



WDLG – Hey, Deaf Ladies Can Play!

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Copper Creek has a nine-hole, par 35, public golf course. Designed by renowned golf course architect, Bob Cupp, Copper Creek Golf Course first opened for play in 1991. Spread out across 77 acres, you will enjoy the spacious routing, as each hole has its own unique setting. You won't have to worry about yells of "fore" from an adjacent fairway, there are none! A cramped layout it is not. With elevated tees and greens and beautiful shaped moundings, Copper Creek Golf Course is a well-manicured landscape that at times looks and feels like northern Michigan. The weather was unseasonable because it was cold and windy. After that, it was getting little warmer. Four women showed up at Copper Creek on June 12th. Lauri led with the lowest score of 43 from white tee and the lowest putts of 18. Sheila won the Peoria handicap.



Here are the results of the outing:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCORE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>PUTTS</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>PEORIA</u>
L.Ponikiewski	43	L.Ponikiewski	16	S.Wollard	34
S.Wollard	65	S.Wollard	22	M.Erace	34
D.Schulz	66	D.Schulz	23	L.Ponikiewski	35
M.Erace	78	M.Erace	28	D.Schulz	51

Lauri had a par - #6.

Just a reminder...

MDLGA tournament is about around the corner. It's at Galena, Illinois on August 2nd - 4th. The deadline is July 15, 2011. If not playing, then you have the opportunity to come for the luncheon and banquet. Please link to print registration form: <http://www.mdga1947.org/> under Entry Form on left column.



Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa is nestled on 6,800 acres of rolling hills in the heart of The Galena Territory near the historic town of Galena, Illinois. We take full advantage of our natural surroundings by offering hiking and biking, horseback riding, hot air balloon rides and summer activities. Boat rentals are also available to explore pristine 220-acre Lake Galena.

The South Course opened in 1984 and in 1996 was voted one of the top 75 upscale courses in the country. As it compares to the North Course, the South Course winds through a beautiful wooded valley where streams come into play on 11 of the 18 holes. The signature hole on the South is hole #18, a 406-yard par 4 with the tee set 90 feet above a landing area which is guarded by lakes on both sides and a stream that crosses the fairway 265 yards from the tee. The second shot plays uphill to a well-bunkered elevated green. The South Clubhouse is the backdrop to this hole.



Lauri and Darrell are playing US Deaf Golf Championship in Dayton, Ohio this July 13-17th. They practiced very hard this year. They are very confident they will make the US Golf team. This is to qualify for the World Deaf Golf Championship at Japan in August next year (2012). Wish Lauri and Darrell lots of good luck! Go Wolverines!! You are welcome to watch us as a fan! You can check leaderboard daily: <http://www.usdeafgolf.org/2009USDGC/>.

Next golf outing is at Lapeer CC at Lapeer on July 17th. I will be on vacation from July 2nd thru July 16th. Please read from Sheila's note below. Direction map is on the next page.

Hello Girls,

I called Lapeer Country Club last Monday. I asked for Sunday, July 17th. We can start at 9:55 am and 10:02 am if we are in 2 groups. It is easy to get to the golf course. You girls from East and South Sides, drive up on M 24 or M 53 then turn left on I-69. Then turn left on Lake Nepessing Rd past M 24. Turn right shortly on Hunt Rd and drive all the way until you see the golf course on the right side. Lake Nepessing pond is on the left. The address is 3786 Hunt Rd., Lapeer MI 48446. You can look up Mapquest or GPS.

Lauri will not be able to be with us on that day as she will be in Dayton Ohio for the USDGC. So please let me know that you can go or not by VP 810 275-0967, FAX number-810 234-0446 or email me on my pager shegood55@gmail.com. Computer email is shegood55@comcast.net.

I thought it would be easier to go on the east side from your home on M 24 and M 53 then west I-69 and I go east on I-69 from my home.

I hope to see you all there.

Sheila

2011 Schedule:

Aug 14th - Farmington Hills, Farmington Hills at 10:00am

September 10th & 11th State Tourney: Summit at Shanty Creek Resort, Bellaire. Sat. - 12:30pm and Sun. - 9am.

October 2nd - Scramble (18 holes) - TBA.

Additional Tournaments Schedule:

Aug 2nd - 4th - Midwest Deaf Ladies Golf Tournament at Galena, ILL www.mdga1947.org

Secretary,
Lauri Ponikiewski



It was cold and windy as you see outside. Hey, we were tough girls! HA!