



# Gulf Coast Women's Golf Association

## Club Agreement

Gulf Coast WGA appreciates all the member clubs and their staff who support our events. In order to make Gulf Coast successful for everyone, we have developed this club agreement outlining expectations when hosting an event.

### **Pre-Season Planning**

We appreciate that the clubs work with the league and their Club Representative to schedule and host an event. Hosting a luncheon is an optional component of the event since some clubs have limitations for accommodating a large group of golfers. GCWGA will work with the club to setup an event that works for both the club and the league. The planning aspects include scheduling and pricing the event. *We expect to have 13-15 teams for the 2023-24 season bringing the field up to 104 -120 golfers. Exact numbers will be known by August 2023.*

### **Scheduling**

The GCWGA's season runs from the end of October through mid-April. Our goal is to have 8-10 events during this timeframe. All clubs are expected to host an event; however, with our numbers growing we will be able to issue byes in the future if a club desires. The schedule is set by the end of the year for the upcoming season starting that next fall. The GCWGA Board will work with the clubs to put together a schedule that works for the clubs and the league.

### **Costs**

When determining the cost of an event, clubs are asked to price the event by including the following components:

- Cart fee, bag handling plus taxes
- Luncheon (including tax and gratuity)

Pricing for the event should be set by October 15<sup>th</sup> for the start of the season.



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## Pre-Event Planning

In order to have a successful event, the following checklist provides guidance for setting up the tee sheet, scorecards and Golf Genius.

### **Tee Sheet**

- Maximum handicap index is 24.7. Anyone with a handicap greater than 24.7 needs to be manually adjusted down to 24.7.
- Pairings are made according to handicap, e.g. lowest handicaps play together.
- Each member of the foursome should be from a different team.
- Club Representatives do not need to be paired together, but, if possible, should start in the "A" foursomes and closest to the clubhouse.
- Once tee sheet is set, it should be reviewed by the Club Representative against prior event's tee sheets to ensure pairings are not the same as the past few events. We don't want the same people playing together at each event.

### **Golf Genius**

- The game is based on Individual Net Stableford Point scoring. (1) for Net Bogey, (2) for Net Par, (3) for Net Birdie, (4) for Net Eagle, (5) for Net Double Eagle
- In Golf Genius, there should be four (4) games tracked:
  - Team Stableford Points using the best 6 of 8 team player scores.
  - Individual Stableford Points
  - Individual Gross Score
  - Highest Foursome Stableford Points
- At the end of play after all scores have been verified, the hosting club will post the scores from Golf Genius to GHIN. The scores should be posted as regular scores using the date of play.

### **Scorecards**

- Individual scorecards for each player are needed and include their name, home club and course handicap.
- The scorecard should have lines for Gross Score, Net Score and Points.
- There should be a Marker scoring area on the scorecard.
- Dots should be on the holes where player is receiving a stroke.



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## Day of Play – Pro Shop

- On the day of play the club should be ready to host between 104-120 golfers. This includes having enough bag staff to get bags from cars to carts in a timely manner. Additionally, the driving range should be setup with balls for practice with as many practice stations as possible.
- Golf carts should be setup with scorecards along with the leagues "Green" Foursome Totals Slip. Local rules sheet should also be included in each cart.
- 15 minutes before start of play, the Pro Shop should direct all the players to their carts. The Pro should review local rules and any other course conditions to be considered.
- Please print three copies of the tee sheet and leave in our "Hosting Folder".
- Please monitor pace of play either via rangers or GPS systems. We have a pace of play policy that we do enforce which will be provided to you prior to play to share with your staff and rangers.



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## Club Agreement Acknowledgement & Event Details

Member Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

For the 2023-2024 Gulf Coast Women's Golf Association Season,

We will be hosting our event on \_\_\_\_\_

The starting time for the event will be \_\_\_\_\_ am.

The event \_\_\_\_\_ will OR \_\_\_\_\_ will not include lunch.

Price for the event is \_\_\_\_\_

Agreed to by:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Golf Course Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Thank You for supporting the Gulf Coast Women's Golf Association.**

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