



**BENSON GOLF CLUB**  
*The Best 18 Holes in Western Minnesota!*



**The Tee Box  
 Newsletter**

Greetings Everyone-

One of my favorite weeks of the year - US Open Week. This years event is being held at Winged Foot CC on Long Island. If you get a chance watch some of the greatest golfers ever compete on a course that will have rough only 18 feet from the fairway at over 8 inches. To put that in relationship, we cut our rough at 2 1/2 inches. Can you say "slow play". Anyway check it out starting on Thursday and ending on Fathers Day - Sunday.

Speaking of Fathers Day, we have a great sale in the pro shop for all Dad's needs. Stop by and see what we can get Dad this year.

Thursday Night Live is only a day away. Sign up before 5:00 and be on the course by 5:30. It is a draw team event. If you do not have a handicap, we can establish one for you. Everyone is welcome to play. Did I mention \$2 beers and rail drinks for players? The weeks event will be cancelled if no more than 12 players have signed up before noon on the Thursday of the event.

The deadline for the BGC Match Play Championships is getting close. This is an event that is flexible with your schedule, you make the tee times for your match. We will flight out the event, so all players are welcome to play.

I have attached two up coming event flyers. The Shortstop tournament on July 9th and the Big Dogg Event on July 16th.

If you see Sally or here crew - give them a big thank you. The course is in excellent shape and we should be very proud of our course. It is a premiere golf course in Western Minnesota. Take a look at our green fees compared to other area 18 hole courses based on weekend 18 hole rates

Benson Golf Club GC	\$27.25
Minnewaska GC	\$32.00
Little Crow GC	\$35.00
Kornis Hills GC	\$27.25
Crossings CC	\$28.00
Eagle Creek CC	\$36.00

Talking to many other golf pro's in Minnesota the trend is that people are starting to golf more and many courses , including BGC, are seeing more rounds played this year, hopefully this trend can continue.

Planning for the future - Member / Guest Tournament is coming in August. Secure your guest and make sure all players have an established handicap from a golf course. Last year was the first year of the event and 21 teams competed and had a blast. It is an all inclusive event, golf, dinner and a breakfast, cart if needed, tee prizes, putting tournament, Fun Fun Fun - More information to come soon.

The Kitchen is open on Friday Nights for dinner. We open at 5:00 and serve until 10pm. Come check out our new Menu- and support the club!!

Congratulations to all graduating Seniors - Good Luck!!!

See you at the course!

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