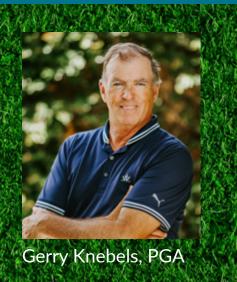


### A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF GOLF



Welcome back! We had a wonderful finish to our season last year and we have even more excitement planned for this year. The Golf Staff have been working on a full schedule of activities for all levels of play in the new season.

The Golf Maintenance staff have been working hard all summer to perform important work to the golf course that will ensure ideal conditions for the fall season. This year, for the first time, we were closed one extra week in August to allow for additional top dressing. We can already see the difference in the course conditions after a heavy rain. Course drainage was also added in some trouble areas, and we hope this will make the course more available to play after significant rain events.

This years' Golf Guide contains the detail on all events for the 2021-22 season. Tournament dates and formats, clinics and club policies are all included. We have added several new events to the calendar including Men's Serious Scrambles, FSGA Men's Interclub and Ladies President's Cup. The ladies, as always, are well organized and Members are encouraged to join the Willoughby Women's Golf Association (WWGA) or the Ladies Niners Golf Association.

Finally, I am happy to announce that Skip Deaner has been promoted to Head Golf Professional. We are all looking forward to making your experience at Willoughby an extraordinary one.

Let's have a great season.

Gerry Knebels, PGA Director of Golf

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### LADIES' GOLF

### **LADIES WWGA 18 HOLE GOLF** ASSOCIATION OVERVIEW

DATES: The 18 Hole Willoughby Women's Golf Association runs weekly golf events on Thursday mornings. The season begins on Opening Day, November 4th and concludes with Closing Day April 28th. The majority of WWGA events have an 8:45am shotgun start. Dues are \$85 per player which is used for prize money throughout the season.

ELIGIBILITY: All Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members with an established handicap of 40 (index 36.0) or less are encouraged to join. Any woman currently a member of the WWGA will be automatically grand-fathered in for the upcoming year even if her handicap now exceeds 40.

FORMAT: Formats vary week-to-week and include individual and team games with net and gross prizes. The event schedule will be distributed on Ladies Opening Day.

**TEES:** All WWGA members play from the SILVER Tees.

**REGISTRATION:** Invitations are emailed to all eligible golf members. Dues will be billed on your September statement and must be paid no later than September 30th to ensure your information is included in the WWGA Membership book which is distributed on Ladies Opening Day. Applications will also be available in the Golf Shop.

WEEKLY SIGN-UPS: Sign-up sheets are posted in the ladies locker room one week prior to the event. (Major events are posted earlier.) The deadline to sign-up is Tuesday by 5:00pm. You may call the Golf Shop to inquire if any spots are available after the deadline. Please call the Golf Shop no later than 8:00am Thursday if it is necessary to cancel. Weekly prizes are awarded as credit in the Golf Shop. Winners are posted in the ladies locker room and on the WGC website.

**F&B:** Members are strongly encouraged to stay for lunch on Ladies Day. It is assumed you will be staying unless you indicate "NO" on the sign-up sheet. Scoring and lunch will immediately follow play.

### LADIES "NINERS" 9 HOLE GOLF ASSOCIATION OVERVIEW

**DATES:** The Women's Nine Hole Golf Association runs weekly golf events on Thursday afternoons. The season begins on Opening Day, November 4th and concludes with Closing Day on April 28th. The majority of Niner's events have a 1:00pm shotgun start. Dues are \$60 per player. Members will also be charged \$5.00 per week for prize money.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All Golf Members are encouraged to join.

FORMAT: Weekly games include individual and team games primarily with net prizes. The event schedule will be distributed on Ladies Opening Day.

**TEES:** All Niner's members play from the SILVER Tees.

**REGISTRATION:** The Nine Hole Ladies Association emails invitations to all eligible members. Dues must be paid no later than September 30th to ensure your information is included in the Niner's Membership book which is distributed on Ladies Opening Day. Applications will also be available in the Golf Shop.

WEEKLY SIGN-UPS: Sign-up sheets are posted in the ladies locker room one week prior to the event. (Major events are posted earlier.) The deadline to sign-up is Tuesday at 5:00pm. You may call the Golf Shop to inquire if any spots are available after the deadline. Winners are posted in the ladies locker room and on the WGC website.

F&B: Members are strongly encouraged to come for lunch on Ladies Day. It is assumed you will be coming for lunch unless you indicate "NO" on the sign-up sheet.

### LADIES' CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

DATES: Thursday, February 3rd, Saturday, February 5th and Sunday, February 6th

TIME: February 3rd - Round 1 and February 5th - Round 2 - AM Tee Times

February 6th - FINALS - Tee Times beginning at 1:00pm

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members.

**FORMAT:** Individual match play event with flights of eight players.

MATCHES: Players will be flighted based on handicap index from low to high except that the defending Club Champion will get the #1 seed in the Championship Flight. The Championship Flight will play gross matches (no strokes) and all subsequent flights are handicapped, stroking off the low player in the match - 100% handicap.

**TEES:** All Ladies will play from the SILVER Tees.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on Monday, January 3rd and ends at 5:00pm on Sunday, January 30th. Sign up in the Ladies Locker Room.

**ENTRY FEE:** None

F&B: Hors d'oeuvres and Awards will be presented at the Cabana after the final matches on Sunday afternoon. Members are encouraged to stay for dinner at the Cabana.

### LADIES' 9-HOLERS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

DATES: Thursday, February 3rd, Saturday, February 5th and Sunday, February 6th

**TIME:** February 3rd - Round 1, February 5th - Round 2 - AM Tee Times, February 6th - FINALS - Tee times beginning at 1:00pm.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Nine Hole Ladies Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members

**FORMAT:** Individual match play event with flights of eight players.

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# LADIES' GOLF

MATCHES: Players will be flighted based on handicap index from low to high. Players are handicapped, stroking off the low player in the match - 100% handicap.

**TEES:** All Ladies will play from the SILVER Tees.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on Monday, January 3rd and ends at 5:00pm on Sunday, January 30th. Sign up in the Ladies Locker Room.

**ENTRY FEE:** None

F&B: Hors d'oeuvres and Awards will be presented at the Cabana after the final matches. Members are encouraged to stay for dinner at the Cabana.

### LADIES' MEMBER-MEMBER

DATES: Tuesday, February 15th through Saturday, February 19th

TIME: Pairings Party - Tuesday, February 15th from 6:00-8:00pm. Round 1 - Wednesday, February 16th, 12:30pm shotgun start and Round 2 - Friday, February 18th, 9:30am shotgun start. Awards Dinner Dance - Saturday, February 19th 6:00pm.

ELIGIBILITY: All Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members. Emeritus, Associate Equity and Executive members are eligible on a space available basis. The maximum ladies handicap for this event is 40.

FORMAT: Pick your Partner Event. Round 1 - 18 holes of Better Ball of Partners (85% handicap). Round 2 - 18 holes of Chapman/ Pinehurst. This is a 36-hole Net Championship. Flights are determined by each team's total handicap index. All Low Net Flight Winners participate in a three-hole aggregate playoff to determine the Overall Ladies Champions.

**TEES:** All Ladies will play from the SILVER Tees.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, January 17th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, February 11th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

ENTRY FEE: \$185 per player (plus tax and applicable cart and green fees) includes Pairings Party on Tuesday night (Heavy Hors d' Oeuvres, and Food Stations), on-course snacks, daily and overall prizes and the Awards Dinner Dance on Saturday night. Non-playing spouses of contestants are invited to attend the Pairings Party (\$45) and/or Awards Dinner Dance (\$55).

F&B: Attire for both the Pairings Party and the Awards Dinner Dance is Country Club Casual. Reservations are not required for the Pairings Party but are required for the Awards Dinner Dance. Reservations are also required for any non-golfing spouses attending either event. Drinks and snacks will be available oncourse for both tournament days.

### LADIES' 9-HOLERS MEMBER-MEMBER

**DATES:** Tuesday, February 15th through Saturday, February 19th

**TIME:** Pairings Party - Tuesday, February 15th from 6:00-8:00pm. Round 1 - Wednesday, February 16th, 9:30am shotgun start and Round 2 - Friday, February 18th, 2:00pm shotgun start. Awards Dinner Dance - Saturday, February 19th 6:00pm.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All Nine Hole Ladies Golf Members. The maximum ladies handicap for this event is 45.

