

January 15, 2017

Dear Cress Creek Golf Member:

The Golf Committee is proud to present the golf event booklet for the 2017 golf season.

You will find the complete details of each event for the year described on the pages within this booklet as well as the operating hours and schedule of play for tee times. Included this year are the following:

- 2017 Schedule of Play
- 2017 Golf Fees
- 2017 Rules of Play
- 2017 Event Booklet

Traditional events remain on the schedule including the Spring Member/Member, Creek Day, Draft Event, the Invitational, Fall Member x 4, and the CCCC Ryder Cup. The official season ends on October 31st, with the final event, the Fall Turkey Trot, held on Saturday November 4th.

Qualifiers for the September 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> CCCC Ryder Cup will accumulate points by participating in Committee sponsored events throughout the season. The top 26 point winners will be eligible to compete on one of the two teams vying for the CCCC Ryder Cup. The overall purpose of the Cress Creek Ryder Cup is to encourage member participation throughout the golf season.

**A reminder that it is the PLAYER'S responsibility to sign up for any Cress Creek Golf Events.**

The Golf Committee anxiously awaits the beginning of the upcoming golf season and hopes to see you at Cress Creek CC throughout the year. We hope you find the event booklet helpful when planning and scheduling your golf event participation in the coming year.

Best Regards for this golf season!

**The Golf Committee - 2017**

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## **2017 Golf Fees**

### **Cart Fees- per person riding**

9 Holes	\$13.00
18 Holes	\$26.00

### **Pull Cart Fees**

9 Holes	\$6.00
18 Holes	\$12.00

### **Personal Pull Cart Fees** subject to storage availability

9 Holes	\$3.00
18 Holes	\$6.00

### **Guest Fees (any guest by name is limited to 8 rounds in peak season)**

<i>"spring season"</i>	Opening - April 30	\$50 (18)	\$25 (9)
<i>"peak season^"</i>	May 1 – Oct 16^	\$80 (18)	\$40 (9)
<i>"fall season"</i>	Oct 17 – Closing	\$50 (18)	\$25 (9)
*Junior Guest Fees (under 19) (*Golf Member Juniors only)		\$20 (18)	\$10 (9)

### **Family Guest Fees (limited to 10 rounds in peak season)**

A "family guest" is a mother; father, brother, sister, son, daughter (in laws) grandchildren of the member and member's spouse. Golf member family guests only.

<i>"spring season"</i>	Opening – April 30	\$30 (18)	\$15 (9)
<i>"peak season^"</i>	May 1 – Oct 16^	\$50 (18)	\$25 (9)
<i>"fall season"</i>	Oct 17 – Closing	\$30 (18)	\$15 (9)

### **SST Fees (SST members are limited to 8 rounds in peak season)**

Any guest of an SST member is charged the full guest fees.

<i>"spring season"</i>	Opening – April 30	\$40 (18)	\$20 (9)
<i>"peak season^"</i>	May 1 – Oct 16^	\$60 (18)	\$30 (9)
<i>"fall season"</i>	Oct 17 – Closing	\$40 (18)	\$20 (9)

^ Peak season dates may vary and will be based on the schedule of aerification

\*If the pins are in the "temporary greens" the fees are \$10 (18/9) for any guest(s)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Holiday
<b>Golf Members</b>	Club Closed	7:30am, 7:40am 9:00am on	9:40am on (1)	All Day (9am During Jr. Golf)	All Day	All Day	All Day	All Day <sup>(2)</sup>
<b>Golf Member Spouses</b>	Club Closed	All Day 18 Hole Auxiliary 8AM	7:30 to 11:30 1:00pm 9 Hole Auxiliary AM	All Day (9am During Jr. Golf)	7:30am - 11:30am 2pm on	9:30am	9:30am	9am <sup>(2)</sup>
<b>Social/ Swim/ Tennis</b>	Club Closed	1:30pm <sup>(3)</sup>	Not Available	1:30pm <sup>(3)</sup>	Not Available	12:30pm <sup>(3)</sup>	12:30pm <sup>(3)</sup>	12:30pm <sup>(3)</sup>
<b>Guests</b>	Club Closed	9:30am on	10:00am on	All Day (9am During Jr. Golf)	All Day	9:30am <sup>(6)</sup>	9:30am <sup>(6)</sup>	9:30am <sup>(6)</sup>
<b>Juniors ages 12-24</b>	Club Closed	7:30am, 7:40a m 2pm on	7:30, 7:40 to 11:00 <sup>(1)</sup> 2pm on	7:30am – 11am 2pm on	7:30am – 11am 2pm on	10:00am	10:00am	9:00am
<b>Juniors Under 12 years with Parent Only</b>	Club Closed	2:00pm	2:00pm	2:00pm	2:00pm	1:00pm	1:30pm	1:30pm
<b>Prime Time Hours</b>	Club Closed	11:30am - 2:00pm	11:30am - 2:00pm	11:30am - 2:00pm	11:30am - 2:00pm	Start of Play until 10am	Start of Play until 10am	Start of Play until 10am

## 2017 Schedule Of Play

- (1) 7:30am—8:00am 18 Hole play starts at 9:40am.
- (2) Open tee (8:00 am) for spouses on Monday, May 29th and Monday, September 4th.
- (3) Social, Swim, Tennis members are allotted up to eight (8) times per year; see Rules of Golf.
- (4) See Rules of Golf for Motorized Cart & Caddie guidelines. Juniors 18 & under may carry their own clubs.
- (5) Fivesomes Rules: fivesomes are to follow all pace of play guidelines, No fivesomes permitted to tee off before 8:30am on Saturday, Sunday & Holidays and between 12pm and 1pm on weekdays.
- (6) For current Saturday, Sunday & Holiday guest times, check with Pro Shop
- (7) Pro Shop has discretion to make modifications to the Schedule of Play.

**ALL PLAYERS MUST CHECK IN WITH THE PRO SHOP PRIOR TO TEEING OFF.**

## **2017 GOLF SHOP HOURS OF OPERATION**

January/February	Thursday – Saturday	10:00 AM – 4:30 PM
March	Wednesday – Saturday	10:00 AM – 4:30 PM
April	Tuesday (Weather Permitting) Wednesday – Sunday	10:00 AM – 6:00 PM 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
May	Tuesday – Friday Saturday/Sunday/Holiday	7:00 AM – 7:30 PM 6:30 AM - 7:30 PM
June	Tuesday – Friday Saturday/Sunday	7:00 AM – 7:30 PM 6:30 AM - 7:30 PM
July	Tuesday – Friday Saturday/Sunday/Holiday	7:00 AM – 7:30 PM 6:30 AM - 7:30 PM
August	Tuesday – Friday Saturday/Sunday	7:00 AM – 7:30 PM 6:30 AM - 7:30 PM
September 1-15	Tuesday – Friday Saturday/Sunday/Holiday	7:00 AM – 7:00 PM 6:30 AM - 7:00 PM
September 16-30	Tuesday – Friday Saturday/Sunday	7:00 AM – 6:30 PM 7:00 AM - 6:30 PM
October	Tuesday – Sunday	7:30 AM – 6:00 PM
November	Wednesday – Saturday Sunday	9:00 AM – 4:30 PM 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM
December	Wednesday – Saturday Sunday	10:00 AM – 4:30 PM 10:00 AM – 2:30 PM

**The golf course opens (1/2) hour after the Golf Shop opens.**

Driving Range Opens April 1<sup>st</sup> and closes October 31<sup>st</sup> (Weather permitting).

