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Summer Session

Pilot Ground School Set For July 14

The 6-week summer session ground school for private and instrument pilot ratings opens Friday, July 14, at Indian Lake.

Many Indian Lakers have indicated a preference for a summer session, which they feel they can attend more regularly in between other summer activities around the lake.

No Prerequisite For Private Pilots

There are no prerequisites for the private class. A private or commercial rating is required for admission to the instrument ground school class.

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Audio-visual Aids

The latest audio-visual aids are used to present the material. Organized in 6 sections, the private pilot class begins with a preview of the aviation field and ends with the FAA regulations. Other sections cover flying preliminaries, flight computer, navigation, radio navigation and meteorology.

The instrument class covers instrument systems, flight charts, procedures, planning, clearance and approach landing.

Don Wonders, manager of Indian Lake Air Park, is the instructor. Once enrolled in the class, students can progress at their own rate.

Admission to the summer session can be obtained by calling Indian Lake Air Park 814-754-5159. Or, be at the Lodge at 7 p.m., Friday, July 14, for the first class. Total cost for the ground school is \$50.00.

Play Golf With Arnold Palmer

MEMBERS ACTING FAST ON NEW REFERRAL CONTEST

Round of Golf With Arnie For 6 Top Sponsors of New Property Owners

The new Indian Lake referral contest has really caught on with the members, and everyone is acting fast in setting up appointments for prospective property owners in an effort to win a round of golf and playing lesson with Arnold Palmer.

"Play golf with Arnold Palmer. I'll be so nervous I won't be able to tee up the ball." "I wonder if I can outdrive Arnie." "Play golf with Arnold Palmer. It's fantastic." These are some of the comments heard around the lodge and expressed over the telephone by enthusiastic members.

One sure thing about this contest is that every one can participate. And the top prize of playing golf with Arnold Palmer is transferrable. Certainly would

New Identification Tags Available At the Lodge

New identification tags for members with full recreation privileges through Indian Lake now are available at the Lodge office.

These new identification tags are the only recognized means of admission for the golf course, swimming pool and ski slopes. The tags are for the 1967-68 season. New tags will be issued next year for the 1968-69 season, effective June 1. The tags are color code and identifiable as follows: Orange, Adults; Yellow, Girls; Blue, Boys.

All members with the full \$150.00 Lodge membership are urged to pick up the new tags at the Lodge.

Under no circumstances are these new tags transferrable. Also, there's a \$2.00 charge for replacing new tags.

CONTEST STANDINGS

To date, six property owners have been credited with points in the new referral contest. Grouped close together in the standings are Lawrence Hitchins, Pittsburgh; Robert Lochbaum, Pittsburgh; James Long, Barnesboro; James Lyons, Ebensburg; James Garrity, Johnstown; Paul Wagner, Buckstown.



make an ideal gift from a non-golfing winner.

The contest is open to all property owners of Indian Lake, Stonycreek Lake and members of Indian Lake Lodge.

For every sponsored guest that buys property at Indian Lake, there's a \$100.00 gift certificate for the sponsor. Also, the sponsor automatically gets 100

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July 29, Big Prizes

Strong Field Expected For K. H. Wagner Golf Tournament

The first annual K. H. Wagner Memorial Golf Tournament appears to be on its way to having the strongest field of any Indian Lake golf tournament.

Interest in this major tournament can be attributed to several factors. First, there's the prize money. The top three scorers will share in \$500.00 worth of prizes or cash. Second, the tournament will be played on just one day, Saturday, July 29, and will be based on a one-half handicap.

These factors seem to be attracting many new golfers in addition to the regulars. By new golfers is meant those who still play more regularly on their hometown course than at Indian Lake. But for this tournament, many golfers are anxiously trying to get in the required 54 holes to establish a handicap. The scores can be based on three 18 hole cards or six 9 hole scores. Only those golfers with an established handicap here at Indian Lake will be eligible to participate. The tournament is open to all property owners of Indian Lake, Stonycreek Lake and members of Indian Lake Lodge.

Course In Fine Shape

The course is in fine shape and should be in excellent condition for the tournament. Fairways, tees and greens are watered daily, as always. Andy Woke, greenskeeper said: "I can't guarantee low scores, but I'll guarantee you the course is in good shape." And it really is.

Starting Times

With the interest being generated for this tournament, Jim Coleman has decided to give starting times. This will keep the tournament moving at a steady pace and sustain the interest up to the last foursome. Starting times can be obtained by contacting the pro shop.

If you haven't turned in enough scores for a handicap, there's still time. This is one tournament everyone should enter. See you on the tee!

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New Golf Referral Contest

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points towards the grand prize of playing golf with Arnold Palmer. If the referral sale is for property along the fairways of Arnold Palmer's new 18 hole championship course, a 50 point bonus is added.