FORMAT: Pick your Partner Event. Round 1 - 9 holes of Better Ball of Partners. Round 2 - 9 holes of Scramble. This is an 18-hole Net Championship. Flights are determined by each team's total handicap index.

**TEES:** All Ladies will play from the SILVER Tees.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on Monday, January 17th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, February 11th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

ENTRY FEE: \$185 per player (plus tax and applicable cart and green fees) includes Pairings Party on Tuesday night (Heavy Hors d' Oeuvres and Food Stations), on-course snacks, daily and overall prizes and the Awards Dinner Dance on Saturday night. Nonplaying spouses of contestants are invited to attend the Pairings Party (\$45) and/or Awards Dinner Dance (\$55).

F&B: Attire for both the Pairings Party and the Awards Dinner Dance is Country Club Casual. Reservations are not required for the Pairings Party but are required for the Awards Dinner Dance. Reservations are required for any non-golfing spouses attending either event. Drinks and snacks will be available on-course for both tournament days.

### LADIES' PRESIDENT'S CUP (New Event)

DATES: Tuesday and Thursday, March 1st and 3rd

TIME: 12:45pm shotgun start on both days.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All categories of Golf Members.

FORMAT: Pick your partner event. The field is divided into flights of four teams each, based on the teams' combined handicap index. Teams compete in a Round Robin Format consisting of four 9-Hole Matches; two on Tuesday and two on Thursday. The format is a better ball of the two-woman team in match play. Matches are handicapped off the low handicap player in each foursome. She will play to scratch and give the difference in strokes to the other players with a maximum of one stroke per hole for each match. After completion of the matches, all flight winners will compete in a 3-Hole shoot-out to determine the Overall Champions. Payouts will be made to Flight Winners, Overall Champions, Overall Runner-Ups, and also to the teams that came from the Overall Champion's flight.

**TEES:** Participants will play from the silver tees.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, January 31st and ends at 5:00pm on Friday, February 25th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

ENTRY FEE: \$100 cash per player for tournament fees must be paid to the Golf Shop by Friday, February 25th. There will also be a Member Charge of \$20 for the hors d'oeuvres and Awards reception immediately following play Thursday on the Patio. (Applicable cart, green fees and tax also applies.)

### **MEN'S DAY OVERVIEW**

DATES: Weekly golf events for Men on Tuesday mornings beginning with Men's Opening Day.

ELIGIBILITY: Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members (Emeritus, and Associate Equity members are eligible to play through December 14th)

FORMAT: Formats vary week-to-week and include individual and team games with gross and net prizes.

**REGISTRATION:** Sign-up sheets will be posted in the Men's locker room one week prior to the event.

**ENTRY FEE:** Varies for each event. Please refer to sign-up sheets.

### **ERRIE BALL CHALLENGE AT WILLOUGHBY**

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 26th

TIME: 8:45am Shotgun

ELIGIBILITY: Full Equity, NR Full Golf, Emeritus and Associate

**Equity Members** 

**FORMAT:** Ryder Cup style event against Piper's Landing with two 9-Hole Matches. Partners will remain the same for both matches but opponents will change after the first match. Match 1 is Better Ball of Partners, Match 2 is Individual Match Play. Teams are based on handicap indexes, low to high. The winning Club is determined by the team with the most points at the completion of the second match. They will receive the honor of holding the trophy at their club until the following year.

**TEES:** All play will be from the tournament tee blocks.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, September 27th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, October 22nd. Sign up in the Men's Locker Room

ENTRY FEE: \$45 includes breakfast with lunch and awards following golf.

F&B: Includes breakfast, lunch and awards immediately following

### MEN'S OPENING DAY

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 2nd

TIME: 8:45am Shotgun

ELIGIBILITY: Full Equity, NR Full Golf, Emeritus, and Associate Equity members.

FORMAT: ABCD - Two net best balls of four (85% handicap). Closest to the pins will also be awarded. There will also be an optional Skins game available, both gross and net.

**TEES:** Participants will play from their usual tee position.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, October 4th and ends at 1:00pm on Sunday, November 1st. Sign up in the Men's Locker Room.

ENTRY FEE: \$25.00 for credit book prizes plus applicable cart fees. Additional fees apply for the Awards luncheon.

F&B: Members are strongly encouraged to stay for lunch. It is assumed you will be staying unless you indicate "NO" on the sign-up sheet. Scoring and lunch will immediately follow play.

### MEN'S FALL GUEST DAY

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 16th

TIME: 8:45am Shotgun

ELIGIBILITY: Full Equity, NR Full Golf, Emeritus, and Associate Equity members.

**FORMAT:** Two net best balls of four (85% handicap) in flights. Closest to the pin contests will be awarded to members and guests. 1-3 guests allowed per member. Teams will be flighted based on total team handicap index.

**TEES:** Members will play from their usual tee position and the tee position for guests will be based on their respective handicaps.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, October 18th and ends at 1:00pm on Sunday, November 14th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop. Guests must have a verifiable USGA handicap.

ENTRY FEE: \$125 per player (plus tax and applicable member cart and green fees). Includes guest cart and green fees, favors, full breakfast, on-course snacks, gratuities, prizes and awards luncheon.

F&B: Registration and breakfast begins at 7:30am in the Grill Room. Drinks and snacks will be available on-course throughout the day. Scoring and Awards luncheon immediately follows play in the Main Dining Room.

### MEN'S SERIOUS SCRAMBLE

**DATE:** Tuesday, December 14th

**TIME:** 8:45am

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity, NR Full Golf, Emeritus and Associate

**Equity Members** 

FORMAT: ABCD - Four-person scramble. Closest to the Pins and

Longest Drives will also be awarded.

**TEES:** All participants will play from the Green Tees.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, November 15th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, December 10th. Sign up in the Golf Shop. There must be even foursomes so sign up early to eliminate the chances of being on the alternate list.

ENTRY FEE: \$25 cash per player for prizes must be prepaid to the Golf Shop by Friday, December 10th.

### MEN'S SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

DATES: Round 1 - Tuesday, January 4th, Round 2 - Tuesday January 11th

**TIME:** AM tee times both days

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf members

FORMAT: Individual Stableford Points (18 holes each day) Gross and Net prizes. Flights are based on age; Senior 55-74 and Super Senior 75 and above. Golf Shop credit will be issued for Overall and daily winners in each flight.

**TEES:** Members will play from their usual tee position.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, December 6th and ends at 1:00pm on Sunday, January 2nd. Sign ups for Day 2 will be posted in the Locker Room after completion of Day 1.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$25 per player plus applicable cart fees.

**F&B:** Members are strongly encouraged to stay for lunch. It is assumed you will be staying unless you indicate "NO" on the signup sheet. Scoring and lunch will immediately follow play both days.

### MEN'S FSGA INTERCLUB TEAM MATCHES

State-wide series of weekly interclub matches run by the Florida State Golf Association grouping Clubs within our local area and playing home and away matches.

**DATE:** 6 weekly matches from January 6th - February 10th. Playoffs: February 24th - March 17th

**TEAM SIZE:** Unlimited roster size - eight (8) players from your team play in each match

FORMAT: Individual Matches - Each player competes against an opponent of the same relative position on the opposing team.

Four-Ball (Best Ball) - Each player will play with a partner from his team and compete against two players from the other team

Handicaps - 100% of handicaps using each player's lowest handicap index of the previous 12 months

Players and partners will be paired according to their handicap.

**ENTRY FEE:** Cart Fees Only

SIGN UP: Exact Clubs and specific dates will be posted in the Men's Locker Room.

### MEN'S KNOCK-OUT TOURNAMENT

DATES: Year long partner match play event. Matches must be played on or before the dates listed:

1st round match - Tuesday, January 25th

2nd round match - Tuesday, February 22nd

3rd round match - Tuesday March 15th

Semi-Final match - Tuesday, April 5th

FINALS - Tuesday, April 26th

TIME: Players are responsible for making their own tee times for all matches. Finals must be played on or before Tuesday, April 26th. Any teams not able to play during the posted time frames will have to forfeit their match.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf members

FORMAT: Year round team match play. Net better ball of partners in two flights. Teams will play off the low player's ball (100% handicap). Current handicaps will be used for each match. Total team indexes will determine the seeding in each flight. No qualifying round is necessary but the event is limited to the first 32 teams to sign up.

