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Current information on all IAA activities may be found on our website, and the internet is not needed. Visit us at:

www.iaa.mittalsteelusa.com

Friendly Reminder: When participating in any IAA sponsored events let our behavior demonstrate a sense of pride to be associated with the organization and allow us to continue to provide a wholesome environment.

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219-787-3432

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Retiring? Moving?

Send in any changes to your address or membership status.

New Mailing Address

Barb Pfister c/o I.A.A.
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Munster, IN 46321

* * Wanted * *

We are looking for some fresh ideas to help rejuvenate participation in IAA. Do you have fresh exciting ideas for events and activities? Are you looking for a way to meet new people and experience new things? Find out how we can help you put your ideas into action. Sports? Theatre? Travel? Whatever your idea is it's welcome. No idea is too big or too small. Keep checking your department bulletin boards and the next IAA Newsletter for our upcoming Board Member and Activity Chairperson Party. There will be free food and door prizes for everyone in attendance. If you're already interested call any one of our board members. IAA is all about serving our members but we need your participation to ensure we offer a wide variety of activities for all our members.

IAA 2009 Calendar of Events

DATE	EVENT	CONTACT
Apr 5	Theater at the Center Defending the Cave Man	Barb Pfister (219) 836-2851
May 2	Golf: Preason Scramble at Scherwood	Terry Skertich (219) 972-9829
May 20	Cubs Outing - Milwaukee	Mike Kraushaar (219) 988-3493
May 23	Golf: Glenwoodie	See Golf Schedule
Jun 20	Golf: South Shore	See Golf Schedule
Jun 20-21	Six Flags Great America	Barb Pfister
Jun 25	Speed Dating	Barb Pfister
Jul 11	Golf: Indian Ridge	See Golf Schedule
July 17	Deep River Waterpark	Josie Alvarez (219) 787-3905
Jul 20	White Sox Outing	Mike Kraushaar
Jul 25	Theater at the Center: Footloose	Barb Pfister
Jul 26	Nascar in Indianapolis	Jeff Danner (219) 399-5867
Aug 15	Golf: Sandy Pines	See Golf Schedule
Aug 15	Bowling Clinic	Mike Kraushaar
Aug 21-23	Golf Weekend Getaway	Mike Kraushaar
Sep 12	Golf Championship @ Aberdeen	See Golf Schedule

Interested in Paintballing?

If you'd like to try paintballing please contact Josie Alvarez (219) 787-3905. If we get enough people we'll coordinate an outing at Blast Camp in Hobart. We're looking at a date in September. Mixed teams of beginners with experienced players will be assigned by event coordinator.

IAA, INC. ORGANIZATION

Chairpersons

Radio Club, Andy Finick	924-4688
Billiards, Minnie Nieves	399-1731
Health Clubs, Barb Pfister	836-2851
Bowling/Golf, Mike Kraushaar	787-3432
New Travel Club, Barb Pfister	836-2851
Ski Club, Tom Diehl	728-1281
Inst. Weekend Ski Trip, Joe Sarwacinski	399-2236
Tennis - Doubles, Charles Williams	881-5220
Tennis - Special Events, Joe Sarwacinski	844-5854
Trapshooting, Larry Swentzel	399-4860
Great America, Marlene Berwald	399-5916
Membership Chairperson, Barb Pfister	836-2851
Newsletter Editor, Josie Alvarez	787-3905
Website, Janyne Henry	399-7589

Health Club Discounts

The following health clubs offer discounts to members of IAA. You need to check with the facility that you are interested in to find out the amount of the discount. Please note: not all Curves' locations offer discounts to IAA members. Members need to inquire at the facility to see if a discount is available. Let us know if there is a health club not listed that may be interested in offering a discount to IAA members.

