Can one’s life be defined by the foods they love? Hard to believe this to be true, but YES, it can happen.

For it seems having a large family to share your successes and losses is what helps form your priorities in life. This week’s presenter hails from a family having 8 kids, and he himself has 3 daughters (a place in heaven for that alone).

What truly “floored” us was learning how food seems to be that driving force that bonds his family and friends. Rick Wolverton of Advanced Interiors has become that “foodie” that we all aspire to be.

Rick said how having such a large family caused them to make meal time where you came together as one and shared the day’s activities. This is where he learned so much about life and dealing with emotions and personalities.

And Rick had numerous nicknames, most relating to foods he enjoyed – “Pickles” or “Gravy Train”, some of his more well-known. But his Afro style hairdo got him the nickname “Fuzz”, and playing sports competitively earned him the title of “Wolf”.

Rick has grown his company over the years by concentrating on floor treatments, from all styles of carpeting to hard wood floors and also the different manufactured versions on the market today. There are now hundreds of designs to choose from for almost any functional purpose. He was recently awarded “Best Kitchen Design” by NARI, the industry standard bearer. He also does tile floors as well as tile in kitchens, granite flooring and countertops and other alternatives to granite and stone and tile that’s out there too.

They take on small home remodel projects to major commercial jobs involving thousands of square yards of carpeting. Homes, businesses, hotels, theatre complexes – no job too small or large!

Rick certainly tries to have fun whenever possible and is so proud to be a Prospector! More so than just friends or mentors that he has, there are relationships that make his business and his life so special.

Thanks Rick for your service as President this year, and for all you do to make this Club so great. You are thick sliced, smoked, marinated, and cured all in one package!
UPCOMING SPEAKERS SCHEDULE

Here is a list of our upcoming speakers. Please note some events are evenings or away from Deer Creek CC.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING PROSPECTORS?
Give Keith Steiniger, our Membership Chairman a call at 913-735-2780 or email at ksteiniger@idologymg.com before you visit our group so we can make sure there are no category conflicts with our current members.

Sept. 21 - Top Golf – OPKS – See details in newsletter – Page 5

Sept. 22 – Mike Kopplin of Kopplin’s Wardrobe Management and Design at Deer Creek CC.

Sept. 29 – Alan Heriford of Johnson County Automotive AT HIS LOCATION.

October 6 – Chad Trondson of ComforCare Senior Services at Deer Creek CC.

October 7 – Annual PBC Golf Tourney – After Hours at Coach’s South

October 13 – Phil Giordano of Grade A Tree Care at Deer Creek CC.
Trivia Question:-

What film pits Humphrey Bogart against gangsters in the Florida Keys?

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

If the grass looks greener on the other side...Stop staring. Stop comparing. Stop complaining & Start watering the grass you're standing on.

The most sacred river in India is the Ganges River.

Con’t. From Page 1....... None this week.......
BE A PART OF THE BEST NETWORKING GROUP IN JOHNSON COUNTY – COME JOIN YOUR FELLOW PROSPECTORS THIS THURSDAY

PROSPECTOR EVENTS / NEWS / CHARITABLE CAUSES

Save the Date – Sat. December 3rd at Deer Creek CC – Annual Christmas Party

Hangers Cleaners is looking to fill two positions – a seamstress at their Plaza location; am sure some experience is preferred. And also a Store Driver for pickup and delivery of clean and unclean clothes to return to the main facility. If you know of someone that is looking for employment, or you could send this out to your network, please do so and refer them to Kathleen Cussen.

Grade A Tree Service (Phil Giordano) is looking for tree trimmers or groundsmen (they will train). If you know of someone that fits this post, Get in touch with Phil at 816-509-2225.

From Dolce Bakery - We are still looking to fill a couple of positions here at the bakery and would love to be listed in your Prospector’s newsletter. We are looking for Pastry Counter Sales Position (front counter) and Dishwashers. Contact them at 913-236-4411.
Prospectors Annual Golf Tournament at Deer Creek CC – Friday, October 7th with tee times beginning around 11:30 am. After Hours at Coach’s South – 135th and Grandview starting at 5 pm.

Top Golf in Overland Park on Wednesday, September 21st, right before the club’s golf tournament. A nice way to limber up and share fun times with friends.

Please arrive around 5:00 pm - Meet upstairs on their upper level lounge.

Hope to start play at 6:00 pm

• We have 23 people so we will need 4 bays - this is first come first serve.
• An hour of play is $40 per bay (about $7 per person.) We will each need to get a membership card which is a one-time cost of $5 before we play. If you already have one, please remember to bring it with you
• Food and drink if you choose is on you
• No need to bring your own clubs
• No need to know how to play golf (this one is for me).

Any questions or need to cancel please contact me at kcussen@hangerskc.com

See you Wednesday!!
Prospector’s Breakfast Club
Attendance and Thank You’s  Meeting Date: _Sept. 15, 2016_

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GUESTS

Name ___________________________ Name of Business ___________________________ Your Position (owner, sales, etc.) ___________________________