

Sugar Scoop



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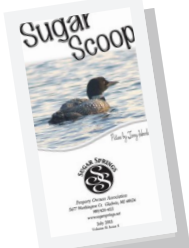
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<u>BOARD MEETINGS</u>
<i>Meetings are held in the Activity Building</i>
August 15, 2015 ~ 10am
October 17, 2015 ~ 10am
December 12, 2015 ~ 10am



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General Manager's Report August 2015

I hope you have had the opportunity to enjoy your property in Sugar Springs this summer. This Fourth of July weekend saw the most people here that I can recall in recent history. While there were a few problems that arose, all-in-all with the perfect weather everyone seemed to have a good time. Don't we all wish that every weekend could be as nice as that weekend?

If you are looking for something to do our calendar of events is packed with weekly happenings. In some cases members have to make a choice of which to attend because of it. What a great problem to have; too much fun to have, with so many activities. The month of August also promises to have a full slate of events. Review your Sugar Scoop so you don't miss something you would enjoy.

I would like to welcome our newest board members, Ben Baker, Tom Hug, and Dennis Hagey, who was recently appointed by the board to serve out the remaining term of a director who had to resign. Running a corporation the size of Sugar Springs would be impossible without the guidance and direction the board gives the administration. I would also like to acknowledge the re-election of Jim Issitt as your board president. Jim has spent countless hours trying to make Sugar Springs a better place. Many of you may not be aware that this summer Jim has been speaking to area service clubs about Sugar Springs, and the response has been fantastic.

This being the August Scoop, school is just around the corner, and families will be heading home for school shopping, taking children to college for the first time, and transitioning to their lives outside of Sugar Springs. That being the case don't miss a minute enjoying the rest of the summer here in "the best kept secret in mid-Michigan."

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert Neeb". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "R" and a long, sweeping underline.

Robert Neeb CMCA, AMS
General Manager
Sugar Springs Property Owners Association

Board of Directors Meeting Minutes



Sugar Springs Property Owners Association Board of Directors

President Jim Issitt, Vice President Dale Maxim, Ben Baker, Dale Dunham,
Dennis, Hagey, Thomas Hug, Judith Purdy, Steve Surowiec

Per SPOA Bylaws & Covenants Article IX, Section (d) The Newsletter, in addition to other information published, shall contain in the next succeeding issue, a summary of:

(1) board actions; (2) standing committee reports; (3) annual budgets & financial statements. Full minutes are available for review at the POA office, or you may obtain a copy for a nominal copying fee.

July 18th, 2015 Board of Directors Meeting

BOARD ACTIONS

- Approved minutes of the May, 16th and June 20th, 2015 Board of Directors Meetings and the June 20th, 2015 Annual Membership Meeting
- Accepted Treasurer's Report
- Appointed Dennis Hagey to complete term of Director Roland McDonald who resigned on June 20, 2015, appointed term is through June 2017.
- Approved 2015-2016 Committee Rosters

OLD BUSINESS

A special meeting with the Ad Hoc Committee for the purpose of reviewing needs at the Chalet area has been scheduled for Saturday, July 25, 2015 at 10am. This meeting will be held at the Chalet. Interested parties are invited to discuss clearing of brush, signage etc.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ARCHITECTURAL & ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL COMMITTEE (Dale Dunham)

Meeting minutes of May 15, 22, June 1 and 22, 2015 were provided to the Board prior to this meeting. Activities were as follows: 2 dwellings, 2 garages, 3 additions, 2 outbuildings, 8 docks, 25 color changes, 64 lot modifications, 18 variances, 14 other/misc. (deck/boat lift), and 102 signs for a total of 240 actions. Committee meetings are held weekly on Tuesday at 9:30am.

BUDGET COMMITTEE (Jim Issitt)

No report. Will concentrate on assessment increase plan in 2016.

BUILDING & GROUNDS COMMITTEE (Steve Surowiec)

Meeting minutes of June 1, 2015 provided to the Board prior to this meeting. Mowing of acreage has been reduced; service road at Activity Center repaving is complete, Camper Storage area project being addressed, and additional soil needed at south end of Fairfield Realm to raise the grade, wood boards being replaced at some docks; sign posts being painted, new signs on order for beach clubs and boat docks.

