



THE GRIZZLY GROWL

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

September 21st:
Monday Night Men's
League Banquet

September 23rd:
First Day of Autumn;
Wednesday Night
Men's League and
Merkel League
Banquets

September 24th:
Thursday Night Men's
League Banquet

September 28th:
Monday Night Fall
League Begins

September 29th:
Hozier League
Banquet

**The Growl is a
Bi-Weekly
Publication to
Keep You
Informed About
What's Going on
at Bear Creek
Golf Club.**



Should I Keep Score?

The topic of keeping score comes up quite a bit when teaching golf lessons to beginners and to those who play golf occasionally. As I see it, keeping score can be a time consuming and stressful task for some, so eliminating it for some people is a great idea! Keeping score is not near as important as having fun while you're out playing golf, concentrating on your swing, finding your ball, and maintaining a good pace of play. Once you reach a point where you feel your scores are getting lower, your pace is quicker, and you're more relaxed during your round, then it's time to start keeping score.

- Kirk Porter, PGA Golf Professional

Keep the Fun Rolling!

Bear Creek is introducing a NEW Fall League beginning September 28th and playing every Monday-Thursday evening.

- *Open To Anyone Wanting to Play*
 - *No League Registration Fee/Cash Prizes*
 - *2-Person Scramble Format/9 Holes*
 - *If You Don't Have A Partner, You Can Play Your Own Ball*
 - *Please Make Tee Times To Play Between 4-5pm*
 - *\$20/Person For 9 Holes w Cart (Pass Holders \$5)*
 - *\$5 Of The \$20 Fee Goes To Cash Prizes For Skins/ C-T-P*
 - *Drink Specials, Food Specials, "Guess the Score" Contests Daily*
- Please Ask us in the Pro Shop for More Information!*



Bridal Showcase: Kierath/ Blaesing

Ashley Kierath and Christopher Blaesing look forward to their Wedding Reception at Bear Creek on September 26th, 2015. Ashley is from St. Charles and Chris is from Quincy, IL. They have been together since early 2012. Chris proposed on the beach at Torrey Pines State

Park in San Diego, CA – the first place he told Ashley he loved her. Three words Ashley and Chris hope describe their wedding are happy, loving, and fun! They chose Bear Creek because it's a beautiful and natural-looking space that will be a perfect central location for both of their families. They love the wood beams and stone fireplace. It made them feel like they were in Colorado!

We Care About Your Pace of Play!

Last edition we discussed saving time and increasing your pace of play through thoughtful procedures while on the green. Care must be given to the way you exit the green and move to the next tee as well. After the last player in your foursome has putted out, replace the flagstick quickly and get to your cart as quickly as possible. There will probably be another group in the fairway waiting to hit their approach shots. Never hit practice putts on the green before or after you have putted out! As soon as both players are in the cart, take off for the next tee as quickly as possible. Do not wait to leave the area of the green you just played to record your scores from that hole. It is preferable that you wait to record your scores until you arrive at the next tee. If you feel like you must record your scores immediately upon returning to your cart, let the passenger record the scores so the driver can get the cart to the next tee as soon as possible. Once you arrive at the next tee, someone should be out of their cart and have their ball teed up, so that they can tee off as soon as the fairway or green in front of them is open.

**September Pro Shop Merchandise Sale:
ALL MEN'S POLOS ARE 25% OFF!**

Excludes clearance items. Valid on in-stock items only.

Staff Spotlight:



Meet Lindsay Mooney!

This is Lindsay's first season at Bear Creek Golf Club. She works in the Food and Beverage Department as a bartender and cart attendant. Outside of Bear Creek, Lindsay is also a Real Estate Agent. She attended Fort Zumwalt and then Missouri State University. For fun, Lindsay likes to go hiking, biking, and travel. Fun Fact: Lindsay's dad owns a tattoo shop, where she has gotten all 14 or 15 of her own done.

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