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Police Beat

The following arrests are on file at the Loves Park and Machesney Park Police Dept. Readers are reminded that suspects are considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Loves Park March 18

Renn Hart Hills Road/Riverside Blvd. – James A. Affinito, 62, on charges of motor vehicle offenses and a warrant/summons/subpoena

March 19

Pearl/Second - Zachariah Decarlo, 26, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended/ revoked driver's license

March 20

400 E. Riverside Dr. – Javan D. Lewis, 19, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with no driver's license, speeding, and improper lane usage

Forest Hills Road/Landstrom Road - Jorge L. Robles, 21, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with no driver's license, speeding, and a Rockford PD warrant March 21

Renn Hart Hills Road/E. Riverside Blvd. – Antoine Vance, 44, on charges of operating an uninsured motor vehicle with no driver's license and speeding

March 22

Anna Ave./Elkhorn St. - Leticia Sandoval-Rios, 44, on charges of operating an uninsured motor vehicle with no driver's license and traffic sign violation

Towhee Trl./Windsor Road - Anthony M. Street, 38, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended/revoked driver's license 880 E. Riverside Blvd. – Ashley E. Kramer, 29, on charges of an instate warrant

March 23

1810 Harlem Road - Steve J. Isaac, 54, on charges of retail theft 7200 N. Alpine Road - Kayisa Tiara Talford, 24, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended/revoked driver's license and illegal use of a cell phone

W. Riverside Blvd./N. Main St. - Kayla M. Lilly, 27, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended/revoked driver's license, driving under the influence of drugs, and improper lane usage Forest Hills/N. Second St. - Ge-

rardo Ruiz Soto, 39, on charges of operating an uninsured motor vehicle with no driver's license and speeding

Machesney Park March 18

5109 Seaton Hall Dr. - Francisco M. Cortes, 24, on charges of aggravated battery

Continental Dr./West Lane Dr. -Jawan A. Johnson, 25, on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol, driving under the influence of alcohol (over.08), possession of 30 grams or less of cannabis, possession of drug equipment, and improper lane usage March 19

323 Wilson Ave. – Manisee E. **DOWN**

suspended/revoked driver's license 1010 Harlem Road – Marquita L. McCullough, 29, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended/revoked driver's license

1010 Harlem Road – Deanthony C. Keller, 27, on charges of unlawful possession of a weapon and attempt to locate/foreign warrant

18, on charges of retail theft 10153 N. 2nd St. - Kelly R. Ly-

man, 19, on charges of retail theft

gel A. Hernandfez-De La Fuente, 21, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended/revoked driver's license

March 22

Continental Dr./West Lane Road Kenneth J. Brinkman, 31, on charges of operating an uninsured 10153 N. 2nd St. - Zlata Zilkic, motor vehicle with no driver's license

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N. 2nd St./Marquette Road – An- ing under the influence of alcohol, driving under the influence of alcohol (over .08), and improper lane usage

March 23

Lilac Lane/Cameo Dr. - Cheri A. Roever, 49, on charges of possession of a controlled substance and driving under the influence of drugs

Harlem Road/Scott Lane - Ste-Erma Ave./Wilson Ave. - Joni phen Michael Shoudy, 27, on C. Hauser, 58, on charges of driv- charges of operating an uninsured

motor vehicle, driving under the influence of alcohol, driving under the influence of alcohol (over .08), speeding, and improper turning

1009 West Lane Road - Saidi Rubio, 35, on charges of theft - under \$500

N. Perryville Road/West Lane Road - Isidro D. Marcial, 20, on charges of operating an uninsured motor vehicle with a suspended/revoked driver's license, and traffic light violations

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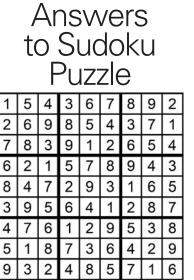
Rollins, 39, on charges of domestic 1. "____ down!" battery and possession of 30 grams 2. Sheltered, nautically or less of cannabis March 20

650 W. State St. - Daniel W. Eddy, 29, on charges of operating an uninsured motor vehicle, driving under the influence of drugs. other traffic offenses, and a warrant/summons/subpoena

Forest Hills Road/Harlem Road - Jessika M. Kotthaus, 32, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended/revoked driver's license and traffic light violations

Alpine Road/Harlem Road -Jenna Anne Kniep, 34, on charges of operating an uninsured motor vehicle with a cancelled/suspended/revoked registration March 21

N. Alpine Road/West Lane Road - Skye L. Pitts, 18, on charges of operating a motor vehicle with a





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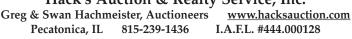
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Sale order: Tools and small items, fencing, auto, hay, field equip. EARLY LISTINGS:

IH 460 G, wd ft, fast hitch; '99 Kubota 2200 w/bucket & belly mower; IH 560D w/fast hitch; AC CA w/5' belly mower.

