

LYNX GOLF COURSE Receives Automatic External Defibrillator



The organizers of the first annual “*Stone Man Open*” recently presented new owner of the Lynx Golf Course, Jim Szilagyi with an automatic external defibrillator (AED) for use at the course. Pictured presenting the AED to Jim Szilagyi is Ty Swinehart, brother of Preston Swinehart and Lori Swinehart, wife of Preston Swinehart. The “*Stone Man Open*” recognizes Preston Swinehart who passed away unexpectedly from a heart attack while visiting his family. The organizers wish to thank all those that contributed to the success of the event and made the purchase of the AED possible, especially Tink Wilcox, Dave & Gabe Porter, and Jim Szilagyi.

Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) or massive heart attack is one of the leading causes of death. It is not uncommon for SCA on golf courses. Defibrillation shock can be an effective treatment and timing is everything. The chances for survival of an SCA victim decreases 10% for every minute that passes. Use of an AED, along with other measures can save a life.



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