**TEES:** Members play from their usual tee position.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, November 1st and ends at 5:00pm on Friday, December 31st.

**REGISTRATION:** Players will check in with the Starter to get their scorecards prior to each match.

ENTRY FEE: \$35 per player

F&B: None

### MEN'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

DATES: The first round will be played on Tuesday, February 1st, second round on Thursday, February 3rd, Semi-Finals on Saturday, February 5th and Finals on Sunday, February 6th

**TIME:** February 1st. 3rd and 5th - AM Tee times Finals - February 6th - Tee Times beginning at 1:00pm

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members.

**FORMAT:** This is an individual match play event. All flights will be seeded based on player handicap indexes except that the defending Club Champion will get the #1 seed in the Championship Flight.

MATCHES: Rounds will be individual match play (single elimination) in flights with matches beginning on February 1st. Players will be flighted based on handicap index from low to high. The Championship Flight will play gross matches (no strokes) and all subsequent flights are handicapped, stroking off the low player in the match - 100% handicap.

**TEES:** The Championship Flight will play from the Championship Tee Blocks. For all other flights, Members will play from their usual tee position.

SIGN UP: Registration begins Monday, January 3rd and ends at 1:00pm Friday, January 28th. Sign up in the Men's Locker Room.

**ENTRY FEE:** None

F&B: Hors d' Oeuvres and Awards will be presented at the Cabana after the Final Matches. Members are encouraged to stay for dinner at the Cabana.

### MEN'S MEMBER-MEMBER

DATES: Tuesday, February 15th through Saturday, February 19th

TIME: Pairings Party - Tuesday, February 15th from 6:00-8:00pm. Round 1 - Thursday, February 17th, 12:30pm shotgun start and Round 2 - Saturday, February 19th, 9:30am shotgun start. Awards Dinner Dance - Saturday, February 20th, 6:00pm.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members. Emeritus, Associate Equity and Executive members are eligible on a space available basis. The maximum men's handicap for this event is 36.

FORMAT: Pick your Partner Event. Round 1 - 18 holes of Better Ball of Partners (85% Handicap). Round 2 - 18 holes of Chapman/Pinehurst. This is a 36-hole Net Championship. Flights are determined by each team's total handicap index. All Low Net Flight Winners participate in a three-hole aggregate playoff to determine the Overall Men's Champions.

**TEES:** Participants will play from their usual tee position.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on January 17th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, February 11th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

ENTRY FEE: \$185 per player (plus tax and applicable cart and green fees) includes Pairings Party on Tuesday night (Heavy Hors d' Oeuvres and Food Stations), on-course snacks, daily and overall prizes and the Awards Dinner Dance on Saturday night. Nongolfing spouses and/or guests are welcome to attend the Pairings Party (45.00) and/or the Awards Dinner Dance (\$55.00).

F&B: Attire for both the Pairings Party and the Awards Dinner Dance is Country Club Casual. Reservations are not required for the Pairings Party but are required for the Awards Dinner Dance. Reservations are required for any non-golfing spouses and/or guests attending either event. Drinks and snacks will be available on-course for both tournament days.

### MEN'S PRESIDENT'S CUP

**DATES:** Tuesday and Thursday, March 1st and 3rd

TIME: 12:45pm shotgun start on both days.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All categories of Golf Members.

**FORMAT:** Pick your partner event. The field is divided into flights of four teams each, based on the teams' combined handicap index. Teams compete in a Round Robin Format consisting of four 9-Hole Matches; two on Tuesday and two on Thursday. The format is a better ball of the two-man team in match play. Matches are handicapped off the low handicap player in each foursome. He will play to scratch and give the difference in strokes to the other players with a maximum of one stroke per hole for each match. After completion of the matches, all flight winners will compete in a 3-Hole shoot-out to determine the Overall Champions. Payouts will be made to Flight Winners, Overall Champions, Overall Runner-Ups, and also to the teams that came from the Overall Champion's flight.

**TEES:** Participants will play from their usual tee position.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on Monday, January 31st and ends at 5:00pm on Friday, February 25th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop. There is a 48 team maximum so sign up early.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$100 cash per player for tournament fees must be paid to one of the Chairpersons by Friday, February 25th. There will also be a Member Charge of \$20 for the hors d'oeuvres and Awards reception immediately following play on Thursday on the Patio. (Applicable cart, green fees and tax also applies.)

### MEN'S SERIOUS SCRAMBLE

**DATE:** Tuesday, March 8th

**TIME:** 8:45am

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members

FORMAT: ABCD - Four-person scramble. Closest to the Pins and Longest Drives will also be awarded.

**TEES:** All participants will play from the Green Tees.

**SIGN UP:** Registration beings on Monday, February 7th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, March 4th

ENTRY FEE: \$25 cash per player for prizes must be prepaid to the Golf Shop by Friday, March 4th.

### MEN'S MEDAL PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

DATES: Round 1 - Tuesday, March 15th, Round 2 - Wednesday, March 16th

**TIME:** Tee times beginning at 9:15am both days.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members.

FORMAT: This is a 36 hole individual stroke play event played at scratch.

**TEES:** Play will be from the Championship Tee Blocks.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on Monday, February 14th and ends at 5:00pm on Friday, March 11th. Sign up in the Men's Locker Room.

**ENTRY FEE:** None

F&B: None. Celebratory cocktails on the Patio are encouraged after golf on Wednesday.



# WILLOUGHBY CUP MEN'S PREMIER MEMBER/GUEST EVENT

DATES & TIMES: Thursday-Saturday, March 24th through the 26th

- Thursday: Registration and Favor distribution 10:00am, Practice Round 12:45pm shotgun, Fun Shootout 5:30pm, Gentleman's Reception, open bar, heavy hors d'oeuvres and food stations begins at 6:00pm
- Friday: Breakfast begins at 7:30am. Shotgun start for the first three 9-hole matches begins at 8:30am. Lunch will be provided between matches 2 and 3. Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres will immediately follow Match 3.
- Saturday: Breakfast begins at 7:30am. Shotgun start for the last two matches begins at 8:30am. Lunch follows the last match. The flight winners play-off will begin at approximately 2:30pm. Couples awards dinner for players and their spouses begins at 6:00pm. Jackets are required.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf members. Emeritus, Associate Equity and Executive members are eligible on a space available basis. **Guests must have a verifiable USGA handicap**.

#### **FORMAT:**

- Practice Round Event Format: Net Better Ball of Partners in Stroke Play.
- Fun Shoot-out Thursday at 5:30pm after the afternoon practice round. The closest to the pin winner of each foursome qualifies to participate in a one shot shoot-out on the 18th hole at 5:30pm. Qualifiers will hit one shot to the 18th green. The three closest shots win.
- Event Format: Teams compete in a Round Robin match play format consisting of five 9-hole matches; three on Friday and two on Saturday. Teams are flighted with six teams per flight, based on total team handicap index. The format is a better ball of the two-man team in match play. The matches are handicapped off the low handicap player in each foursome. He will play to scratch and give the difference in strokes to the other players with a maximum of one stroke per hole for each match. All flight winners will compete in a 3-hole play-off to determine the Overall Champions.

**TEES:** Members will play from their usual tee position and the tee position for guests will be determined based on their respective handicaps.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on Monday, February 7th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, March 18th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop. Maximum number of teams is 48. This events sells out fast so please sign up early.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$950 per team plus tax and any applicable member cart fees. Includes lunch and the Gentleman's Reception on Thursday, breakfast and lunch both tournament days, cocktails and prizes and hors d'oeuvres Friday after golf, guest favors, gratuities, prizes, trophies and the Couples Awards Dinner Dance on Saturday night.

**F&B:** See above for dining information. Jackets are required for the Awards Dinner Dance. Drinks and snacks will be available oncourse throughout the event.