ELECTION COMMITTEE (Jim Issitt)

No Report

GOLF COMMITTEE (Dale Maxim)

No Report

LAKES COMMITTEE

Meeting minutes of May 7 and June 4, 2015 were provided to the Board prior to this meeting. Chairman, Tim Stegeman reported pellets being tested by committee members, a Clean Boat Program is being encouraged to educate boat owners on the importance of not transferring boats from lake to lake without proper cleaning to avoid transference of weeds and objects between waters. Shoreline erosion continues to be addressed.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE (Ben Baker)

No Report

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

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PLANNING COMMITTEE (Ben Baker)

Meeting minutes of July 2, 2015 were provided to the Board prior to this meeting. Powerpoint Script was approved by committee members. Airpark and Camping Committee members have attended Planning meetings and are working together for the August 22 Fly-In, Campers Picnic and Kids and Family Fun Day to be a success.

RECREATION COMMITTEE (Tom Hug)

Meeting minutes of May 12 and June 9, 2015 were provided to the Board prior to this meeting. July 4 Craft Show and Bake Sale were well attended and vendors were pleased with outcome. Future events include Sunset Fiesta on August 29 and Rummage Sale on September 5. Donations will be accepted on September 4 from 9:00am - 3:00pm. at the Activity Center. Sale starts on September 5 at 9:00am and runs until 3:00pm.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

AIRPARK COMMITTEE (Judith Purdy)

Fly-In scheduled for August 22, 2015 from 7:00am until noon. A pancake breakfast will be served.

CAMPING COMMITTEE (Judith Purdy)

Meeting minutes of June 13, 2015 were provided to the Board prior to this meeting. Campers Picnic to be held on August 22, 2015 from 11:00am until 2:00pm at the Berkshire Beach Pavilion. Hot dogs, Brats, Hamburgers, Baked Beans and beverages will be provided and attendees are asked to bring a dish to share.

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE (Steve Surowiec)

Meeting minutes of July 2, 2015 were provided to the Board of prior to this meeting. Committee has reviewed account balances and will focus on contributions to specific areas.

ADDRESSES TO THE BOARD

Members want a concentrated effort by the Board to address riprap work done in a commons area. Interested individuals to meet with Board at a special gathering on July 25 to address issue. Request for another deer population control survey as deer damage is heavy; POA docks need repair; possibility of treating Blue Spruce trees for needle drop disease. One member strongly suggests that all homeowners read and honor the Bylaws, Covenants and Rules and Regulations of Sugar Springs.

COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD

Complimented the staff at The Hearth and the Pro Shop for service at Golf events. Encouraged all to bring friends and family to August 22 Fly- In, picnic and fun day festivities.



FINANCIAL TOTALS as of May 31, 2015

Cash on Hand: \$1,429,342 Lake Dredging: \$35,000 Emergency Reserve: \$128,000
 Building Fund: \$144,000 Parking Lot Fund: \$54,000

REVENUE:	May ACTUALS	May BUDGET	YTD ACTUALS	YTD BUDGET
Administration	\$32,584	\$37,915	\$1,118,962	\$1,121,375
Building & Grounds	\$4,848	\$7,060	\$117,208	\$112,110
Pool	\$7,821	\$6,650	\$53,368	\$51,850
Pro Shop /Golf Course	\$79,102	\$77,025	\$185,335	\$194,720
Restaurant	\$55,493	\$55,000	\$143,069	\$129,500
Lake Management	\$3,014	\$4,000	\$175,134	\$164,000
Total Revenue	\$182,862	\$187,650	\$1,793,076	\$1,773,555
EXPENSES:				
Administration	\$42,772	\$40,435	\$196,897	\$210,795
Building & Grounds	\$35,062	\$34,450	\$146,440	\$156,170
Pool	\$13,407	\$13,340	\$74,699	\$73,600
Pro Shop	\$18,149	\$19,730	\$60,921	\$62,335
Golf Course	\$33,458	\$43,790	\$114,094	\$122,615
Restaurant	\$59,942	\$56,005	\$206,085	\$199,790
Lake Management	\$2,621	\$4,470	\$8,086	\$8,950
Total Expenses	\$205,411	\$212,220	\$807,222	\$834,255
Rev. Less Expenses:	(\$22,549)	(\$24,570)	\$985,854	\$939,300
Cash Savings Account: \$19,182 Petty Cash Account: \$3,305 Memorial Savings: \$13,719				

FINANCIAL TOTALS as of June 30,2015

Cash on Hand: \$1,279,327 Lake Dredging: \$35,000 Emergency Reserve: \$128,000
 Building Fund: \$144,000 Parking Lot Fund: \$19,119