Curves (various locations throughout NWI)*
 Fitness Pointe - Munster (219) 924-5348
 Gators - Highland (219) 922-9220
 Hammond Area YMCA - Hammond (219) 845-1507
 It Figures - Schererville (219) 864-4641
 KV Health Centre - Wheatfield (219) 956-4000
 Omni - Schererville (219) 865-6969
 Southlake Nautilus - Merrillville (219) 769-3366

Travel

Go Next - formerly Global Holidays - is offering a variety of travel destinations in the fall of 2009. Prices are based upon per person and include accommodations and some meals. Airfare is NOT included. Airfare can be purchased through Go Next or on your own. Optional excursions are available for an additional cost. For more information visit: www.gonext.com or call 1-800-842-9023. Please indicate that you are a member of IAA. Your family and friends can participate.

NASCAR 2009 Bus Trip July 26, 2009 Indianapolis Motor Speedway



This year's IAA Annual Nascar Bus trip is scheduled for Sunday, July 26. We will meet at the K-Mart parking lot located at the intersection of Cline Avenue and Ridge Road in Griffith, Indiana. Coolers are allowed on the bus. Lunch will be provided before the race. For additional information please call Jeff Danner at (219) 399-5867. Jeff is the new chairperson for this event. Tickets are limited to only 50 and a \$25 non-fundable deposit is required for each ticket.

Instructional Ski Weekend Recap

(January 23rd - 25th, 2009) This year was hosted by a newly renovated Shanty Creek Lodge where at least two of our families stayed, with good feedback. The rest of us stayed at Cedar River, located off one of the back ski runs of Schuss Mountain, where most of our activities took place. The weekend was packed with great snow, fine dining, excellent ski and snow boarding instruction, and best of all excellent fellowship with our ski family. Congrats on the Silver and Bronze medals to some of our NASTAR participants. NASTAR is a racing course where you compete in your age category against a course time. I am glad to see we're taking advantage of this activity. Beginner or advanced, there is no better way to improve your ability level, than against a clock. I suspect the economy lowered our numbers this year. I'm sure participation will pick it up next year. Thanks to the 15-21 year old crowd that joined us again this year. You are the future for events like this. We hope you all join us again next year and bring your friends and their families! A special thank you to everyone who participated.

2009 Six Flags Great America Weekend June 20 & 21 (CASH ONLY)



IAA will once again sell discounted tickets to Great America theme park and picnic grove. Admission tickets to the park are \$26 and will be sold at the IHE Main Office Lobby as follows:

- Wed., June 10 from 11:00am to 3:00pm
- Tue., June 16 from 11:00am to 4:00pm

The Picnic Grove event will ONLY be held Saturday, June 20. Food will be served from 1:00pm to 2:30pm; ending at 3:00pm. The menu includes all-you-can-eat southern fried chicken, hot dogs, two salads, rolls and soft drinks. We will also be visited by Six Flag Great America cartoon characters offering a great photo opportunity for the kids. As an added bonus, included is the Annual Picnic Grove Raffle for Six Flags Great America dollars (to be used only in the park). The raffle will be held shortly after everyone has finished eating. **Picnic Grove Tickets \$9.**

For additional information contact this year's chairperson **Barb Pfister at (219) 836-2851**; or Co-chair Marlene Berwald at (219) 399-5916.

2009 Annual Deep River Waterpark

Come out and join the fun at Northwest Indiana's prime waterpark. Grab the kids and head out to this private party for IAA members and their families. As the date draws closer, be sure to watch your departmental bulletin boards, visit www.iaa.mittalsteel.com, or contact Josie Alvarez at (219) 787-3905 for ticket details



When: **Friday, July 17, 2009**
 Time: 5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.
 Cost: \$6 per ticket
 (Children under 12 months are free.)

Please visit the Deep River Water park website for rules on what can and cannot be brought in to the park.

NEW: Speed Dating



Interested in meeting someone, but not interested in hanging out in bars? Tired of watching re-runs on TV? IAA is planning on sponsoring a speed dating evening to help you get out of your slump and meet someone new. This event will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 25, 2009 at Chela's in Griffith.

We are looking for 15 single men and 15 single women who are IAA members. You must be over the age of 35 to participate in this opportunity. The cost to participate will be \$20 in advance with a \$10 refund given on the evening of the event (after you participate).