### MEN'S SPRING GUEST DAY

**DATE:** Tuesday, April 19th **TIME:** 1:00pm Shotgun

**ELIGIBILITY:** All categories of Golf Members

**FORMAT:** Two net best balls of four (85% handicap) in flights. Closest to the pin contests will be awarded to members and guests. 1-3 guests allowed per member. Teams will be flighted based on total team handicap index.

**TEES:** Members will play from their usual tee position and the tee position for guests will be based on their respective handicaps.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on March 21st and ends at 1:00pm on Sunday, April 17th. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop. Guests must have a verifiable USGA handicap.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$125 per player (plus tax and applicable member cart and green fees). Includes guest cart and green fees, favors, lunch, on-course snacks, gratuities and hors d'oeurves awards reception.

**F&B:** Registration and lunch begins at 11:30am in the Grill Room. Drinks and snacks will be available on-course throughout the day. Hors d'oeuvres, scoring and Awards immediately follows play in the Main Dining Room.

### MEN'S CLOSING DAY

**DATE:** Tuesday, April 26th **TIME:** 8:45am Shotgun

**ELIGIBILITY:** Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members.

**FORMAT:** ABCD - Two net best balls of four. Closest to the pins will also be awarded. An optional Skins game will also be available, both gross and net.

**TEES:** Participants will play from their usual tee position.

**SIGN UP:** Registration begins on Monday, March 28th and ends at 1:00pm on Sunday, April 24th. Sign up in the Men's Locker Room.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$25.00 for credit book prizes plus applicable cart fees. Additional fees apply for the Awards luncheon.

**F&B:** Members are strongly encouraged to stay for lunch. It is assumed you will be staying unless you indicate "NO" on the sign-up sheet. Scoring and lunch will immediately follow play.



### **COUPLES/MIXED EVENTS**

### SHINE ON HARVEST MOON **GLOW BALL SCOTCH SCRAMBLE**

DATE: Wednesday, October 20th

TIME: Cocktails and dinner beginning at 6:00pm, Glow Ball shotgun 7:30pm, Dessert and nightcaps immediately following golf.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All categories of Golf Members

FORMAT: Join us for a night of food, fun and laughs as we light up the golf course for 6 holes of golf played in the dark. We start the evening with cocktails and a great dinner, then head out for a 6-Hole Shotgun played in our famous Eight Person Scotch Scramble format beginning at 7:30pm. Come back for scoring, dessert and a nightcap immediately following golf.

SIGN UP: Registration begins Wednesday, September 22nd. This event will fill up fast and is strictly limited to 12 groups, so please sign up early.

ENTRY FEE: \$55 per player (plus tax and any applicable cart and green fees) includes dinner, raffles, dessert, credit book prizes, and glow balls.

F&B: Includes dinner before golf. Scoring and dessert immediately follows play.

### **REUNION GOLF**

DATE: Friday, November 5th or Saturday, November 6th

TIME: Golfers will compete in one shotgun of their choice; 1:00pm Friday or 8:30am Saturday

**ELIGIBILITY:** All categories of Golf Members

FORMAT: Four person Scramble in flights. Teams may be any combination of players (all men, all ladies or mixed). All players will hit their tee shots, select the ball in the best position and all four players hit from there. Proceed in this manner until the ball is holed. Closest to the pins will also be awarded. Players may make their own foursomes or sign-up as a single or twosome and the professional staff will help to find a team for you.

**TEES:** Participants will play from their normal tee position.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, October 4th and ends at 1:00pm on Wednesday, November 3rd. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

ENTRY FEE: \$50.00 per player (plus tax and any applicable cart and green fees) includes a favor, prizes and on-course snacks. Additional fees apply for the party on Saturday night.

F&B: Drinks and snacks will be available on-course throughout the day.



### THEMED TWILIGHT GOLF

#### **DATES AND TIMES:**

Wednesday, November 10th 3:00pm -Salute the Troops Scotch Scramble

Wednesday, December 8th 3:00pm -The Grinch who Stole Twilight Scotch Scramble

Wednesday, January 12th 3:00pm -Mulligan's Island Scotch Scramble

Wednesday, February 9th 3:00pm -Caddy Shack Scotch Scramble

Wednesday, March 9th 3:30pm -

May the Course be with You Scotch Scramble

Wednesday, April 13th 4:00pm -Bunny Hop Scotch Scramble Twilight

Wednesday, May 4th 4:00pm See You Later Alligator Scotch Scramble

**ELIGIBILITY:** All categories of Golf Members

FORMAT: Eight person Scotch Scramble in flights. Teams are usually comprised of four couples, but any combination of players may compete. Play is a combination of a scramble and a standard scotch. All four men tee off on the odd numbered holes, the team selects the ball in the best position and then all four women hit the second shot from there. After choosing the best second shot, all four men will hit the third shot, etc...until the ball is holed. Ladies tee off on the even numbered holes and alternate accordingly. Players may make their own eightsomes or sign-up as a single or twosome and the professional staff will find a team for you.

**TEES:** Men will play from the Green tees and Ladies will play from the Silver tees.

SIGN UP: Registration begins one month prior to each event. Sign-up in the Golf Shop. These events fill up fast so please sign-up early.

ENTRY FEE: \$13.00 per player (plus tax and any applicable cart and green fees) includes raffles and credit book prizes. Additional fees apply for dinner after Golf.

F&B: Members are expected to stay for dinner after golf. Scoring and dinner immediately follows play.

### **COUPLES/MIXED EVENTS**

### WILLOUGHBY FALL PRO AM TOURNAMENT

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 30th

TIME: 12:45pm Shotgun

**ELIGIBILITY:** All Categories of Golf Membership

FORMAT: 2 Best Balls of the Foursome (net). Teams consist of 3 amateurs and 1 Professional and may be any combination of players (all men, all ladies or mixed). Players make their own threesomes or sign up as a single or twosome and the professional staff will help find you a team. A blind draw for Professionals will take place on the Sunday prior to the event.

**TEES:** Participants will play from their normal tee position.

**SIGN UP:** Registration along with complete details will be available on Monday, November 1st. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

F&B: Entry Fee will include golf, cart, cocktails, hor d'oeuvres and both professional and amateur prizes.

### **COUPLES GUEST DAY**

DATE: Sunday, March 13th

TIME: 1:00pm shotgun with entertainment, dinner and awards immediately following golf.

**ELIGIBILITY:** All Full Equity and NR Full Golf Members. Emeritus and Executive members are eligible on a space available basis.

**FORMAT:** Two best balls of the foursome; gross and net. Teams will be flighted by total team handicap. Handicap maximum is 36. Gross and net prizes in each flight. Closest to the pins will also be awarded.

TEES: Members will play from their normal tee positions and the tee positions for guests will be based on their respective handicaps.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, February 14th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, March 11. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

ENTRY FEE: \$325 per foursome (plus tax and any applicable member cart and green fees) includes on-course snacks, favors, entertainment, prizes, gratuities and Couples Awards Dinner Dance with hors d'oeuvres and open bar.

F&B: Scoring, entertainment and Awards Dinner with hors d'oeuvres and open bar immediately following play. Drinks and snacks will be available on-course throughout the day.



### **ERRIE & MAXIE HUSBAND** AND WIFE CHAMPIONSHIP

In 1991, Hall of Fame PGA professional, Samuel "Errie" Ball made Willoughby Golf Club his home course for teaching and assisting in growing the club. Errie was the "last Man Standing" for the first Masters held in 1934. Errie taught at Willoughby for 23 years until the age of 98 and lived to be 103 when he passed in 2014. Maxwell Wright Ball (Maxie) met Errie in 1936 on a transatlantic voyage from England to the USA. They were married for 78 years until his death. Maxie was 99 when Errie died and she lived until the age of 101. Theirs was a true love story.

DATE: Sunday, April 3rd TIME: 1:00pm shotgun

**ELIGIBILITY:** All categories of Golf Membership.

FORMAT: Couples combined Stableford Points (100% handicap); net and gross. Stableford points are as follows: Bogey = 1 point, Par = 2 points, Birdie = 3 points, Eagle = 4 points, Double Eagle = 5 points. The net winners will be declared the Overall Champions. Gross and Net trophies will be awarded to the teams with the highest number of points. Closest to the pins will also be awarded.

