



# In the Spirit of the Game

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## *New Members*

**Richard Hale**

Sidney, OH

**Michael Buday**

Traverse City, MI

**Casey Cornett**

Houston, TX

**Marlen Vogt**

Jacksonville, FL



New member Doug Paramore, David Plassman, and host Steve Miller golfing in warmer climes.



Chairman Edward C. Walker with Coach Sam Puryear joined by a few of players from the MSU Golf Team



## *The Spartans are Coming!!!!*

The Kingsley Club is proud to announce that the Michigan State University golf team will be hosting the Spartan Classic tournament this September. The thirteen team event will be held over three days, pitting some of America's finest golf programs against each other and The Kingsley Club's demanding links.



Coach Sam Puryear's squad has captured the Big Ten title in three of the last four years earning a spot in the N.C.A.A. Division I regional. Recently they finished third in the 2009 Pinehurst Intercollegiate.

The 2009 Spartans are led by Junior Jack Newman who qualified for this years Masters by winning the 2008 U.S. Amateur Publiclink.

Accepting the Spartan's challenge on September 18, 19, 20, will be teams from across America including three from California. Santa Clara, University of San Francisco, and University of California at Davis, will all be making the cross-country trek.

This event will provide our members and local golf fans some rare opportunities to watch some of the finest young golfers in the world today.

The Club is encouraging galleries for this event and is accepting offers for marshalling and hospitality to make these young men and their coaching staffs feel welcome.

This event will mark the culmination of years of effort by Chairman Edward C. Walker, Coach Sam Puryear, and Membership Director David Plassman, to showcase young golf talent on The Kingsley Club's world class stage.

## *Management & staff*

**Edward C. Walker**

Owner/Chairman

**Art Preston**

Owner

**Brian Conklin**

General Manager

**Dan Lucas**

Superintendent

**Rob Duhm**

Superintendent

**Justin Mack**

Golf Professional

**Steve Przeracki**

Golf Professional

**Aymor Shannon**

Engineering

**Linda Smith**

Club Secretary

**Jamie LaForest**

Food & Beverage

**David Plassman**

Director of Golf/Membership



The Kingsley Club practice facility is slated to open next week (April 1st) weather permitting! With hopes of the golf course closely following weather permitting of course! Hope to see you all very soon !

## *The Back Nine*

### 2009 Kingsley Club Event Schedule

#### May

*-23rd Annual Spring Outing*

#### June

*-10th NMC Scholarship*

*-26th&27th Member/Member*

#### July

*-16th-18th Invitational*

*-31st-Aug 1st Club Championship*

#### August

*-5th-8th Peninsula Cup*

*-14th-16th Challenge Cup w/  
Whispering Pines (home)*

#### September

*-14th Child & Family Fundraiser*

*-18th-20th Spartan Classic*

*-18th -20th DeVries Cup @ Greywalls*

*-30th Michigan vs MSU*

#### November

*-6th-8th Challenge Cup (Away)*

If you would like to participate in any of these events please fill out an entry form on our website at [www.kingsleyclub.com](http://www.kingsleyclub.com)

The Kingsley Club website will remain to be your informational hub including daily golf news links, golf tips, event schedule, entry forms, and all things Kingsley!

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The Kingsley Club Cottages still have availability for this spring! The Kingsley Club staff recommends all members to reserve desirable dates as soon as possible to ensure availability!

## *A River Runs Through It...*

The extensive renovation of the River Camp is wrapping up. A complete redo of the interior with the addition of a complete bath with laundry facilities has transformed the rustic getaway into a well-appointed retreat.

The new floor plan includes two bedrooms plus an expansive "bunk room" with a full kitchen, capable of accommodating up to eight guests.

Ideally situated on some of the best trout water the Boardman River has to offer, just minutes from The Club and Traverse City, the River Camp offers extreme privacy and convenience.



With its' proximity to hundreds of acres of public land, the River Camp is not just for fishing.

Upland game and whitetail deer are also abundant, making the River Camp the perfect base camp for your hunting party.

If rod and gun are not your cup of tea, the River Camp is also centered in some of the best Morel mushroom territory in the world. Guide services can be arranged for any of the outdoor activities, (especially mushrooming which will only cost you half your take).

Whether it be hunting, fishing, canoeing, kayaking, or just a leisurely float down the river on a tube, the River Camp can provide any or all of these truly "up north" experiences.

Congratulations to architectural firm Whiteford Associates, for a beautifully executed plan authored by owner Edward C. Walker.

To book your own escape, just call The Club @ 231-263-3000.

### Quote

**"In prosperity our friends know us;  
in adversity we know our friends"**

**-John Collins**



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