The concept of speed dating is basically that you will have three (3) minutes to sit down with each candidate of the opposite sex and ask them 3-5 questions that we will provide to you. At the sound of the bell, the males will be required to move on to the next candidate. Each candidate will be assigned a number and after the last bell you write down the number of the candidates that you are interested in and turn them in to us. Within a couple of days we will notify you of the matches. It's up to you to let us know how you want to be contacted (telephone or e-mail) and to make the contact based on the matches and the mutual agreement between you and the other candidate(s).

At the end of the evening, there will be appetizers and a cash bar available. More information will be available in the May/June 2009 newsletter, or you can e-mail Barb Pfister at b.pfister@sbcglobal.net.

2nd IAA Junior Bowling Clinic Announced Special prizes awarded throughout each session



The IAA has entered into an agreement with two of the top bowling instructors in the country to conduct it's 2nd IAA Junior Bowling Clinics. Michelle Mullin, one of only 30 USBC Gold Certified coaches in the world and 4-time women's professional bowlers tour champion, along with Aleta Sill, member of 6 hall of fames, 31-time professional bowlers tour champion, and USBC Silver certified coach, will offer two clinics on August 15th at Hebron Lanes. Additional information on Michelle and Aleta can be found at their website: www.yourbowlingcoach.com.

The morning session (10 a.m. to noon) will be designed for the beginning youth bowler ages 14 and under. The focus of this clinic will be an introduction to the game and basic fundamentals. Bowlers can expect to receive one-on-one on lane instruction. This class is limited to 16 participants at a cost of \$20 per student which includes shoes and all lineage.

The afternoon session (1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.) will be designed for intermediate to advanced youth (high school) bowler. This clinic will focus on developing better timing, swing and release consistency. Digital video analysis (Bowler's Map Gold System) will be utilized to allow the students to see themselves in action. Bowlers will be provided tips on bowling ball maintenance, practice plans, as well as a grip and equipment analysis. The class is limited to 16 participants at a cost of \$35 (includes shoes and lineage).

Contact Mike Kraushaar at (219) 988-3493 with questions. These clinics will fill quickly! Reservations will be accepted on a first come basis until filled, or July 15th, whichever is earlier. To secure your child's spot, send the completed information form below and check made payable to IAA to: **Mike Kraushaar 1277 Brandywine Road, Crown Point, IN 46307.**

IAA Member/Parent Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____
 Student Name: _____ Age: ____ Bowlers Average: _____ Session (____) AM \$20 or (____) PM \$35
 Bowlers Average: _____ Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Retiring? Moving?

Send in any changes to your address or membership status ASAP.

Sponsored Members RENEW your memberships early to ensure that you can take advantage of all the opportunities we offer!



Chicago White Sox Outing: July 20, 2009

The annual IAA Chicago White Sox outing is scheduled for Monday, July 20. The Sox will host the defending American League champions Tampa Bay Devil Rays. The game start time is 7:00 p.m. Bus will depart from Highland at 4:30 p.m. The cost is \$55 for adults and \$35 for children 13 years and under. The cost includes: game ticket, bus ride, admission to the Patio Party deck with all-you-can eat and drink (beer, wine and soft drinks) from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Seats are located in section 104 rows 9 through 12 (actually 1st, 2nd and 3rd rows). With the patio party area located in right center field (field level) this is an excellent location to watch batting practice while enjoying the benefits of the Party Deck package. As in the past, all ticket requests must be made through the US Mail. A lottery will be held for all ticket requests received by June 19th, 2009. A limit of 4 tickets per member will be enforced. If tickets remain available following the lottery, the 4 ticket limit will be removed, and the available tickets will be sold on a first come basis. **Mail completed form and check made payable to IAA Inc. to:** Mike Kraushaar, 1277 Brandywine Road, Crown Point, IN 46307

White Sox Outing
Name: _____ Payroll#: _____ Work#:() _____ Home#:() _____
Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Adult Tickets @ \$55: _____ Children @ \$35 _____ Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____



