

## **News Release**

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## Swing for the sky at this year's Tinley Park Golf Show

When it comes to golf, it doesn't matter if you consistently score high or always seem to get stuck in those pesky sand traps. For those who play it, golf is less of a hobby and more a way of life. But where do golf aficionados go when the weather turns bitter cold and snow blankets the green?

No, the answer isn't "insane" – it's the Tinley Park Golf Show, which runs from noon to 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 4; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 5; and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 6 at the Tinley Park Convention Center, 18451 Convention Center Drive, Tinley Park, IL.

Golf fans can stop pining for spring and come out for a true golfing experience featuring a driving range demo area with manufacturer representatives from Callaway, Wilson, Tour Edge, Cleveland, Cobra and Mizuno.

After browsing aisles of newly released equipment and apparel from the top retailers in the Chicago area, golfers can enjoy a live telecast of the Pebble Beach Pro-Am at the famous 19th Hole Bar and Lounge. Golfers also can compete in skills challenges for Longest Drive in both the Ladies and Men's Divisions and Long Putt, with daily winners for all challenges.

The top 10 female and male winners in Longest Drive will be able to compete for a \$500 cash prize at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 6. There will also be a top 10 finisher playoff for the Long Putt at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 6. Other fun activities will include raffles and the chance to mingle with other golf enthusiasts yearning for sunnier skies!

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Tickets are \$5 for Friday's show and \$10 each for Saturday and Sunday's shows. Golfers can visit the <u>Tinley Park Golf Show page</u> on eventbrite.com to get tickets, or visit the <u>Tinley Park Convention Center website</u> for more information. Watch a short commercial promoting the Tinley Park Golf Show at <u>https://youtu.be/XbheKZxUhG0</u>.

Come out and cure those winter blahs with the best golf show in the south and southwest suburbs of Chicago!

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Located just 30 miles south of downtown Chicago, the 120,000-square foot Tinley Park Convention Center is one of the Midwest's premier meeting and convention destinations. The expanded Convention Center has 70,000 square feet of event space (58,000 contiguous), with ceilings that are as high as 35 feet. The Convention Center is able to support more than 375 8'x10' booths and 21 breakout rooms of various sizes. Connected to the EVEN Hotel Tinley Park, there are 202 hotel rooms on the property and another 600 rooms nearby. Conveniently located, the Convention Center features 1,500 free parking spaces and is near two major airports and several major interstates.