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## Customer Referral Contest

### Six Top Sponsors of New Lot Owners To Play Golf With Arnold Palmer

The six top sponsors of new Indian Lake property owners will play golf with Arnold Palmer, golf's all-time leading money winner, as the grand prize in Indian Lake's latest referral contest.

The new contest, which started Thursday, July 4, extends through Labor Day, September 2. Deadline for closing sales is 6 p. m. Monday, September 2.

Winners in the contest will get to play a 9-hole round of golf with Arnie in early September, soon after the contest closes. The exclusive contest is open to property owners of Indian Lake, Lake Stonycreek and members of Indian Lake Lodge.

The contest is based on a simple point system. For each referral sale, the sponsor gets 100 points. If the referral is for property along one of the fairways

of Arnold Palmer's new 18-hole championship golf course, a 50-point bonus is added. Ties in the contest will be broken by time and date of the most recent referral sale. Non-golfers may transfer their prize to a golfing friend.

#### Winners Transfer Prize

Larry Hitchins of Maryland was among the winners last year and he gave up the privilege of playing golf with Arnold Palmer by transferring his prize to his friend Tom Stewart of Frostburg, Maryland.

Other 1967 winners in the contest were: Betty Hodges, Cumberland, Maryland; Paul Wagner, Stoystown; Tussie Hallo, Bridgeville; Jim Long, Barnesboro, and Bill Lascheid of Mt. Lebanon. All winners were treated to a luncheon with Arnie between the two rounds of golf.

#### Everyone's a Winner

Everyone's a winner in the contest as all sponsors receive a \$100.00 gift certificate for each guest that buys property at Indian Lake. Guests must be registered through the sales office at Indian Lake Air-Park.

Remember, everyone's a winner. And you could have the most exciting day of your life by playing golf with Arnold Palmer.



## The Four Coins

### Famous Recording Group to Entertain at Lodge August 3

The Four Coins, internationally famous recording artists, will appear at Indian Lake Lodge for the special entertainment night Saturday, August 3. The outstanding singing group is remembered best for their hit record of "Shangri-La." Other top recordings were: "My One Sin," "Memories of You," "Manhattan Serenade" and many others.

The Four Coins have appeared at the famed Copa Cabana and Latin Quarter in New York, the Stardust in Las Vegas and at a number of campus shows with Bob Crosby.

They will present two shows as part of the monthly entertainment program at the Lodge. The first show will begin at 10 p. m. in the banquet room and the late show will start at 11:30 p. m. in the main dining room.

#### Teen Club Dance Friday, August 30

Indian Lake Teen Club will sponsor a teenage dance Friday, August 30 at the Lodge. Proceeds from the dance will be used to finance future projects of the club.

Music for the evening will be provided by the Ravens, a fine group that really swings.

Dancing will begin at 9 p. m. Admission is \$1.00 per person.

Also featured on the evening's program are Carol Witzer at the organ, Bill Schaefer at the piano, and the Melody Men and Nicky and His Rhythm Boys for dancing.

Reservations are being accepted for dinner only. Please indicate in which room you wish to dine. Entertainment is free to Lodge members (season pass holders) and their guests. Others pay cover charge of \$5 per person.

## See It From Ski Slopes

## Indian Lake Water Ski Show July 28

Airplanes from Indian Lake Aviation will fly in formation to open the second annual Indian Lake water ski show Sunday, July 28 at 2 p. m. From then on approximately 50 enthusiastic and hard-working members of Indian Lake Water Ski Club will take over and present a wide variety of precise, exciting and funny acts for everyone's Sunday afternoon enjoyment.

Among the highlights of the show will be barefoot skiing, trick skiing, jumping and pyramiding. A band of not-so-wild Indians—maidens and braves—will also be featured.

The winter ski slopes, located near the main parking lot of Indian Lake Lodge, again have been designated as spectator area for the water show.



Water Ski Club advisers Shirley Schweitzer, Tony Berinti and Carl Ringler discuss final plans for the water ski show with ski club president, Bruce Corna.

A prime safety rule for water skiing is that two persons should be in the row-boat—one to operate the boat and one to watch the water skier. A rear-view mirror in the boat is also a big help.

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**Men Qualify Aug. 4-17 for  
Golf Championship Aug. 18  
Women Qualify Aug. 8  
For Championship Aug. 15**

Qualifying rounds and club championships for the men and women of Indian Lake will be held in August.