*\*\* Frost Delays probable in April, October, November \*\**

**2017**  
**RULES OF PLAY**

***MESSAGE TO MEMBERS***

*This section contains the current Rules of Play at Cress Creek Country Club for Member and Guests. Please read these Rules carefully and keep them handy for easy reference during the coming Golf season.*

*It is the intention of the Board of Directors of Cress Creek Country Club to present the Rules of Play in an organized format to provide for the added enjoyment of all Cress Creek Members and their guests.*

*Board of Directors  
Cress Creek Country Club  
Amended March 2016*

**I. DRESS CODE**

A. All members are required to notify their guests in advance with regard to the dress code at Cress Creek Country Club. The Golf Course Dress Code will be enforced at all times and is applicable to all golfers, be they Members, family or guests.

B. Proper attire is required on the golf course and practice facilities at all times. Proper attire includes, slacks, golfing shorts, which are no shorter than 5” above the knee, golf shirts, sweaters, jackets, and suitable golf footwear. Appropriate attire is deemed attire that is sold in the Cress Creek Golf Shop, for example, shirts or blouses without collars. Some clothing items **NOT PERMITTED ON THE GOLF COURSE AND PRACTICE AREAS** include: cutoffs, running shorts, athletic wear, sweat pants, tee shirts, undershirts, swim suits, tennis attire (except during scheduled tennis/golf clinics) denim, or jean type clothing not approved by the club.

C. The use of shoes with metal spikes is not allowed. This rule applies to all Members and guests. The Locker Room Attendant will change shoes to non-metal spikes when required. A small fee shall be charged to the Member’s account for this service.

**II. GOLF ETIQUETTE**

A. Players should leave the putting green immediately after the last person has holed out. Do not practice putt or remain on the green while recording strokes. Move immediately to the next tee.

B. Players looking for a lost ball should allow the players behind them to play through.

C. Foursomes have the priority over all other players. Players in smaller groups should be invited to play through a slower group provided open holes exist in front of these groups.

D. Replace Divots – a player shall repair all divots on the tees, fairways and rough. The divot mix provided on the carts is for use on the tee boxes and fairways. Players who are walking shall repair divots by replacing and pressing them down, or carry a divot mix tube to fill them in. **No seed /turf mix should be used in the rough.**

E. Sand Bunkers – Always insure that bunkers are properly raked. Before leaving a sand bunker, carefully rake the sand covering all depressions. Leave the rake outside the bunker, parallel to the fairway. (While it is usually the task of the caddie to rake sand bunkers and replace divots, it is ultimately the responsibility of the Member to see that these tasks are done properly.)

F. **Enter and leave the bunkers from the shallow side.** Do not climb over the top of the bunker.

G. Repair ball marks – A player should repair damage to the putting surface of a Green caused by the impact of the ball. A ball mark that is repaired within 10 minutes will normally heal within 24 hours. The same mark not repaired within one hour will leave an ugly scar for 15 days or more. Please refrain from dragging feet on the Greens that cause scuffmarks.

H. Carts **shall** be parked at least **45 feet away from the green** in the direction of the next tee box. When the group is finished with the hole, they should place the pin in the cup and walk to their carts and proceed directly to the next tee. This courtesy improves the speed of play.

I. Children or juniors who will not reach their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday during the current year are not allowed on the Golf Course, Putting Green, Short Game Area or Driving Range without a parent, regardless of playing ability. Juniors 12 to 24 years old are not permitted to participate in a Member tournament.

J. Extensive use of profane language on or off the Golf Course, Practice Facilities, and Tennis Courts or Pool area will not be tolerated.

K. Absolutely no food or beverages can be brought onto the Country Club property.

### III. CART REGULATIONS

#### A. Motorized Carts

1. Motorized carts are restricted to two riders only. No riders are allowed on the side panels or on the back of the cart. Only people with a valid driver's license are allowed to operate a motorized cart. Members are responsible for their guests and any minors under their supervision. Members are also responsible for any damage that occurs to a cart they are using. All carts are inspected daily prior to use and the member will be billed the actual cost to repair. If cart damage is noticed prior to play, it must be brought to the attendant's attention prior to teeing off.

2. **CARTS ARE NOT PERMITTED WITHIN 45 FEET (15 YARDS) OF ALL TEES, GREENS AND BUNKERS** unless a path is laid out on which the cart may travel. Carts must remain on the path on all Par 3's when a path is laid out from tee to green.

3. On Saturday, Sunday, and holidays all players teeing off between 7:00 AM to 9:30 AM must take a cart or a caddy for the entire round. If a caddy is not available, the members are allowed to carry their own bag.

4. The Grounds Superintendent shall have full authority to determine any cart restrictions that may be necessary. Please observe the posted cart rules.

5. Violations of the Golf Cart Regulations could cause a Member's cart privileges to be suspended.

#### B. Pull carts & electric walking carts

Pull carts must be kept at least 10 feet from greens and bunkers. During the season and in prime time on Saturday, Sunday and Holidays as stated in the Schedule of Play Rules, pull carts will not be permitted. Prime time is defined in the Schedule of Play Rules. Pull or electronic carts are allowed at any time if motorized cart restrictions are in place because of adverse course conditions.

C. Motorized carts – Medical Exemption

1. A medical Exception is available for any Member or spouse who cannot walk the golf course under any conditions. When a medical exception is provided, the Member (and/ or spouse) **must always** take a motorized cart for play, unless the physician’s instructions allow otherwise. If the course is declared unsuitable for motorized carts, the member (and/or spouse) with a medical exception will not be allowed to play until the course is reopened to motorized cart use (i.e. they are not allowed to walk the golf course).

*The golf course will be in one of four conditions:*

1. *Course open to motorized cart use by Members & guests.*
2. *Course open to Medical Exemption carts only.*
3. *Course closed to all motorized carts.*
4. *Course is closed.*

D. The Golf Course Superintendent is responsible to determine the appropriate daily golf course conditions.

E. Golf Committee sponsored and specific Women’s Auxiliary events (i.e. Queen’s Tournament) are excluded, but are subject to ad hoc (day of event) guidelines established by the Superintendent and Head Golf Professional. (i.e. carts may be allowed for events, when similar conditions would prevent them from being used on a non-event day.)

F. Only the Head Golf Professional, or in his absence the Golf Staff, shall have reasonable discretion in the enforcement of these rules.

#### **IV. RULES OF PLAY**

The Club’s Official Season starts April 15th and ends on October 15th and will herein and after is referred to as the “Season”.

A. All players, at all times, know and observe: the Rules of Golf, Club Regulations, Golf Etiquette and any restricted playing hours as posted.

B. All competitions are conducted under the rules of the USGA, subject to such modifications as are permitted due to local conditions.

C. All Members or guests must register in the Golf Shop prior to teeing off. All play must start from Tee #1 or Tee #10 unless otherwise determined by the Golf Shop Staff.

D. The Golf Shop, subject to course conditions, will regulate singles and twosomes.

E. Tee Times:

1. Member-only groups may make tee times up to three days in advance, except during the ‘Prime-Time’ periods. During ‘Prime-time’ periods, every other tee time is blocked for Member-only drop-in groups.

2. Saturday, Sunday and Holiday Member group tee times may be arranged in advance by booking online or calling the Golf Shop starting at 7:00am on the Wednesday prior to the weekend or holiday. Only one tee time per phone call can be reserved.

3. Weekday guest tee times may be reserved at any time, subject to the Schedule of Play.

4. Walk-ons are accommodated on a first come first served basis depending on the availability of tee times.

F. Fivesomes are permitted during the golf season. See Schedule of Play for current guidelines for fivesomes. Groups larger than foursomes may be utilized for a club sponsored event (i.e. Nine and Dine, Father/Junior, etc.).

G. All players completing at least 7 holes or more must post their score. All scores from rounds played must be posted. The Head Golf Professional and the Handicap Committee will monitor the posting process to ensure that all elements of the USGA Handicap System are followed and the integrity of the system is maintained.

**H. Speed of Play:**

1. 18 holes should be played in 4 hours and 10 minutes or less. Please be ready to play when it is your turn.
2. When there is a clear hole ahead, foursomes should be allowed to play through upon request.
3. If a group or individual takes longer than 4 hours and 15 minutes to complete their round, they may receive a letter from the Golf Committee. Continued slow play will result in the restrictions of their use of prime time tee times.

