



## BENSON GOLF CLUB

*The Best 18 Holes in Western Minnesota!*



# The Tee Box Newsletter

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Hello Everyone-

What a great weekend - I hope you all got your chores done early so you could enjoy a little golf. Sally and her crew have the course in great shape. Right now they are edging the bunkers and getting the cart paths smoother.

Sally and myself get asked frequently, "how can I help or what can I do"? We have a lot of members with a lot of knowledge and a lot of desire to help see BGC grow and improve. Right now we are in the process of creating a "Volunteer Project Board". How it will work is like this. In the clubhouse we will have "Projects" posted. If you see a project that you or a group would like to see done - you will contact the "project coordinator" (Sally, Barrett or Sherri) We will give you a description of what we would like to see done and provide you the resources to accomplish the task. We will work out a time of day to perform the task as to not disrupt operations or play. After the task is completed we will post a BIG "DONE BY ....." . Such tasks might be as simple as raking twigs or helping to check golfers in for a tournament. Let's get everyone involved and keep Benson the great course it is.

The ladies TEE OFF DINNER is set for Wednesday May 3rd at the clubhouse. Social will begin at 5:30 with dinner and a special program to follow. The ladies have put together a great program with a lot of fun items for everyone. Their will be a putting contest on the practice green before dinner. And the money raised will help the flower program at the course. Please RSVP the clubhouse before this Friday. Hope to see you all there.

The Men's League will kick off the 2006 season on Tuesday May 16th. If you are still looking for a partner or have not registered for this year - this is the last week. Schedules will be available the first week of May. Tuesdays game this week is going to be a 1 person scramble.

Our first hole in one of the year came off the 7 iron of Mike Duncan on April 16th on hole #8. It was Mike's first hole in one. Congratulations!!

Now that the course is getting busy, please keep it enjoyable for everyone. One bad situation can ruin someone else's day and yours. A few reminders - please be 10 minutes early for your tee time. This allows you time to get checked in and know who you follow. 1 late tee time by 4 minutes every hour would mean that a group scheduled to tee off at 2 pm would not be able to start until 2:36. A few minutes late may not seem like much, but if it happens often it can create a serious time problem. Also, if you have groups that are playing faster than you and there is nobody in front of you - please allow the faster group to play thru. I will guarantee that it will be more fun for you and the group behind you. And lastly, please check in with the pro shop before you start on hole #10. Nobody likes to get "butt in front of".

On a financial note remember to get your dues in before May 1st or contact me to make arrangements for payments. Like you saw in last weeks letter - BGC has done a great job of keeping your dues very fair - lets all do our part to help keep our great value and asset!!!

Most of the golf stock is in including the new Cleveland Hi Bore driver that everyone is RAVING about. Stop by and demo a driver out. I also have the Ping G5 to try and the Cleveland Ti Launcher. If you are in the market for a new set of clubs - custom fitting is the way to go. Give me a call to set up an appointment. It takes 10 minutes to do and makes the clubs you hit your own - you wonder why you hit the ball to the right - it just may be that your clubs are too flat for your swing????

See you at the course!!!

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