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Dear 54ers:

John Proffitt and Wade Fredrick got together in Florida for a round of golf. I imagine this amounted to at least a dozen lost balls. John still goes to his law firm and works as much as he wants to and then on to other things. Judy, his wife, is retiring after 25 years as a Judge – the longest serving one in history in that capacity.

Vic Lindquist wrote that he had just returned from a visit to Japan, China and Hong Kong. The air in Hong Kong makes it difficult to breathe. Vic said the trip was interesting and educational.

Mike Gray emailed that he and Nora had been on a Safari and toured South Africa this past month. They are returning to their Florida home and then to Nora's place in Colorado Springs for a calm summer.

Talked with Tom Prince who was fixing brunch for Kathy. As I've always said he is a "Prince of a fellow" to be doing things like that. He had a flat tire out in the country – no cell phone and had to replace the tire. His two replaced knees squawked loudly afterwards. Tom still swims that half a mile three times a week. He did report that in December he met Don Caplinger, Pete Moffet, Dick Howell, and John Pantzer in Indy. John Pantzer had recently fallen – hurt something and was in a wheel chair.

Had a call last night from Jim Sears who moved to Chapel Hill three years ago. He is doing fine – keeping busy. Enjoyed hearing about his two successful sons – one in Chapel Hill and another a contractor for a satellite communications company now working in Afghanistan. Jim like John Proffitt were roommates of Joe David White and wanted his widows address. He is survived only by a son and a daughter.

Asked Jim about Bill Tait and he said Bill and his new wife of some four years are really enjoying life – spending most of the year in Florida and summers back in Minnesota playing golf.

So far those who have expressed interest in attending the Saturday June 7 Wabash Big Bash and our dinner that evening are: Tom Prince, Vic Lindquist, Dick Glassmeyer, Bill Glascock, Dick Rose and Bob Johnson. It will be interesting to see what they are doing with the President's House (in our time).

Reservations at the Holiday Inn are almost full. You might say you are in the Class of '93 as they are holding a block for them with rooms still available.

Please join us in participating in the Wabash Annual Fund – deadline is June 30, 2008.

Long in our hearts....,

Bob Johnson

P.S. Tom Shenk is going on a cruise to Mexico and Sea of Cortez during April to celebrate Tom's Birthday.