**I. Caddie Program Rules and Regulations**

1. On weekdays during prime time hours, all Guest foursomes using two carts will require a forecaddie if one is available.
2. On Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays, all players teeing off between 7:00 AM to 9:30 AM must take a cart or caddie for the entire round while caddies are available. If a caddy is not available, the members are allowed to carry their own bag. The Caddie Master has the responsibility to make exceptions to this rule as the supply/demand situation dictates. Caddies will be required in prime time as soon as they are available.
3. Caddies will be graded "Honor", "A", or "B" based on points earned. Pay rates will be posted at the beginning of each season.
4. Assignment of loops will be by signup sheet. The first caddie in will be the first one sent out, and so forth. On Weekends and Holidays, a lottery system is used for assignment of caddies. The Caddie Master has the authority to make exceptions to the assignment of loops.
5. During weekdays, Members may reserve caddies with the Caddie Master. If for some reason, a Member with a reserved caddie does not show up for play, the Caddie Master will attempt to re-assign that caddie. If that cannot be accomplished, the Caddie will be paid and the Member charged the 18-hole rate.
6. Cress Creek will provide a "Caddie Special" meal (Hot Dot & Soda) to all caddies assigned loops. There will be an automatic charge to the Member's account for the meal.

**J. Locker Room, Handicap and Club Storage**

1. All primary golf Members are required to have a locker, CDGA Handicap Service and Club Storage. The Club is not responsible for valuables or equipment in lockers, club storage or other club premises. Items can be deposited in the club safe in the office or with the Locker Room Manager.

**K. Non-Resident Members**

1. A Non-Resident Member and/or spouse shall pay the guest green fee rate for each round of golf played.
2. Non-Resident Members can participate in Golf Events that are open to guests, as a guest.

**M. Hole-In-One Club**

1. \$5.00 per primary Golf Member is MANDATORY and automatically charged unless declined in writing. Two Cress Creek Golf Members must be present when an individual makes a Hole-In-One in an 18 hole round during the season (April 15<sup>th</sup> to October 15<sup>th</sup>). If any hole is playing at less than official scorecard yardage (temporary tees or green), any hole in one will not be recognized.



## N. Equipment

1. To establish and maintain a USGA Handicap Index, you must use conforming equipment. The USGA Handicap System requires a single set of Rules to predict accurately a player's potential ability and designate an appropriate USGA Handicap Index.
2. Cress Creek Country Club will follow the USGA regulations and will not have non-conforming equipment available for sale in the Golf Shop. Rounds played with non-conforming equipment are invalid for handicap posting at Cress Creek Country Club.

## V. GUEST POLICY

- A. All golf Members in good standing shall have the privilege of personally inviting guests to play golf.
- B. Guest must be registered, by name, in the guest book in the Golf Shop prior to the start of play.
- C. Caddies or motorized golf carts shall be mandatory for all guest and Members in a group. This rule applies at all times, whether in season or not. When making your tee time, you must request caddies if interested in walking, otherwise carts are required.
- D. The same guests shall not be introduced more than eight times within a "golf season." Guests are not permitted to play before 9:30am on Saturdays, Sundays or Holidays. The Golf Shop will have discretion to allow guests to start earlier than 9:30am but this is subject to course conditions and current Schedule of Play – check with the Golf Shop for current guidelines. **Exception:** Any Guest that is a member in good standing at a Private Club within 100 miles of Cress Creek is not limited to 8 guest rounds in season.
- E. Members are allowed up to seven (7) guests on any day. Members are required to play with their guest groups.
- F. Members may entertain up to forty (40) guests in accordance with the following restrictions:
  1. The host Member must accompany the group and will be responsible for the proper conduct of all guests.
  2. Groups of guests numbering over seven (7) and up to forty (40) will be permitted during the week subject to the availability of the golf course. The number of guest will be limited to (40) on any one day. The Board of Directors must approve exceptions to this rule in advance.
  3. Member desiring to entertain groups in excess of seven (7) and up to forty (40) must receive prior approval from the Golf Committee. A letter to the Head Golf Professional providing the details of your request is all that is needed to begin the approval process. All costs will be billed to the host Member.
  4. After approval, the host Member shall arrange tee times through the Golf Shop.
- G. Unescorted foursomes are allowed at the discretion of the Head Golf Professional. Cress Creek may need to host foursomes from other private clubs in order to reciprocate for our Member's occasional use of their private clubs. Members are required to play with their guest groups.
- H. Driving Range and Practice Facilities
  1. The driving range and practice facilities are for Golf Members only. A limited number of range plans may be available for purchase by Social/Swim/Tennis members.

2. Guests may use the driving range and practice facilities on the day that they are playing with a Member.

3. Guests who are invited by a Member to use the driving range or practice facilities on days they are not playing golf must register with the Golf Shop prior to using the range/practice facilities. A member of the club must accompany guests whenever the guest uses the range or practice facility. A fee shall be charged when a Member's guests uses the driving range or practice facility on a day when a round of golf is not played.

I. Golf Member's children may entertain guests in accordance with the preceding rules except that they are restricted to the following age schedules:

Guest Limit Per Day

Under 12 years old	0
12-17 years old	3
18-24 years old	3

J. Golf Member Family guest fee rates are available in the Golf Shop. These rates are for immediate family members only. Immediate family members (as defined below) may be entertained up to ten (10) times per season. As with other guests, caddies or motorized carts are required for all individuals in the group. Immediate family members are defined as follows:

1. The mother or father of the Member or Member's spouse.
2. The brothers or sisters of the Member or Member's spouse.
3. The children and their spouses of the Member or Member's spouse.
4. The grandchildren and their spouses of the Member or the Member's spouse.

Any request for extension of the Family Guest rounds beyond the above mentioned allowance must be submitted in writing to the Board of Directors for approval.

K. Social/Swim/Tennis member may use the golf course for up to eight (8) 18-hole rounds per year. They will be charged the appropriate rate and must use a motorized cart. Their guests pay standard guest rates. The Member Opening Event, Fall Classic and Turkey Trot are open to Social/Swim/Tennis members, subject to availability, and they must have an established 18-hole handicap. Event fees, green fees and cart fees will be charged to the SST member(s) who participates in the above events.

# Formats

Buster – 2 Players chosen by blind draw (1) A and (1) B. 1 Best Ball Net plus combined nets. A total of (3) 18 hole scores.

Skins – The lowest net score on each hole not matched by anyone will win a “skin”.

Alternate nines – you must use the net score of 1 of the players from the front nine and the net score of the other player from the back nine.

Modified Stableford – You will be awarded points for eagle, birdie, par, and bogey.

Scramble – All members of a team play from the tee. The best-positioned ball of the group is selected and all play their next shot from this point. Continue this same play format until the ball is holed.

Best Ball – Best ball can be played using 2, 3 – or 4 person teams. Each player on the team plays his or her own golf ball throughout the round, and on each hole the low score – or “best ball” of the group serves as the team score.

Match Play – A match consisting of one side playing against another over a stipulated round. A match is won when one side leads by a number of holes greater than the number of remaining to be played.

Stroke Play – The person who plays the stipulated round or rounds in the fewest strokes is the winner.

Gross Score – “Gross” or “Gross Score,” refers to the total number of strokes taken during your round of golf, plus any penalty strokes. Add up the numbers on your scorecard at the end of the round, and that’s your gross score.

Net Score – “Net” or “Net Score,” refers to your score for a round of 18/ 9 holes after strokes have been subtracted for your course handicap. It is your gross score minus handicaps strokes.