Action for the men gets underway August 4 when the first of 14 days for qualifying begins. The men will have up to and including August 17 to play 18 holes as a qualifier for the club championship. The 18-hole score will be used to determine flights. The card also will be counted as the first round score in the 36-hole championship.

The women's qualifying round will be played Thursday, August 8. The title will be determined the following Thursday, August 15. Barbara Phenicie is the defending champion.

Francis Cmar of Latrobe will be back to defend his title among the men. Cmar is the fourth champion in as many years of competition over Indian Lake's 9-hole, par 36 layout. Arthur Poorbaugh won the first title back in 1964. T. O. Smith won the championship in 1965 and Joe Parker walked off with the honors in 1966.

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# ANOTHER LAKE STONYCREEK PARTY



*Polly Poorbaugh, Lake Stonycreek Program Director, chats with Dr. and Mrs. DeVries of Johnstown before the big show.*

*Registration at 4th Annual Lake Stonycreek Party*



*The Shado Elementary School Square Dancers, under the direction of Mrs. Judy Kovach, were featured performers.*



*Talented musicians played for fun and fringe benefits. L. to r.: Folen, Poorbaugh, Wermer, Hay and Voigt.*



*These nice people represent part of over 200 friendly Lake Stonycreek property owners who were on hand for their annual celebration at the Lodge June 28.*

## Everyone's Invited

## Lake Stonycreek Water Show August 4

Lake Stonycreek Ski Club will present its fourth annual water ski show Sunday, August 3 beginning at 3 p. m. on Baltzer's Point on Lake Stonycreek.

Bob Barron, water show director, has promised a bigger and better show than ever. Kite flying, pyramiding and barefoot skiing are just a sample of the exciting acts to be staged by the well-trained and experienced water skiers of Lake Stonycreek. Several surprises are also planned for this year.

And, what could be the climax to another great show would be the appearance of the infamous Lake Stonycreek clowns. They have threatened to show up again this year and guarantee nothing but laughs.

For an afternoon of family entertainment, see the Lake Stonycreek Water Show Sunday, August 3. Refreshments will be available.

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Indian Lake's Beauty Shop is open by appointment only on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Lillian Shima, new manager of the shop, is continuing the same fine service given by Nancy Guarino. Nancy has decided to devote all her energy to enjoying the relaxing atmosphere of Indian Lake, not to mention spending more time with the family.

Lillian is being assisted in the beauty shop by Donna Turko of Central City. Appointments can be made by calling 754-4855.

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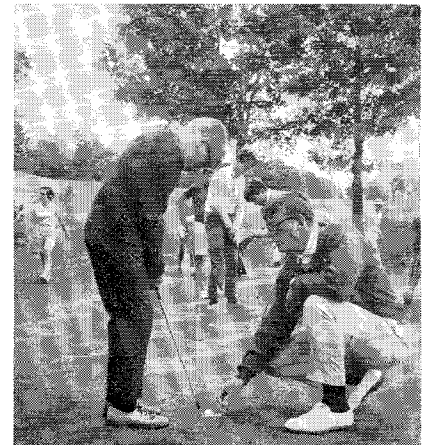
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## Record Turnout for Junior Golf Clinic



A record number of junior golfers turned out Saturday, June 29 for the opening session of the 6-week junior golf clinic.

Above, Pete Blume gets some personal attention on putting from instructor Denny Robinson. Pete is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert P. Blume of 6940 Claridge Place, Pittsburgh.

The clinic is set up in two classes—beginner and intermediate—and is being held every Saturday morning beginning at 9:00 a.m. It will continue through August 3.

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This was the scene last September as Arnold Palmer walked up to his ball on No. 9 green in his morning round of golf with three of the six winners in the 1967 customer referral contest. Palmer birdied the par 5, 460-yard hole and finished the front nine in 31, 5 under par for a new course record. His 18-hole

score of 5 under par 67 also stands as a course record.

Three of the contest winners playing in the morning foursome with Arnie last September were Betty Hodges of Cumberland, Maryland; Tom Stewart, Frostburg, Maryland (he got to play, thanks to Larry Hitchins); and Paul Wagner of Stoystown.

It was quite a day for the gallery as well as the contest winners. But it was Arnold Palmer who said: "This was a lot of fun. Let's do it again next year."

And so another Indian Lake customer referral contest is underway. Arnie is looking forward to playing golf with this year's contest winners.

