

2023 Sycamore Ridge Scramble League

Thursday Evenings (May 18th – August 31st)

League Rules and Regulations

- Registration will be taken as 2-person teams with complete information only. All players will be responsible for finding their own partner; Sycamore Ridge will not be responsible for pairing players or finding partners.
- All league participants will be required to provide a valid phone number and email address when registering for use when updating league standings, notifying of changes to the schedule, etc.

League Fees

- All participants will be required to pay the full league prize fee of **\$130** per team (\$65 per player). This amount is due at the time of team registration. No exceptions, please.
- All league participants must pay a \$25 weekly fee in the golf shop for 9 holes of league play. (Members will defer to the conditions of their membership for this weekly fee.)
- All league participants must check in with the golf shop prior to weekly play.

Format for League Play

- A Shotgun Start will begin at 5:30pm. A League Schedule will be provided as soon as all spots have been filled, or by no later than **May 11th**.
- Players will have a 10-minute “grace period” from 5:30pm start time to report for a match. Once the “grace period” has expired, the tardy team forfeits the match. (Unless other arrangements have been made between the two teams.)
- One “make-up” session will be incorporated into the league schedule to accommodate any inclement weather cancellations, attempting to ensure that no more matches are forcefully “halved” than absolutely necessary. (August 24th)
- There is no rescheduling of matches. Team members are responsible for finding substitutes if they find themselves unable to attend a match.
- League play will attempt to rotate between the two nines.
- All 2-person teams will compete weekly in a “Round Robin” divisional format; Facing of opponents will be dependent on a full league roster. There will be 13 matches.

- Teams will compete in a “Scramble” format; in which, each team member will tee off, the team then selects which position they would like to play from. That process will continue until the ball has been holed out.
- Teams will compete under “Match Play” rules; 3 points will be awarded to the winning team of each match, while 1 point will be awarded to both teams in the event of a tie.
- Play will take place from the “Blue” tees for all men, in all matches. Seniors (age 55 and older) and any juniors (age 15 and under) will be allowed, but not required to play from the “White” tees in all matches, Seniors (age 70 and older) will be allowed, but not required to play from the “Green” tees in all matches. Women will be allowed, but not required to play from the “Yellow” tees in all matches.
- Your tee box will be determined prior to the first league match and cannot be changed during the season.
- All USGA Rules will govern play in all matches and all league play; it is each player’s responsibility to know and enforce the rules at all times. Any rules disputes will be decided by the League Coordinator/Supervisor immediately following play and in conjunction with the USGA rules of golf. All decisions are final.
- League will play, “Double Bogey as your Friend.” If your team is laying two over par, you can pick up and move on the next hole while recording a Double Bogey on the scorecard.
- All Balls hit into native grasses, trees and water can be played if found but, players do have the option to drop at the point of entry while adding one stroke.
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League Payouts

- Weekly merchandise gift card payouts will be awarded to the winners of each match.(\$10 merchandise gift cards will be awarded to each member of the weekly winning team.)
- A complimentary League Awards Banquet will be provided to league participants at the conclusion of the 13-week league. Tentative date is Thursday, August 31st following play. League Payouts are dependent on a full field of participants.

Substitute Policy

- All Substitutes will be required to pay the \$25 league fee, unless they are a member.

Schedule:

May 18th @ 5:30pm
May 25th @ 5:30pm
June 1st – Off Week
June 8th @ 5:30pm
June 15th @ 5:30pm
June 22nd @ 5:30pm
June 29th @ 5:30pm
July 6th – Off Week
July 13th @ 5:30pm
July 20th @ 5:30pm
July 27th @ 5:30pm
August 3rd @ 5:30pm
August 10th @ 5:30pm
August 17th @ 5:30pm
August 24th – Rainout Week
August 31st – @ 5:30pm (Awards Banquet Following Play)