## Handicap information

The season for accepting scores officially begins on Saturday, April 1st, 2017.  
(This is the first day for accepting scores)

The season officially ends Tuesday, October 31st, 2017.  
(This is the last day for accepting scores)

All scores from golf events are to be posted by the player unless noted by the golf shop. All scores from golf events will be reviewed by the golf shop and edited if necessary (esc). Tournament scores shall only be posted when indicated on the event information sheet, on the main scoreboard or at the CDGA terminal.

90% of handicap used for 2 Net Best Ball events.

100% of handicaps used for individual net events or 3 Net Best Ball events.

## 2017 Schedule of Member Golf Events at a Glance

Weekly Senior Play Day	Wednesdays & Fridays AM
Ladies 18 Hole Auxiliary	Tuesdays AM
Ladies 9 Hole Auxiliary	Wednesdays AM
55 & Up Point Quota Game	Tuesdays AM
Members Opening Event	May 6
President's Cup Matches	May 9 – September 1
Founders Cup Matches	May 9 – September 1
The Calcutta	May 19-20
Mixer Tee Event	May 27
<b>Member / Member</b>	<b>June 9-11</b>
Larson Cup	June 17
Southwest Senior Golf League (host site)	June 21
Buster Tee Event	June 24
Ladies Guest Day	June 28
Queens	July 11-12
<b>Draft Event</b>	<b>July 14-16</b>
Ladies Senior Championship	July 18
Senior Mens Championship AM	July 22
Junior Club Championship PM	July 22
Caddie/Member/Spouse	July 23
<b>Invitational</b>	<b>August 3-5</b>
Ladies Club Championship	August 8-9
Husband /Wife Championship	August 12
Buster Tee Event	August 13
Mens Club Championship – (Strokeplay)	August 19-20
MidWest Senior Golf League (host site)	August 23
<b>Fall Member x 4</b>	<b>September 1-3</b>
MidWest Senior Golf League Roundup(host site)	September 13
Glowball	September 16
Creek Day	September 20
Cress Creek Ryder Cup	September 22-24
Member Fall Classic	September 30
Naperville Cup (Friday Host 10/6)	October 6-8
Naperville City Scramble at Naperbrook	October 14
Turkey Trot	November 4
Couples 9 and Dines	May, June 16, July, August

## **League Play**

### **WEEKLY SENIOR GROUP PLAY**

Wednesdays & Fridays all season long

### **TUESDAY SENIOR QUOTA GAME**

Tuesday Mornings all season long

### **LADIES 18 HOLE AUXILIARY**

Tuesday Mornings (See schedule from Auxiliary)

18 Holes, 8am start with tee times

### **LADIES 9 HOLE AUXILIARY**

Wednesday Mornings (See schedule from Auxiliary)

9 Hole shotgun start

### **JUNIOR GOLF PLAY DAYS**

Thursday Mornings

Limited open play availability from 8:30am – 10:30am

## MEMBERS OPENING EVENT

May 6th

**Event Format:** This fun event is a 2 best balls of 4 format. ABCD teams are randomly drawn.

**Start Time:** Shotgun start at 9:00 AM

**Percentage of Handicap:** (Men 90% of handicap, Ladies 95%.)

**Handicap Used:** May 1st, 2017.

**Tees:** A Players and B Players will use the **Silver** tees.  
C Players and D Players will use the **Bronze** tees.  
Ladies will use **Red** tees.

Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze** tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.

**Special Events:** Closest to the Pin on All Par 3's  
A & B players only - #6 & #17  
C & D players only - #3 & #14

**Gifts/Prizes:** Tee gifts for all participants. Winners will receive Golf Shop Credit.

**Food and Entertainment:** Optional Breakfast beginning at 7:30AM.  
Complimentary pre-round stretching will be offered (gratuities accepted).  
Lunch included in entry fee available after play.

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire

**Cost of Event:** \$70.00 (estimated) per player includes tax and gratuities.

**Registration Closing Date:** May 4th, 2017. Anyone signing up after the closing date will be placed on the alternate list.

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder Cup qualifying points. Each participant in the event will be awarded 15 points. Bonus points will be awarded to each member of the top placing teams.

\*This event will be open to SST Members that have an established USGA Handicap as space is available. The SST Member must pay greens, cart, and entry fees.

## PRESIDENT'S CUP MATCHES

May 9<sup>th</sup> – September 1st

**Event Format:** Single elimination four ball match play. In four-ball match play, 2 players play their better ball against the better ball of the opposing two players.

**Start Time:** You must schedule your own tee times with your opponents.

First round matches **must** be completed by June 8th

Second round matches **must** be completed by July 9th

Third round matches **must** be completed by August 9th

Fourth round matches **must** be completed by August 24th

Championship matches **must** be completed by September 1st

\*These dates are subject to change based on field size

**\*\*Note: If a match has not been played, it will automatically be scheduled on the last day of the prescribed timeframe by the Golf Shop. The teams/players shall be notified by the Golf Shop of their scheduled time. If a team no-shows, then the other team shall win by default. If only one player is available, then he/she has the option of playing the opposing team by themselves. If both teams no-show, then both teams are eliminated from the competition. If the final day during the prescribed time period is rained out, then a coin toss will determine the winning team. There will be no exceptions made to this policy.**

**Percentage of Handicap:** Players play at 100% of their handicap. The course handicap of all 4 players is reduced by the course handicap of the player with the lowest handicap, who shall then play from scratch allowing the other 3 players 100% of the difference. Maximum handicaps allowed Silver 42, Bronze 41. Seeding of the brackets will be based on team handicap index. If the defending champions are participating they will automatically receive the number one seed for their bracket, unless they have changed brackets from the previous season.

**Handicap Used:** Based on current handicap at time of scheduled match.

**Tees:** Silver Tees – Snead Bracket (Lower Handicaps)  
Silver Tees – Sarazen Bracket (Higher Handicaps)

Players age 70 and older have the option to play from the **Bronze** Tees. USGA Handicap Rule 3-5 will be used and will reduce Bronze Tee players handicap according to the difference on course rating. Please notify the Golf Shop if you would like to play from the **Bronze** tees. If you have declared to play the bronze tees, you will be required to play those tees the entire duration of the event.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Flight champions will receive green jackets and trophies. Flight champions and runners-up will split remaining purse 60/40.

*\* Awards will be presented to the Champions on Sunday, September 3rd at the annual awards dinner.*

**Cost of Event:** \$55.00

**Registration Closing Date: YOU MUST SIGN UP TO PLAY PRIOR TO May 7th, ALL TEAMS WILL PLAY AT LEAST 1 MATCH. (No Qualifying)**

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder Cup qualifying points. Each participant that attempted to qualify in the event will be awarded 25 points. Bonus points will be awarded to each member of a team finishes in the top 4. Flight winners = 5 points, Runner-up = 3 points, Semi-finalist = 2 points

## FOUNDER'S CUP MATCHES

May 9<sup>th</sup> – September 1st

**Event Format:** Single elimination Singles Match Play.

**Start Times:** Schedule your own tee time with your opponent.

1st round matches **must** be completed by May 31st

2nd round matches **must** be completed by June 10th

3rd round matches **must** be completed by July 9th

4th round matches **must** be completed by August 9th

5th round matches **must** be completed by August 24th

Championship matches **must** be completed by September 1st

\*These dates are subject to change based on field size

**\*\*Note: If a match has not been played, it will automatically be scheduled on the last day of the prescribed timeframe by the Golf Shop. The players shall be notified by the Golf Shop of their scheduled time. If a player no-shows, then the other player shall win by default. If both players no-show, then both are eliminated from the competition. If the final day during the prescribed time period is rained out, then a coin toss will determine the winning player. There will be no exceptions made to this policy.**

**Handicaps:** Players will receive 100% of their USGA Handicap. The low handicap in the match will be reduced to 0 with his opponent being reduced by the same number of strokes. Seeding of the brackets will be based on handicap index. If the defending champion is participating they will automatically receive the number one seed for their bracket, unless they have changed brackets from the previous season.

