





The New Yoot Post

ON THE TEE SINCE 1998: FOR THE BETTERMENT OF THE GAME...IF THAT'S WHAT YOU CALL IT

## OFF THE FAIRWAY



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www.grandtraverseresort.com

## **BULLETIN BOARD**

- Yootwear deadline!
   All Yoot wear orders must be received before Sept. 15<sup>th</sup>!
- Indoor Pools, Spa & You!
  GTR A top 20 mainland
  resort in the U.S., offers two
  indoor & two outdoor pools, a
  World Class Spa, Restaurants
  & lounges with nightly
  entertainment. After a tough
  day on the course, schedule a
  massage or have your whole
  team lay on a table with hot
  rocks on your back...what a
  disturbing thought.
- Pearl's New Orleans Kitchen Gumbo, Crawfish, Po' Boys & Signature Crawfish Bloody Mary's...pure delight! 15 Minute Drive in Elk Rapids.

## **YOOT FACTS!**

- "Big Daddy" Walker brought the first pizza on the golf course to the Yoot...at 7am!
- A GNYS record of 20 under par, a 2-day score, was attained by the Beer Whores & Livonia Lolleygaggers last year. The Beer whores were declared the winner through score regression



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## It's for the Prestige & Flash...Not the CASH!



The sun sets over The Bear on an early autumn day

Over the past several years the Yoot Board has been considering eliminating the prize money that is paid to the winners of the Yoot Shoot. The original intent of the tournament seems to have been "lost" during the past years as our ranks grew. During the early years, the original eight traveled up North as a group of friends in hopes to get in some last rounds of golf before winter set in while enjoying the fall colors, cocktails and of course...some Poole's beef jerky. No prizes were involved other than the losers buying the winners a beer in the clubhouse. Don't get me wrong, competition was still fierce! So about the time that the numbers hit 16 golfers, the Yoot Cup was built and that became the winners "Prize". Bragging rights of the Yoot cup for a year meant more than money could buy and with the advent of email, it wasn't unusual for a couple hundred messages to be sitting in your inbox REMINDING you of whose name was on that cup!

With that in mind, the Yoot board has decided to eliminate the prize money for the winners of the Yoot Shoot. However, the winners will receive the ceremonial "Drinking from the Cup" along with what the original winners received...Bragging rights and a Cold Beer. Your name on the cup is what it's all about.

There are many teams that come to the Yoot Shoot simply to golf and enjoy the company of the other Yoots. Although (secretly in their mind) they would like to compete, many of the teams don't compete year after year. We decided it was not fair to use these teams money to subsidize the winners pot every year when in reality, the only way their names will appear on the cup will unfortunately be in the "Memorial" section. (there are NO bragging rights for having your name on that plate!)

Yoot Central has been very busy the past few weeks. Final preparation is in full swing as Rooming lists, Hole assignments, Yoot goodies, Scorecards, Documents, Dinner menus, etc., etc. are finalized. With a visit to GTR in late August to finalize our visit, our countdown begins.

We are experiencing some technical difficulty with our website. The problem should be resolved shortly so we can upload additional information... Sorry for the inconvenience! Enjoy these Classic Pictures!