Case IH 5400 no till drill; Fox chopper, 2 hds; NH 256 5 bar rake w/dolly; JD 547 rd baler, very gd; JD 510 twine wrap rd baler; 60'x8" grain auger; IH 183 6 row rear mt cult; NI rake, Dearborn 3-14 mtd plow; Dearborn 8' mtd disc; mtd blade; JD 350 hay rake; Cory 300 bu box & gear; Kilbros box on hyd gear; 36' bale conveyer w/motor on trk; 22'x9" chain conveyer w/motor; Flex auger; Farmhand grinder mixer; auger wagon w/gas engine drive; Farm King 861 60' pto auger; 4 deep sks for chisel; IH Cat 4"x40" cylinder; 20 assorted imp 6 hole rims & tires; NH 479 haybine; IH 15 rake; 18' flat rack, flo tires; 20' flat rack; bale cage; 3 pt blade hyd angle & tilt; 1600 gal ag supply tank; JD 714 disc chisel; Hutchinson 10"x72' auger; JD rotary hoe; Lilliston 3 pt rolling cult; Top Aire sprayer w/60' boom & 1000 gal tank; Glencoe 24' soil finisher.

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ITEMS: Antiques, collectibles, tools and other miscellaneous items. SEE IRENEAUCTIONCOMPANY.COM FOR COMPLETE LISTING AND PICTURES AUCTIONEER: Kenny Freeman, 815-289-7904 • AUCTIONEER LICENSE: 441.002085

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PRAIRIE GRANGE 42nd ANNUAL CONSIGNMENT AUCTION

SATURDAY, APRIL 14th, 2018 • Starting at 9:30 A.M. Sharp LOCATION: To be held at the Boone County Fairgrounds 8791 IL Rt. 76, Belvidere, Illinois 61008 - 1 mile north of Belvidere, IL

RUNNING 4 LINES!! • PRAIRIE GRANGE, SPONSOR SALE MANAGER: Lyle Lee - (cell) 815-988-0249

PARTIAL LIST: 1050 JD w/3429 hrs. Canopy, turf tires, 75 loader, #8 Backhoe w/2 buckets (12" & 24") JD boxscraper; M-5 Dixie cutter; JD 660 3 pt tiller; 1993 Ford F350; 1989 GMC C7D042 reg. cab; Sun computerized car & truck wheel balancer (works well); Ammco disc/drum brake lathe-complete; Coats 10/10 tire machine; Sioux complete valve grinding machine; Snap On complete valve seat resurfacing set, inc. extra stones & guides in box; (4) bottle jacks (various tonage); gas powered auger; Hydraulic hos crimper w/dies; 2000 Gal. double walled fuel tank (no pump); Hard bristle broom for front of pickup (mounts like a snowplow); Tree cutter (mounts on a back hoe boom); Lg. selection of lights- Headlights tail lights, clearance lights & lens covers (all work); Several used tires- Truck- (4) 8.25-20, (4) 10.00-20, (4) 12.0-20; Tractor-(2) 14.9-28, (5) 14.00-20; 1940's Colonial wood stove; Fender & Washburn guitars. Tons more coming in that is not listed. Bring your trucks & trailers & tell your friends!

AUCTIONEERS: Al Henninger, Lyle Lee, Bob Goad, Jeff Marrs, Kris Bryan, Kenny Freeman, John Edwards, Troy Rudy & Andrew Kitson.

NOTE: Check in time as follows: Thursday, April 12th from 8-6 and Friday, April 13th from 8-4. **NO SATURDAY MORNING ENTRIES!**

TERMS: Cash or checks w/proper ID. Visa, Mastercard & Discover will be accepted. 3% Convenience fee for credit card. No property to be removed until settled for. Not responsible for accidents or items after purchase. Announcements day of sale prevail over written material.

