINGER, BILL	75	VICTOR, LES	79	SKERTICH, TERRY	83
VAUTER, LOU	77				

**Travel**

Go Next – formerly Global Holidays – is offering a variety of travel destinations in the Fall of 2006.

The French Riviera & Provence – 9/29-10/7 or 10/13-10/21 - \$1,849

Beijing, China – 11/2-11/9 or 11/9-11/16 - \$1,599

Italy (Lake Como) & Swiss Alps – 10/6-10/14 or 10/20-10/28 - \$1,799

Treasures of Italy – 9/22-9/30 or 10/13-10-21 - \$1,799

Ireland – 9/22-9/30 - \$1,799

Prices are based upon per person and include airfare, accommodations, some meals, and transfers between airports and hotels.

Optional excursions are available for an additional cost.

For more information, access [www.gonext.com](http://www.gonext.com) or call 1-800-842-9023. Please indicate that you are a member of the Inland Athletic Association. Your family and friends can participate.

**Suggestions/Ideas??**

Does anyone have any ideas for one or two day trips or special events that we can organize for IAA members? Let us know your ideas.

Call Barb Pfister at (312) 899-3971 or e-mail her at: [barbara.pfister@mittalsteel.com](mailto:barbara.pfister@mittalsteel.com)

**The Center for Visual and Performing Arts – Theatre at the Center (Munster)**

IAA members are eligible to receive a \$10 per ticket discount on the following performances. Your cost per ticket is \$25.00.

If you are interested in this performance, please indicate how many tickets you want and send your check and this form in by the due date. The 30 tickets purchased by IAA are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Tickets will be sent to your home address prior to the performance.

Performance	# of tickets needed	Total \$ Amount	Deadline For Payment
<b>A Christmas Story</b> Sunday, December 17 @ 2:30 p.m.			11/1/06

Send checks payable to IAA to:

Mittal Steel USA, Barbara Pfister (6-019), 1 S. Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60603

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

Call Barb at (312) 899-3971 if you have any questions.

**“Mid-America Tours” Day Trip  
CHRISTMAS IN WISCONSIN  
Saturday, November 18**

Visit Cedar Creek Settlement in Cedarburg, Wisconsin, for Christmas shopping in the shops and studios of the Old Wittenberg Woolen Mill. Later, enjoy a delicious luncheon at the Alpine Village Restaurant. Tour the Pabst Mansion for their annual “Christmas in Wisconsin” celebration. The mansion displays over 25 trees with ornamental decorations.

Make checks payable to **Mid-America Tours**. Deadline to reserve your seat is October 2, 2006. Payment will be due on October 18, 2006.

Departing 6:45 a.m. from First United Methodist Church, 44<sup>th</sup> Place N. Cline, Griffith (parking lot). Returning 5:45 p.m.

For more information call: Barb Pfister at (312) 899-3971 or Marlene Berwald at (219) 399-5916.

Mail reservations and payment to: Marlene Berwald, 3210 Watling Street, #2SP MC 2-506, East Chicago, IN 46312

**Christmas in Wisconsin November 18, 2006**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed \_\_\_\_\_ Departure point \_\_\_\_\_

**IAA WEB SITE ACCESS**



To All Mittal Employees:

Access the IAA website through Mittal Steel USA Intranet site. Click on “Weather/Time/Other Links”, then click on “Inland Athletic Association Link”. The Internet is not needed to access the site.



Inland Athletic Association's Instructional/Family Weekend
January 26 - 28, 2007

Shantycreek/Schuss Mountain Resort
Bellaire, Michigan

Yes, we're going back, and we've added more rooms due to the popularity of this trip! A great weekend whether you just started learning or you're trying to improve or tune up your existing skiing/snowboarding skills. Or maybe, you're just looking to get away for a cozy weekend. The Weekend Super Ticket is good for skiing at both resorts. The instructional clinics are tailored for children through adults at a variety of skill levels. There also will be time to ski or board with each other outside of the instructional clinics. Don't miss the fabulous buffets, generous raffle, entertainment and fellowship with your family and friends. Register as soon as possible. Space is limited; first come, first served based on receipt of complete registration. Must be an IAA member to receive the following rates. Membership dues are \$12 per year. Register before or at the September 8th kickoff to be in a special drawing for a special gift.