**TEES:** Participants will play from their normal tee positions.

SIGN UP: Registration begins on Monday, March 7th and ends at 1:00pm on Friday, April 1st. Applications will be available in the Golf Shop.

ENTRY FEE: \$125.00 per Husband & Wife team (plus tax and any applicable cart fees) includes on-course snacks, prizes, trophies and Awards Dinner with Entertainment following golf.

F&B: Scoring and Awards dinner immediately follows play. Drinks and snacks will be available on-course throughout the day.

# golf instruction



### **GOLF INSTRUCTION**

The Instructional Staff at WGC is comprised of experienced PGA Professionals. Their philosophy and methodology is based on solid time tested fundamentals combined with continuing education and the most current innovations, strategies and concepts in the industry. Whether a playing lesson, private instruction or clinic you can be assured a rewarding and informative learning experience for golfers of all skill levels.

See below for pricing and contact one of our professionals today to set-up your lesson.

Instruction is available to members, guests, their families and friends.

A 24-hour advance notice is required for cancellations.





### Gerry Knebels and Skip Deaner

Private	
Half-Hour Lessons	\$50
Hour Lessons	\$90
Series of 6 Half Hour Lessons	\$250
9 Hole Playing Lesson	\$150
Semi-Private Lessons	
Half Hour - 2 Students	\$30

### **Don Martin**

Private Half-Hour Lessons Hour Lessons Series of 6 Half Hour Lessons 9 Hole Playing Lesson	\$45 \$85 \$225 \$125
Semi-Private Lessons Half Hour - 2 Students	\$25

### CLUB REPAIR SERVICES

The starter's building has been renovated and is equipped to handle any type of club regripping. An array of different grips and sizes will be available in-stock for immediate installation. Please see Don Martin for any regripping needs.

In addition, the starter's building has also been equipped with a loft and lie machine. Loft and lie measurements can be taken for most irons and adjustments to lofts and lies can be performed. Please see Skip Deaner for any assistance with any lofts and lies requirements for your irons.



### TPI GOLF FITNESS TRAINING

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### **About TPI**

TPI is a program that is designed to increase player performance by understanding how the body functions during the golf swing. Since the late 1990's, there has been a major shift in how Tour players prepare and maintain their bodies for competition. Today's Tour players are stronger, faster, and more athletic than the generations that preceded them. As a result, TPI has created the concept of the Body-Swing Connection. The concept is designed to help each individual player, regardless of skill level, achieve maximum performance levels through better fitness, biomechanics, and overall health.

### **How the Program Works**

The first step is getting a swing evaluation which can be achieved during a ½ hour lesson. The next step is to go through the TPI physical assessment screening which takes about 20 minutes. Once we have reviewed the results of the physical assessment screening, we can connect physical limitations with deficiencies that we see in the golf swing. At this point, we will then evaluate whether the physical limitations are such that we can work through them or around them. Certain injuries or prior surgeries will be taken into account as there are some physical limitations that we may need to work around. In the case of working through deficiencies, the next step will be getting the individual into the Fitness Center and going through the drills and exercises that will target these areas while executing a plan of action. There will be constant re-evaluations along the way in order to ensure that improvements are being made in the Body-Swing Connection. In addition, there is a visual screening that provides us feedback of how an individual sees putts or other short game shots. There will also be golf specific power, strength, and cardiovascular screening along with training programs to target these areas.

To summarize, TPI is a teaching philosophy and training program that is designed to help any golfer realize their maximum potential and physical ability. Hundreds of Tour Pros throughout the world have employed Teaching and Fitness Professionals with TPI certifications to help them achieve their highest level of performance. As a member at Willoughby Golf Club, you have the unique opportunity to work with a TPI Professional and take advantage of the opportunity to maximize your golf potential.

If you have any questions regarding TPI, please feel free to contact Skip Deaner at (772) 220-1196 or by email: sdeaner@willoughbygolfclub.com

### **Pricing**

TPI Physical Assessment, Swing Evaluation and

Training Plan: \$100

30-Minute Sessions (Fitness): \$50

6 Sessions (Fitness): \$250





### **COMPLIMENTARY CLINICS**



Weekly clinics are free to all golf and resident members on a space available basis. Each session is a comprehensive presentation of various phases of the game. A continuous flow is maintained from session to session. Learn throughout the season. Topics include Full Swing, Chipping & Pitching, Bunker & Lob Shots and Putting. Swing path and plane, course management and the importance of balance are also discussed in these sessions.

During the winter season, Ladies Clinics are on Wednesdays at 9:30am. Men's Clinics are on Thursdays at 11:00am. There will be a strict limit of 8 participants per clinic available on a first come first serve basis. The Ladies and Men's Clinic schedules are listed below. Clinics in the summer season are for everyone on Mondays twice per month beginning at 9:00am.

Ladies Clinic Schedule					
Clinic Date	Clinic Description				
November 17th	Full Swing				
December 1st	Chipping & Pitching				
December 15th	Bunker & Lob Shots				
January 5th	Putting				
January 19th	Full Swing				
February 2nd	Chipping & Pitching				
February 23rd	Bunker & Lob Shots				
March 2nd	Putting				
March 23rd	Full Swing				
April 6th	Chipping & Pitching				
April 20th	Bunker & Lob Shots				

Men's Clin	ic Schedule
Clinic Date	Clinic Description
November 11th	Full Swing
November 18th	Chipping & Pitching
December 9th	Bunker & Lob Shots
December 16th	Putting
January 13th	Full Swing
January 27th	Short Game
February 10th	Bunker & Lob Shots
February 24th	Putting
March 10th	Full Swing
April 7th	Chipping & Pitching
April 28th	Bunker & Lob Shot

### JUNIOR GOLF



A "Junior Member" is the son/daughter of a golf member, at least 5 years of age and under the age of 23, living in the home of the member and attending school on a full-time basis. A junior member must abide by the Junior Golf Policy until the age of 18. Dress code applies.

A "Junior Golfer" is any golfer under the age of 18. A Junior Golfer must be registered in the golf shop by a golf member. Junior golfers requesting to play the course during peak hours must have an established handicap of 30 or less, be approved by the Golf Professional Staff and be accompanied by an adult.

Junior golfers age 12 and over may play unaccompanied, carrying their bag, after 3:00pm, subject to the discretion of the Golf Professional or authorized golf staff (see walking policy). Junior golfers must have Golf Shop permission to use the practice areas if unaccompanied. Junior golfers under age 16 who do not have a valid driver's license are not permitted to drive a golf cart on the course or on Willoughby property. Junior golfers under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult at all times both on the course and at the practice areas. Adults take precedence over Juniors at all times. Junior golfers are subject to all USGA and Willoughby Golf Club rules and regulations and must abide by the Club's Dress Code Policy.

### Junior Clinics

Junior Clinics are offered year-round on Saturday mornings from 10:00am to 11:00am. These clinics are free to Resident Golf Members on a space available basis. Topics covered are rules, etiquette, short game, full swing, course management and fun events.

### Holiday and School Break Programming

Many Juniors have the following days off so we hope they will join us for time with friends and fun skill building. Each session has a four-person minimum. Friends and guests are invited and all levels are welcome. Fees are \$100 for each session. Please register in the Golf Shop.

Thanksgiving Week: Wednesday, November 24th - 1:00 - 4:00pm
Thanksgiving Week: Friday, November 26th - 1:00 - 4:00pm
Christmas Week: Wednesday, December 22nd - 1:00 - 4:00pm
New Year's Week: Wednesday, December 29th - 1:00 - 4:00pm
President's Week: Monday, February 21st - 1:00 - 4:00pm

# general information



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#### ARRIVAL AT THE CLUB

- Please arrive at least 30 minutes ahead of your scheduled tee time and utilize the bag drop on arrival. Our outside Services Staff will assist you.
- Locker Rooms have full changing and shower facilities. Golf and street shoe care is also available. We kindly request that everyone change clothing and shoes in the Locker Room.
- Carts and clubs will be waiting at the cart staging area outside of the Golf Shop.
- Please register in the Golf Shop and sign appropriate charge slips prior to proceeding to the first tee. The Golf Shop is open 7 days a week, 7:30am to 6:00pm from October 11th through May 6th. During the summer season, the club is closed on Tuesday's and the shop hours are 7:30am to 5:00pm.
- Equipment storage is offered at an annual fee. Inquire in the Golf Shop to make arrangements.