**Handicaps Used:** Based on the current handicap at time of match.

**Tees:** Silver Tees – Jones Bracket (Lower Handicaps)  
Silver Tees – Hagen Bracket (Higher Handicaps)

Players age 70 and older have the option to play from the **Bronze** Tees. USGA Handicap Rule 3-5 will be used and will reduce Bronze Tee players handicap according to the difference on course rating. Please notify the Golf Shop if you would like to play from the **Bronze** tees. If you have declared to play the bronze tees, you will be required to play those tees the entire duration of the event.

**Prizes:** The top 4 finishers in each flight will be paid. The Champions' name will be engraved on the Founder's Cup and receive a trophy. 1<sup>st</sup> Place will receive 25% of the overall purse, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place will receive 15%, Semi-Finalists will receive 5% each. *Winners will be recognized at the annual awards dinner on Sunday, September 3rd.*

**Cost of Event:** \$40.00

**Registration Closing Date: YOU MUST SIGN UP TO PLAY PRIOR TO May 7th.**  
**All players will play at least 1 match. (No qualifying)**

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides 25 Ryder Cup Points for all Qualifiers. Additional Ryder Cup cups are as follows...Champion – 5 Points, Runner-Up – 3 Points, Semi-Finalists – 2 Points.



## **THE CALCUTTA** **May 19th-20th**

**Event Format:** This event is a two person team, 18 hole event. The format of play is one net best of two but requires that each players' net score is used for 9 of the 18 holes played. The net score that is counted MUST be holed. Teams must declare, to their playing competitors at the conclusion of each hole, which net score they are utilizing for the hole that was just completed.

It must be declared prior to the next shot made, or else the low net score will automatically be used.

In the event of both net scores being the same, the player with the least amount of scores used at that point will be used, if both players have used the same number of their scores the player with the lower handicaps' score will be used.

Once a player's score has been utilized 9 times, that player must sit out the remainder of the round. The player may assist his partner but can no longer play in the round.

**Start Time:** 8am Tee Time start (draw order)

**Percentage of Handicap:** (Men 100% of handicap, Ladies 100%.)

**Handicap Used:** May 15th, 2017.

**Tees:** Players will use the Silver tees.

The Bronze tees are available for use under rule 3-5 (see below)

Ladies will use Red tees.

*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the Bronze tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Gifts/Prizes:** Cash in, cash out from Calcutta Auction on Friday Evening. Only participants in the event will be eligible to participate in the auction.

**Food and Entertainment:** Friday May 19<sup>th</sup>, Dinner Buffett at 6:15pm

The Calcutta Auction, Friday May 19th starting at 7pm

**Calcutta Auction Rules:** Minimum starting bid for a team is \$100, with a maximum team value of \$2000. You have an option to buy up to half of your team. You must own a quarter of your team. You cannot own more of another team than you own of your own team, it can be equal.

Low net score wins. Ties will be broken with a golf course playoff. The playoff will start on hole #1 with the lowest net score being counted as the team score. If additional holes are needed to determine a winner, the players' score that was NOT used on hole #1 must be used on hole #2. If play continues, hole #3 will be played in the same manner as the first hole. If play continues, the players' score that was NOT used on hole #3 must be used on hole #4, and so on until a winner has been decided.

Paying the top three places.

1<sup>st</sup> place: 60% of prize pool

2<sup>nd</sup> place: 30%  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: 10%

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire

**Cost of Event:** \$65.00 per player, Calcutta Auction Wagering is separate- cash or check only

**Registration Closing Date:** May 17th, 2017. Any teams signing up after the closing date will be placed on the alternate list.

**Ryder Cup:** This event will not count toward season long Ryder Cup points.

**\*Scores will be posted by the golf shop as Tournament Scores.**

## THE MEMBER-MEMBER

June 9<sup>th</sup> – 11th

**Event Format:** The Member/Member is a two-person team event. Each two-man team will play the other two man teams in their respective flights. Registration will be accepted only by multiples of six, to ensure even flights. The format will be four-ball match play with each team using their better ball against the better ball of the other team. Each team will play five (5) nine hole matches within their flight. Flights and seeding are determined by total team handicaps. On Sunday afternoon, the top finisher in each flight (based on match points) will compete in a “shoot-out” to determine the overall team champion and overall top 3 teams. The shootout format will be alternate shot.

### Scoring:

#### Match Points to determine Flight Champion:

**One point for each match won**

**One-half point for each match halved**

**Zero points for each match lost**

#### Coyote Points & Tiebreaker:

One point for each hole won

One-half point for each hole halved

Zero points for each hole lost

The top finisher of each flight in the Spring Member-Member will be determined using the following scoring system. A team will receive 1 point for winning the match and ½ point for each match halved. The team with the most match points will be the flight champion. The most team points which could theoretically be won are 5. \*If there is a tie between two teams within a flight, the winner will be determined by using the results of the head to head match, if that match was halved the team with the higher overall coyote point total will be declared the winner.

If there is a tie between three or more teams in a flight, the team with the most match points against the other teams that are tied will be declared the winner. If there are multiple teams with the same amount of match points against the other teams involved in the tie, then, the team with the highest overall coyote point total will be declared the winner. The head to head matchup would be the next tiebreak for the two teams with equal coyote points. If those two teams halved their match the team with the highest amount of coyote points against the other teams involved in the tie would be declared the winner.

Teams will receive one coyote point for winning a hole and ½ point for halving a hole. No coyote bonus points will be awarded for winning a match, so the most number of coyote points a team could theoretically win in any given match is 9. Scorecards will only be accepted if there is a minimum of 2 signatures on the card, 1 signature from the scoring team and one signature from their competitor.

If any matches within the event are halted due to inclement weather, the match scores will be accepted ONLY if every match in the event has COMPLETED a minimum of 5 holes. If a single match has not completed five holes, NONE of the match or coyote points for that round will count toward the overall scoring. If a round is cancelled due to inclement weather and cannot be played, it will be removed from the event and the teams that are matched up to play one another will not make up that match.

In the event of a tie during the final hole of the shootout, the teams involved will play the hole again with the other player teeing off to start the hole and the teams will receive their respective handicap strokes for the hole once again. If the teams remain tied after the second playing of the hole the final tiebreak will be a blind chip-off on the green of the final hole.

**Additional Wagering:**

**“Coyote” Bet** - \$50 per team daily payoff based on matching or beating daily scoring number (set by committee).

**Overall Champion “Hat Pool”** – Prior to your first match, you have the opportunity to participate in the Overall Champion “Hat” Pool. Each team may purchase their flight for \$50 (cash). Payoff is as follows: 100% of money will be split among all players in the flight (that participates in the pool) where the overall champion came from – including the overall champions. This is an incentive to root for your flight representative during the shoot-out.

**Schedule:\***

<b>Friday, June 9th</b>	7:00pm - Opening Reception, Chef's Stations
<b>Saturday, June 10th</b>	7:00am - Breakfast 9:00am - 1st round shotgun 11:15am – Light Snack 11:45am - 2nd round shotgun 2:00pm - Lunch 3:15pm - 3rd round shotgun
<b>Sunday, June 11th</b>	7:00am - Breakfast 9:00am - 4th round shotgun 11:15am – Light Snack 12:00pm – 5th round shotgun 2:15pm – 3:30pm Lunch Shootout estimated 3:30pm-5:30pm

*\*The above times may be adjusted depending on the number of teams and pace of play.*

Please note, the golf course will be closed to non-participants during this event on Saturday and will reopen on Sunday afternoon. The practice areas will remain open to non-participants on both Saturday and Sunday when not in use by the participants.

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100%, per Section 9-4, a (iii), of the USGA Handicap manual. The lowest handicap player in each foursome will play at scratch with the three other players’ handicaps reduced proportionately.