REVENUE:	June ACTUALS	June BUDGET	YTD ACTUALS	YTD BUDGET
Administration	\$18,976	\$37,265	\$1,137,939	\$1,158,640
Building & Grounds	\$5,691	\$4,605	\$122,898	\$116,715
Pool	\$3,278	\$3,750	\$56,646	\$55,600
Pro Shop /Golf Course	\$35,129	\$33,550	\$220,464	\$228,270
Restaurant	\$64,269	\$56,000	\$207,337	\$185,500
Lake Management	\$2,053	\$2,000	\$177,187	\$166,000
Total Revenue	\$129,396	\$137,170	\$1,922,471	\$1,910,725
EXPENSES:				
Administration	\$36,768	\$38,465	\$233,665	\$249,260
Building & Grounds	\$33,891	\$36,675	\$180,330	\$192,845
Pool	\$13,094	\$13,490	\$87,793	\$87,090
Pro Shop	\$22,660	\$23,215	\$83,580	\$85,550
Golf Course	\$47,565	\$50,500	\$161,659	\$173,115
Restaurant	\$67,118	\$61,355	\$273,202	\$261,145
Lake Management	\$101,776	\$120,270	\$109,862	\$129,220
Total Expenses	\$322,872	\$343,970	\$1,130,091	\$1,178,225
Rev. Less Expenses:	(\$193,476)	(\$206,800)	\$792,380	\$732,500
Cash Savings Account: \$19,182 Petty Cash Account: \$3,305 Memorial Savings: \$13,951				

*Sugar Springs Artists
present their
6th Annual*



Saturday, August 15th

10am - 4pm

Sunday, August 16th

1pm - 4pm

Show will be held in the
Sugar Springs Activity Center
located at 1930 Sugar River Road
Gladwin, Michigan
Refreshments will be served



Sugar Springs Author Releases New Book



Well, he's at it again! Sugar Springer John Bascom has released his new book, "Beneath a Hunter's Sky," now available in both print and eBook versions on Amazon and BarnesandNoble.com. The new book is a collection of eighteen short stories about hunting, fishing, coming of age, and wartime trauma. Many are pure fiction, some containing literary imagery, metaphors, or in the style of an allegory in the case of the story "Bear Hunt." Others are memoirs, with a grouping of eleven related tales comprising a "safari journal" of the author's actual classic hunting safari in Zimbabwe, Africa, in 2013. The book is richly illustrated with images related to the content of each chapter.

"Hunting and fishing have been a big part of my life," John said. "I wanted a chance to share my experiences with others, not just in terms of the adventures I've had, but developing more of the emotions, relationships, and life-lessons outdoor experiences have provided."

Amazon describes the book as combining drama, humor, and nostalgia, and says Bascom "weaves his fictional tales with craftsmanship and emotion."

John's earlier book, "Caine's Pestilence," was a well received if offbeat political satire novel released in 2010 and still available on Amazon.

John and his wife, Nickie, have lived on Queens Way since moving to Sugar Springs in 2005. A copy of "Beneath a Hunter's Sky" is available in the old activity center library next to the POA office.

Memorial Committee



Donations for Memorials can be made at the POA building. Memorial Funds are used in many areas at Sugar Springs and a list of completed projects, names of those commemorated and donors are kept and published in the Memorial Book located in the POA office available for all members viewing.

Memorial donations have been received for the following:

Greg Justus

Current Memorial suggestion list

*Sugar Springs Beautification Projects
American, Michigan & Sugar Springs flags
Sugar Springs Beach Areas
Sugar Springs Golf Course
Sugar Springs Recreational Areas
Sugar Springs Chalet Area*



Volunteers Needed

Our Memorial Committee members are looking for a couple of individuals who would be interested in serving on this committee. We have four meetings during the year (May, July, September & November) where we go over the current and future projects, financials etc. This is not asking for help in maintaining gardens.



Fly-In and Family Fun Day Sugar Springs Airpark (5M6) Saturday, August 22, 2015



CTAF 122.9

Fly or drive; everyone is invited!

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Games,
drawings & prizes
Pontoon rides too!



Hot Air Balloon Launch at 6pm

Pancake Breakfast

7am - Noon
Adults - \$6, Kids under age 12 - \$3



There is organized Pickleball played on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9:30am until noon. (Weather permitting). We have three courts and we play in the lower parking lot in front of the cart barn.

Bring your paddle and come join us.

If you have any questions you can call Cathy Johnson at 426-6680 or Gary Barber at 426-5683.