### **HOURS OF OPERATION**

#### **Pro Shop**

- 7:30am to 6:00pm All days in-season (mid-October through mid-May)
- 7:30am to 5:00pm Wednesday through Monday in Summer -Closed Tuesdays

#### **Practice Facilities**

- 7:30am 5:30pm All days in-season (Except Thursdays when the driving range is closed from 9:00am to 11:00am for maintenance)
- 7:30am 6:30pm Summer

#### PLAYING THE GAME

- Golf members are provided range balls at no charge.
- Check with the Starter for starting order.
- Arrive at the first tee, prepared to play, 15 minutes prior to your tee time.

#### THE SPIRIT OF THE GAME

All players are expected to play in the spirit of the game by:

- Acting with integrity, by following the Rules, applying all penalties, and being honest in all aspects of play.
- Showing consideration to others, by playing at a prompt pace, looking out for the safety of others, and not distracting the play of another player.
- Taking good care of the course for example, by replacing divots, smoothing bunkers, repairing ball-marks, and not causing unnecessary damage to the course.

#### **SAFETY**

- Players should ensure that no one is standing close by or in a
  position to be hit by a club, ball or any stones, pebbles, twigs or
  the like when they make a stroke or practice swing.
- Players should not play until the players in front are out of range.
- Players should always alert the green staff nearby or ahead when they are about to make a stroke that might endanger them.
- If a player plays a ball in a direction where there is danger of hitting someone, they should immediately shout a warning. The traditional word of warning in such a situation is "FORE".
- Observe all cart operating rules.

#### **CONSIDERATION FOR OTHER PLAYERS**

- Players should always show consideration for other players on the course and should not disturb their play by moving, talking or making unnecessary noise.
- Players should ensure that any electronic devices taken onto the course does not distract other players.
- On the teeing ground, a player should not tee their ball until it is his/her turn to play.
- Players should not stand close to or directly behind the ball, or directly behind the hole when a player is about to play.
- On the putting green, players should not cast a shadow or stand on another player's line of putt or when they are making a stroke.
- Players should remain on or close to the putting green until all other players in the group have holed out.

### **PACE OF PLAY**

- The Pace of Play is four hours under normal playing conditions. Rangers are on the course to assist and encourage all golfers to play at the proper pace so everyone can enjoy their round.
- Please remember the importance of arriving at the first tee on time. If three members of a foursome are on time, they may be asked to tee off and have the tardy fourth player join them in the fairway.
- If the entire group fails to arrive on time, you have missed your tee time and will be required to wait for the next available opening.
- If a group has fallen behind and is unable to regain the proper position, the Ranger may have these groups skip a hole in order to regain their proper position on the golf course.
- If you hit a shot that may be lost or out-of-bounds, play a provisional ball to save time.
- The Rules of Golf only allows you a maximum of three minutes to search for a lost ball.
- It is a group's responsibility to keep up with the group in front.
   If you have an open hole ahead and you are delaying the group behind you, you should invite the group behind to play through (irrespective of the number of players in that group).
- Players should be ready to play as soon as it is their turn to play.
   When playing on or near the putting green, carts should be left in a position that will enable quick movement off the green and towards the next tee.

### **CARE OF THE COURSE**

- Keep all 4 wheels on the cart paths at all tees and greens.
- Take good care of the course by replacing divots, repairing ball-marks, and not causing unnecessary damage to the course.
- Repair any damage to the putting green made by the impact of a ball (whether made by you or someone else) or damage to the putting green caused by golf shoes.
- Players should avoid causing damage to the course by removing divots when taking practice swings or by hitting the head of a club into the ground, whether in anger or for any other reason.
- Please fill divots with the sand that is provided.
- Before leaving a bunker, players should carefully fill up and smooth over all holes and footprints made by them and any nearby made by others.
- The head of the rake should be placed IN the bunker with the

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handle a few inches outside the bunker.

- In order to avoid damaging the hole, the head of a club should not be used to remove a ball from the hole.
- Do NOT drive the cart between the green and red balls short of the green. Exit fairways by driving outside the green ball.
- "Arrows Only" days are days where the course is open but too wet to allow unrestricted cart movement. On those days, all members (including those with handicap flags), must drive their carts strictly along the painted arrows and pay careful attention to the signs that will also direct cart traffic away from wet areas. Players are NOT permitted to drive their carts along the arrows to a point equal to where their ball is and then leave the arrows close to the ball. If this rule presents a significant hardship, it is recommended that the player not play on "Arrows Only" days.

• Leave the course in better condition than you found it.

#### COMPLETING THE ROUND

- Return carts to the staging area. Staff will clean clubs and place them in your vehicle or storage area.
- Complete scorecards in full including player names, date of play, assigned tee times and tees played. Ensure all player scores are posted in GHIN and drop the scorecard, signed and dated by you and attested by another player in your group, into the receptacles provided in the Golf Shop, Men's Locker Room and Cabana.

### **TIPPING**

• WGC permits tipping to Outside Golf Services and to Locker Room staff.

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#### **TEE TIMES**

In season, tee times are determined by lottery. Tee time requests may be submitted via on-line requests or by completing tee time cards and depositing them in designated boxes in the Men's and Ladies' Locker Rooms. Accurate information regarding all players in the foursome along with requested date and preferred times should be completed in full.

Tee times will be made at 10:00am, four days in advance of the play date. After tee times are drawn, you will be emailed a confirmation with your assigned time. In addition, tee sheets are available on the Willoughby website.

Tee times may be made after the lottery is drawn by calling the Starter's office at 220-0083 or the Golf Shop at 220-1192.

- Please register all players, including guests.
- Fivesomes are NOT permitted.
- Observe any course information that may be posted on the #1 and #10 tees.
- If you miss your tee time, you will be required to wait for the next available opening.
- Please call the Golf Shop as far in advance as possible to cancel a tee time.

### HANDICAP PROCEDURES

The purpose of the USGA Handicap System is to make the game of golf more enjoyable by enabling players of differing abilities to compete on an equitable basis. It provides a fair Course Handicap for each player, regardless of ability, and adjusts a player's Handicap Index up or down as the player's game changes.

In order to participate in WGC tournaments, members must have an active USGA approved handicap. To establish a handicap, a member must have turned in a minimum of five scores. It is the responsibility of each member to post an accurate score for each acceptable round of golf played. Do not post scores when you play in a scramble format or in a competition limiting the number of clubs used, or when the player plays alone. The golf staff is responsible for posting all Tournament scores and Men's and Ladies Day scores.

The WGC Handicap Committee has the responsibility of making certain that each player has a Handicap that reflects their potential ability. They utilize the Golfhits software program which interfaces with the tee sheet to determine if a score was posted for each round of golf played. Please be sure to notify the Starter or Golf Shop before you tee off if you or your foursome is playing a format that is non-postable.

A score must be posted for every round played. Post a 9-hole score when you play 7-13 holes. Post an 18-hole score when you play 14 or more holes. Add a "Net Par" for any holes not played. Post all scores, both home and away. You must include scores even when you haven't completed one or more holes or when you are asked to pick up when you are out of a hole. Record the most likely score as long as it doesn't exceed the maximum number (net double bogey) you are allowed to post based on your individual handicap.

Please see one of our golf professionals if you do not understand any of the handicap procedures or are unsure of how to calculate unplayed holes.

#### GHIN (Golf Handicap Information Network)

This is a service established by the USGA to provide handicaps for players at subscribing golf clubs and associations.

You may also post scores by visiting GHIN's website at http:// www.GHIN.com. Click the yellow "Post Scores" link near the top of the page, enter your GHIN number and last name and click the "Continue" button. Then add the appropriate information concerning your round of golf (Date of play, Home or Away course, number of holes played, Course played, Tees played, ESC score).

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There are several other things you can do on the GHIN website, including:

- Creating a profile. This will enable you to easily view your score history and handicap history and run a variety of reports.
- View your current Handicap Index or review other player's statistics.

You may also download the GHIN app to your iPhone, iPad or Android device for quick and easy score posting.

#### **SAFETY**

In the event of an emergency, dial 911 and then call Security at (772) 288-1716.

