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Pebble Creek

29th annual tournament is set for July

This year, the 2021 Cruze Family Invitational Golf Tournament will be played at the Pebble Creek Golf course near Becker.

The rules for the tournament are simple - in order to win, you have to be eligible, you have to sign up, you have to show up, and you have to have the lowest score.

Only a select few are eligible to play in this tournament. If you are one of the few who are direct descendants of Carl and Leona Cruze, (or are one of their spouses or children) you are invited to play in this year's Cruze Family Invitational Golf Tournament.

Signing up for the tournament is as easy as dialing a telephone and giving your name to the tournament director. Not calling the director is the only way you can miss the fun.

The tournament begins on Saturday and ends on Sunday. The best score from Sunday's game wins the tournament. However, if Sunday's game cannot be completed, then the best score from Saturday's game wins the tournament.

Although Saturday's game is not required, it's your chance to become familiar with the course, that is, find the traps, trees, water, blind shots, and observe the pin placements. It's also your chance to join in the fun of our team competition.

There are no "gimmies" in this tournament and you can stop swinging only after your ball is in the cup.

The winner will be presented with a traveling trophy which will have their name engraved on it for all time and



It's harder than it looks!

will receive a stylish cap with the tournament name and year on it.

A special feature of the tournament is that the player with the highest score gets to have their picture taken while presenting the trophy to the winner of the tournament. We suggest that you don't waste any strokes.

Also, this year on Sat the 24th, we will have our Fifth Annual Cruze Family Bean Bag Tournament.

Registration Instructions:

If you want to play in this year's tournament, call **Danny** at **320-492-4534** before July 5th to reserve your place. Telling someone else in the hopes they will remember to tell the director has not worked well in the past.

Because of the "Pot Luck" dinner, there won't be a tournament entry fee. See the second page for more details on how to help with the potluck. You'll have to pay for your "green fees", tees, and golf balls. Miss the deadline and you'll miss the tournament.



Staff writer

The twenty ninth annual Cruze Family Invitational Golf tournament is scheduled to be held the weekend of July 24th and 25th.

Our Annual Cruze Family Golf Tournament will be played at the Pebble Creek Golf Course in Becker.

Pebble Creek is geared toward families and kids. Parts of the course are wide open, and parts of it are not. Water and trees will present problems for most of us.

While the course is par 72, the slope is rated around 130. For some perspective, a slope of 112 is an easy course, a slope of 120 is a hard course, a slope of 130 is a very hard course, and a slope of 140 is an insanely difficult course..

You will want to stay in the fairway on this course. Being anywhere else will cost you strokes. The winning score this year will be at least in the high 80's.

The course starts us out with a confidence builder on hole #1 (324 yrd par 4). That is, provided that we don't put ourselves in "tree jail." There aren't many trees on the right, but if we end up behind the trees, they're lined up in a way to make our next shot difficult.

The second hole is the most difficult hole (#1 handicap) on the course, it's a 369 yrd par 4. While it's a fairly straight, it's lined with a creek on the left and is heavily wooded on the right. You will need to stay in the fairway.

As always, have fun and don't let the course get to you.



Staff writer

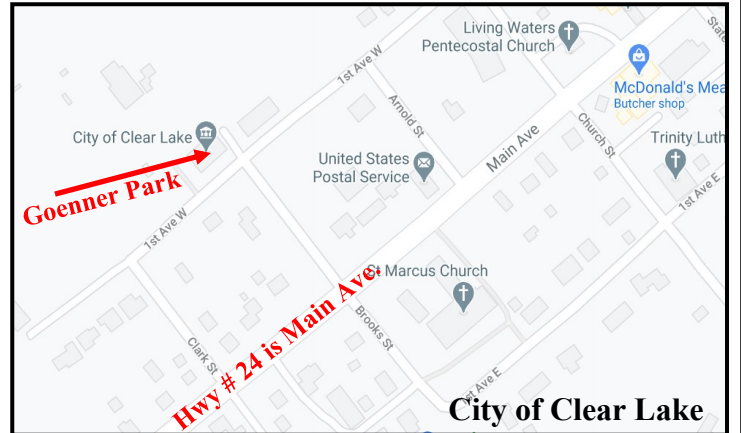
A perfectionist walked into a bar because it was too low.

Saturday (July 24th) Pot luck Dinner

This year's pot luck dinner will be held in Clear Lake at Goenner Park in Clear Lake.

More information will follow from the hosts (Danny, Chad, Brock).

Besides the food, plan to bring chairs and tables.



Breaking News This just in

Roger, our four time family poker champion has just announced that he is considering offering a series of five classes on how to win at Texas Hold'em.

He said that the classes will offer insights and suggestions on topics like:

- the 10 best poker tells,
- protecting your pocket aces,
- how and when to three-bet,
- the semi-bluff,
- the perils of limping in,
- winning through aggressive play,
- pre-flop betting,

- how and when to check-raise,
- how to play the cutoff position,
- how to bet a "four to a flush" draw,
- how to play quads on the flop, and
- learning your opponents betting range.

The classes will cost \$100 per session. However, if someone is able to beat him this year, they will be given a voucher good for any two classes of their choice. That's a \$200 value in anyone's book.

Roger added that the price of his classes will be going up right after he wins again. So take the classes while they are cheap.

Stay tuned for further announcements.

Staff writer

Overeaters hot line: 888-888-8888.

Golf Tournament dates:

July 24th & 25th

Tee times:

Saturday's tee time is **8:00am**

Sunday's tee time is **10:30am**

Groups reserved:
up to 24 players

Green fees:
\$45.00 includes a cart

There is a driving range.



The revolution of the earth makes my day.

Emails will follow with more details.

Wanted - Alive
\$10 bounty

This year's Annual Family Texas Hold'em tournament will be hosted by **Marie & Steve** in their home in Cold Spring. The poker tournament will be held on **Saturday, July 31st**.

There is no "dress-up" theme for this year's tournament.

Food is served at **11:00**, registration and payment happens at **11:30**, and (ready or not) the cards are in the air at **12:00**. The tournament is expected to end around 4:00 pm.