**Handicap Used:** June 1, 2017 (1/2 shots will be included for the adjustment to 9 hole handicaps)

**Tees\*:** All Flights will play from the **Silver Tees**.

*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze tees**. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Gifts/Prizes:** Golf Shop Credit. Prizes will be awarded to winners in each flight.

1st 2nd & 3rd place Shoot-out participants will receive additional Golf Shop credit.

The winning team from the Shootout will have their entry fee for the 2017 Invitational paid for (depending on number of entries).

**Food and Entertainment:**

- Chef's Dinner Stations on Friday, June 9th, starting at 7:00 pm for participants and their spouse, or guest – casual attire.
- The event will officially end at the conclusion of the shootout. Spouses are invited to view the shootout. *All Champions will be announced after the shootout.*
- Breakfast & Lunch buffet each day provided for golfers, Complimentary pre-round stretching will be offered (gratuities accepted).
- Complimentary on course beverage service available throughout the event and Shoot Out.

**Cost of Event:** \$275 estimated.

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder cup qualifying points. Each participant in the event will be awarded 25 points. Three (3) bonus points will be awarded to each flight winner, one (1) bonus point will be awarded to the runner up in each flight. Additional points will be awarded to the shootout place winners:

1<sup>st</sup> - 5 points

2<sup>nd</sup> - 3 points

3<sup>rd</sup> - 2 points

**Entry Deadline:** Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup> 2017 – 48 team maximum, teams will be accepted in multiples of six.

Each player will have \$25 of their Spring Member/Member entry fee set aside for the Invitational Bonus pool. The winning team from the Shootout will have their entry fee for the 2017 Invitational paid for (depending on number of entries). Any remaining money from the Invitational Bonus pool is left over after the winners have had their entry paid will go to reducing the Invitational entry for the 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishers in the Shootout. In the event that a player who wins the Shootout decides not to play in The Invitational, the money will be moved down in order of finish and be split accordingly to a player that is playing in The Invitational. Any player receiving money toward Invitational entry has the option to use it for the 2017 or 2018 Invitational

For this event, we have partnered with [Naperville Responds for our Veterans](#). We will be accepting donations throughout the weekend for this cause which will help disabled Veterans in need afford rehab work on their homes. Their long-term goal is to be able to provide a single family home to a Veteran and their family in need.

**PARENT / JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP  
LARSON CUP  
June 17th**

**Larson Cup Format:** One best ball of two for Fathers/Grandfathers and Juniors 13 years old and older.

**Mother or Grandmother/Junior Format:** One best ball of two for Mothers/Grandmothers and Juniors 13 years old and older.

**Parent/Junior Format:** Alternate shot for Juniors 12 years old and under with Parents teeing off on the odd holes and juniors teeing off on even holes.

**Start Time:** Tee times start at 7:30 AM for 18 holes (must be 13 yrs old & older).

Tee times start at 1:00 PM; 9 holes for 12 years old and under.

Make your own tee time on Wednesday, June 14th starting at 7:00 AM

Call or go online on Wednesday morning (7am) to schedule tee times. *Member & event participant times are intermixed. The golf course is open to non-participants.*

**Percentage of Handicap:** 90% If neither player has an index then a Callaway handicap (90%) will be established upon completion of play.

Maximum handicap allowed: Silver – 42, Bronze – 41, Red – 46.

**Handicap Used:** June 15, 2017

**Tees:** All Fathers/Grandfathers and juniors over 13 years old will play from the **Silver** tees. All Mothers/Grandmothers will play from the **Red** Tees. Girls and male juniors 8-13 years old will play from the **Red** tees. All juniors (male or female) 4-7 years old will play from **Family Course Tees**.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Larson Cup Trophies will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> place overall for 1 best ball gross score & overall low net (Callaway or handicap) in the 13 yr + flight.

Mother or Grandmother/Junior 13+ winners will receive golf shop credit.

8-12 years old & 4-7 years old winners will receive Golf Shop credit.

*Trophies will be awarded on Sunday, September 3rd at the annual awards dinner for the Parent/Junior Champions and the Larson Cup Champions.*

**Food and Entertainment:** Lunch will be available. Sign for individually.

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire

**Cost of Event:** \$25.00 for each Parent/Junior team (estimated) entry plus any Family Guest Fees if necessary.

**Registration Closing Date:** June 16, 2017.

\*\*\*If your junior is 13 years old or older and does not play much, we would appreciate it if you would sign-up to play in the afternoon in order to maintain pace of play. You may still compete in the 18 Hole event. Son-In-Law teams are **not** eligible to play in the event. Those teams may make a tee time and play casual golf.

**SOUTHWEST SENIOR GOLF LEAGUE**  
**June 21 @ Cress Creek**

**Participating Clubs:**

Glen Oak, Aurora, Hinsdale, Naperville, White Eagle, Edgewood Valley, Ruth Lake

**Eligibility:** Must be 55 years or older

**Qualifying:** The roster for each date of play will be determined by the Team Captain. The Team Captain will take into consideration those who are available to play, those who have been winning and those who have been playing well in defeat. Participation as an alternate will also be considered when determining each date's roster.

**Cost:** \$40.00 per player, which covers golf, lunch, prizes. It does not include drinks, carts, caddies. Cash payment is due to the Team Captain, for turn in to the host Golf Professional before start of play.

**Start Time:** 8:15AM Shotgun  
7:15 AM Arrive for continental breakfast and driving range

**Team Co-Captains for Cress Creek:** John Provenzano ([Jpro1942@comcast.net](mailto:Jpro1942@comcast.net))  
Mark Slick ([mslickbenz@yahoo.com](mailto:mslickbenz@yahoo.com))

**# of Players:** 8 players on each team per match.

**Format:** Match Play. Four, 2 man team and eight singles matches are contested. All matches are handicapped off the lowest handicap in the match. There is an individual match and a two-man team match within each foursome. 3 points per player are available in individual matches; 6 points per team are available in 2 ma team matches. 12 points are maximum per 2 man team for individual and team play. USGA Rules apply.

**Handicap:** The maximum individual handicap allowed is 26. If a player has a handicap higher than 26, he will be reduced to 26 for league play.

**DRAFT EVENT**  
**July 14<sup>th</sup> – July 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Event Format:** Four-man team (A, B, C, D players by draft)  
2 best balls for first round, 3 best balls for second round

**Start Time:** Saturday: Tee times begin at 7:30 AM  
(Team #1 starts @ 7:30am, Team #2 @ 7:40am, etc. - **No exceptions**)  
Sunday: Shotgun start at 8:45 AM

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% for both Saturday and Sunday. Maximum handicap allowed Silver – 42, Bronze – 41.

**Handicap Used:** July 1st, 2017.

**Tees:** All players use the **Silver** tees. *\*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze** tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Other Information:** Captains this year are the **D** players.

**Draft order:** First round - drawn from hat

Second round - reverse of first round

Third round - drawn from hat

*\*A player **must** have a minimum of 5 home scores posted in the current year to be eligible.*

**Team Entry Fee and Wagering:** Cost per team is \$1000.00 (\$250.00 per player)  
**Payable upon registration.** (Bring cash or check made out to “CASH” for entries).

**Gifts/Prizes:** Paid out to top 5 places from the Team Entry & top 3 for pari-mutuels. All ties for the top 5 cash payouts will be broken by on course play-off. If there are 14 teams or less, only 4 teams will be paid out. Payout breakdown: 1<sup>st</sup> 35%, 2<sup>nd</sup> 25%, 3<sup>rd</sup> 20%, 4<sup>th</sup> 12% 5<sup>th</sup> 8%

**Food and Entertainment:** Cost of event includes Friday dinner at 7:00 PM for the participants only. No guests allowed on Friday night. Event also includes breakfast, lunch, and beverages on the course both days. Complimentary pre-round stretching will be offered (gratuities accepted).

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire, casual

**Cost of Event:** \$130.00 (*estimated*) billed to account to cover Food and Beverage costs.

**Registration Closing Date:** July 12th, 2017; the order and when you sign up is important since the number of players must be a multiple of 4.