### STORM/LIGHTNING WARNING SYSTEM

Thorguard lightning prediction systems are designed to predict lightning in our local area prior to a strike. The system will sound air horns when the possibility of a lightning strike becomes greater than an acceptable level for safety.

The "Red Alert" signal is a 15 second long blast and it is mandatory that all golfers seek shelter immediately. The golf course and the practice areas will be closed until the "All Clear" signal sounds. The system will sound three short blasts notifying you that the weather has improved.

As always, prior to the storm warning system sounding, you should use discretion to leave the course upon threatening conditions.

### **GOLF CARTS**

Privately owned carts must be approved by the club as complying with the appearance and other standards set forth herein and as may be determined from time to time by the Club. The Club currently requires all privately owned golf carts to be of traditional manufacture, four-wheel construction, have a top, be electrically operated, equipped with head and tail lights, horn and sand bucket. All carts must be kept clean, neat and freshly painted. Approved colors are white, beige and grey.

An annual trail fee, at a rate established by the Club, is required for privately owned golf carts. The trail fee is non-refundable.

- An individual must be 16 years of age and have a driver's license to operate.
- A maximum of 2 people/2 bags per cart is allowed.
- Observe all cart operating rules and course guidelines.
- Only two carts are permitted in each foursome and/or per tee time.
- Using the cart paths as much as possible will help minimize wear and tear on the course.
- Disabled flags can be obtained from the Starter. Procedures are listed below.
- All fleet carts must be returned to the cart barn by the end of the day.

### HANDICAPPED PLAYERS

The Club recognizes the need to allow members with physical impairments to be able to approach our greens in their golf carts to a point closer than it allows members who are without physical impairments. At the same time, the club needs to do what it can within reason to protect the golf turf from undue wear in the areas around the greens so that all members will be able to play from the best possible turf.

Any member with a physical impairment who desires to take advantage of this program should request a Handicap Flag from the Starter, who will review the guidelines with each member. Each member receiving a Handicap Flag will also receive a copy of those guidelines and will be asked to sign a form acknowledging receipt of the flag and the guidelines.

"Arrows Only" days are days where the course is open but too wet to allow unrestricted cart movement. On those days, all members (including those with handicap flags), must drive their carts strictly along the painted arrows and pay careful attention to the signs that will also direct cart traffic away from wet areas. Players are NOT permitted to drive their carts along the arrows to a point equal to where their ball is and then leave the arrows close to the ball. If this rule presents a significant hardship, it is recommended that the player not play on "Arrows Only" days.

Handicap flags are issued on a temporary basis for as long as the impairment exists or on an annual basis for members with permanent disabilities. Whether the disability is temporary or permanent, all flags must be turned in at the end of the season and they will be reissued at the start of the following season for those who need them.

### **TRAIL PLAN**

Resident Members may purchase an annual Trail Plan which gives them the right to use their privately owned golf carts on the golf course without payment of golf cart fees.

NR Full Golf and Executive Members may also purchase an annual Trail Plan which gives them privileges to use the Club's cart on the golf course without payment of golf cart fees.

A maximum of two riders per day are included with each Trail Fee Plan. Generally, this allows both the member and spouse to play each day without having to pay a cart fee. However, if the spouse doesn't play golf on a given day and the member plays with a guest, the guest's cart fee will be waived. If the member plays with a guest and the spouse plays golf that day, the guest will be charged a cart fee.

### **WALKING THE COURSE**

Walking is restricted to times after 3:00pm or on days that the course is designated walking only due to rain and is subject to the discretion of the Golf Professional or Golf Shop staff. Please tune to Channel 63 or inquire at the Golf Shop. All walking golfers must check in with the Golf Shop prior to the start of each round and start on Hole #1.

Members may utilize push carts during the above times. They should remain on the cart path near the tee boxes and should never

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be brought closer than 30 feet to the green. Upon completion of the hole, players using push carts shall return to the golf cart path. Members must supply their own push carts. Push carts may not be motorized and wheels must be a minimum of 3 inches in width. Only single bag push carts are permitted. The Golf Staff can recommend push cart models that are in compliance with this policy.

Junior Members age 12 and over may play unaccompanied golf by walking and carrying their own bags.

### **DRESS CODE**

For men, shorts must be Bermuda length (no more than 4" above the knee). Shirts must have a collar or mock turtleneck (as approved by the PGA Tour), sleeves and be tucked in. Jeans, denim or cargo shorts, cut-offs, gym shorts, tee shirts and tank tops are not permitted. This policy applies to all areas of the golf course, including the driving range and putting green.

For ladies, shorts and skirts must be Bermuda length (no more than 4" above the knee). If a shirt has no collar, it must have sleeves or if sleeveless, it must have a jeweled neckline resting on the collarbone with a finished edge (a small V is acceptable). Over blouses must cover the waistband. Denim apparel of any color, crop tops, tank tops, cut-offs and short shorts are not permitted.

No advertising slogans across the chest or back are permitted. Tennis attire is not appropriate on the golf course.

This dress code is mandatory for all players, including children and guests. Improperly dressed golfers will be asked to change before playing. If you are in doubt concerning your attire, please check with the Golf Shop before starting play. Any misuse or disregard of these rules can cause privileges to be reviewed or suspended.

Willoughby Golf Club is a soft spike only golf club. All players are required to use an alternative spike system such as soft spikes or spikeless shoes. Spider spikes are not permitted. Conventional metal spikes can be switched to soft spikes in either locker room. Always use caution when wearing soft spikes and walking on wet wood, steep slopes and hard smooth surfaces such as concrete, rocks, tile, marble and hardwood floors.

### **HOLE-IN-ONE POLICY**

Each golf membership is billed \$20.00 at the beginning of the season to create a "Hole-In-One" fund. When a hole-in-one occurs, the Golf Shop is notified and they contact the Men's Locker Room and The Point. All golfing members are part of the "Hole-In-One" club and are entitled to a free drink on the day the hole-in-one is scored. If the member has a guest that played golf on that day, he/ she is also entitled to a free drink. If a guest of a golf member has a hole-in-one at Willoughby, he/she and the foursome are entitled to a free drink, but not the entire membership The Willoughby golf member or guest who has a hole-in-one receives a plaque, which comes from the hole-in-one fund, and a small plague will be placed on the bench of the hole where the hole-in-one was scored. The Willoughby member who has a hole-in-one also receives a \$250 gift certificate to the Golf Shop.

When the fund is depleted, each golf membership will be billed \$20.00 to replenish the fund. The fund does carry over to the next season.

#### **GUEST POLICY**

Members may invite guests to the Club. However, from October 1st through September 30th (fiscal year), there is a limit of six times an individual guest can be invited to play golf.

A house guest may play more than six times during the fiscal year, paying the prevailing guest fees and cart fees each time provided he/she is a house guest for no more than 14 consecutive days. Members should request a guest pass for their house guests at the Administration Office of the Club.

Guest Fees are as follows:

October 15 through April 30

18 Holes \$85 9 Holes \$48

May 1 through October 14

18 Holes \$35 9 Holes \$20

Cart Fees

\$30 18 Holes 9 Holes \$18

### **FAMILY GUEST POLICY**

Each family guest of a Full Equity, Executive Equity or NR Full Golf Member who resides in excess of 100 miles from the Club may play a total of six times during the fiscal year without charge. Each family member of an Equity Associate member who resides in excess of 100 miles from the Club may play a total of six times during the fiscal year paying the same guest and cart fees as the sponsoring member. Beginning with the seventh and all subsequent rounds in the same fiscal year, each family member will be charged the prevailing family guest and cart fees.

Family is defined as sons/daughters, brothers/sisters, mothers/ fathers, in-laws and grandchildren.

All family guests must be registered prior to playing. Register your guests in the Golf Shop by stopping by or by emailing proshop@ willoughbygolfclub.com. The following information will be required when registering your family guests: Member Name and number, Family Guest's name, address, phone number and relationship to member.

### **RAIN CHECK POLICY**

When your round is shortened by rain, please report to the Golf Shop to receive your rain check. Rain checks may only be issued in the Golf Shop by golf personnel.

For members and guests; full credit is given if less than 6 holes are played. Half credit is given if less than 12 holes are played.

