2023 MEN'S LEAGUE RULES

The following rules were voted on and approved. (Using 2023 Rules) USGA Rules Govern All Play, Except as Adopted By Local Rules

- **1. League dues will be handled as follows:** a. League dues will be \$40.00 per player. Your dues cover all on course weekly events, USGA handicap fees, and fun night events with dinner plus league payouts.
- b. They can be paid individually, or the captain of the team can collect them and pay as a team.

 c. Sponsor fee this year will be \$50.00 per team.
- d. All dues must be paid by the FIRST week of June, or your scores will not count for that night. No exceptions! Players roster may be changed no later than the week of June 6th & 7th.
 - **2. League play** a. League play will begin on Tuesday May 2nd & Wednesday May 3rd b. League play will conclude on Tuesday August 8th & Wednesday August 9th. c. League play will consist of 13 weeks of play with the top 8 teams from Tuesday and top 6 from
 - Wednesday night making the playoff rounds.

 d. All teams will be seeded in the play-offs according to their total point totals for the year.
- e. Ties will be broken in the following manor: the fifth players net score will be used, if still tied, the sixth players net score and so on until the tie is broken.
 - f. Summer Rules during league play. NO PREFERED LIES!
 - g. All putts must be holed out. No gimies.
 - h. **T-Times must be made** for play, the course will not be blocked off to the public.
 - i. No group shall consist of more than 5 players. All 5 somes must keep pace of play up or break apart.
 - j. Can Play **Gold Tees** during league play, must play from tees regularly. All skins games will be White tees only.
 - **3. Scoring System** a. Total of 12 points per team is possible.
 - b. 4 low net scores are awarded 2 points per score. Ties will receive 1 point each.
 - c. 2 points will be awarded for low gross score.
 - d. 2 points will be awarded for team total score.

4. GENERAL RULES OF PLAY

- a. White stakes: Option between stroke and distance or 2019 local rule. Anytime your ball goes beyond a white stake, you must either play another ball from the point you hit the shot from and take a one-stroke penalty or with the 2019 local rule you can drop in a line, no closer to the hole, between where your ball crossed the boundary and two club lengths into the fairway. This drop would be a 2 stroke penalty. Sheets explaining this new local rule are available for further explanation. The 2019 local rule also applies for a lost ball.
 - b. Red stakes: You have four options when your ball enters a red-staked area.
 - 1. Play the ball where it lies being careful not to ground your club in hazard area. No penalty.
- 2. Take two club lengths from the point it entered the red-staked area dropping the ball no closer to the hole and taking a one-stroke penalty.
- 3. Taking the point the ball last crossed the hazard line, keeping that point and the flag stick on a straight line; you can go back on that line as far as you wish. One-stroke penalty.
 - 4. You can play another shot from the original point. Stroke and distance
 - c. Please rake sand traps, repair ball marks on green, and replace all divots.
 - d. You must have a USGA handicap to participate in league play.
 - e. No warm up holes on the same side that league is scheduled to play on that night.
 - **5. RAIN DAYS:** a. Rain days may be called at any time of the day.
 - b. League may be canceled if temp. does not reach 42 F.
- c. If a rain day is called you will have **5 days to make this up.** The first round of golf played on the side league was on will be your league score for that week. **If you are in a rain delay, you can continue your round from where you stopped, a rain out must be replayed from the beginning.**
- 6. Please bring all complaints to your captain. It will then be up to your captain to confront the league president and/or the rules committee.
 - 7. RULES COMMITTEE: Nate Rother
 - 8. All league payouts will be in pro-shop merchandise certificates.
 - 9. League Banquet and Fun Day will be held on: Tuesday Night: August 22nd Wednesday Night: August 23rd

THANK YOU AND HAVE A GREAT SEASON