Richard & Marlene Koglin Auction Tractor, Truck, UTV, Farm Machinery and Equipment, Tools

Sunday, April 15th • 11:00 am • 10208 Rt. 70, Durand, Illinois LOCATION: From Durand, Illinois go south on Rt. 70 app. Two miles to auction on right.

TRACTOR: Kubota L3600 Tractor w/1100 hrs, FWA, 4-wheel drive w/LA680 loader selling with Woods 7ft. Mower.

FARM EQUIPMENT & MISC. ITEMS: app. One load of misc. farm items; NI box spreader, PTO, nice cond; 3pt. 5ft. Scraper blade; 7x16ft. Flat rack w/2" floor & Kory 8-ton gear, never been outside; 7ft. Snow bucket; Mayrath 4"x12ft auger w/motor; Int. 706 window for yr.round cab; 45" hyd.cyl off NI loader; AC Belt pulley; antique JD corn sheller; app. 10-gates; 600.16 new implement tire; ass't tires; 3-18ft. Telephone poles; wheel weight; shovels; forks; post digger; ax; hand sythe; well point; land anchors; elec. Fencers; hand corn planter; 2-antique gas cans; fence braces; steel posts; grain probe w/temp. gauge; 2-grain bin aerators; 10ft. Bin sweep.

TRUCK: 1997 Ford F150, cab & 1/2, topper, 8ft. Box, 5-speed, AC, 75,000 miles

UTV: 2004 Polaris Ranger TM 2x4 w/dump box, 491 hours.

SNOWMOBILE: older Jag Arctic Cat snowmobile 3000RC, clean; Snowmobile mover. TRAILER: 2-wheel 4x6ft. Trailer.

DOG KENNELS: 2-chain link.

WINDMILL: Koenders air windmill for pond.

HAY: app. 50 small sq. bales of lst crop hay.

LUMBER: 16ft. 2x4 & 2x6's; 2x8; 2x10 & 2x12.

TOOLS & SHOP ITEMS: Lincoln AC 225 amp arc welder; Cummins HD Drill Press, 16mm capacity w/light; Craftsman 10" radial arm saw; Sears jig saw; Acetylene torch set on cart; air comp. on wheels; 27" long anvil; Vise; tool boxes; metal shelving units; elec.cords; log chains; bolt bins; lots hand tools inc. files; hammers; drill bits; chisels; saws, etc; cement mixer w/elec. Motor; nails, screws, etc; 6ft. Alum. Step ladder; 20ft. Alum. & 24ft. Wood ex. Ladder.

LAWN & GARDEN: Simplicity SRX 12.5 LTH 42" cut hydro riding mower; 16hp. Simplicity Coronet 36" riding mower/mulcher; EverSharp push mower; Toro FTS-5 Super-recyle push mower; Stihl FS-45 gas weed eater, used 3-times; 2-chaise lawn chairs w/padded; rd. glass patio table; 3ft.cement bench; 8ft. Wood vintage bench; lawn & garden tools & holder; rubber tire wheel barrow; gas cans; hose w/reel; hand sprayers; 12-gal 5hp shop vac. MISC. ITEMS: antique Wonder Wash hand crank washing machine, neat; Christmas deer & sleigh; tackle boxes; luggage; vintage step stools; dolly; Sunbeam 200lb. Hanging scale; motor & outboard oil; metal milk crates; live trap; Remington chain saw; Reddy heater; 5-ga. Bucket of golf balls; small 5-drawer pine chest; old hardwood flooring; tote full of adult & children life jackets; 25-leg traps; igloo dog house. CONSIGNED: exterior prehung door; Alum. Clad double hung windows; poultry netting; kitchen table desk; light fixtures; 2x4's; interior birch doors; wheel barrel; step ladder. TERMS: Cash or good check. Not responsible for accidents or losses. AUCTIONEERS: Tom Bidlingmaier, Browntown, WI 608-328-4878 & Cory Bidlingmaier, Monroe, WI 608-558-4924, Ill. Reg. License # 41000268 & # 41000269

4 calf creep feeder; barn cleaner paddles & chain; Humane water bowl parts; feed cart; power silo winch; galvanized water tank; Rubbermaid water tanks; hog gates; Farm Star feed stuffer; 20' feeder wagon w/roof; 20' cattle guard; Harvestore roller mill w/3hp motor; post hole digger; JD 550 spreader; Notch 20' feed wagon w/liners.