Other valuable prizes in addition to the playing lesson are as follows:

- 1st Prize—Complete set of Arnold Palmer Clubs and Bag.
- 2nd Prize—Complete set of Arnold Palmer Irons.
- 3rd Prize—Complete set of Arnold Palmer Woods.
- 4th Prize—Arnold Palmer Golf Bag.
- 5th Prize—3 dozen Arnold Palmer Golf Balls.
- 6th Prize—Arnold Palmer Sweater.

Fairway Lots Deciding Factor

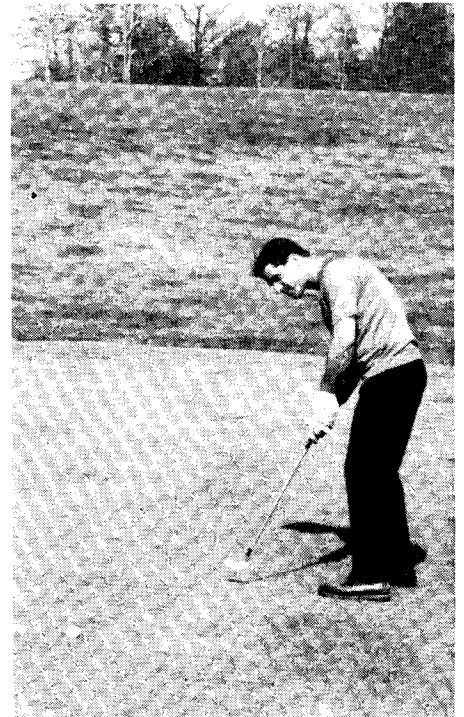
The 50 point bonus for fairway lots will certainly be a deciding factor in the contest. For example, five fairway lots will be worth 750 points to the sponsor. But it will take eight non-fairway lots to overcome the five on the fairway. A difference of three lot sales. The contest will be decided on the basis of points, and not on total lot sales by the sponsor.

Ties in the contest will be broken by time and date of most recent referral sale.

Contest closes August 31. This gives members all summer to introduce friends to Indian Lake. All prospective property owners sponsored by a member must be registered through the sales office at the Lodge or Air Park.

Everyone's a winner. You could have the "thrill of a lifetime" by playing golf with Arnold Palmer.

Tournament Tune-up



John Slate, Latrobe, looks a bit dejected in leaving his putt short on No. 5 in a recent round of golf here at Indian Lake. But the charge will be on for all golfers in the upcoming K. H. Wagner Memorial Golf Tournament, Saturday, July 29. It will be played as one-half handicap.

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Mrs. Alice W. Megraw, Pittsburgh, is all smiles after adding up the score from her round in the first weekly Ladies Day, Thursday, June 8. Regardless of the score, golf is a great game and lots of fun, especially for the ladies of Indian Lake.

GOLF EVERY THURSDAY FOR THE LADIES

The ladies of Indian Lake started their weekly golf outings Thursday, June 8. Weather was fine, lunch great . . . the golfing . . . well, everyone had a good time.

All the ladies are invited to be at the Lodge every Thursday for these fun-filled get-togethers.

Indian Lake will be the host June 22 for Middlecreek in the first inter-club match of the season. Other matches are scheduled for Somerset and Foxburg on a home and away basis. The Lodge and Pro Shop would appreciate reservations.

Callaway Handicap**Parker Wins
Memorial Day
Golf Tournament**

Joe Parker shot a gross score of 75, good for a net 72 to win Indian Lake's third annual Memorial Day Golf Classic. Jack Butler and Don Landis finished in a tie for second place with net scores of 73, one stroke off the pace. Landis had a gross of 83 and Butler 87.

The tournament was played under the Callaway scoring system, which generally results in a wide open event and a high handicap winner. But this year it was different as Joe Parker, Indian Lake club champion, played steady golf over the wind swept course to beat the field in this first tournament of the year at Indian Lake.

Finishing among the top ten were: John Legath, Scott Gustafson, Bill McIntyre, Bea Kurtack, Joe Kurtack, Polly Poorbaugh, Billy Baltzer, Paul Fitzimmons and Bob Will.

The Memorial Day Golf Classic is in the record book. Golfers now are looking forward to the July 29th K. H. Wagner Memorial Golf Tournament. It will be played under a one-half handicap. Early indications are the event will attract the largest field of any Indian Lake golf tournament. The top three scorers will share \$500.00 in prizes or cash.

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Picture Report of Arnold Palmer's Design

NEW 18 HOLE CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF COURSE

Arnold Palmer is spending more time at Indian Lake now that his design of the new 18 hole championship golf course is taking a more definite shape. Brief descriptions of the back nine holes will be printed in the next four issues of THE SMOKE SIGNAL. In this way it is hoped that members can share in the enthusiasm Arnold Palmer has for Indian Lake and the new golf course. Plans call for the back nine to be seeded this fall, and possibly be ready for play in 1968.



