



## **~WEDNESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE~**

### **Rules and Regulations 2012**

#### **“ABSOLUTELY NO” Outside Beverages will be allowed!**

All players shall abide by the Westminster dress code. Jeans, jogging wear, gym shorts and T-shirts are NOT allowed. You cannot play unless in proper attire. *NO EXCEPTIONS!*

The cost for League is \$20.00 per night. This price is only good for League night, *not any other day of the week*. If you wish to come and play nine holes before the League, you may do so, and the price will be \$10.00 + tax for that nine and does not include a free draft/soda for \$10.00. You must check in and pay BEFORE you play!! You may not play the nine you are scheduled to play in League; that is considered practice and is not permitted.

**RULE CHANGE FOR 2012: Strokes will be figured off of the low handicap in each match.**

#### ***League player's benefits and information:***

- Will start promptly at 5:30
- Includes a free Draft/Soda after golf
- ½ price range balls - \$3.00 Sm. & \$4.50 Lg.
- Skins game (by flights) Optional \$2.00 per man
- Closest to the flagstick game (by flights) Optional \$2.00 per man
- **Includes a Non-Season Pass (May 1<sup>st</sup> to Dec 31<sup>st</sup>) for golf anytime for \$26.00! Leagues Only! If Public Rate is lower than Pass Rate-lower rate will be paid for golf anytime.**
- **Includes a Season Pass (Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> to April 30<sup>th</sup> 2012) for golf anytime for \$55.00! Leagues Only! If Public Rate is lower than the Pass Rate, than the lower rate will apply!**
- \$20.00 each night includes tax!
- Sign-up by Monday April 16<sup>th</sup>
- League starts Wednesday April 18<sup>th</sup>

- League ends September 12<sup>th</sup> (Rain-out dates Sept 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>)
- This league IS for men and ladies
- \$50.00 Initiation Fee is required. This is 100% payback for the banquet, food, and prize money at the end of the season.
- All players are allowed to miss a maximum of two nights of league without paying their \$20.00 fee for league. If you have a sub and the sub pays the \$20.00 fee for that night, this is not counted as a missed night.
- Any player that misses more than two nights without paying the \$20.00 fee will forfeit their "IN-Season" pass for playing golf for \$55.00, for the 2012-2013 Season, Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> to April 30<sup>th</sup>.

All players are responsible for checking in at the Pro Shop prior to teeing off.

All play is restricted to after 5:00 PM each Wednesday. No play will be allowed to be completed outside of Wednesday night, unless due to weather and/or approved by the Rules Committee (Steve Gard and/or Tim Perkins).

There will be no twosomes allowed on the course. You must pair up. Each player/team is responsible for their own scorecards. All scorecards must be signed and attested before turned in. *NO cards will be accepted without signatures.* Once a scorecard is turned in, it is considered official and is final.

"A" & "B" Flight players and matches will be from the White tees, Ladies from the Red Tees and "C" & "D" flight players will be from the Green tees and the ladies from the Purple Tees.

#### FORMAT:

##### 9-Hole match play

"A" player plays the "A" player and the "B" player plays the "B" player. The winner of each match receives **TWO** points for winning. Combination of the "A" & "B" player on each team, number of holes won will determine the other **FOUR** points. **There is EIGHT POINTS possible each night.** (2 pts for each match and 4 pts for total holes won).

Example: Team #1: "A" player wins four holes and the "B" player wins nine holes; they are plus 13 holes won. Team #2: "A" player wins five holes and the "B" player wins zero holes; they are plus 5 holes won. Team #1 wins the **FOUR** points for having the most holes won as a team. If there is a tie they will split the **FOUR POINTS.**

In the event two players show up for their match and the opposing team has only one player show up, then the two players receive automatic 6 points for the "no show". (Four points for total and Two points for the match). The single player that shows up for his match and the player he is scheduled to play, plays for the other two points.

All USGA Rules apply.

The course is well marked. Play the course as you find it. It is the responsibility of each and every player to play according to the USGA rules, and to question other players if they feel they are in breach of a rule. If there is a question about a rule, then play two balls and get a ruling when you come into the Clubhouse and adjust your score then. When knowingly playing a shot that is in breach of a rule, that player loses that hole. *This is a gentlemen's game and the integrity of the game should be kept intact.*

Those who have established handicaps in our GHIN handicap system this handicap will be used for League. For those without established handicaps in our system, the first two weeks of play are to establish your handicaps.

To establish a quick handicap bring in five scorecards when you sign up to play.

However, the two weeks used to establish a handicap will count for points.....

**PLAY WELL!!** For the first two weeks you may NOT take more than *triple bogie* on any hole to establish your handicap. After the first two weeks, hole-by-hole scores will be adjusted for handicap purposes. If you win your match in less than 9 holes, you may not take more than a par, and not more than a net par on holes you receive strokes for the remaining holes. **For all players: 90% of your handicap will be used for the entire season.**

**WEATHER:** Summer brings the summer rains along with dangerous lightning. Because it is raining in Cape Coral, North Ft Myers, Bonita or where ever, does not mean it is raining here. In the event play has started and the weather turns for the worst, Steve Gard and/or Tim Perkins (no one else) will be responsible to protect the golfers and call off play. If we **DO** have league and you choose not to come because it is raining where you are, you will not receive any score for that night, this will be considered a "missed night" and nor will you be able to make up the night on another night. In 2009 and 2010 league was rained out only TWICE ALL SUMMER. If five holes have been completed, it is considered a match. If less than five holes are completed it is considered a wash and no scores will be posted for the night. There will be no other matches played outside of Wednesday night. In the event bad weather cancels League for that night, then that match will be scheduled and played the next week and all matches will be pushed back.

League shotgun starts promptly at 5:30 PM. If you are late, you will lose the holes you are late for. If the other players tee off, you may not tee off until the next hole and you sacrifice that hole and any previous holes you missed as a loss, etc.

If anyone cannot make a night of play and wishes to have a substitute to take his or her place that night, you may do so. There are several options for subs:

1. Play as a scratch golfer (zero handicap)
2. Produce a valid handicap card or GHIN card to verify their handicap.
3. Have an established handicap in our GHIN system.

4. You or your sub still has to pay the \$20.00

Their handicap will be adjusted to the tees based on flight and at 90% to determine their handicap. Subs may play twice and then establish a handicap just as all players did in the beginning.

Steve Gard and Tim Perkins will manage all funds and report to the League in the managing of those funds.

Anyone who acts inappropriately toward another player, Pro Shop personnel, Restaurant personnel, and/or Beverage Cart personnel or damages the course or golf carts "**WILL**" be expelled from the League without any refund. Any inappropriate conduct will not be tolerated.

All carts will be assigned by numbers located on the sides of the cart to all players. In the event there is any damage done to the carts, the players in the carts will be responsible for any and all damages.

Your Rules committee is Steve Gard, PGA, General Manager, and Tim Perkins Head Golf Professional.

**Sign up Today and Lets Have Some Fun Playing  
.....The Greatest Game Ever!**

Thank you for your support,

Regard's,

Steve Gard, PGA, General Manager

Tim Perkins Head Golf Professional