Devilbliss air compressor, 12g 4hp; Devilbliss brad nailer; Bostitch roofing nailer; Bostitch framing nailer; 100' of air compressor hoses; cordless roto zip in case; drywall T square & tools; concrete gun w/tool box & loads; saw horses; heavy duty power cord; ladders; tools; Craftsman 4" jointer/plainer; Ace 10" table saw; home sawn walnut, cherry, oak lumber; 29"x80" new oak door; new 23 1/2" x 41 1/2" crank window.

Works electric chain saw w/ext boom; D.R. self propelled brush wacker; acet torch kit; paint sprayer kit & mask; string trimmer; air compressor on wheels; Generac portable welder; 2 loads new tools & ag equip; Sears 5 hp wood chipper; Troybilt 8 hp wood chipper.

Vintage Fairbanks platform scale; vintage 1800s pot belly stove; misc collectibles

6' finish mower; plastic snow fence; 40' flag pole; wrought iron patio table & chairs; gas smoker.

Hay: Ld lg rd mixed

2008 Load max 30' gooseneck flat bed w/dove tail & ramps; 99 Buick Regel; '99 Chev; 5'x7 1/2' pickup Duraliner; 2 horse trailer.

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Auction Schedule

Wed., April 18 - Winnebago Brick Duplex Real Estate Auction. 8980 Cunningham Rd., Winnebago, IL. 5:00 P.M.

Sat., April 21 - Carl & Lisa Stahl Moving Auction. 213 S. Pecatonica St., Winnebago, IL - 10:00 A.M.

Wed., April 25 - Winnebago County Surplus Real Estate Auction. Winnebago County Court House, 400 W. State St., Rockford, IL. 6:00 P.M.

Thurs., April 26 - 12-Acre Hunting & Fishing Club Real Estate Auction. E. Mahoney Rd., Warren, IL. 5:00 P.M.

Sat., April 28 - Marie Kant Auction. 1709 Post Ave., Rockford, IL. Personal Property at 10:30 A.M. Real Estate at 1:00 P.M.

Death Notices

March 19

David Graham, 27; Hellen Anderson, 79; James Vandiver, 79; Elizabeth Standen, 65; Joe Russell, 51; Robert Richards, 88; Sheila Hill, 87; Donald McWilliams, 75; Brock Palchik, 27; Ruth Nelson, 99; Angelique Wilks, 49; Theodore Gavrilys, 60 March 20

Iola Humphry, 53; Frances Barrow, 90; Tyrone Lindquist, 72; Jose Perez, 63; Donna Long, 54; Emma Stieglitz, 27; Susan Clayton, 62 March 21

Edward Schraiber, 88; Patricia Kendell, 88; Richard Soter, 86; Bonleta Richards, 86; Esther Matzur, 92; Betsy Ryks, 63

March 22

Lucy Anderson, 98; Jack Miller, 64; Florence Silvis, 61; Dorothy Larson, 90; Charlotte Spangler, 82; Jeffie Scott, 85; John Kolaxie, 17; Sally Huff, 82; Donna Truax, 77; Gladys Ponce, 83; Betty Lindwall, 65; Charles Cicaro, 92

March 23

Katherine Anderson, 62; Cynthia Lamberth, 57; Mary Strey, 91; Linda Gabel, 64; Kenneth Levan, 72 March 24

Lois Johnson, 99; James Yettereng, 90; Santos Escamilla, 92; Doris Taylor, 92; Patsy Sturdivant, 56; Joseph Myles, 33; Ray Campbell, 64; Jordan Tableman, 20; Dolores Morreal, 78; Elizabeth Peterson, 94; Richard Moss, 42

March 25

Shirley Wilson, 64; Debra Lantz, 62; Quinton Earls, 56; Jane Bengtson, 91; Ruden Mendiola, 36; Marco Gudino, 30; Betty Peterson, 90 March 26

Raymond Hanson, 92; Mable Clanton, 94; Lisa Gustafson, 63

Loves Park Fire Calls

The Loves Park Fire Dept. responded to the following calls from March 18 through 25.

