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IGWA Newsletter

The quarterly newsletter of the Indiana Ground Water Association (IGWA)

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2019 ANNUAL MEETING

Continuing Education Classes and TOPGOLF Event!

October 24 – 25, 2019 | Fishers, Indiana

Mark your calendars! October 25 will be our Annual Meeting with CEU classes. October 24 will feature an event at Topgolf in Fishers, Indiana. Registration is now open — see page 4 or go online. You can reserve your hotel room now.

OCTOBER 24: SOCIAL EVENT AT TOPGOLF IN FISHERS, INDIANA

Join your colleagues and manufacturer and suppliers at our event on October 24 at Topgolf! You do not need to know how to golf to have a great time. Everyone can enjoy themselves. You can bring your own clubs if you choose. Spouses can join in as well. This is an 18 and above event.



OCTOBER 25: ANNUAL MEETING WITH CEU CLASSES

October 25 will feature 3 hours of CEU classes and our Annual Meeting. There will be a new Executive Board slated that day. We will have two board member positions open as well. *Please see the nomination form in the newsletter on page 8 to nominate someone to be a board member.*

There will be a Backyard Barbeque Buffet with non-alcoholic drinks as part of the event. There is a bar if you would like to purchase your own drinks as well.

Hotel information follows on page 2.



ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA

OCTOBER 24: TOPGOLF EVENT

Location: Topgolf
(9200 E. 116th Street, Fishers)
<https://topgolf.com/us/fishers/>

Time: 6:00 – 9:30 pm

After the event concludes, you are welcome to play on but will need to sign in with staff and pay for additional time.

OCTOBER 25: ANNUAL MEETING & CLASSES

Location: Holiday Inn Express Fishers
(9791 North by Northeast Blvd., Fishers, IN 46037)

CEUs: 3 hours CEU for both Well Driller & Pump Installer

8:00 – 8:30 am: Registration

8:30 – 10:00 am: 811, Safe Digging, Documentation

10:00 – 10:30 am: Annual Meeting

10:30 – 12:00 pm: Indiana Geology

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HOTELS FOR ANNUAL MEETING

- Two room blocks have been reserved. Each hotel has complimentary breakfast.
- Please be aware of all deadlines. All deadlines are firm. This includes hotel and event registration.
- When making your reservation please make sure to identify yourself as with the Indiana Ground Water Association to receive the discounted rates.
- Online links are on our website as well.

Hampton Inn Fishers

11575 Commercial Drive, Fishers, IN (off 116th Street)
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Room Price: \$104 for standard room

Reservation Deadline: September 23, 2019.
20 rooms blocked for our use.

Reservation Link:

<https://hamptoninn.hilton.com/en/hp/groups/personalized/I/INDFSHX-IGW-20191024/index.jhtml>

Holiday Inn Fishers

9791 N by NE Boulevard, Fishers, IN (Off 96th Street)
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2019 ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION

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Approved by DNR for hours: 3 WD / 3 PI

- All attendees must register and pay. If spouses are attending Topgolf event, they must pay as well.
- There is no walk in registration available for the Topgolf event. There is one price for both days even if you only attend one.
- You must be registered by the deadline — October 11, 2019.
- You must register and pay a fee for each person attending either the Topgolf event or meeting portion.

DEADLINE OCTOBER 11, 2019. Please PRINT.

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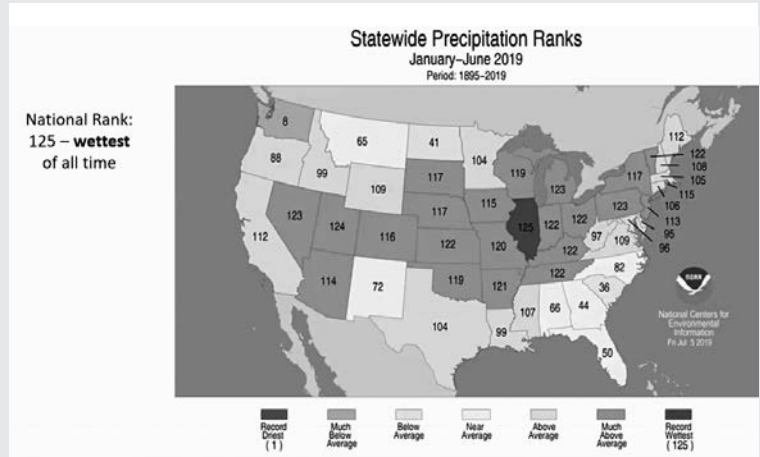
What can I say, this year has been one heck of a ride so far.... We started off on the winter that wouldn't end to one of the wettest springs on record. Now to scorching heat, this year has been one for the records books.