Chicago Cubs Outing: May 10, 2009

The annual IAA Chicago Cubs outing is scheduled for May 10. The Cubs will be visiting the Milwaukee Brewers for a 1:00 p.m. game Sunday afternoon for a matchup of division rivals. This year's trip will include bus trip to Milwaukee, food and soft drinks on the bus, and upper deck game ticket (Section 435). The cost for this trip is \$40 for adults and \$30 for children 13 and under. As in the past, all ticket requests must be made through the US Mail. A lottery will be held for all ticket requests received by April 25th. A limit of 4 tickets per member will be enforced. If tickets remain available following the lottery, the 4 ticket limit will be removed, and the available tickets will be sold on a first come basis. **Mail completed form and check made payable to IAA Inc to:** Mike Kraushaar, 1277 Brandywine Road, Crown Point, IN 46307



Cubs Outing
Name: _____ Payroll#: _____ Work#:() _____ Home#:() _____
Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Adult Tickets @ \$40: _____ Children @ \$30 _____ Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____



IAA 2009 Discounted Theater Opportunities: Theater at the Center (Munster)

Reserve your seats early! Only 20 seats are available for each performance. The following performances are being offered to IAA members at the discounted group rate of \$20 per ticket. For additional information contact Barb Pfister at (219) 836-2851. **Mail completed form, by the appropriate deadline date, and check payable to IAA Inc to:** Barbara Pfister, P.O. Box 3262, Munster, IN 46321.

Sunday, April 5: Defending The Caveman
Show Time: 2:00 pm
Ticket Deadline: 4/1/09
No. Tickets: _____

Saturday, July 25: Footloose
Show Time: 8:00 pm
Ticket Deadline: 7/20/09
No. Tickets: _____

Name: _____ Payroll#: _____ Work#:() _____ Home#:() _____
Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Hail to the Victor

2008 IAA OVERALL CHAMPION



Todd Victor

Todd Victor Crowned 2008 IAA Golf Champion, joins mom and dad as Champions. Todd Victor decided it was his turn to bring home the hardware, rather than dad Butch. The young Victor, who has struggled in past IAA championships, played an errorless 1-over par 73 on the short but difficult Aberdeen layout. Todd upset the most dominant player of the year, Brian Sterling, by two strokes. This marks the first overall title for Todd, but third for the family, as both mom (Lenora) and dad (Butch) are previous champions. For Sterling, it was yet another disappointing championship round finish following a sensational regular season. Golf Chairman Mike Kraushaar, noted "Brian's nickname is quickly becoming Mr. Cub". Defending champion Tom Zimmerman finished fourth. Champions were crowned in a total of ten flights.

Overall ladies champion was Rose Ceperich (86), while Bill Kurth, and Senella Seabrook were crowned senior flight champions. Ike Peterson was the winner of the set of irons.

MEN's Championship Flight

VICTOR, TODD	73
Kurth, Bill	75
Sterling, Brian	75
Zimmerman, Tom	76
Springer, Bill Jr	78
Hall, Fred	81
Schuldt, Scott	81
Wilcox, Mark	82
Zgorka, Terry	83
Skoczylas, George	84
Springer, Bill	84
Skertich, Eric	92

MEN's C Flight

HARRIS, JIMMIE *	87
Martin, Mark	87
Staten, Nate	89
Brooks, Walt	91
Green, Kevin	93
Svitko, Tony	93
Langel, Jerry	96
Cole, Henry	97
Armour, Ted	99
Torres, James	99
Serletic, John	102
Torres, Henry	109

MEN's F Flight

STARKEY, DON	98
Kersten, Ron	99
Garnett, Romeo	100
Dziedzak, Ray	103
Flores, Xaviar	106
Sajdyk, Jim	106
Lyman, Dan	109
Barnes, Johnnie	112
Watts, Willie	115
Guerrero, Jose	116
Wise, Lew	124

LADIES FLIGHT

CEPERICH, ROSE *	86
Seabrook, Senella	86
Hurd, Gwen	98
Rhynes, Josephine	110
Potesta, Nori	112

MEN's A Flight

PATTERSON, CHET	77
Birdsall, Bill	79
White, Melvin	80
Steapleton, Greg	81
Marshak, Mike	84
Edington, Ron	86
Mucha, Jim	87
Simpkins, Eugene	88
Skertich, Terry	88
Kolisz, Greg	90
Zachary, Ray	91