PICKLEBALL

SUNSET FIESTA

Saturday, August 29th

5:00pm - 8:00pm
Inside the Activity Center

**Admission
Two Punches**



FOOD & DRINKS BY PUNCH CARD

- TACOS ▪ ENCHILADAS ▪ CHIPS & SALSA ▪ ANGEL WINGS
- WELL DRINKS 2 PUNCHES ▪ DRAFT BEER 2 PUNCHES
- SANGRIAS 3 PUNCHES ▪ HOUSE WINES 4 PUNCHES



**Punch Cards can
be purchased in
advance at the
POA Office or at
the Event**



The Hearth Restaurant & Pub
at Sugar Springs
1930 Sugar River Rd.
Gladwin, MI 48624

Dancing & Entertainment Provided by Heinz Becker





SHOWCASE OF QUILTS

Sugar Springs Stitches and Quilters would like to thank everyone who participated in the Gladwin Area 2015 Showcase of Quilts held July 10th and 11th at Our Savior Lutheran Church. The approximately three hundred people who attended the show were able to get an up close look at more than one hundred seventeen items on display and many went home with handmade prizes. Both machine and hand quilted quilts of all sizes along with a variety of clothing and wall hangings were there to admire. All agreed that it was very difficult to pick winners from so many wonderful choices. First place for machine quilted large quilt was won by Linda Muma and first place hand quilted large quilt was won by Lana Willford. Darlene Beyer took first place for medium size quilt. Bunny Easlick first place for small machine quilted and Nicole Neely first place for small hand quilted. Miscellaneous entry category first place was won by Mary Anne Epley.

Winners of our two door prize Quilts were Brenda Mathew from West Branch on Friday and on Saturday John Cox from Bay City.



The Sugar Springs Stitches and Quilters

BOATING ON LAKE LANCELOT AND LAKE LANCER

Safety is the primary consideration to having a safe and enjoyable outing. The excitement, fun, and the thrills come in at a distant second. Enjoy our lakes!

- Township ordinance prescribes slow/no wake speeds between the hours of 7:30 pm to 11:00 am daily.
- A person shall not operate a Personal Watercraft (PWC) during the period that begins one (1) hour before sunset and ends at 8:00 am.
- No skiing, tubing or towing without an observer.
- Do not operate your boat or PWC within 100 feet of stationary objects, docks, swimming areas, shorelines or anchored boats unless operating at slow/no wake speeds.
- Operate your watercraft in a counter-clockwise fashion for all water activities.
- Observe all slow / no wake signs.
- Do not operate your boat if you have been drinking.
- Racing is prohibited.
- Non-motorized craft (sailboats, rowboats, canoes, etc.) have the right-of-way over motorboats.
- Any boat being overtaken has the right-of-way.
- Personal Watercraft must obey the same rules as other boats.
- A PWC shall not cross a wake closer than 150 feet from the boat making the wake.
- No boat shall operate without proper lighting between sunset and sunrise.
- Riding on the Bow is illegal if the vessel is not equipped with bow seating and is operating at greater than slow/no wake speed. It is illegal to ride on the gunwale.
- Persons born after December 31, 1978, may not operate a PWC unless they have obtained a boating safety certificate.

Approved by the Board of Directors on December 4, 1993.

Amended by the Board of Directors on December 13, 2003 and October 15, 2011.

Donations needed!

**Sugar Springs
Rummage Sale**

**Saturday, September 5
9 a.m. -- 3 p.m.**

Donations accepted on
Friday, September 4
9 a.m. -- 3 p.m.

Sugar Springs Activity Center
1930 Sugar River road

No clothing please.

*Proceeds go to the Recreation Committee
for Sugar Springs
activities and improvements*

Don't miss it!



THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

From Your Recreation Committee

**The 2015 Sugar Springs Art & Craft Show
was a huge success thanks to all of you!**

Special thanks must go to our Team leaders and their many dedicated volunteers. Teams were led by **Pat Issitt** and **Dennis Hagey** doing vendor set up and parking with **Kim Krenz**; **Joe & Joyce Remenar** ran the concession stand along with the help of **Patty & Weldon Fewell** and **Darlene & Larry Chubb**; **Donna Fairman & Jo Hagey** coordinated the Bake Sale with **Carole Clayton** preparing the gift basket that was raffled off with extra enthusiasm from **Gordy Clayton**; **Sandi Ciardelli & Bob Bleckmann** led the site layout crew of **Lynn Wright, Don DeMatio, Dick Fawcett, M.J. Morell, Pat & Jim Issitt, Jo Hagey** and **Scott Jones**. **Rebecca Duggan** returned this year as Co-chair handling publicity and coordinating with the Buildings and Grounds crew. These Team Leaders, along with their tireless volunteers, allowed for a GREAT craft show.

