

General Meeting....

Picnic in the Park

Date: **TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 2019**

Time: 6:00–9:00PM

Menu: Steaks on the Grill from Kalmes Catering

Where: **Eagle Point Park, Riverfront Pavilion**
2601 SHIRAS AVENUE, DUBUQUE

Sponsored by: **Black Hills Energy**

Cost: **\$25 per person** (Due at check in)

Reservations due by **Thursday, May 30, 2019**
Call (563) 582-4553 or (563) 564-6044 (call or text)
or email dbqhba115@gmail.com

NOTE: All no show reservations will be invoiced for the number of reserved meals.



Key Dates....

June...

Monday, June 3–Board Meeting

Tuesday, June 4–Picnic in the Park
(sponsored by Black Hills Energy)

July...

Monday, July 1–Board Meeting

Tuesday, July 16–Golf Outing at Lacoma
(sponsored by Horsfield Materials)

August...

Monday August 5–Board Meeting

Tuesday, August 6–American Lady River Boat
Cruise on the Mississippi
(sponsored by BARD Materials and
Gerhard's Kitchen & Bath)

From the President...

A sincere *thank you* goes out to **Builders FirstSource**, and **BARD Materials** for sponsoring our May General Meeting at the Dubuque Shooting Society. We enjoyed appetizers and a program presented by Mike Muench from Convivium Urban Farmstead. Mike talked about the impact in the northern neighborhoods of Dubuque through their urban farming program as well as many community events held at the farmstead location.

The **Picnic in the Park** is coming up on June 4, 2019 at Eagle Point Park. It's always a fun and relaxing evening of socialization with a beautiful view of the river and good food from Kalmes Catering. Make plans to join us and kick off our summer events!

The **Annual Golf Outing**, sponsored by *Horsfield Materials* is our second summer event scheduled for Tuesday, July 16 at Lacoma Golf Course. Registration information is enclosed. It's time to get your foursome(s) together! If you need an extra player to fill a foursome, please contact Julie at the office and we'll try to help out!

The date for our annual **Riverboat Cruise on the American Lady**, sponsored by *BARD Materials* and Gerhard's Kitchen & Bath, is confirmed for Tuesday, August 6. More details will be included in the next newsletter.

The **May Fish Bowl** prize of \$400 was not won this month so we will roll it over to our September Meeting and increase the amount to \$500. Please remember that you must be present to win.

If any of you have information you would like to share about the building industry or one of our members, please either call or email Julie. We'd love to share the news with the membership!

Please join us at this last monthly meeting, at the Dubuque Shooting Society, before the summer events begin!

Genb Smith
President

“Go Solar” Group Buy Program Introduced

Cedar Falls, Iowa, 05/13/2019 — The University of Northern Iowa Center for Energy and Environmental Education (CEEE) in partnership with the Iowa Solar Energy Trade Association (ISETA), Eagle Point Solar and Van Meter is excited to announce the launch of the Dubuque County (including the surrounding areas of East Dubuque, Manchester and Edgewood) - Go Solar Group Buy Program. The program is designed to provide businesses and residents with educational seminars to inform and promote the cost-saving and sustainable benefits of solar technology and provide property owners the opportunity to invest in lower cost solar installations through a limited time county-wide volume-purchasing program.

“We are very excited to announce the launch of the Dubuque County – Go Solar Group Buy Program. Having recently completed this program in Black Hawk County, we felt the Dubuque and surrounding area would be a perfect fit for this educational program given the rapid increase in solar installations in the area.” said Kamyar Enshayan, UNI-CEEE Director. “A county-wide solar group buy program just makes financial and environmental sense. The more people who purchase solar, the more we all can reduce the cost through a volume-purchasing program. At CEEE, we are devoted to helping promote and educate the public on the benefits of using renewable solar energy to offset energy expenses and reduce our carbon footprint. Our free program will offer 14 different seminar dates, with various time slots and locations in Dubuque, East Dubuque, Manchester and many of the smaller surrounding communities. Anyone interested in learning more about the benefits of solar can easily find a date, time and location which works for their schedule,” stated Enshayan.

Eric Giddens, CEEE Energy Program Manager stated, “The use of solar technology from residential, commercial, agricultural and municipal has dramatically increased over the past several years. It’s amazing to learn how much money these systems can save a family or business owner on their energy costs, not to mention the positive environmental impacts in helping to reduce our dependence on fossil fuels. Additionally, over 70% of the total cost of these systems may be offset via tax credits, equipment depreciation, and energy grants. The time to “Go Solar” has come, and we’re eager to help everyone make the transition.”

“It’s a perfect match of partnerships for a group buy program; educators, suppliers and builders. Being headquartered in Dubuque, we are glad to be a partner in this program to educate and promote the economic savings and environmental benefits of solar. We are eager to meet and work with many of our local friends and neighbors,” stated Larry Steffen, VP of Sales for Eagle Point Solar.

To learn more about the Dubuque County – Go Solar Group Buy Program or to RSVP for a FREE seminar, visit: <https://ceee.uni.edu/GoSolar>. All Dubuque county (including the surrounding areas of East Dubuque, Manchester and Edgewood) homeowners and commercial property owners are invited to attend.

