



Dear Hickory Golfers,

The Belvedere Golf Club is pleased to announce that it will host the 17th annual Belvedere Hickory Open, June 13-15, 2024.

Our membership is honored and delighted to have the tournament considered a "Major" championship by the Society of

Hickory Golfers. We wholeheartedly welcome all participants and guests to Belvedere Golf Club and the lovely town of Charlevoix, Mich.

For those of you who have not competed at the Belvedere Golf Club, you are in for an outstanding treat. Belvedere Golf Club was established in 1925 and was designed by William Watson of St. Andrews, Scotland. Watson designed many of the great golf clubs in the U.S. including the Olympic Club, Harding Park, Olympia Fields, Minikahda Club, San Diego Golf Club, Salt Lake Golf Club, Annandale, Belvedere and about 120 others.



**B**elvedere is the only Watson golf club left in the U.S. that has the original green complexes and original routing that William Watson designed. He was a contemporary of the Foulis brothers, Tom Bendelow, Sam Whiting, George Thomas and Donald Ross.

Belvedere Golf Club has hosted the Michigan Amateur Championship a record 40 times with the 41st championship coming in 2025. Belvedere has also hosted 42 "Major Champions"

including Walter Hagen, Bobby Jones, Jock Hutchison, Gene Sarezen, Tommy Armour, Ben Hogan, Sam Snead, Horton Smith, Cary Middlecoff, Kathy Whitworthand Julios Boros. In modern times, it has hosted Billy Casper, Jack Nicklaus, Andy North, Loren Roberts, Meg Mallon, Beth Daniel, Lanny Wadkins and Tom Watson. - Tom has been a member at Belvedere for over three decades and still makes trips back.



(Johnny Farrell, Bobby Jones, Walter Hagen & Gene Sarazen.

All competed at Belvedere Golf Club.)

Your \$400 entry fee includes a Thursday, June 15th practice round

(golfing spouse welcome too), daily range balls, tournament favor, lunch at the turn on both Friday and Saturday afternoons, and complimentary cocktails after each tournament round.

There will be a complimentary "Welcome to Charlevoix Party" on Thursday evening (dinner & drinks included), sponsored by your host PGA professional Dennis "Marty" Joy II,



and a dinner party and hickory club swap/sale at the Belvedere Clubhouse on Friday evening, sponsored by the Belvedere Golf Club.

On Saturday evening, the Belvedere Club will host a **coat and tie** dinner at the Belvedere "Casino."

The presentation of awards will take place at the Saturday evening dinner.

Friday and Saturday evening parties are on a cash bar basis.

You are also welcomed to participate in the Leo Diegel Belvedere Hickory Two-Person Scramble held Thursday, June 13th from 11:30 a.m.-

12:30 p.m. Entry fee for the two-person Hickory Scramble is \$80 per team or \$40 per person. Belvedere Golf Club will award a gross team and a net team champion.



The Belvedere Golf Club Board of Directors and the entire Belvedere Golf
Club membership are looking forward to seeing you on our wonderful golf club and in the beautiful city of Charlevoix. We hope you will be able to attend one of the most enjoyable hickory tournaments in the country.

Dennis "Marty" Joy II, PGA

Belvedere Golf Club

Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns at 231-675-2241

or at golfbelvedere@gmail.com



## **ACCOMMODATIONS:**

Please make your lodging reservations A.S.A.P.

If you have not been to Charlevoix for the Belvedere Hickory

Open, know that Charlevoix in the wedding capital of the

mid-west making hotel reservations at a premium.

Also, don't forget about Vrbo or Airbnb – there normally are several hundred of accommodations available through these services.

So please get your accommodations A.S.A.P.

Below is a list of hotels in Charlevoix but also feel free to go to
the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce website to find other accommodation options.

Other accommodations can be found on the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce website

www.charlevoix.org

All hotels are located within two miles of Belvedere Golf Club.

•AmericInn – 231-237-0988 www.americinn.com

Comfortable rooms and suites; complimentary AmericInn perks breakfast; indoor heated pool.

•Charlevoix Inn & Suite – 231-547-0300 www.charlevoixinnandsuites.com
Family inn; great location; new renovation in 2015; complimentary continental breakfast; heated indoor pool and jacuzzi.

•Weathervane Terrace Inn & Suites – 231-547-9955 https://weathervane-chx.com/

Choose from our standard rooms, deluxe patio rooms, or our suites and Jacuzzi rooms. Each of the suites and Jacuzzi rooms have a fireplace and a balcony with a view of the lake.

•Edgewater Inn – 231-547-6044 - www.edgewater-charlevoix.com

The Edgewater Inn is Charlevoix's premier, waterfront condominium-hotel,
located on the north shoe of Round Lake harbor and the Pine River channel
with prime drawbridge views. Each condominium-hotel room is
individually owned and uniquely decorated.

• The Earl – 231-547-6565 – www.hotelearl.com

The Earl is a 56 room newly renovated hotel that offers a contemporary hotel experience with a modern twist and cosmopolitan vibe located just one block from Round Lake and downtown Charlevoix.

New in Summer 2022 is Hi Bar, their rooftop bar.



## 2024 BELVEDERE HICKORY OPEN ENTRY FORM

June 13-15, 2024 Belvedere Golf Club –

William Watson Architect / Charlevoix, MI.

Full Name: _		<del></del>	
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Mailing Address:			
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Spouse/Traveling Compa	nion Name:		
Handicaps shall be determ	nined one week prior to the	Belvedere Hickory Open.	
- Leo Diegel Belvedere	Hickory two-person scram	ble (\$40.00 per player)	
- Thursday,	June 13, 2024 / 11:30 a.m	– 12:30 p.m.	
Partner #1			

(We will do our best to make pairing arrangements for single players who wish to compete in the scramble event – let us know if you would like to be paired with another single participant.)

## PAYMENT:

Registration is \$400, payable by check.

- •If you are participating in the Belvedere Scramble, add an additional \$40.00 per player.
  - •Please print and complete the application form.
- •Mail the completed form, along with a check made payable to "Belvedere Golf Club":

The Belvedere Golf Club

C/O Dennis "Marty" Joy II

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Or by phone @ 231-675-2241