

# the Bull Sheet

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## DATES TO REMEMBER

May 6 — ITF's First Annual Two-Man Best Ball Tourney at Stone Creek Golf Club in Urbana, IL, **John Parkes, CGCS** host.

May 6 — Annual Penn State University Alumni Outing at Riverside Golf Club, **Shane Kissack** host.

May 21 — MAGCS monthly meeting/ITF Golf Day at Whisper Creek Golf Club in Huntley, IL, **Jim Wyffels** host.

June 6 — Memorial Service for **John Ebel** at Barrington Hills Country Club. More details to follow.

June 24 — MAGCS monthly meeting at the newly-renovated Phillips Park Golf Course, **Lynn Wesson** host.

On Tuesday, April 2, one of the most important figures in the Chicagoland golf scene passed away. Joe Jemsek was 89 when he succumbed to a lengthy illness. Mr. Jemsek's name is synonymous with public golf in our area, and his life's work has had an effect on all of us in the golf industry, from caddy to greenkeeper to professional player. The MAGCS salutes Joe Jemsek for all he has done for our industry, and we offer our sincerest condolences to his family and countless friends.

This invitation comes to us from Juanita Ebel: "You are cordially invited to a Memorial Event to honor and celebrate the life of **John Ebel**, former Keeper of the Greens at Barrington Hills Country Club, who went to be with the Lord on

January 26, 2002. Barrington Hills will host the event for relatives, friends, club members and coworkers in the golf industry on June 6, 2002 at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Please join us at this time of remembrance to share John's life. It will be a happy gathering." Let's show our support with a big MAGCS turnout.

Congratulations to Robyn and **Bob Kohlstedt** of Fox Bend Golf Course on the birth of their daughter Kyra Joann on March 9. Kyra is a chip off the old block, coming in at 6 lb., 12 oz. and 19-3/4" long.

The MAGCS is proud to honor these individuals who will celebrate their 25th anniversary as members of our great organization: **John Lapp** of St. Andrews Golf Club; **Norman Meyer**, retired; **Don Spier** of Syngenta Turf & Ornamental; and **Dan Wyatt, CGCS**. Congratulations, gentlemen, and thank you for your long-term support of MAGCS.

Condolences to the **Kevin DeRoo** family on the loss of their old friend Murphy. You may recall that Murphy DeRoo was featured in an article about golf course dogs in this very rag recently—she was the one who ate a Lesco Lake and Pond Dye packet AND got arrested in the Bartlett Hills Golf Course parking lot. Kevin swears that contrary to these little glitches, she was a VERY smart dog, and will be missed.



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This comes to us from **Bruce Williams, CGCS** of The Los Angeles Country Club, where they obviously have REALLY BIG grubs and even bigger skunks. Actually, this damage was inflicted upon the Boulder Creek Country Club by wild pigs. See what happens when you cancel the XFL?