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder Cup qualifying points. Each participant in the event will be awarded 20 points. Bonus points will be awarded to each member of the top placing teams.

The 7:00, & 7:10am tee times Saturday will be open for non-participants of the event. The Golf Course will re-open for play at 1:10pm on Saturday and 1:30pm Sunday.

**\*Scores will be posted by the golf shop as Tournament Scores.**



**LADIES' SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**July 18th**

**Event Format:** 18 Hole Ladies: 18-hole stroke play\*  
Players must be age 55 or older.  
*\*Number of flights to be determined.*

**Start Time:** 8:00am tee times.

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100%. Maximum handicap: 46.

**Handicap Used:** July 15, 2017

**Tees:** All players will use the **Red** tees.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> gross and 1<sup>st</sup> net. Only one prize per participant. Trophies will be awarded at the Fall Awards Dinner on September 3rd .

**Cost of Event:** \$20.00 per player. Golf cart, food/drinks charged separately.

**Registration Closing Date:** July 16, 2017.

**\*Scores will be posted by the golf shop as Tournament Scores.**

**MENS SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**July 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Event Format:** 18 holes of Stroke Play

Ages 55-69 – Silver Tees

Ages 70 and over – Bronze Tees

The Low Gross & Low Net from the Silver tees and the Low Gross & Low Net from the Bronze tees will be recognized as Men's Senior Champions.

**Start Time:** Tee times will be assigned by the Golf Shop. Tee times will range from 8am – 11am

All participants must play in an assigned Senior Championship grouping for the event.

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% Maximum handicap allowed: Silver – 43, Bronze – 41.

**Handicap Used:** July 15th, 2017

**Gifts/Prizes:**

Golf Shop Credit awarded to placing finishers in both flights\* dependant on # of participants

Trophies will be awarded to gross silver, net silver, gross bronze and net bronze senior champions (4).

*Trophies will be awarded at the annual fall awards banquet.*

**Food and Entertainment:** Not applicable

**Attire for Meals:** Not applicable

**Cost of Event:** \$25.00 per player (estimated).

**Registration Closing Date:** July 20th, 2017

**\*Scores will be posted by the golf shop as Tournament Scores.**

**JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**July 22nd**

**Event Format:** 9/18 Holes Stroke Play tournament

**Cost of Event:** \$15.00

All participants play at scratch within age group's flights:

**Girls:** ages 12-14 – 9 Holes  
ages 15-18 – 18 Holes

**Boys:** ages 12-14 – 9 Holes  
ages 15-18 – 18 Holes

**Tees:** Girls use RED tees (both age groups)  
Boys ages 12-14 will use Bronze tees  
Boys ages 15-18 will use Silver tees

**Gifs/Prizes:** Trophies will be awarded for both age group flights (12-14 and 15-18) for Boys & Girls at the Fall Awards Banquet on September 4th, 2016.

**Registration Closing Date:** July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**Other Information:** Tee Times for the 18 hole groups will begin at 1:00pm\* with the 9 hole groups to follow

\* tee times for all groups will be based on the number of participants

Parent volunteers are requested in each group to assist and help keep up pace of play for the 12-14 year old groups.

The player will play within the age group as is their age on the day of the event.

**\*We encourage parents to come out and watch the juniors compete. However, please remember that NO ADVICE can be given during the competition.**

**CADDIE/MEMBER, SPOUSE CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**July 23rd**

**Event Format:** 9 Hole, Two Person Team 1 Best Ball of Two Format. Each team will consist of one member and one caddy, and the teams will be randomly drawn.  
**\*\*Defending Champions will play together as a team.**

**Tees:** Men – Silver  
Women – Red  
Seniors 70 and over – Bronze

**Handicap Used:** All teams will have a Callaway Handicap figured at the completion of play.

**Gifts/Prizes:** We are asking for any Member to donate sports tickets, gift cards, etc. to be used as gifts for the caddies. Each caddy will be awarded a prize.

**Food/Entertainment:** A burger dinner will follow play for all participants.

**Cost of event:** \$60 per member (estimated).

**Registration closing date:** July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017. (An even number of members and caddies is required).

**Other Information:** 3:30pm shotgun start (front nine).

**CRESS CREEK INVITATIONAL**  
**August 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5th**

**Event Format:** The Invitational is a two-person team event. Each two-man team will play the other two man teams in their respective flights. The format will be four-ball match play with each team using their better ball against the better ball of the other team, there will be up to 10 flights of 6 teams in each flight. Each team will play five (5) nine hole matches within their flight. Flights and seeding are determined by total team handicaps. On Saturday afternoon, the top finisher in each flight (based on match points) will compete in a “shoot-out” to determine the overall team champion and overall top 3 teams. The shootout format will be alternate shot.

**Scoring:**

**Match Points to determine Flight Champion:**

Coyote Points & Tiebreaker:

**One point for each match won**

One point for each hole won

**One-half point for each match halved**

One-half point for each hole halved

**Zero points for each match lost**

Zero points for each hole lost

The top finisher of each flight in the Invitational will be determined using the following scoring system. A team will receive 1 point for winning the match and ½ point for each match halved. The team with the most match points will be the flight champion. The most team points which could theoretically be won are 5. \*If there is a tie between two teams within a flight, the winner will be determined by using the results of the head to head match, if that match was halved the team with the higher overall coyote point total will be declared the winner. If there is a tie between three or more teams in a flight, the team with the most match points against the other teams that are tied will be declared the winner. If there are multiple teams with the same amount of match points against the other teams involved in the tie, then, the team with the highest overall coyote point total will be declared the winner. The head to head matchup would be the next tiebreak for the two teams with equal coyote points. If those two teams halved their match the team with the highest amount of coyote points against the other teams involved in the tie would be declared the winner.

Teams will receive one coyote point for winning a hole and ½ point for halving a hole. No coyote bonus points will be awarded for winning a match, so the most number of coyote points a team could theoretically win in any given match is 9.

If any matches within the event are halted due to inclement weather, the match scores will be accepted ONLY if every match in the event has COMPLETED a minimum of 5 holes. If a single match has not completed five holes, NONE of the match or coyote points for that round will count toward the overall scoring. If a round is cancelled due to inclement weather and cannot be played, it will be removed from the event and the teams that are matched up to play one another will not make up that match. If a flight has an odd number of teams, the team without an opponent will play against par.

**Additional Wagering:**

**“Coyote” Bet** - \$50 per team daily payoff based on matching or beating daily scoring number (set by committee).

**Overall Champion “Hat Pool”** – Prior to your first match, you have the opportunity to participate in the Overall Champion “Hat” Pool. Each team may purchase their flight for \$50 (cash). Payoff is as follows: 100% of money will be split among all players in the

flight (that participates in the pool) where the overall champion came from – including the overall champions. This is an incentive to root for your flight representative during the shoot-out.

### **Schedule:**

Thursday, August 3rd

Friday, August 4th

Saturday, August 5th

The above times may be adjusted due to the number of participants and pace of play. Please note, the golf course will be closed to non-participants during this event on Friday and will reopen on Saturday afternoon. The practice areas will remain open to non-participants on both Friday and Saturday when not being used by the participants.

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100%, per Section 9-4, a (iii), of the USGA Handicap manual. The lowest handicap player in each foursome will play at scratch with the three other players' handicaps reduced proportionately.

**Handicap Used:** August 1, 2017 (1/2 shots will be included for the adjustment to 9 hole handicaps)

**Tees\*:** All Flights will play from the **Silver Tees**.

*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze tees**. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the **Bronze tees**, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Gifts/Prizes:** Golf Shop Gift Certificates. Prizes will be awarded to winners in each flight.

1st 2nd & 3rd place Shoot-out participants will receive additional Golf Shop credit.