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**K. H. Wagner Golf Tournament July 27**

All the drama of a major golf tournament is expected to unfold Saturday, July 27 at Indian Lake as golfers will be out after a share of the \$500.00 in prize money in the second annual K. H. Wagner Memorial Golf Tournament.

An 18-hole, one-day event, the tournament is open to all residents of Indian Lake Lodge.

The tournament will be played under a one-half handicap. Golfers should get their handicaps from Jim Coleman in the pro shop.

**Top 5 Share in Money**

\$500.00 in prizes will be awarded to the top five scorers with the winner receiving \$175.00 and the runnerup \$125.00. Third place will be good for \$95.00 while fourth place will receive

\$65.00. Fifth place money is \$40.00. Certificates will be redeemable through the golf pro shop or Indian Lake Lodge.

Jack Butler of Wexford is the defending champion.

The tournament was established last year in honor of the late K. H. Wagner, a community leader influential in the initial development of Indian Lake.

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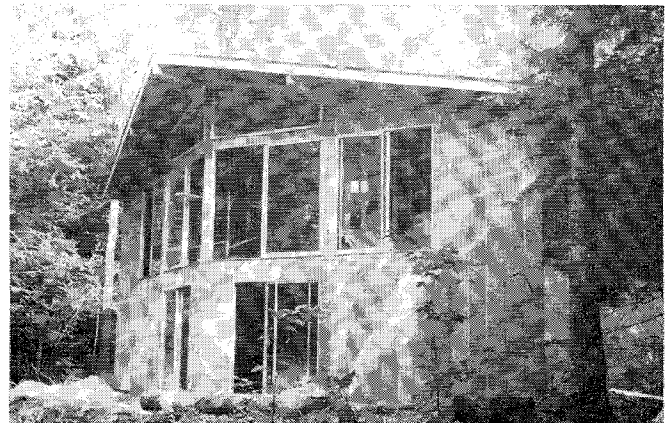
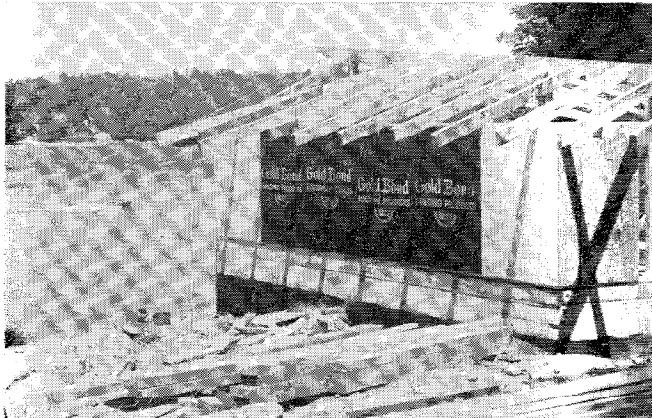
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# BRISK PACE IN HOME BUILDING, LOT SALES



Home building and lot sales at Indian Lake are moving along at a brisk pace as more and more families seek to enjoy homes away from home.

The trend is likely to continue as Indian Lake moves closer to completing the Arnold Palmer designed championship golf course and 32-room condominium hotel.

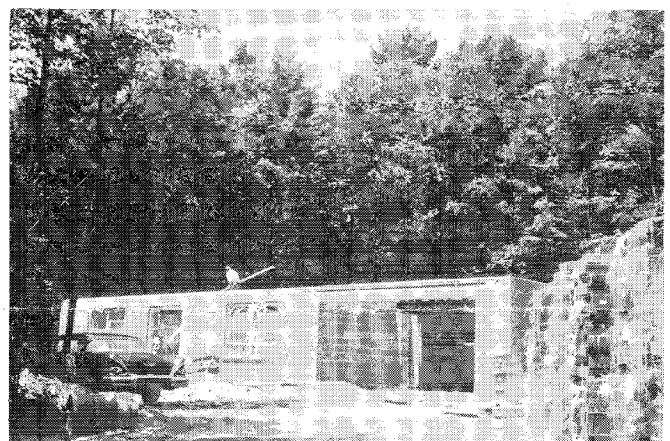
Cautious attitudes on the part of mortgage lenders have produced a lag in new housing starts in some areas, but at Indian Lake vacation housing starts for the first five months of 1968 are up 25% compared to last year.