No. 10 Par 5
540 Yards

Lined with trees from tee to green, No. 10 fairway is quite narrow and has a slight dogleg right. This bend in the fairway calls for an accurate second shot as well as the drive. It will take a strong, well-placed tee shot to be in a position to reach this green in two. The green is hemmed in by trees and surrounded by two sand traps.



No. 11 Par 4
440 Yards

No. 11 has the only fairway that could be considered open on the back nine holes. And it's only open on the left side. The right side is wooded. Approaching this green is frightening. A creek comes in from behind the green and runs parallel with a sand trap on the left and continues in front of the green and feeds into a pond on the right.

1,300 Gallons Per Minute

Water System For New Golf Course

There's more to building a golf course than most people ever think about. And, if there's going to be an elaborate watering system such as the new 18 hole championship course will have, it's quite a project.

The construction crew is shown, at right, working concrete into place for a foundation to support two 75 horsepower motors in the central water system located at the base of the east shore just off the peninsula.

The system is designed to pump 1,300 gallons of water per minute from the lake and carry it through approximately 3 miles of 6 inch water lines that are being installed over the back nine holes. The central system will also serve the front nine holes, but with 3 more miles of pipe. The pump is a vertical turbine.



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FRONTIER DAY . . . "YEAH, YEAH, YEAH"

Frontier Day was held at the Lodge, Saturday, June 17. Excitement, along with the gambling fever, was high—just ask any of the members that attended. Everyone had a great time. Committee members Nancy Morris, Linda and Lynn Donner and Jim McCracken are to be commended for their fine efforts in helping to make Frontier Day a success. Also, thanks to the lodge members who volunteered in operating the tables—Myrle Johnson, Bob Stebbins, Glenn Boyer and many others. But, the big thank you goes to all the members who kept things going around the tables with their exuberant betting. It's unanimous, there will be other Frontier Days at Indian Lake Lodge. Watch the Social Schedule.



See It From Ski Slopes

Water Ski Show Set For July 30

The first annual Indian Lake Water Ski Show will be held Sunday, July 30. Show time is 2 p. m. The best place to witness this thrill-packed show will be from the ski slopes. Spectators can park their cars in the main parking lot at the Lodge and gather near the top of the slopes.

Included in the show will be such acts as pyramiding, jumping, trick skiing and everyone's favorite, the clowns.

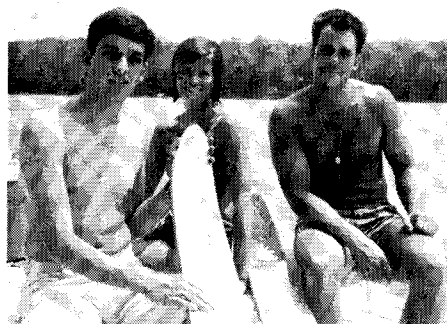
Need More Skiers

There's still a place in the show for more water skiers. Carl Ringler, ski club advisor, urges all skiers, regardless of ability to contact him or any ski club officer—Les Scenna, Jim Kruzivich, Linda Schweitzer or Barry Long—for a spot in the show. You don't have to be an expert skier.

Meeting Dates and Dues

The ski club will meet for the balance of the season on July 1 and 15, and August 5 and 19. The ski show is July 30. Dues for this season are payable now. It's \$3.00 for a family membership or \$1.00 per person. Make checks payable to Indian Lake Water Ski Club and mail to Barry Long, treasurer. Dues can also be paid in cash at any of the meetings.

All money collected goes towards ski club activities, particularly supplies for the show.



Officers of the Indian Lake Water Ski Club take time out from a practice session to discuss details for the first annual water ski show which will be held at Indian Lake, Sunday, July 30, at 2 p.m.

Left to right: Les Scenna, president; Linda Schweitzer, secretary; Jim Kruzivich, vice president.

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More Members Needed

Fishing Club Makes Progress

The newly organized Indian Lake Fishing Club made considerable progress this past month. Dues have been set at \$10.00 a year, and well over ten members already have paid for this year.

Dues money collected will go towards stocking the lake with other types of fish in addition to the present stock of rainbow trout. Preference seems to be for adding small or large mouth bass.

Information about joining this select group can be obtained from Ozzie Liven-good at the Lodge. Or call 754-4616.

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National Publicity For Indian Lake and Condominium Hotel

Plans for construction of the new 32 unit condominium hotel for Indian Lake were released to the news media in early June. The story was printed in almost every local newspaper and many of the major metropolitan dailies. It was also carried on television and radio.