Congratulations

Congratulations to *Terry Bahl*, from Lumber Specialties on his recent retirement. Terry worked for Lumber Specialties for over 30 years and will now have a little free time to concentrate on the projects in his garage.

Good luck Terry!



Want to share information with other members?

Advertising is now available in our monthly newsletter. Contact Julie for more information.

Rates:

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1/2 page (per month) \$125

1/4 page (per month) \$62.50



One ticket drawn. Must be present to win plus 2019 Membership Dues must be paid in full

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Mission Statement..

Dubuque Homebuilders and Associates is a non-profit trade organization formed to promote and enhance the professionalization of home building and associated businesses in the tristate area. Our goal is to achieve continuity and communication among builders, sub-contractors, suppliers, financial institutions and local government to network for community growth and development

Upcoming Events

Make plans to attend these Summer events!

PICNIC IN THE PARK

Tuesday, June 4, 2019

6:00PM–9:00PM

Riverfront Pavilion at Eagle Point Park

Sponsored by

Black Hills Energy

Steak Fry by Kalmes Catering

Cost is \$25 due at sign in

(payable to Dubuque Homebuilders)

Reservations due by Thursday, May 30th

Contact Julie at (563) 582-4553 or (563) 564-6044
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Cancellations accepted through Monday, June 3th by noon



Dubuque Homebuilders and Associates

2019 Best Shot Golf Outing

Sponsored by ***Horsfield Materials***

Tuesday, July 16, 2019 at

Lacoma Golf Course, East Dubuque, IL

Shotgun Start Blue Course 11:30

Shotgun Start Red/Gold Course 12:30





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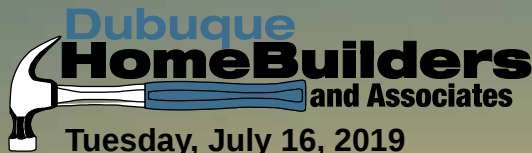
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Tuesday, July 16, 2019
 at Lacoma Golf Course
 8080 Timmerman Drive
 East Dubuque, Illinois

Annual Four Person Best Shot Golf Outing

Dubuque Homebuilders & Associates along with our event sponsor, **Horsfield Materials**, are excited to invite you to this year's golf outing. Enjoy a fun day of golf, networking, and a great steak dinner by *Kalmes Catering!*

Tournament Features:

- ▶ 18 holes of golf with cart
- ▶ Best Shot format
- ▶ Steak dinner by Kalmes Catering
- ▶ New Truck Hole-in-One opportunities
- ▶ Flight awards & Raffle winners

Schedule of Events:

- 11:00AM Registration & Check In for Blue Course
 - 11:30AM Shotgun Start for Blue Course
 - 12:00PM Registration & Check In for Red/Gold Course
 - 12:30PM Shotgun Start for Red/Gold Course
 - 5:30PM–6:30PM Dinner
 - 7:00PM Flight awards and Raffle winners announced
- Lunch is available on the course, on a cash basis

Raffle Items:

With over 200+ golfers attending this event, we welcome donated items for the raffle. What a great way to showcase products and services from your business!

Contact Julie at dbqghba115@gmail.com or call 563-582-7553 to schedule a pickup if needed.

HOMEBUILDER'S SPECIAL:

- ▶ Foursome – 18 holes of golf
 - ▶ Cart rental for four
 - ▶ Steak dinner for four
- The Homebuilders Special is \$300.*

HOLE SPONSORSHIP:

- ▶ Signs posted at your sponsored hole on the course.
 - ▶ Signs must be provided for placement prior to the event date
- The Hole Sponsorship is \$100.*

9-HOLE GOLFER:

- ▶ 9 holes of golf
 - ▶ Cart rental
 - ▶ Steak dinner
- The 9-Hole package is \$65 per person*

SINGLE GOLFER:

- ▶ 18 holes of golf
 - ▶ Cart rental
 - ▶ Steak dinner
- The Single Golfer Option is \$75 per person.
 We will team you up with other members.*

Mulligan:

Mulligans are \$5.00 and limited to one per golfer. Mulligans can be purchased at registration or the sign-up table the day of the event.

Non-Golfing Options:

\$25.00 Dinner Only. Not a golfer? Join us for a great dinner by Kalmes Catering. We'd love to see you!





2019 Registration

Contact Information
Company Name
Member Name
Address / City / State / Zip
Contact Phone Number / email address

Player Information
1. Player's Name
2. Player's Name
3. Player's Name
4. Player's Name
Course Choice: _____BLUE _____RED / GOLD

Payment Information				
Homebuilders Special (1 foursome)		x	\$300	
Hole Sponsorship		x	\$100	
9-Hole Golfer		x	\$65	
Single Golfer		x	\$75	
Mulligans (Only 1 per Golfer)		x	\$5	
Cash Raffle Donation Donating Raffle Items _____YES		x	\$40	
Dinner Only Names(s) _____ _____		x	\$25	
TOTAL				

All reservation forms including payment, must be received at the Homebuilders office by July 1, 2019. No call-in reservations are accepted. The Blue Course is limited to the first 25 foursomes with a paid reservation.

Please send form and payment to:
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2019 FOUR-PERSON
BEST SHOT GOLF OUTING

TUES 2019
JULY 16