



# THE G.A.S.P. GAZETTE

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## The Golfers For 2008

Here are the 16 fine golfers playing in the 2008 event - at least those who have paid and won't get their money back. We will have four teams of four golfers for the weekend as we did for many years. (That's 16 golfers Ron, not 15 and an empty spot ... we need all the bodies so that Darcy doesn't get to hit two shots!)

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| Brad Pavelich | Dave Stengler     |
| Mark Kopp     | Lyle Faichuk      |
| Dan Behrens   | Ron Durbeniuk     |
| Gary Galambos | Jim van der Sloot |
| Logan White   | Joe Cruz          |
| Darcy Gertner | Jack Stonehouse   |
| Doug Howes    | Mal Glass         |
| Kerry Glass   | John Cruz         |

**Photo below:** Kananaskis is providing a new set of proximity markers in 2008. Sadly, the markers can't be placed on the surface of the greens, so these caddies are provided to mark the spot for us.



## The Golf Course

We have once again selected Kananaskis Country Golf Course for the GASP. 2001 was a great adventure, with everyone up to the task of keeping up the pace of play without spending too much time looking for lost balls. (Perhaps counting lost balls should be considered for this year again.)



As your official travel document for the GASP, here is a summary of our tee times:

| Date    | Course      | Times        |
|---------|-------------|--------------|
| June 20 | Mt. Kidd    | 3:27 - 3:54  |
| June 21 | Mt. Lorette | 3:27 - 3:54  |
| June 22 | Mt. Kidd    | 12:36 - 1:03 |

Our payment entitles us to green fees, golf carts, club handling, storage, and cleaning, as well as driving range privileges prior to our rounds. We will have to inform the course of our groups prior to the start of Friday's rounds, and again for the weekend play.

We don't have anything booked for the Thursday as many will arrive late. Perhaps we could settle in and play a round in Canmore on Thursday afternoon, if anyone is interested.

The Kananaskis Country Golf Course can be contacted at (877) 591-2525 or (403) 591-7272, if necessary. You can check out their website and preview the courses at [www.kananaskisgolf.com](http://www.kananaskisgolf.com).

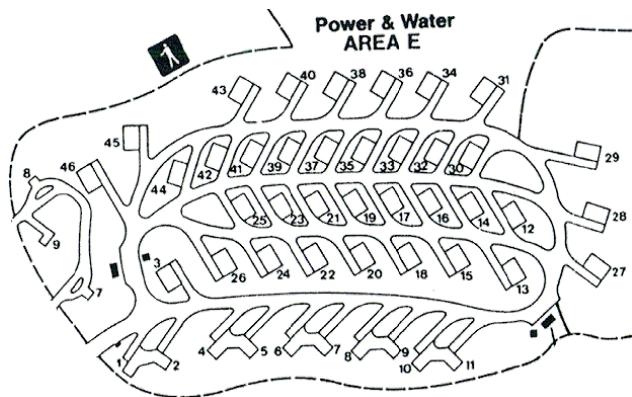
## Camping

We have chosen Mount Kidd RV Park for our stay in Kananaskis in 2008, the same campground we enjoyed in 1994 and 2001. For those of you new to the area, the campground is located just south of the Kananaskis village and golf courses along Highway 40. (The nearest pub is back at the Village!) It's a fantastic facility, worthy of a return.

Three of the sites are booked starting on Thursday, while the other three are booked starting on Friday. Many of the sites will have to hold two units to accommodate all of us, but there is a limit of three units per any site. Check-in time is 1:00 p.m., and check-out is noon.



The campground can be contacted (if necessary) at (403) 591-7700, and you can visit its website at [www.mountkiddrv.com](http://www.mountkiddrv.com)



The view above is of the E Loop of Mount Kidd Campground. We have secured sites 21 - 26 for our weekend, with different sites booked for different number of nights. The price for one unit on a site is \$38, and there is an extra \$28 fee for additional units on a site. All camping fees are payable to Brad or Dave upon your arrival, unless you have prepaid for your site.



Be sure to bookmark our website for whatever updates need to be made.

[www.geocities.com/Augusta/Fairway/4787](http://www.geocities.com/Augusta/Fairway/4787)

**Photo below:** Like the 24 Hours of Le Mans, the GASP goes all day, and sometimes, all night. These dedicated golfers are not prepared to give up their tee off time to gamble, at least not when you can give up sleep instead!



**Cartoon:** Lyle and his computer at RONA just before the GASP (or anytime, when you think about it).



**Photo below:** There is fear that wet conditions will prevent us from using standard golf carts at the GASP this year. The course will be providing this alternate form of transportation if necessary.