The Real Estate section of the Pittsburgh Press, Sunday, June 11, carried a feature story on Indian Lake and the new hotel idea. The article started off by saying, "Developers of Indian Lake, year-round family resort community near Somerset, Pennsylvania, have come up with something new in resort investments—a condominium hotel."

National publicity came from the Associated Press. They carried the story on their wire service which operates coast to coast. Inquiries on the hotel came from as far away as California. The Associated Press followed up the story with a telephone call requesting more information.

As an investment, there are few opportunities to compare with the condominium hotel. A model room is open for inspection at Indian Lake Air Park. Call 814-754-5159 or 814-754-4616 for an appointment.

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Indian Lake's Condominium

CONSTRUCTION TO BEGIN IN JULY ON NEW HOTEL

Construction on Indian Lake's new 32 unit condominium hotel is set to begin in July. The hotel will take approximately sixty to ninety days to build. Opening date is tentatively set for sometime in the early fall.

The project, another in a long list of developments here at Indian Lake, is unlike other major construction jobs.

The hotel is being built as a condominium. This means every room in the hotel will be individually owned. When not in use by the owners, rooms will be

rented on daily basis as part of the resort operation. Room owners share equally in a percentage of the monthly rental receipts.

Any percentage of occupancy rate makes owning one of these hotel rooms an attractive investment. For example, a conservative occupancy rate of 40% would return to the individual owners \$1,017.00 for the year. An 80% occupancy rate would return \$2,034.00. Quite an attractive investment.

These income projections are arrived at by adding the summer and winter gross rentals, subtracting 10% for maintenance, insurance and taxes. The 90% balance of rental receipts is then divided in half; one half divided equally among the individual room owners and the other half going to the corporation.

While construction is set to begin July 1, a number of rooms still are available for sale through Indian Lake Lodge. Call 814-754-4616 or 814-754-5159.

Indian Lake Lodge now is open seven days a week. This includes the golf course, swimming pool and dining room.

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Long's Marina has taken on a new look for the season with completion of its own paving project. The roadways, parking lot and boat launching area now are completely blacktopped, adding to the convenience and ease of getting in and out of the marina area.

Paving is part of several major improvements that have been completed around the lake this summer. Patch work and paving is still being done on the peninsula roads and around the air park. Blacktop Construction, Inc., Berlin, is the contractor.

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Indian Lake Lodge Social Schedule

JULY

Friday, July 7—
Pizza and Draft Beer—Pub Lounge,
7 to 10 p.m.

Your favorite card games, Pub Lounge,
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Pilot Ground School, 7 p.m.

Saturday, July 8—
Evening of Dining and Dancing at the
Lodge. Call for reservations.

Sunday, July 9—
Family style dinner served from noon
to 7 p.m. \$2.95 adults and \$1.50
children.

Friday, July 14—
Giant Fish Fry—All You Can Eat—
\$1.95. 6 to 9 p.m.
Pilot Ground School, 7 p.m.

Saturday, July 15—
Evening of Dining and Dancing at the
Lodge. Call for reservations.
Teen-age Dance. 8 to 11 p.m.

Sunday, July 16—
Family style dinner served from noon
to 7 p.m. \$2.95 adults and \$1.50
children.

Friday, July 21—
Pizza and Draft Beer—Pub Lounge,
7 to 10 p.m.
Pilot Ground School, 7 p.m.

Saturday, July 22—
Evening of Dining and Dancing at the
Lodge. Call for reservations.

Sunday, July 23—
Family style dinner served from noon
to 7 p.m. \$2.95 adults and \$1.50
children.

Friday, July 28—
Giant Fish Fry—All You Can Eat—
\$1.95. 6 to 9 p.m.
Pilot Ground School, 7 p.m.

Saturday, July 29—
K. H. Wagner Memorial Golf Tour-
nament, 18 hole one day event, one-
half handicap.
Evening of Dining and Dancing at the
Lodge. Call for reservations.

Sunday, July 30—
Family style dinner served from noon
to 7 p.m. \$2.95 adults and \$1.50
children.
Water Ski Show, 2 p.m.

Friday, August 4—
Pizza and Draft Beer—Pub Lounge,
7 to 10 p.m.
Pilot Ground School, 7 p.m.

ARNIE'S SCOREBOARD

Tour Statistics Up To U. S. Open, June 18

Player	Events*	Win	Place	Show	Scoring Average	Official Money	Aver. Per Off. Tourn.*	Unofficial Money*	Total Money*
Arnold Palmer	14	2	3	1	69.40	\$166,215.21	\$8,707.32	\$8,012.42	\$114,225.63

* Number of Events, Official and Unofficial Money and Total Money are up to and include U. S. Open, June 18. Other statistics are up to New Orleans Open, May 11.