March 18

110 E. Main St. Winnebago - MA-BAS Win-Bur-Sew FPD - barn fire 228 Renrose Ave. - assist Metro 228 Renrose Ave. - assist Metro

March 19

6434 Reanna Way - carbon monoxide investigation

- March 20 4th St./Ramona - MABAS North Park FPD – garage fire
- 7552 Park Pl. odor investigation March 21

5525 N. Second St. - smoke odor investigation

March 22

7711 Edwin Lane - kitchen fire March 23 322 Belteberg Road - carbon mon-

oxide investigation 5138 Stone Crest Lane - car fire

March 24 5905 N. Second St. - carbon mon-

oxide investigation March 25

696 Castlewynd Dr. - mulch fire 635 Castlewynd Dr. fire alarm



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Make Blackhawk Run Golf Course your new destination

Built in 1964, Blackhawk Run Golf Course in Stockton, Ill., offers terrific views and challenging play for golfers at every skill level. Wellgroomed fairways and greens keep

Blackhawk Run Golf Course difficult yet friendly, and the staff can offer tips and tricks for playing your best round. Blackhawk Run Golf Course is a terrific choice for your regular

rounds of golf or a new destination for you and friends when visiting Stockton.

2018 Daily Green Fees Weekday Fees and Weekday Twilight Fees Weekday Fees - 9 Holes: \$22; 18 Holes: \$35; Reciprocal: \$25 * Price Includes Cart *

Weekday Twilight Fees (after 4 p.m.) 9 Holes: \$18; 18 Holes: \$29 * Price Includes Cart *

Weekend Fees & Weekend **Twilight Fees**

Weekend Fees - 9 Holes: \$26; 18

Holes: \$40; Reciprocal: \$30 * Price Includes Cart * Weekend Twilight Fees (after 4 p.m.) - 9 Holes: \$20; 18 Holes: \$30 * Price Includes Cart * Junior Green Fees (0-18) - 9 Holes:

\$20; 18 Holes: \$30 * Price Includes Cart * Punch Card Special Offer

5-9 Holes w/cart \$100 anytime w/ scheduled tee time

Pricing Information Membership Options

Single (cart not included) \$675 Couple (cart not included) \$940



SUBMITTED PHOTO The Shoppe Blackhawk Run Golf Course in Stockton, Ill., offers terrific views and challenging play for golfers at every skill level.



Family (cart not included) \$1,100 Senior 65+ (cart not included) \$625 Senior Couple (No Cart) \$825 Corporate Package \$2,500 Students 0-18 (W/ Cart) \$125 Students 0-18 (No Cart) \$75 College Student W/ ID (W/ Cart) \$175

College Student W/ ID (No Cart)

\$125 2018 New Member Pricing Single (cart not included) \$400 Couple (cart not included) \$650 Family (cart not included) \$825 Senior (cart not included) \$350 Cart Rental - Storage Fees -

Trail Fees

Cart rentals

9 Hole Cart Pass (daily) \$10 18 Hole Cart Pass (daily) \$15 ¹/₂ Cart Pass (annual) \$300 Full Cart Pass (annual) \$525 Storage fees Personal Cart - Gas - \$ 275 Personal Cart - Electric - \$300 Trail Fees

Share-A-Seat (W/ Member Cart) \$200

Bring Personal Cart On - \$200 Black Hawk Run Golf Course is located at 3501 S. Golf Road, Stockton, Ill. Call 815-947-3011 for more information.

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Tuesday Women's Golf Day Wednesday Men's League - No available tee-times from 8 to 11:30 a.m.

Thursday Night Men's League - No available tee-times from 3 p.m. - close Golf Course is open

Golf Course Hours, weather permitting

Sunday through Wednesday: 8 a.m. 6 nmThursday through Saturday: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Golf Course & Pro Shop Greens Fees Monday-Friday Weekends & Holidays Members 9 Holes \$9/ \$12 18 Holes \$12/ \$17 Non-members 9 Holes \$12/ \$16 18 Holes \$17/\$23 Golf Cart Rental Week Day Weekends & Holidays 9 Holes \$7/ \$9 18 Holes \$13/ \$17 Annual season passes Individual Membership \$200 Junior Membership (Åge 10-16) \$25 Non Property Owner Guest (Individual) \$350 Corporate \$2000

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* Players must observe

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• Apple Canyon (Continued from page 6)

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Apple Canyon Lake Golf Course is located at 14A200 E. Apple Canyon Road, Apple River, Ill.