Pictures shown here represent some of the new home construction going on at Indian Lake. At top left is the vacation home of Mr. Raymond Mandigo of Greensburg. Terry Iseman is the building contractor. At top right, builder Ralph Guarino is nearing completion of the peninsula lakefront home of Mr. Donald B. Houghton of Pittsburgh. At right is the home of Mr. Albert P. Gunsner of Silver Spring, Maryland. It's located along one of the fairways of the new golf course and is being built by Wm. G. Baltzer & Son, Inc. of Shanksville.

Being in the middle of the normally peak buying months of July, August and September, the strength of the second home market at Indian Lake is almost certain to continue through 1968.

Moreover, the intensity of families fleeing crowded cities and suburbs for a quiet place in the country is expected to continue as more and more leisure time becomes available.

Homesite sales for the first five months of 1968 are



20% ahead of last year. This does not include the condominium hotel rooms at Indian Lake of which 85% are already sold. The hotel is the only condominium hotel in Pennsylvania.

Unlike condominium apartments or cooperatives, individual room owners in the condominium hotel share equally in a percentage of the hotel's total monthly rental receipts from all the rooms rented each month.

While lakefront living has generally been the most popular, it appears to be running just slightly ahead of living along the fairways of the Arnold Palmer designed golf course. Then there's the condominium hotel which satisfies a busy family's need for wholesome recreation and relaxation while providing a return on invested capital.

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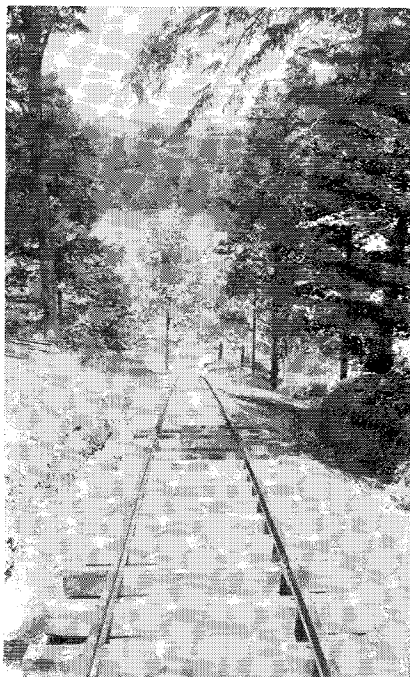
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## Construction Advances On Inclined Railway



Construction of the inclined railway made a noticeable advancement the past week with installation of the steel track. The track will carry an 8-passenger electrically-powered car up and down the 28 degree, 700-foot long slope at 300 feet per minute.

The incline is being built next to the poma lift in the center of the ski slopes.

## Indian Lake to Open Game Farm and Hunting Preserve

Indian Lake has obtained a 10-year lease on a wooded tract adjacent to its summer and winter residence.

The property, owned by Leonard Fry, president of Mercersburg, Pennsylvania, is valued at \$300,000.00 and is being leased to Indian Lake for a scientifically controlled game farm.

The western boundary of the mountainous expanse begins just east of Indian Lake and extends north to U. S. Route 30. It is bounded east by Breastwork Valley and includes the top of the main north-south ridge of the Allegheny Mountains. Elevations on the property range from 2,500 feet to 2,900 feet, making it an excellent area for game in terms of terrain. Boone Run, a 2-mile natural trout stream flows through the northwestern part of the tract.

### Shockey Wins Hole-in-One Contest

If Bob Shockey of Johnstown hits all his approach shots as close to the pin as in the recent hole-in-one contest, he won't have much need for the Arnold Palmer putter which he won for first prize.

Bob hit a shot that stopped 2-feet 4-inches from the hole. This was three-fourths of an inch closer than Art Gusbar who came in second and walked off with a golf umbrella for his prize.

John Cotchen won third place with a shot of 2-feet 6-inches. He won a dozen golf balls. Fourth place and set of head covers went to Mrs. Beerbauer. Dorothy DeVilling won a golf hat for her fifth place finish.

### Game Farm

The game farm will consist of 575 acres and will provide sportsmen with controlled hunting of pheasant, chuka and quail from September 1 to March 31. In the 2,000-acre regulated hunting preserve there will be deer, turkey, rabbit, woodcock and squirrel. A full-time game manager will keep close watch on the continuing scientific propagation and game improvement program.

### Open September 1

The new facilities are expected to be ready by September 1, 1968. Birds will be purchased for the game farm this first year.

