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Adventurous golf pro takes over at IVGC

By Steve Fairchild
Staff Writer

The sport of golf has taken Michael Day on adventures from coast to coast, but as the new head golf pro at Illinois Valley Golf Club, Day said he has finally found a place to settle down.

Two years ago, Day, 64, was living on a 44-foot sailboat in the harbors of Long Beach and San Pedro, Calif.

He owned a Pearson Countess, No. 18 of 56 boats in the world, and worked on the driving range at Harbor Golf Practice Center in Southern California.

When he met his wife, Barbara, at Calvary Chapel in Costa Mesa, Calif., his days of living on the high seas came to a close and the newly married couple moved to Selma.

Before taking over at IVGC, Day worked for 14 months at Grants Pass Golf Club as an assistant under former pro, Ed Fisher, and current pro, Kent DeRocher.

Day grabbed the reins at IVGC when longtime pro, Rex Denham, moved on to Beau Pre Golf Course in McKinleyville, Calif.

"People here are really very nice," Day said of his new job. "I like the club and would like to see it flourish."

Day's goal is to restore IVGC to its former glory. At one time the club had more than 150 members. Now it has a little more than 60.

Day has a goal of attracting six new members per month. At $69 a month to join the club, he said there is plenty of potential.

"I want to bring a pro-am or two back like when Rex Denham was here," Day said. "That would really help the town too. If you can bring in 100 or so golfers, it's going to bring in revenue to the town."

Michael Day, head pro at Illinois Valley Golf Club, pauses on hole No. 1. (Photo by Steve Fairchild)

According to Day, the golf course experienced a decline in the past few years due to some problems with getting enough water for irrigation.

The club has since acquired an easement from a private neighbor to get irrigation water from the Illinois River. The club spent between $50,000 and $60,000 on construction to irrigate the course.

Day's golf duties at IVGC include giving group and private lessons, assisting with golf tournaments and day-to-day operations. His favorite part of the job is taking clients on the course for strategy sessions where he can coach them through each shot.

Day has two sons, a daughter and five grandchildren. His wife's brother, Bobby Burgess, was one of the original mouseketeers on the Mickey Mouse Club show.

Day has been playing golf for 45 years and has been a pro for 30 years. Among his career accomplishments was a period of two years in the New England section of the PGA when he won six pro-ams.

He has also sunk five hole-in-ones. His lowest score through nine holes was a 6-under par 30.