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- Holidays) 9-Holes: \$18 18-Holes: \$30

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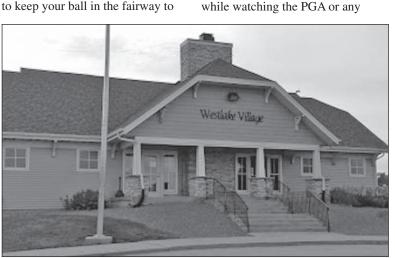
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Rockford chiropractor discusses golf swing injuries

Dear Dr. Caraotta,

Everyone knows that walking is a good overall exercise, but what do you think about golf if a person walks the course. Is golf a good exercise? Dr. Caraotta's Response

Almost every exercise is beneficial, depending on a person's health status and conditioning. There are however precautionary measures and some particulars with every sport that should be considered. In golf and other sports that heavily involve swinging an object or striking a ball, it is typical for torsional stress on the involved joints of the spine to produce chronic pain in the affected joints.

Dr. Watkins, in his book The Spine in Sports, notes that on the PGA Tour, the most common injuries are to the low back and neck. He also stated that "almost all professional golfers deal with some form of cervical (neck) or lumbar (low back) problems.'

Does this mean that golf should be avoided by the general population? Absolutely not! Keep in mind that these high performance athletes are performing swinging maneuvers much more concentrated and frequent than the average golfer and this repetition is what causes this phenomenum. With this in mind, lets discuss some things that should be considered when golfing.

The golf swing demands coordinated function of the trunk, especially rring the extremes of motion. The most common problem in golf is that it is easy to maintain tight trunk control in the mid-rotational power position but it is at the extremes of the back swing that most injuries occur. This leads to a common recommendation for the recreational golfer, which is to reduce the length of the back swing and follow-through. In fact, recent research by Neighbors (1997) indicates that the back swing can be shortened approximately 20% without a loss in club head velocity at ball impact. Strengthening certain muscle groups could also help prevent golf injuries. These muscles include the thighs, hips, abdominal, paraspinal musculature, latissimus dorsi, and the scapular stabilizers. Players who have played for a long time will basically swing the same way they have always swung. If poor mechanics have been developed over a period of time due to injury or compensation for weaknesses or instability, they will likely have difficulty correcting the swing faults as long as they continue without intervention.

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• Silver Ridge

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Weekend Rates

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These players may require instruction on appropriate mechanics and may need to rest from the game as they rehabilitate. Next week we will discuss some injuries that are common to golfers, and some protocols of rehabilitation that could be helpful.

If you have a question that you would like Dr. Caraotta to address in his column, you can send your question to his office at 4921 E. State St., Rockford, IL. 61108 or call your question in at Caraotta Chiropractic Orthopedics, Call 815-398-4004 and ask to speak with one of the doctors.

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Sunset Golf: Established in 1937 by local leaders

Sunset Golf Course, home of the famous Lyle Towns Old Home Week 4th of July Scramble, was founded in 1937 by the Kable brothers and other prominent figures in the Mount Morris township. In 1990 the course layout changed with the addition of four holes, which now play as # 4, 5, 6, and 8.

The course's most well know attraction is the 7th hole which is a 100 yard par 3 that requires golfers to hit their shot over a giant ravine known by lo-

cals as the Pit. On the original course layout this played as the final hole, but today it is the 7th. What seems like such a simple hole has played mind games with golfers for years. Even the best golfers have managed to ruin their rounds after challenging this hole.

Daily Green Fees and Specials

9 Holes - \$8 18 Holes - \$10 Cart Rental

Total 9 Holes - \$15 18 Holes - \$20 Range Balls - \$4 Specials New Member Discount Price -\$450 (Or more than 3 years removed) Sunset Golf Course is located at 216 Sunset Hill, Mt. Morris, Ill. For more information, call 815-734-4839

9 Holes - \$7

18 Holes - \$10



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Our course offers four different tee box settings on each hole, numerous bunkers, doglegs, and tight tree lined fairways. Five water hazards, four of which were added in 2010-2011 provide for a challenging round of golf.

Washington Park Municipal Golf Course: Kenosha's only public golf course

Washington Park Municipal Golf Course, dedicated in 1922, is the only public golf course located in the City of Kenosha. This course, with its rolling hills and creeks throughout, offers a challenging, yet forgiving 9-hole layout that is a pleasure for golfers of all ability levels.

Amenities are available to enhance your day, from the Clubhouse Grille to the practice green. Clubs, gas cars and pull carts are available for a nominal fee.