Special thanks go to **Bob Neeb, Debbie Mahaffy, Melissa Jones** and **Matt Schindler** for their assistance and patience during the entire year of preparation. Thanks also to **Scott Schaefer** and his grounds crew for all their terrific help in preparing the event sites along with **Mark Bayer** for the loan of the golf carts.

Our HUGE thanks to all of the Sugar Springs Community, your friends and family that visited our vendors, purchased bake sale items and raffle tickets, as well as frequented the concession stand. It was a beautiful day to be with neighbors and truly enjoy everything our community has to offer. The money raised will be used for recreational activities available to all residents of Sugar Springs.

July 2, 2016 is the date of our next Art & Craft Show, we are always looking for volunteers, and it really is a fun way to meet neighbors. Please consider contacting one of the Team Leaders or Co-chairs or any member of Recreation Committee about this or any other activity in which you have an interest!

Sue Jones – 2015 Co-chairperson

NEW PERMANENT RESIDENT?

If you are a new permanent resident in Sugar Springs, please stop by the POA Office and register. The Recreation Committee would like to get acquainted and share some information about the area with you.

PARKING



Thank you to the 2015
Craft Show Parking Crew.

From sun-up to set-up, you
started the show in the right lane.

Carol Fink

Jan Neeb

Dave Fink

David Sullivan

Dennis Hagey

Judi Sullivan

Jim Issitt

Sean Sullivan

Kim Krenz

Lynn Wright

*A special shout-out goes to
Designated Runner Sean Sullivan*

It couldn't happen without
volunteers like you!

Sincere thanks,
Pat Issitt

Sugar Springs



August 20th - Tea at one of our member's garden.

September 17th - How to Put Your Gardens to Bed for the Winter

October 15th - Clean up the gardens and soup at The Hearth.

We normally meet on the third Thursday of the month at 9:30am at the old activity building. We meet from May through October. Bring a friend and join us. For questions call Elaine Gagnon at 989/246-8686.



Sugar Springs Annual Picnic and Potluck

All Sugar Springs members and their guests are invited to the annual Sugar Springs membership meet-and-greet picnic and potluck. The 2015 picnic is being held in conjunction with and in support of the Planning Committee "Kids Day" event.

The picnic will be held at the Berkshire Beach Club on Saturday, the 22nd of August from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm. There will be hot dogs, brats, hamburgers, baked beans and beverages. Members are encouraged to bring dishes to share such as salads, desserts or any other of your favorite side dishes. Members are also requested to bring games that both kids and adults would enjoy for friendly competitions.

The Berkshire Beach Club has a great kids playground and of course all kids love a picnic. Be sure to mark August 22nd on your calendar to support the Planning Committee "Kids Day", to include the Airpark Committee sponsored Fly-in and Breakfast in the morning, and the Camping Committee Sponsored Picnic and Potluck at mid-day. The Planning Committee will have many more events scheduled throughout the day so round up those kids and grandkids for a great day of fun at Sugar Springs.

We request people planning to attend signup in the SSPOA office by August 15th to allow us to estimate how many people we will need to serve. Signup is NOT a prerequisite for attendance.

Roland J McDonald Jr
Camping Committee Secretary



SUGAR SPRINGS HOSTS FUN DAY FOR KIDS AND FAMILY

August 22 is a special day for fun at Sugar Springs. The SSPOA will offer lots of free events for youngsters and parents and hope you will invite your friends to join us. Cartoons, boat rides, swimming, a fishing contest, face painting, a bouncy house, and other activities are all on the agenda. Children under 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult.

On the same day, the Sugar Springs Airpark Committee will be hosting a fly-in breakfast. Some of the youngster's activities will be held at the Airpark, where different types of aircraft will be an added attraction.

The Airpark Fly-In starts at 7:00 a.m. and runs until noon. Fun Day activities begin at 10:00 a.m. and end at 4:00 p.m.

The Sugar Springs Activity Center is the focal point for all events. We need volunteers to make this day a success. Please stop at the POA Office and sign up on the volunteer sheets near the front door. Let's show those who visit why Sugar Springs is considered Mid-Michigan's finest recreational and residential community.