The game farm and hunting preserve will be operated under Indian Lake Shooting Park, Inc., which now has a clubhouse, gun shop, trap and skeet shooting and indoor and outdoor rifle and pistol shooting.

### More Trap and Skeet

Construction is underway at the Shooting Park to increase the number of trap and skeet fields from four to six, and to lengthen the rifle range from 100-yards to 200-yards.

Acquisition of the 2,575-acre tract gives Indian Lake 5,575 acres of recreation land. This includes the 750-acre lake which is believed to be one of the largest man-made, private lakes in the world.

### Membership

Access to the game farm and hunting preserve will be through membership only. Application for membership may be obtained at the Shooting Park, or by writing to Indian Lake Shooting Park, Inc., R. D. 1, Central City, Pa. 15926.

## 1967 Contest Winners



Three of last year's customer referral contest winners are shown here with Arnold Palmer just before teeing off for their 9-hole round of golf last September. Left to right: Tussie Hallo, Arnold Palmer, Bill Lascheid and Jim Long. Arnie will be back again in September to play golf with the 1968 contest winners. Remember, non-golfing winners may transfer their prize to a golfing friend.

Golf Tournament—July 27  
 Indian Lake Ski Show—July 28  
 Entertainment Night—August 3  
 Lake Stonycreek Water Show—August 4

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### Indian Lake Lodge Social Schedule

**Saturday, July 27**  
 K. H. Wagner Memorial Golf Tournament.  
 Dining and Dancing at the Lodge.

**Sunday, July 28**  
 Indian Lake Water Ski Show beginning at 2:00 p. m. See it from the ski slopes.

**Friday, August 2**  
 Bill Wentz at the organ beginning at 9:00 p. m.

**Saturday, August 3**  
 Special entertainment night at the Lodge. The Four Coins in the banquet room at 10:00 p. m. and in the main dining room at 11:30 p. m. Nicky and His Rhythm Boys and The Melody Men will play for dancing. Carol Witzer and Bill Schaefer will play for your early dining pleasure beginning at 7:00 p. m. Reservations accepted for dinner only. Entertainment is free to Lodge members and their guests. Non-members pay \$5 cover charge.

**Sunday, August 4**  
 Qualifying begins for men's golf championship.  
 Lake Stonycreek Water Ski Show beginning at 3:00 p. m. on Lake Stonycreek.  
 Sunday dinners served at the Lodge. Buffet opens at 4:00 p. m.

**Thursday, August 8**  
 Qualifying for women's golf championship.

**Friday, August 9**  
 Bill Wentz at the organ beginning at 9:00 p. m.

**Saturday, August 10**  
 Teenage dance in the Pool Lounge. Music by the Galaxies.  
 Upstairs in the Lodge, Carol Witzer plays for your dining pleasure followed by The Melody Men for dancing.

**Sunday, August 11**  
 Sunday dinners served at the Lodge. Buffet opens at 4 p. m.

**Thursday, August 15**  
 Women's golf championship.

**Friday, August 16**  
 Bill Wentz at the organ beginning at 9:00 p. m.

**Saturday, August 17**  
 Final day for qualifying in men's golf championship.  
 An evening of dining and dancing at the Lodge with Carol Witzer at the organ and Nicky and His Rhythm Boys for dancing.

**Sunday, August 18**  
 Men's golf championship.

**Thursday, August 22**  
 Ladies' Golf Day.

**Friday, August 23**  
 Bill Wentz at the organ beginning at 9:00 p. m.

**Saturday, August 24**  
 Carol Witzer and The Melody Men play for dining and dancing.

**Sunday, August 25**  
 Sunday dinners served at the Lodge. Buffet opens at 4:00 p. m.

**Thursday, August 29**  
 Ladies' Golf Day.

**Friday, August 30**  
 Teen Club Dance in the banquet room beginning at 9:00 p. m. Music by the Ravens.  
 Bill Wentz at the organ beginning at 9:00 p. m.

**Saturday, August 31**  
 An evening of dining and dancing at the Lodge with Carol Witzer and The Melody Men.

### ARNIE'S SCOREBOARD

#### Up to Milwaukee Open, July 14

Player	Events*	Win	Place	Show	Scoring Average	Official Money*	Aver. Per Off. Tourn.	Unofficial Money*	Total Money*
Arnold Palmer	12	1	1	—	72	—	—	—	\$55,645.42