

# NEWS RELEASE

## **Aldeen Golf Club Chosen as Site of 2013 Illinois State Men's Amateur Championship**

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The Chicago District Golf Association announced that Aldeen Golf Club will host its second Illinois State Men's Amateur Championship August 12 through 15, 2013. The first state Men's Amateur was held at Aldeen Golf Club in 2001, when the champion was Rich Dukelow of Chicago.

According to Duncan Geddes, PGA Professional at Aldeen Golf Club, "The State Amateur Championship is the premier event of the Chicago District Golf Association. We know it's five years away, but this is a very prestigious event, and it's the second time we've been asked to host the Men's Championship. We also hosted the Illinois State Women's Amateur Championship in 2004."

Aldeen Golf Club has been recognized as one of the top fifty public golf courses in the United States one can play for under \$50 by GOLF Magazine, and was awarded 4 ½ stars by Golf Digest Magazine in 2004. Aldeen Golf Club & Practice Centre is owned and managed by the Rockford Park District, and is located at 1902 Reid Farm Road, Rockford, Illinois.

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