SUGARCISE

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays
9:00am in the Lancer Room
of the Activity Center.



Join us for an hour of fun and improve your fitness level. Start with a warm up to get those muscle groups ready, then swing into a "FUN" cardio segment. That's right we said "FUN CARDIO". Finish with exercises to improve muscle tone in those "areas" we all need to work on. Classes are led by an instructor that will demonstrate low impact moves and lead you through an hour of "fun". Wear good supporting shoes and clothing that allow you to move. We are going to do some hip shaking.

Thanks, Joyce Lewis
812/593-3915

TEAM TRIVIA

Join your Sugar Springs neighbors on Wednesday evenings at
7:00pm

in the Activity Building

Cost is \$2/person

Cash prizes ~ Snacks

Question topics run from Golf to Geography, Science to Sports, Money to Movies, Landmarks to Language, Entertainment to Endangered Species, Food to the Funnies, Drinks to Dogs, TV to Travel, Vegetables to Vegas, and More.

**Come, be on a team,
and have some fun
with us.**



**LOSE
WEIGHT.
FEEL
GOOD.**

WEIGHT WATCHERS
MEETINGS
WITH MONTHLY PASS* ARE HERE.



The Sugar Springs Recreation Committee invites you to attend their monthly Birthday Dinners held on the last Monday of the month, at 5:00 pm. Join us at the Hearth Restaurant for dinner and we will provide the dessert. Have fun with friends, or make new ones as we celebrate those who have had their birthdays throughout the month.

Mah Jongg

Mah Jongg Players

The game of Mah Jongg will be played on Friday Mornings at 9:30am in the Lancelot Room.

If you are interested in learning/playing the game please join us.



"Love your Body...Love Yourself"

Come out for any movement and that is Exercise - On a Chair - No Chair Before your 2nd cup of coffee.

YEA FOR US!

Mondays - Wednesdays - Fridays

8:30am in the Lancelot Room

Sugar Springs Weight Watchers

Meetings are held in the

Lancelot Room every TUESDAY

8:00am Weigh In 8:30am Meeting

For general questions & sign up information on portal code access and registration code, etc.

Call Jan Berg-Rezmer 989/578-2625



Sugar Springs Swing

The 33rd annual Sugar Springs Swing Golf Tournament, sponsored by the Sugar Springs Women's Golf Association, was held on June 18th, 2015. This event was very successful with 124 ladies attending. Over half of these women were visitors to Sugar Springs, with many being first time attendees. A big thank you to all who participated.

Our thanks go out to all the people who helped make this a wonderful day:

- * Mark Bayer, Bill Hughes, and all of the Pro Shop staff for their tremendous help and expertise in coordinating and running the golf tournament.
- * Anthony Raineri, Tina Barnard and the Hearth Restaurant kitchen and wait staff for creating a warm and beautiful atmosphere and serving a delicious lunch.
- * Course Superintendent, Lynn Woodruff and his maintenance crew for grooming our golf course and keeping it in such beautiful condition.
- * Debbie Mahaffy and Bob Neeb for all their help and guidance.
- * Our many volunteers; Robin Klott, Karen Medema, Betty Nix, Betty Nixon, Carol Trombley, Gary Underwood, Dale Maxim and Dale Dunham for their help in accommodating and registering 124 women golfers.\
- * Kay Underwood and Janet Tate, the 2016 Swing co-hosts, for their help and support.

Three businesses and many talented people donated and crafted the prizes for this years raffle. Thank you to Nancy Greene and the Knit-Picky Yarn and Gift Shop, Tanger Outlet Mall, Riverwalk Place, Janet Tate, Larry Brown, Dale Maxim, Joan and Jerry Roberge and Pam Nichols.

Also, thanks to the many local restaurants and businesses; Piper's Pub, The Camp Sports Bar, Mack's on Main, The Wagon Wheel Inn, G's Pizzeria, Larry's Bait Shop, Village Flowers and Gifts, Country Corner Bulk Food Store, Vasher's Country Gardens, Gladwin Hair Care, Lakeside Golf Course, Huron Breeze Golf Club, Sugar Springs POA, Sugar Springs Pro Shop, the Hearth Restaurant, the Men's and Women's Golf Associations, and Ida Warner for your donations and support for our golf tournament.

We appreciate and thank everyone who helped us make this years Sugar Spring Swing fun and successful. It was a pleasure working with all of you!