He is also the author of

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2 WTBS	Lois & Clark-Superman		Dawson's Creek		Dawson's Creek		Saved by the Bell	Saved by the Bell	Family Matters	Cosby Show	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Drew Carey	Drew Carey	Home Improve.	Home Improve.	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Friends	Movie	Varied Programs
3 FOXFAM	Life in the Word	Varied Programs	Medabots	Beyblade	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Who's the Boss?	Living the Life	700 Club		Movie				Growing Pains	Growing Pains	Step by Step	Step by Step	So Little Time	7th Heaven		Switched!	Hang Time	B. Leonard
4 FOX	Big Valley		Fall Guy		Sexwars	We the Jury	Crossing Over	Crossing Over	Power of Attorney	Power of Attorney	Paid Program	Paid Program	Quincy, M.E.		Trapper John, M.D.		Big Valley		Fall Guy		Knight Rider		Varied Programs	
5 KOBI	News		Today						Tennis		Varied Programs				Days of Our Lives		Passions		Dr. Phil		Home Improve.	Seinfeld	Inside Edition	NBC News
6 ESPN	Sports-center	Varied Programs	Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Baseball Tonight	Varied Programs	Tennis		Varied Programs							Interrup-tion	Sportscenter		Varied Programs			
7 KSYS	Varied Programs		Barney & Friends	Between the Lions	Sesame Street		Berens-tain Brs	Teletub-bies	Mister Rogers	Body Electric	Sit and Be Fit	Charlie Rose		Caillou	Zoboom-afoo	Sagwa-the Cat	Dragon Tales	George Shrinks	Clifford-Red	Reading Rainbow	Arthur	Liberty's Kids	Zoom	Cyber-chase
8 TBN	Changing-World	Corner-stone	Rod Parsley	Marilyn Hickey	Believer's Voice	Varied Programs			Behind Scenes	Paula White	Life Today	This Is Your Day	700 Club		Corner-stone	Rod Parsley	Praise the Lord				Varied Programs		Behind Scenes	Varied Programs
9 LIFE	Paid Program	Paid Program	Fit & Lite	Daily Workout	Caroline in the City	Designing Women	Golden Girls	Nanny	Golden Girls	Nanny	Mad About You	Mad About You	Golden Girls	Nanny	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie				Movie			
10 KTVL	News		Early Show				700 Club		Price Is Right		Young and the Restless		News	Bold, Beautiful	As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Life Moments		John Walsh Show		News	CBS News
11 NICK	Blue's Clues	Doug	CatDog	Thomber-rys	Hey Arnold!	Rocket Power	Rugrats	Sponge-Bob	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Little Bill	Bob the Builder	Oswald	Max & Ruby	Varied Programs						As Told by Ginger	Sponge-Bob
13 KDRV	News Cont'd		Good Morning America				Live With Regis and Kelly		The View		We the Jury	Port Charles	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		Judge Judy	Judge Joe Brown	Oprah Winfrey		News	ABC Wld News
15 USA	Bloomberg Information Network Cont'd				Nash Bridges	Varied Programs	Movie			Varied Programs	Movie				JAG		Walker, Texas Ranger		Movie		Varied Programs		Walker, Texas Ranger	
17 A&E	Paid Program	Paid Program	Varied Programs		Movie				Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote		City Confidential		American Justice		Movie				Murder, She Wrote		Murder, She Wrote	
18 HBO	Varied Programs		Movie		Varied Programs	Movie			Movie		Varied Programs													
19 SHOW2	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied Programs							Movie		Varied Programs		Movie		Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs			
21 SHOW	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs																		Movie	Varied Programs
22 MAX	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs										Movie	Varied Programs				Movie	Varied Programs						Movie
29 ESPCL	Varied Programs	The Way it Was	One on One	Sports Trivia	Wide World	Varied Programs	Sport-sCentury	Varied Programs															Sport-sCentury	Varied Programs
30 TRAV	Epicu-rious	Great Chefs	Varied Programs		Famous Homes	Famous Homes	Great Hotels	Great Hotels	Epicu-rious	Great Chefs	Two for Las Vegas	Exotic Islands	Famous Homes	Great Hotels	Varied Programs								World's Best	
34 AMC	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs													Movie			Varied Programs	Movie				Movie	
35 TNT	Pensacola: Wings of Gold		Lost World		Pretender		Charmed		ER		ER		Law & Order		NYPD Blue		NYPD Blue		In the Heat of the Night		Pretender		X-Files	
38 DISN	Bear in House	Book of Pooh	Rolie Polie Olie	Stanley	PB&J Otter	Wiggles	Wiggles	Stanley	Rolie Polie Olie	PB&J Otter	Out of the Box	Bear in House	Wiggles	Wiggles	Stanley	Rolie Polie Olie	House of Mouse	House of Mouse	Weeken-ders	Lloyd in Space	Sabrina Series	Proud Family	Boy Meets World	Smart Guy
39 SCIFI	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Dark Shadows	Dark Shadows	Babylon 5		Sentinel		Varied Programs										X-Files		Knight Rider	
45 DISC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Perfect Partner	Perfect Partner	Home Matters		Home Matters		Surprise by Design		Surprise by Design		It's Christopher Lowell!		Christopher Lowell		Storm Warning!		Varied Programs	
46 ANPL	Animal Court	Animal Court	Pet Story	Pet Story	That's My Baby	That's My Baby	Emer-gency	Emer-gency	Wild Rescues	Wild Rescues	Pet Story	Pet Story	That's My Baby	That's My Baby	Emer-gency	Emer-gency	Animal Videos	Animal Videos	Crocodile Hunter		Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Varied Programs	
47 COM	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Movie				Daily Show	Com.-Presents	Varied Programs	Premium Blend	Late Night		Saturday Night Live		Saturday Night Live		Movie				Com.-Presents	Saturday Night Live
48 CRT	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Open Court				Trial Heat				Both Sides				Closing Arguments				Catherine Crier	