\$270 per Adult based on Single Occupancy (\$250 without instruction)

\$215 per Adult based on Double Occupancy (\$195 without instruction)

\$120 per Youth ages 9-17 staying with adult (non-instruction package not available)

\$105 per Youth ages 3-8 staying with adult (non-instruction package not available)

The package includes:

- Complimentary Day and Night skiing on Friday (arrival day) at the Summit Slopes
• Friday and Saturday night hotel lodging at the Summit Resort
• (2) Breakfasts - Saturday/Sunday and (1) Dinner - Saturday
• Weekend Super ticket and Nordic Pass and Complimentary Shuttle service between resorts
• Daycare for children up to age 6 not skiing (must call in advance)
• \*\*Up to (8) hours ski instruction with the Instructional Clinics and NASTAR Race

Rental Equipment is NOT included

To register complete the registration form below for each room and send it with your deposit (checks made payable to I.A.A.) to: Joe Sarwacinski, 6607 New Hampshire Ave, Hammond, IN 46323. For further information, please call Joe at (219)844-5854, jpsarw@comcast.net. You will be notified to confirm your registration and will receive an itinerary for the weekend. If you are not an I.A.A. member, include your membership form with dues.

Payment Schedule

Deposit due November 6, 2006 - \$100 per person 18 and older - \$50 per person ages 3 - 17 yrs
Balance due December 8, 2006

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I.A.A. Member Name (please print) address,city,state,zip phone(s) email

Table with 6 columns: Name (s), Age, Snowboard/Ski/Nordic, Rental (yes/no), Level (beg/int/adv), Deposit Amt

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### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- September 9 Championships - Glenwoodie
- September 11 Pool League Startup
- October 21 Purdue Boilermakers vs Wisconsin
- November 18 Christmas in Wisconsin Trip
- December 17 A Christmas Story - Theater @ The Center
- January 26-28 Schuss/Shanty Creek Instruction Weekend
- July 29 Indy Motor Speedway Trip



### SOX/CUBS GAMES



Expressway construction did not stop IAA baseball fans from enjoying a pair of games which included both World Series contestants. First, on a picture perfect summer evening on the south side, the World champion White Sox took on the St Louis Cardinals. In an awesome display of power, the Sox exploded for 11 runs in the 3rd inning to take a commanding lead and coast to a 20-6 victory. Home runs by Joe Crede, A. J. Pierzynski, and Juan Uribe sealed the fate for the National League Division leading Cardinals. While we did not get to see Hobart's Larry Bigbie play, his dad, Larry Sr (#3 Cold Strip Instrument Service) stopped by our group and handed out trading cards of the St Louis outfielder.

A month later on the north side, the struggling Cubs put together good pitching by rookie Carlos Marmol, and a three run home run by Phil Nevin to give the struggling Cubs a rare victory. After giving up a run in the top of the 4th inning, Nevin launched the home run that gave the Cubs the lead and ultimately a victory over the defending national league champions. The expanded seating in Wrigley field required logistic changes on bus staging on Waveland and Sheffield Avenue. While these changes were significant, they had only a slight impact on our trip. "We got back about 30 minutes later than usual." event coordinator Joey Koleff noted. Regardless of the time, all of the Cubs fans were happy.



### PURDUE BOILERMAKERS VS WISCONSIN

Joe Tiller says "I like this team!" Well Joe, The IAA likes this team too and will be joining you when the Boilermakers play host to Wisconsin on October 21. Like last year, the discounted tickets will be offered to IAA members as a ticket only with no transportation. Clip and send in the coupon below. Tickets are priced at \$40 with a limit of 4 per member please.



Mail to: Joey Koleff (Make checks payable to IAA Inc.)  
7349 w. 83<sup>rd</sup> Pl  
Crown Point, IN. 46307

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# Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ x \$40 \_\_\_\_\_



### ATTENTION FUTURE RETIREES

Prior to your retirement, please mail or e-mail membership chairperson to find out if you qualify to continue your membership for free upon retirement. If not, once you leave the company, you must annually register to continue your privileges.

Don't miss out on the many existing and future benefits. Also mail any changes in address, retirement status, etc.

Send your name, address, and a phone number where you can be reached via mail to:

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