Sincerely,

Carla Maxim & Marie Dunham, 2015 Sugar Springs Swing Co-Hosts



Sugar Springs Swing Winners
C. Kahn, M. Pollock,
L. Lee, S. Kirkbride



Sadie Hawkins I

June 22nd, 2015



<u>Green - Gold</u>	<u>Net</u>	<u>Silver - Gold 3</u>	<u>Net</u>
Brown - Brown	56	Salowitz - Salowitz	48.5
Selwood - Selwood	58.5	Vanderhoff - Vanderhoff	56.5
Underwood - Underwood	59	Magill - Magill	58.5
Johnson - Johnson	59.5	Williams - Holcomb	60
Surowiec - Surowiec	61	Piontek - Gall	61
Johnstone - Johnstone	63	Meyer - Meyer	63
Gullen - Gullen	64	Evans - Evans	70
Bossick - Perkins	65	<u>Silver - Gold 4</u>	
<u>Silver - Gold 1</u>		Fisher - Fisher	59
Dunham - Dunham	52	Medema - Medema	59
Pellegrin - Pellegrin	54.5	Toye - Moore	60
Maxim - Maxim	56.5	Patterson - Patterson	62.5
Roberge - Roberge	57.5	Sosnowski - Gruenwald	62.5
Nichols - Nichols	58	Pierce - Pierce	64.5
Droze - Baker	58.5	Boehm - Boehm	75.5
Gagnon - Gagnon	61.5	<u>Silver - White</u>	
Tate - Hughes	62	Ehrke - Ehrke	51.5
<u>Silver - Gold 2</u>		Pianowski - Hug	54.5
Bodenbach - Bodenbach	52	Unsworth - Shearer	55
Creed - Creed	53	Kazanski - Kazanski	56.5
Proper - Proper	53	Klott - Bayer	58
Wallen - Wallen	59.5	Berg - Berg	59
Ward - Bunse	60	Schalk - Schalk	61
Brown - Brown	69.5		
Mitchick - Mitchick	74		



SADE HAWKINS II

MONDAY, AUGUST 17TH - 8:30AM SHOTGUN

WOMEN, ASK THAT GENTLEMAN TO PLAY and SIGN UP TODAY

Two person teams: Woman/Man

Both tee off on each hole, hit each other's ball, then choose better ball, alternate shots using only one ball until holed out.

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\$25 per team (\$15 Woman, \$10 Man) plus golf course fees

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Mark Bayer's tee shot on #15 for Men and on #7 for Women also adds to SSWG Projects

Buy Two \$1 MULLIGANS, use one anywhere per nine (tee, fairway, putt) EXCEPT for a prize.

Tee shot Closest to pin #3W & #5 M

Closest to pin on approach (from off the green)#8 W & #11M

Tee shot Closest to squiggly line #14 W & #14 M

Longest successful putt on the green # 1 M & #18 W

This "for fun" tournament does NOT require SSWG membership.

Guests and newcomers are invited to participate. It's fun to meet new people so let us pair you up, but we will honor requested foursomes.

Entry Deadline - Saturday, August 15th

The Hearth Restaurant is offering two \$12.00 lunch items (per person) for Sadie participants & spouses (if not playing) which includes tea, coffee or soft drink, tax and tip. Ordering from the menu is unavailable.



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June 20, 2015

Junior Flight

- 1st Place Tom Hug & Alex Hug
- 2nd Place Gary Underwood & Patrick Underwood
- 3rd Place Jake Shearer & Adam Underwood
- 4th Place Bill Magill & Mason Kistler
- 5th Place Dave Hug & Alex Hug
- 6th Place Kevin Klott & Kevin Klott, Jr.
- 7th Place Craig Blust & Blust

Mix Team Flight

- 1st Place Bill Richardson & Jodi Halloran
- 2nd Place Jodi Halloran & Mike Halloran
- 3rd Place Pam Alward & Mark Alward

Ladies Team Flight

- 1st Place Carolyn Pellegrin & Vicky Johnstone
- 2nd Place Carol Fisher & Kelly Freeman
- 3rd Place Pam Nichols & Lisa Lindsey
- 4th Place Lucy Magill & Wendy Kistler