The City of Kenosha would like to invite your business or organization to consider Washington Park Municipal Golf Course ("Muni") for your next fundraiser, employee outing or team building exercise, social event or weekly golf league.

Kenosha Muni Golf Course is a beautiful 9-hole course built in 1922. offering 9 and 18-hole golf outing packages including food and beverage services. The scenic layout offers multiple tees on every hole to ensure an enjoyable golf experience for golfers of all ability levels.

The 2018 Golf rates are as follows:

- 9 Hole Green fee Weekday/ Weekend
- \$12/13
- 9 Cart \$10
- 18 Hole Green fee Weekday/ Weekend
- \$18/19
- 18 Cart \$15
- Discounts are available for groups
- of 16 golfers or more.
- 9 Holes with cart \$18
 - *W/Sandwich & Beverage \$25
- 18 Holes with cart \$29

*W/Sandwich & Beverage \$36; Alternate food items available at additional expense.

Outing packages are customizable and flexible depending on the needs of your particular group.

Weeknight golf league rate is \$11 per golfer (gas cart not included) when paid in advance.

Muni also offers great discount rates for junior and college age golfers, as well as discount rates for golfers age 55+.

Please call Joe Bill, Parks Division Supervisor, at 262-945-4615 or the clubhouse manager, Steve Raith, at 262-653-4090 for more details.

Washington Park Municipal Golf Course is located at 2205 Washington Road, Kenosha, Wis. For more onformation, call 262-653-4090, 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.



SUBMITTED PHOTO The Shopp Looking for a new challenge? Take your game to Mt. Morris' Sunset Golf Course.

Krueger-Haskell golf course celebrates new rates 2018

Krueger-Haskell Golf Course is located on the west side of the City of Beloit and opened May 1, 1927. When the course opened it was originally a 9-hole course. In 1931 the course was enlarged to an 18-hole course.

Today the course is an 18 hole, par 70, 6158 yard course from the white tees. Our unique layout, mature trees and rolling terrain make it a challenging and enjoyable course for any golfer.

Our course offers four different tee box settings on each hole, numerous bunkers, doglegs, and tight tree lined fairways. Five water hazards, four of which were added in 2010-2011 provide for a challenging round of golf.

We also offer a practice green for golfers who would like to work on chipping and putting before their round of golf. Five hitting cages are also at the clubhouse to get warmed up before your round.

The golf course was named for Butch Krueger and Everett Haskell. Butch Krueger was the PGA Professional at Beloit Municipal Golf

Course from 1936-1966. He brought national recognition to Beloit as a touring golf professional.

Butch taught golf to thousands of Beloit golfers over several generations. Everett Haskell had many notable accomplishments and contributions to the City of Beloit and Krueger-Haskell Golf Course. Everett was a native Beloiter, local businessman, city councilor, an avid golfer and supporter of the golf course.

The clubhouse offers a small merchandise area providing golfers with their basic golfing essentials; golf balls, logo shirts, golf gloves, and tees

Food and a bar are located inside the Krueger-Haskell clubhouse which provides a friendly and relaxing atmosphere for golfers after their round of golf. They provide a variety of different food and beverage options, as well as large group catering and beverage service on the course.

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I'm going to be bold and declare we've all got a fair amount of courage within us. But, like the lion in the Wizard of Oz, we may not recognize our own fearless nature because often in the midst of being courageous we feel anything but brave.

That's because courage doesn't materialize in the form of a medal we can wear around our necks. That would be too easy. And it isn't always as obvious as rescuing a kitten from a burning building although that does qualify. It can take any number of shapes and is often a necessary component of the every day. Most of us live a life of courage without even realizing it.

According to my online thesaurus, synonyms for courage include determination, endurance, fearlessness, fortitude, boldness, tenacity and guts. We've all got guts – I'm speaking in the figurative sense.

Courage in the everyday is the new mom who drops her infant son off for the first time at daycare and then cries all the way to work and tries to dab her eyes dry so no one will know how much mental fortitude that first drop off required.

Courage is the elderly gentleman who understands that after 16 years of love and companionship his loyal golden retriever is suffering from numerous ailments and it is time to say goodbye.

Courage not only takes guts, it involves listening to them. When you see a bully and speak out even though you may be hesitant to get involved in someone else's business you are acting with a fearlessness that is inspired. When you step in to give praise to a young dad who is patiently struggling with an inconsolable baby at the grocery store you are similarly bold and courage-filled.