The construction industry loses billions of dollars on delays and failures caused by bad weather. Buildings are damaged during storms; sites turn into seas of mud; freezing temperatures make it impossible to drill. Most construction planners use seasonal forecast to minimize risk of these expensive surprises. But with the recent weather, even this was too hard to determine how our drilling season has performed.

But enough with the weather, we are in full swing with summer, the days are longer, and everyone's time is very valuable. With the number of wells needing drilled, there is no time to waste with repairs or working on upgrades. Here is my moment when I ask that you be safe and try to make sure the rig and pump hoist are in order. Safety is the biggest concern that most carry with them every day and with the amount of work, we all need to slow down and make sure we have a safe rest of the year.

Sorry this one is short and sweet, everyone is busy we fully understand, I look forward to seeing everybody in October at our next meeting.

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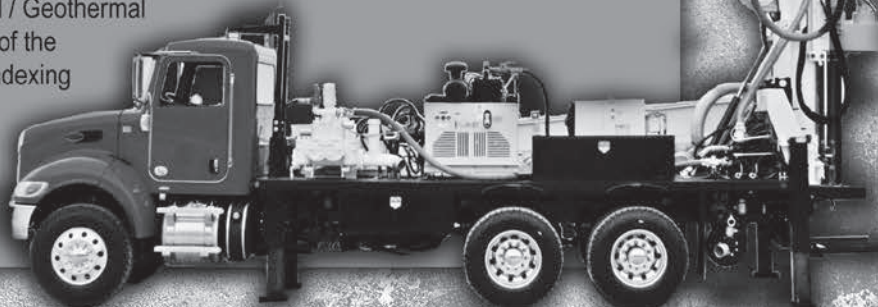
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Nominations Due October 1, 2019

If you are interested or would like to nominate someone to serve on the IGWA board of directors, please submit your nominations by October 1, 2019. The 2019 board members will be elected during the Annual Membership meeting on Friday, October 25 during the Annual Conference in Fishers.

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Nominee(s) information:

1) Name _____
Company _____
Phone Number _____

2) Name _____
Company _____
Phone Number _____

Nominated by (your information):

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The IGWA scholarship committee received six applications this year for the scholarship. Our selection process is a blind process. The scholarship committee only received redacted applications. They make their choices based on content only.

After much deliberation the committee chose two applicants who stood out from the rest. Each winner was awarded a scholarship of \$1,125.00. They are pleased to announce that winners this year are:



Makayla DeYoung

Makayla's parents are Scott and Gayle DeYoung of Municipal Well and Pump in Waupun, Wisconsin. Makayla will attend Dordt University to study Occupational Therapy.



Megan Weinzapfel

Megan's parents are Jeff and Lori Weinzapfel of Weinzapfel Well Drilling & Plumbing Inc. in Evansville, Indiana. Megan will attend Brescia University to study Speech-Language Pathology.

The IGWA recognizes these students as outstanding applicants. We wish them great success in their pursuit of higher learning.

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New Procedure!

New Scholarship Application Procedures

Starting with 2020 our application process will move the Carroll County Community Foundation. The process has much earlier deadlines than in the past. The new applications deadline is February 3, 2020.

Applications will be uploaded to the CCCF site in October. As soon as it is uploaded, the student can begin the process of applying.

There will be a link on our website to access the foundation website or you may use this link below to go directly to the Scholarship page and then follow the instructions for applying.

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Two Board Positions for 2019-2020 Up for Election

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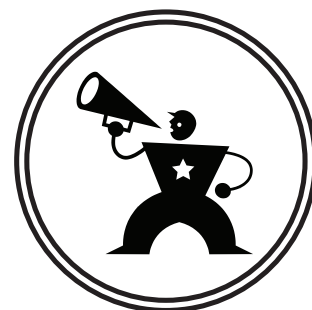
- 14 Holiday Inn Reservation Deadline
- 23 Hampton Inn Reservation Deadline

October 2019

- 11 Registration Deadline for Annual Meeting/Topgolf
- 24-25 Topgolf & Annual Meeting with CEU Classes, Fishers, IN
See pages 1-4 for schedule, hotel, and registration information.

November 2019

- 15 Environmental Driller Continuing Education Class, Greenwood, IN
- 15 DNR Drillers Testing, Greenwood, IN
- 30 Membership Dues Due



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