Men's Flight 1

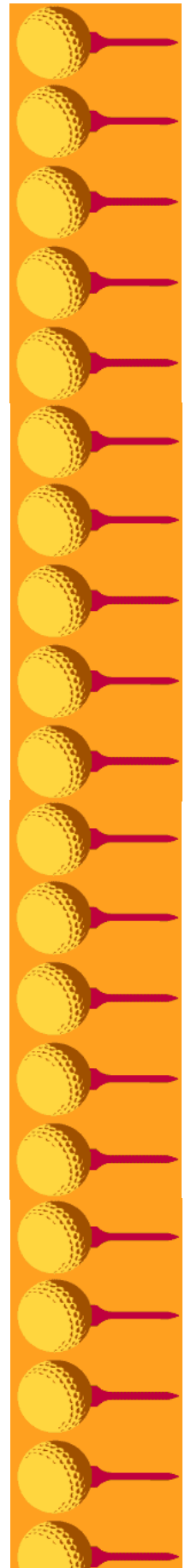
- 1st Place Ernie Mitchell & Kelly Justus
- 2nd Place Mark Klott & Mark Klott, Jr.
- 3rd Place Jim Cartier & Randy Young
- 4th Place Ken Debus & Brandon Debus
- 5th Place Mark Giffin & Mr. Giffin
- 6th Place Chris Fisher & Brock Fisher
- 7th Place Joe Novak & Erik Novak

Men's Flight 2

- 1st Place Jim Carlson & Steve Carlson
- 2nd Place Tony Dinoto & Bryan Dinoto
- 3rd Place Jim Gerulski & Mike Gerulski
- 4th Place Dave Neubauer & Bryan Neubauer
- 5th Place Denis Fassett & George McClusk
- 6th Place Bill Kroppe & BJ Kroppe
- 7th Place Lee Medema & Steve Medema

Men's Flight 3

- 1st Place Ted Kazanski & Jim Kazanski
- 2nd Place Dave Hudson & Brian Hudson
- 3rd Place Bob Neering & Rob Neering, Jr.
- 4th Place Ed Baty & Mr. Tyrrell
- 5th Place Tom Pellegrin, Sr. & Tom Pellegrin, Jr.
- T 6th Place Ron Fisher & Kip Freeman
- T 6th Place Jerry Moore & Mr. Lawler



2015 Member Guest July 16th, 17th & 18th



Front Nine - Stableford

1st Place Barrus - O'Hara 24pts

T2nd Place Jerome - Gluszewski & Gillett - Gillett 21pts

T4th Place Jucewicz - Jucewicz & Strieter - Adamec 20pts

6th Place Kroppe - Kroppe 19pts

Back Nine - Stableford

1st Place Duggan - Fisher 21pts

2nd Place Hug - Kranzo 15pts

T3rd Place Ferrari - Sizick, Erickson - Soloman & Moses - Moses 12pts

6th Place Mitchell - Justus 11pts

Closest to the Pin #3 Bob Salowitz, #5 David Harris, #12 Dennis Shumway, #15 Jim McCain

Men's White A Flight

1st Place Steve Graham - Steve Pawlak 22pts

2nd Place Jim Ferrari - Chris Sizick 22pts

T3rd Place Dennis Shumway - Tom Arntz, Greg McDowell - Tom Pilon 21pts

Men's White B Flight

1st Place Ernie Mitchell - Kelly Justus 23pts

2nd Place Don Wielgosz Jr. - Don Wielgosz Sr. 22.5pts

T3rd Place Mark Ehrke - Dave Ehrke & Rob Brouette - Wes O'Neil 21pts

Men's White C Flight

1st Place Steve Duggan - Paul Fisher 24pts

T2nd Place Mario Apruzzese - Dan Roma & Steve Erickson - Harold Soloman 21.5pts

Men's White D Flight

1st Place Mark Nowak - Mike Nowak 26pts

2nd Place Ray Holcomb & Mark Holcomb 23.5pts

3rd Place Kevin Klott - Camron Klott 19.5pts

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Men's White/Gold Flight C

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1st Place Al Strieter - Art Adamec 25pts

2nd Place Dick Harris - Dave Harris 21.5pts

3rd Place Fred Jerome - Bob Gluszewski 21pts

Men's Gold Flight B

1st Place Frank Barrus - Terry O'Hara 22.5pts

T2nd Place Howard Foley - Jim Klipa & Jerry Hall - Joel Burkland 21.5pts

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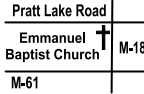
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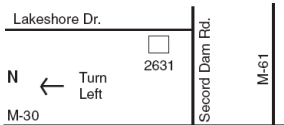
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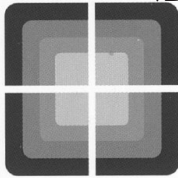
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