Courage is often invisible. Sometimes it is getting out of bed in the morning and putting one foot in front of the other to make it through the day. Resolute courage is doing the same thing the next day, and the day after that.

The mom who chooses her family over career to take a leap of faith and pursue a job that's closer to home and closer to her heart. Courageous.

The dad who coaches the youth sports team season after season, mostly because he loves the kids, partly because no other parent will volunteer. Courageous.

Trying something new, even though it will be hard and you might fail. Asking for help



Courageous. Being the first to say, "I'm

sorry." Courageous. Being the first to say, "I love you." Asking someone for a first - or second - date. Reaching out to hold someone's hand. Reaching out to further build a relationship. Courageous.

Courage is admitting you messed up, made a mistake or misjudged a person or situation. It is a willingness to listen to opinions that don't line up with your own preconceived notions - political or otherwise.

It takes courage to throw away your imaginary mask and let others see the real you. Simple, but probably one of the toughest scenarios yet because we all have things we think we should hide.

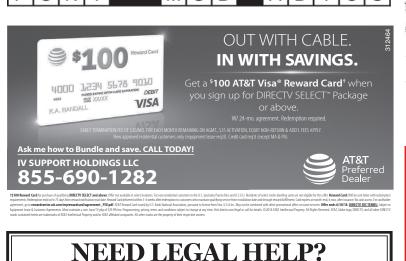
Daring to dream, hope and pursue - perhaps the best kinds of courage of all.

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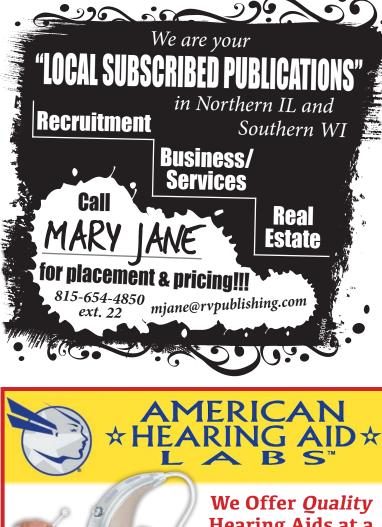
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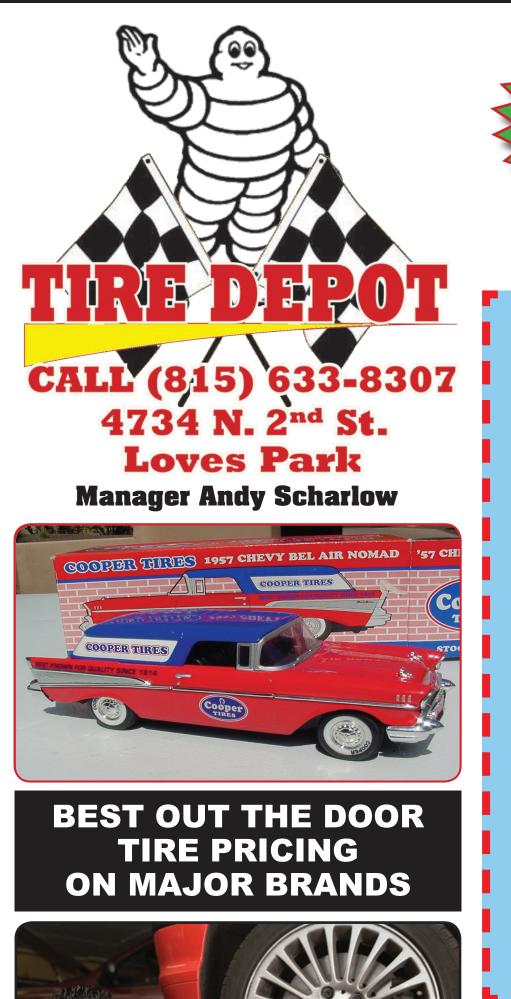
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 - 4) Inspect Tires & Correct Air Pressure
 - 5) Rotate Tires
 - 6) Inspect Thickness of Brake Pads
 - 7) Check Vehicle Charging System A: Test Output of Alternator B: Load Test The Battery
 - C: Check Condition of Battery Connections

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Install new oil filter • Includes up to 5 quarts of 5W30 Lubricate chassis (if necessary) • Free brake inspection



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