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JUNE 2013

Happy Father's Day!



• Next Gathering •

27th Annual Golf Outing
Registration: 10:00 am
Lunch: 11:00 am
Shotgun Start: 1:00 pm
Dinner and Prizes following
Cost per Player: \$150.00

• Location •

Montgomery Country Club
20908 Golf View Drive
Laytonsville, MD. 20882



2013 UP COMING EVENTS • SAVE THE DATE

06/17

Golf Outing Montgomery Country Club 1 pm shot gun start
www.montgomerycc.com

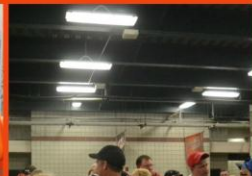
September

Annual Meeting Initiation & Elections Dave & Busters

Information on events will be in future News Letters



Blue Goose Family Day @ Camden Yards



GO TEAM



Baltimore Orioles vs. Washington Nationals

Thursday May 30th, 2013 7:05 PM

Battle of the Beltway's!



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The Blue Goose Directory will be available to members via E-Directory this year and will no longer be in print form. Another change is with advertising, we will not be offering advertising in connection with the Directory. Instead, it will be offered in the monthly Honker and will be available in a variety of sizes ranging from business card to full page to suit your marketing budget. This is a much better 'Bang for your Buck' because the honker is sent out each month to all of our Members with your ad in it each and every time!!



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Advertising can be as small as a business card up to a full page.

Advertising Fees are as follows per year:

- **Business Card** \$ 240.00
(For only \$20.00 a month you can get your information to how many people?)
- **Quarter Page** \$ 600.00
- **Half Page** \$ 900.00
- **Full Page** \$1,200.00

If you would like to advertise your company in The Honker; please contact Barb Markuski at Capezio Contractors, Inc.

301-404-5758

Barb@CapezioContractor.com

Send your business card via jpeg to Donna Digman @ donna@servproofhuntvalley.com along with a hard copy to Donna Digman 1203 63rd Street Rosedale, MD 21237

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Hot Off the Press!



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Happy Birthday to YOU!

6/5 – Donna Digman

6/6 – Kyle Cordeiro, Greg Huss

6/10 – Mike Nolan

6/14 – Vance Scott

6/19 – Stephan Arnold

6/20 – Bill Gladmon

6/21 – Jason Smith (Puroclean)

6/26 – Chris Winokur

6/28 – Ken Pennington

Important Reminders!

- ☺ Please pay your 2012 - 2013 dues.
- ☺ Read your Honker and send us feedback.
- ☺ September's meeting we will be initiating new members. Have all the applications been turned in?
- ☺ Have you contacted Barb to become an advertiser for the National Capital Pond?
- ☺ Find us and like us on Facebook! And LIKE US
<https://www.facebook.com/home.php#!/nationalcapitalpond>
- ☺ Check out our new web page and tell us what you think.
www.nationalcapitalpond.com

**Attention Officers!
Information Please!**

We would like to say THANK YOU for all your hard work by placing your business card in the Honker.

Please send Donna Digman a copy of your business card (jpeg image) to ddigman@comcast.net

Buster Speaks! 

"A true hero isn't measured by the size of his strength, but by the strength of his heart." Hercules

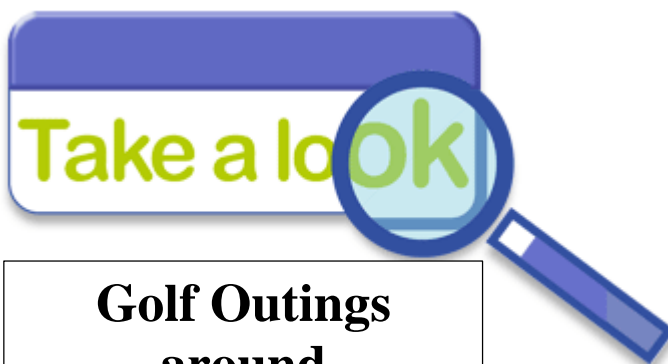
"The past can hurt. But the way I see it, you can either run from it, or learn from it." The Lion King

"If you keep on believing the dreams that you wish will come true." Cinderella

"You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think." Disney movie quote

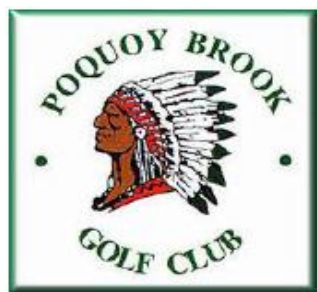


GOLF OUTINGS



Golf Outings around The Ponds!

2013 BLUE GOOSE ANNUAL GOLF OUTING Hosted by the Bay State Pond ~ THURSDAY, JUNE 13th, 2013



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<http://www.baystatepond.org>



Golf Fun Facts! Evidence tells of a game of golf being played in China in 957. The game consisted of hitting a ball into a target placed several hundred yards away. The ball was hit with clubs.

In 1457, the game of golf was banned in Scotland by King James II when he issued the 1457 Act of the Scottish Parliament. This is the first written record of the game of golf. He banned the game of golf because he wanted young men to be outstanding at archery. The ban remains in effect until 1502.

The word golf probably derives from the Scottish verb *to gowff* which can be loosely translated to mean to strike hard.

Golf trivia facts reveal that 1452 saw the sale of the first golf ball. These golf balls were usually made of beech or boxroot wood.

1502 saw the first recorded purchase of golf equipment. King James IV brought a set of clubs, made from wood. The clubs were made by an archery maker in Perth, Scotland. Not for another hundred years, in 1602, is there any reference of golf clubs being manufactured for a particular player. That player was King James VI who reinstated the playing of golf after the signing of the Treaty of Perpetual Peace.

1618 saw the creation of the Featherie golf ball. These balls were made by stuffing wet feathers into a leather sphere and then the sphere was sewn shut. Next, these balls were painted. The balls were very expensive so the common people could not afford them. Most golf balls were made by Andrew Dickson, Leith and Henry Mills and St. Andrews.

Golf trivia facts note that the first mention of golf in America was in 1659 when golf was banned from the streets of Albany, New York. At that time, Albany was the tenth largest city in what was to become America.

The oldest golf course is Musselburgh Links located in East Lothian, Scotland. From this course, golf gets its 4 ½ inch hole. Golfers can still play this course. The course only has 9 holes. The course is a par 34.

Garden State Pond

September 24, 2013 Garden State Pond Golf Outing.
Location Fox Hollow. Details to be announced!

No web page available.

Email: alsoltis@ajsresources.com



<http://bluegoosehartfordpond.com>

If you would like information on any of the golf outings listed above. Please visit that Pond's website.

Thanking you in advance! The National Capital Pond would like to thank all the companies who are helping to make this year's outing a success!

Did you know the first golf tournament was held on October 17, 1860 at the Prestwick Golf Club in Prestwick, South Ayrshire, Scotland? The tournament consisted of 3 trips across the course's twelve holes, although 4 of the greens were played twice. The winner of the tournament was Willie Park Senior. The original Open had only eight players all of whom were considered professionals. For winning, Mr. Park received a red leather belt with a silver buckle.

2012 – 2013 Dues are due!

If you have not yet paid your dues please do so ASAP. You can bring your payment to THE NEXT MEETING or payments can be sent to:

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If you have any questions concerning this, please contact your Wielder Michelle Fitzwater michelle@schroedlcleaners.com

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WANTED

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Go to www.nationalcapitalpond.com for the membership application.



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