

# WESTMINSTER CRIER

Happy Spring!



APRIL  
FOOLS'  
DAY  
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**Attention:**

Governors Run I is asking golfers **NOT** to cut through yards to get to holes whether it is during a tournament, league play or anytime! This is private property and **NOT** an easement to the golf course.

Thanks so much!

**Attention- Residents and Owners who are renting their homes**

**PLEASE** remind your guests that they must follow the Community rules when using the pool, hot tub, and weight room



## *Saint Patrick's Day Scramble 2017 Recap*

**We could not have asked for a better day. The weather was perfect and can you believe 140 golfers and 111 for dinner.**



We were right on schedule, thanks to Ray Thorpe and his crew for getting the paper work in order and getting us all set up for the check in. We got off on time and the play was steady and did I mention the weather was perfect and for those who needed a libation to cool off there was Molly on the Irish Paddy Wagon (beverage cart) serving up the finest from Ireland and the USA.





We had contests for the best decorated golf cart  
--- Melody Kleinkort ---



Best Irish costume - Laddies Tim Baranek - he  
was actually a little scary - no really scary!!





Best Irish costume --- lassies  
Erika Walz



Alison & Pete How's

And we had really good golf too --- as a matter of fact two minus 63's ---- won in a score card playoff by the foursome of Keith Stephenson, Gary Barcarcel, Dan Schutte and Dean Chalk.

A special note - our foursome did not win as we were probably the only foursome keeping a responsible and accurate score. I get to say this as I am writing the article.

And we had two closest to the pins - but yours truly lost their names --- my apologies but enjoy your restaurant gift certificates

Again a special thanks to John Little and the Gateway reality group and Marty Gaver- Home Solutions --- for donating the prizes monies.

Folks having just a good time in a dining room decorated by the outstanding committee of Diane Bennett, Carol Turner, and Pat Stefanik, who decorated while we were all out have a fun round of golf. Thanks lassies!!!!













Respectfully  
submitted by-  
Chuck Bennett  
and yes we will  
be back next  
year - Save the  
date Saturday  
March 17, 2018



## More Pictures from St Patrick's Day Scramble





The Relay for Life Golf Tournament was quite the success!! Over \$10,000 was collected for the Cause













## Lee County Sheriff's Office Fraud Alert

The Lee County Sheriff's Office fraud line has seen an increase in calls from local businesses reporting scammers posing as buyers of goods and services in an attempt to have them process stolen or fraudulent credit cards. This scheme is often called the "overpayment scam" because it involves a large initial payment to the business that is generally much more than is owed for the transaction, followed by a request from the con artist for a cash refund.

Recently, one local business owner received a text message from someone claiming to need an estimate on a residential window installation. After going to the location provided by the scammer, the victim became suspicious about the legitimacy of the request when he discovered the name of the person who requested his services was different from the homeowner of the vacant property. He became even more apprehensive about the transaction when the scammer requested to pay via credit card for services not yet rendered, and for more than what was owed.

Fortunately, the business owner followed his instincts and did not become a victim of a very crafty trick. How does the "overpayment scam" work:

- The scammer usually inquires about placing a large order for merchandise or for services.
- The scammer insists on paying by credit card.
- The scammer insists on placing additional charges to the card to cover costs for a courier/shipper or a third party who also needs payment but doesn't take credit cards.
- The scammer requests a refund or payment to a third party via Western Union, Money Gram or prepaid cards.
- The scammer provides multiple card numbers with instructions to charge part of the total to each card.
- The credit cards are denied and the scammer provides you with additional card numbers.
- The scammer only communicates via text or email.

To avoid becoming a victim of this scam it is best to never accept payment for more than your selling or service price, never wire transfer money to someone you don't know, do not send items to the supposed buyer before knowing all credit cards are genuine and look for the red flags above.

If you are a victim of this scam you should stop all contact with the scammer, report the cards to the issuer and contact the Sheriff's Office fraud line at 258-3292.