MEN's D Flight

SAMS, OC	87
Miskulin, John	95
Ranfranz, Mark	96
Rios, Danny	96
Woodke, Mark	96
Kostrzeba, Ron	100
Serrato, Danny	100
Woody, Reggie	100
Sams, Kenny	101
Johnson, Steve	110

MEN's B Flight

KADISAK, RUSS *	80
Alvarado, Dave	83
Edwards, Mike	86
Perez, Danny	86
Victor, Les	86
Schuitema, Ron	89
Spann, Louie	89
Frazier, Otis	90
Crawford, Alan	95
Carson, Jim	96
Vermajen, Steve	98

MEN's E Flight

CRAWFORD, FRANK	92
Bolton, Tom	95
Parsanko, Ron	95
Reed, Jc	95
Bell, Bruce	99
Martinez, Roman	100
Clarett, James	103
Deem, Billy	108
Peterson, Ike	108

Rose Ceperich



Bill Kurth



Senella Seabrook

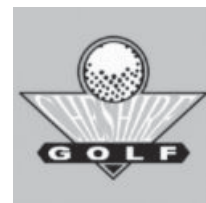


Jimmy Harris

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2009 IAA Golf Calendar

The 2009 golf season has arrived and the IAA is planning to offer a full schedule once again. Many leagues are available and looking for players. Contact Terry Skertich (219) 972-9829 or Brian Sterling (219) 399-6162 with questions.



Special Events:

May 2	Scherwood:	Preason Scramble: Terry Skertich (219) 972-9829
Aug 21-23	Michigan	Golf Getaway: Mike Kraushaar (219) 988-3493

Monthly Outings

May 23	Glenwoodie	Call Course for Tee Times beginning May 5th: (708) 758-1212
June 20	South Shore	Call Course for Tee Times beginning June 2nd: (219) 374-6090
July 11	Indian Ridge	Call Course for Tee Times beginning June 22nd
Aug 15	Sandy Pines	Call Course for Tee Times beginning Aug 1st: (219) 987-3611

IAA Championships

Sep 12	Aberdeen	This a 1pm shotgun. Tee assignments will be made by the IAA Golf Directors.
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To be eligible for the Aberdeen event, members must play in two of the four monthly outings. Participants will be required to prepay for this event. further details available at monthly events.

Golf Getaway Weekend Heads to Northern Michigan August 21-23, 2009 Sign up soon...space is limited!

The 2009 IAA Golf Getaway weekend will shift gears and roll up to Northern Michigan and the award winning Hawk's Eye Golf Resort in Bellaire. IAA golfers will test their skills against two of Northern Michigan's finest: Hawks Eye and The Chief. Hawks Eye is rated Michigans 4th Best Course. Golfers will play 18 holes on Friday, 36 holes Saturday and 18 holes on Sunday. Two fully cooked breakfasts are also included in the package, as are many opportunities to win some nice prizes, compliments of IAA. Total cost of prepaid package is \$310. A Sunday replay (5th round) is available for an additional \$20.

This years base package includes two nights lodging at The Chief's Golf Cottages (Bellaire, MI), 36 holes with cart at Hawks Eye and 36 holes at The Chief. The cottages are two bedroom condo units with all the amenities. Package pricing is based on quad occupancy. To view the course and accomodations visit www.golfhawkseye.com or www.golfthechief.com.

The IAA will coordinate optiona skins and closest to the pin evens each day; and award prizes under multiple scoring formats for both days. This format will promote some good hearted competition amongs the participants.

Space is limited to 36 so don't delay and miss out on a great value getaway. A deposit of \$100 is due by June 5th with final payment due by July 15th. Reservations can be secured by completing and forwarding the reservation form below to Mike Kraushaar at 1277 Brandywine Road, Crown Point, IN 46307. For more information, contact Mike at (219) 988-3493.

RESERVATION FORM:

Name/Address/Phone: _____	Cost \$310 / Paid: \$ _____
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