Tournament Play-Every effort will be made to complete all scheduled activities. When this is not possible, a resolution on a case-by-case basis shall occur.

### **LOCAL RULES**

- Environmentally sensitive areas on Holes #2, #4, #13, #15, #17 and #18 are identified by red stakes with green tops and are to be played as red penalty areas. Entrance to these areas is prohibited. If your ball rests outside of the penalty area and your stance or swing is affected due to the environmentally sensitive area, you must take relief, one-club length, no nearer the hole - No Penalty.
- Waste bunkers are located on Hole #2 along the marsh and in front of Hole #16. Club may be grounded.
- Bulkheads on holes #8, #9, #12, and #13 are considered obstructions and are not part of the penalty area. Relief may be taken if your ball is not in the hazard.
- The drop area behind the 4th green may be used for a ball entering the flowerbed; one stroke penalty. Lost balls must proceed under the lost ball rule.
- The drop area on Hole #12 may be used as another drop option for any ball entering the penalty area; one stroke penalty.
- If a ball lies in the General Area and a sprinkler head on the line of play is within two club-lengths of the putting green and

- within two club-lengths of the ball, the player may take free relief by dropping the original ball or another ball within one club-length of the nearest point of complete relief that is not nearer the hole, avoids the intervention and is in the General Area. The ball may be cleaned when lifted.
- There is no penalty when a player accidentally causes his ball or ball-marker to move on the putting green, (see Rule 13.1.d) no matter how it happens. The moved ball or ball-marker must be replaced. This only applies when the player's ball or ball-marker lies on the putting green and any movement is accidental.
- 8. Out of bounds is defined by roadways and white stakes. Any ball coming to rest on or beyond Doubleton Drive or Haig Point is out of bounds, even if it comes to rest on another part of the course that is in bounds.
- If a player does not know whether his or her ball is in the penalty area in the wetlands to the right on Hole #18, the player may play a provisional ball under Rule18.3. If the original ball is deemed to be lost in the wetlands, the provisional ball will become the ball in play. You may not proceed under Rule 17 once you have played this provisional ball.



### October 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5 Club & Golf Course Closed	6	7	8	9
10	Columbus Day 11	12 All Facilities Open	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Shine On Harvest Moon Glow Ball Scotch Scramble	21	22	23
24	25	26 Errie Ball Challenge with Piper's Landing	27	28	29	30
Halloween 31		with Piper's Landing				

# November 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY			
	1	2 Men's Opening Day	3	4 Ladies Opening Day	5 Reunion Golf 1:00pm Shotgun	6 Reunion Golf 8:30am Reunion Party 6:00pm			
7	8	9 Men's Day Golf	10 Salute The Troops Scotch Scramble 3:00pm	11 Ladies Day Golf Men's Clinic 11:00am	REUI 12	13			
14	15	16 Men's Guest Day 8:45am	17 Ladies Clinic 9:30am	18 Ladies Day Golf Men's Clinic 11:00am	19	20			
21	22	Open Play	24 Junior Golf School 1:00-4:00pm	Thanksgiving Day 25 Open Play	26 Junior Golf School 1:00-4:00pm	27			
28	29	30 Willoughby Fall Pro Am							

# December 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Ladies Clinic 9:30am	2 Ladies Day Golf Competitive Interclub 8:30am	3 Pro Shop Christmas Shopping Spree	4
5	6	7 Men's Day Golf	8 The Grinch Who Stole Twilight Scotch Scramble 3:00pm	9 Ladies Day Golf Men's Clinic 11:00am	10	11
12	13	14 Men's Day Golf "Serious Scramble"	15 Ladies Clinic 9:30am	16 Ladies Day Golf Men's Clinic 11:00am	17	18
19	20	21 Open Play	22 Junior Golf School 1:00-4:00pm	23 Open Play	24 Club Closes at 3:00pm	Christmas Day 25 Club Closed
26	27	28 Open Play	29 Junior Golf School 1:00-4:00pm	30 Open Play	New Year's Eve 31	

January 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						New Year's Day 1
2	3	4 Men's Senior Championship Round 1 AM Tee Times	5 Ladies Clinic 9:30am	6 Ladies Day Grandmother's Tournament	7	8
9	10	Men's Senior Championship Round 2 AM Tee Times	12 Mulligans Island Scotch Scramble 3:00pm	13 Ladies Day Golf Men's Clinic 11:00am	14	15
16	17	18 Men's Day Golf FSGA Men's Interclub Matches at Willoughby	19 Ladies Clinic 9:30am Course Maintenance	20 WWGA Golf 8:45am Niners Guest Day 1:00pm	21	22
23	24	25 Men's Day Golf	26	27 Ladies Day Golf	28	29
30	31	FSGA Men's Interclub Matches at Willoughby		3 Jills & A Jack Men's Clinic 11:00am		

# February 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Club Championship Round 1 - Men	2 Ladies Clinic 9:30am	3 Club Championship Round 1 - Ladies Round 2 - Men	4	5 Club Championship Semi-Finals
6 Club Championship FINALS	7	8 Men's Day Golf FSGA Men's Interclub Matches at Willoughby	9 Caddy Shack Scotch Scramble 3:00pm	10 Ladies Day Golf Men's Clinic 11:00am	11	12
13	14	15 Pairings Party 6:00pm	9 Hole Ladies Round 1 - 9:30am 18 Hole Ladies Round 1 - 12:30pm	17 Men's Round 1 12:30pm  BER-MEMBER CHAMPIOI	18 Hole Ladies Round 2 - 9:30am 9 Hole Ladies Round 2 - 2:00pm	19 Men's Round 2 9:30am Awards Dinner 6:00pm
20	21 Junior Golf School 1:00-4:00pm	22 Men's Day Golf	23 Ladies Clinic 9:30am	24 WWGA Guest Day 8:45pm Niners Golf 1:00pm Men's Clinic 11:00am	25	26
27	28					

# March 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 President's Cup Matches 1 & 2 12:45pm	2 Ladies Clinic 9:30am Course Maintenance	President's Cup Matches 3 & 4 12:45pm WWGA with Niners 8:30am	4	5
6	7	8 Men's Day Golf "Serious Scramble"	9 May the Course be with You Scotch Scramble 3:30pm	Ladies Day Color Wars Men's Clinic 11:00am	11	12
Couples Guest Day 1:00pm	14	15 Men's Medal Play Championship Round 1	16 Men's Medal Play Championship Round 2 Course Maintenance	Ladies Day Golf  WWGA Senior Championship  Niner's Fun Interclub	18	19
20	21	22 Men's Day Golf	23 Ladies Clinic 9:30am Course Maintenance	Open Play 8:30am Practice Round 12:45 pm Gentlemen's Reception 6:00pm	25 Three 9 Hole Matches beginning at 8:30am	26 Two 9 Hole Matches beginning at 8:30am Couples Awards Dinner Dance 6:00pm
					Willoughby Cup	
27	28	29 Men's Day Golf	30 Course Maintenance	Ladies Day Niners Golf 9:30am  WWGA Guest Day 12:30pm		

# April 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3 Errie & Maxie Husband & Wife Championship 1:00pm Shotgun	4	5 Men's Day Golf	6 Ladies Clinic 9:30am Course Maintenance	7 Ladies Day Golf Challenge Cup Men's Clinic 11:00am	8	9
10	11	Open Play	13 Bunny Hop Scotch Scramble 4:00pm	14 Open Play	15	16
Easter Sunday 17	18	19 Men's Guest Day 1:00pm Shotgun	20 Ladies Clinic 9:30am Course Maintenance	Ladies Day Niners Golf 9:30am WWGA Solheim Cup 1:00pm	22	23
24	25	26 Men's Closing Day 8:45am Shotgun	27	28 Ladies Closing Day Men's Clinic 11:00am	29	30

# May 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4 See You Later Alligator Scotch Scramble 4:00pm	5	6	7
Mother's Day 8	9	10 Club & Golf Course Closed	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Club & Golf Course Closed	18	19	20 Open Play 8:30am VNA Tournament 1:00pm	21
22	23	24 Club & Golf Course Closed	25	26	27	28
29	Memorial Day 30 Memorial Day Golf and BBQ Luncheon	31 Club & Golf Course Closed				