### **Food and Entertainment:**

- Stag Night Dinner starting at 7:15pm on Thursday, August 3rd.(casual attire)
- Formal dinner and awards starting at 7:15pm on Saturday, August 5<sup>th</sup>. Spouses or guests are invited to view the shootout as well as attend the awards dinner. *All Champions will be announced at the awards dinner.*
- Breakfast, Snacks & Lunch buffet provided for golfers each day, Complimentary pre-round stretching will be offered (gratuities accepted).
- Complimentary on course beverage service available throughout the match play event Friday & Saturday and during the Shoot Out.

**Cost of Event:** \$850 per team estimated.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Golf Shop Gift Certificates. Prizes will be awarded to winners and runners up in each flight. Top three Shoot-out participants will receive an additional prize.

**Entry Confirmation:** Player entry forms are dated and numbered when they are received at the club. If you are a ‘new’ entrant to the event, it is in your best interest to turn in your completed entry as soon as possible. Entry will be confirmed by July 20th, 2017 from the waiting list. Member & Guest teams on the waiting list receive priority to fill the field.

\*1 Club Event: Each player will select 1 club to play a 4 Hole alternate shot format with their Invitational partner. Each Flight winner will play in the “Shoot Out” immediately following.

\*\*Putting Contest: Team “Aces” Format over 9 holes. 1 point earned for each putt made at each location. Total makes between two players on a team is the team score. The top 3 teams qualify for a 4 hole “no peek” final. 1<sup>st</sup> attempt is free, teams may buy additional attempts at \$20 per attempt.

**Event Closing Date:** July 20, 2017

The event will be limited to sixty (60) teams. A waiting list will be created to fill any cancellations. The field is 48 teams and is expected to sell out; registration must be in multiples of 6. Last year’s participants will have registration priority from May 16-May 31, 2017. Based on the order of signup, if the field is less than a multiple of 6, those teams who fall within that less multiple of 6 will then be placed on a waiting list to enter the event in the event of cancellation(s).

**Practice round:** The practice round is scheduled for Thursday August 3rd @ 12:30 shotgun start (cart required/caddie is an additional expense).

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder Cup qualifying points. Each participant in the event will be awarded 35 points. Bonus points will be awarded to each team member that finishes in the top 2 of each flight. (1<sup>st</sup> = 5pts, 2<sup>nd</sup> = 3pts)

**\*Scores will be posted by the golf shop as Tournament Scores.**

**LADIES' CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
**August 8th – August 9th (August 10<sup>th</sup> as a rain date)**

**LADIES' 18 HOLE DIVISION**

**Event Format:** 18 Hole Ladies: 36-hole stroke play\*

*\*Number of flights to be determined.*

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% for first through fourth flight. Maximum handicap allowed: 46.

**Handicap Used:** August 1, 2017

**Cost of Event:** \$20.00

**Tees:** All players will use the **Red** tees.

**Flights are as follows:** Championship Flight: The overall low gross (36-hole scores) will determine the Club Champion and Runner up.  
Additional Flights: TBD

**Gifts/Prizes:** Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> gross in Championship flight. Other flights are TBD.

*\*Dependant on how many players per flight.*

**LADIES' 9 HOLE DIVISION**

**Event Format:** 9 Hole Ladies: 18-hole stroke play\*

(9 Holes played on Tuesday & Wednesday)

*\*Number of flights to be determined.*

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100%. Maximum handicap allowed: 23.

**Handicap Used:** August 1, 2017

**Cost of Event:** \$20.00

**Tees:** All players will use the **Red** tees.

**Flights are as follows:** TDB, based on number of entries.\*

**Gifts/Prizes:** Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> gross and 1<sup>st</sup> net each flight\*.

**\*Scores will be posted by the golf shop as Tournament Scores.**



**MENS' CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**Stroke Play (odd years)**  
MATCH PLAY (even years)  
**August 19-20**

**Event Format:** Championship Flight – 54 Holes Gross Stroke Play  
Flights A-D – 36 Holes Stroke Play

**Time:** Championship Flight, A Flight, B Flight, C Flight, D Flight- 7:30am-11:30am  
Championship Flight- 1:00pm-1:30pm

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% to determine the Low Net in Flights A-D.

**Handicap Used:** August 15, 2017

**Cost of Event:** \$40.00

**Tees:** Championship – **Gold Tees**  
A - D flights use the **Silver Tees**. Maximum handicap - 42

\*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze (Max handicap - 41)**. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.

\*\*Any players age 70 and over electing to play from the Bronze Tees will be eligible for only the Net competition within their flight.

**Other Information:** Any player may declare to play up to Championship Flight.  
Championship Flight will play 36 holes on Saturday 8/19 and 18 holes on Sunday 8/20

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<b>Flights are as follows*:</b>	Championship	0-4.8	(Scratch)
	A flight	4.9-9.6	(w/Hcp)
	B flight	9.7-13.0	(w/Hcp)
	C flight	13.1-17.9	(w/Hcp)
	D flight	18.0+	(w/Hcp)

\*Flights may be adjusted to ensure that each flight contains a consistent number of players for the event.

**Deadline To Register:** August 17, 2017

**Gifts/Prizes:** Awards will be given only to the Low Gross in the Championship Flight (club champion),  
Flights A-D will award the Low Gross and Low Net in each flight A B C D.

**Ryder Cup Points:** 54 Hole Score must be posted for Championship Flight and 36 Hole Score must be posted for Flights A-D. Every player will receive 15 points for participation. Flight winners (gross & net) will receive 5 bonus points, flight runner-up (gross & net) will receive 3 bonus points.

*Event Format: 2018 Match Play Format (even years)*

## 2019 Stroke Play Format (odd years)

### Championship Flight:

Saturday x/xx: 18 Hole Stroke Play Qualifying for Championship Flight, (if necessary) AM Tee Times  
& 1<sup>st</sup> Round Match Play, PM Tee Times

Sunday x/xx: 2<sup>nd</sup> Round of Match Play, AM Tee Times  
& Final Match, PM Tee Time

Handicaps: Championship Flight qualifying & Match Play GROSS ONLY,  
The Final Championship Match is 18 holes of Gross Match Play.

Tees: Championship Flight will play from Gold Tees

Other Information: Championship Flight is considered any player with an index of [0 - 4.8]

Any player may declare to play in the Championship Flight.

The Championship Flight may require an 18 hole, gross stroke qualifier. The players with the low 8 qualifying scores will advance to the first round of the Championship Flight Match Play. Those players who fail to qualify cannot play in a lower flight, they will be eliminated from the event. The lowest qualifying score will be the #1 seed and the highest of the 8 qualifying scores will be the #8 seed. In the event of a qualifying score tie for a seed, there will be a scorecard playoff.

(back 9 total, 1<sup>st</sup> tie break/last 6 holes total score, 2<sup>nd</sup> tie break/ last 3 holes total score, 3<sup>rd</sup> tie break/ last hole score 4<sup>th</sup> tiebreak)

If no Championship Flight qualifier is needed, the players will be seeded by Handicap Index. The reigning club champion will be the #1 seed if he participates in the event, regardless of handicap index, and only under the condition of no qualifying round. If fewer than 8 players participate in the Championship Flight, the #1 seed would receive the first bye and so on.

In the event that a player has to withdraw or does not show for their tee time, the opponent will win the match by default. Once the match schedules are released the Championship Flight will NOT be changed or adjusted.

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### All Other Flights:

Saturday x/xx: 1<sup>st</sup> Round of Match Play, AM Tee Times (open entry based on handicap index)

Sunday x/xx: 2<sup>nd</sup> Round of Match Play for All Flights, AM Tee Times  
& Final Round of Match Play for All Flights, PM Tee Times

**Handicaps:** 100% for the Flights in Match Play. (open entry & seeding based on handicap index) The low handicap in the match will be reduced to 0 with his opponent being reduced by the same number of strokes.

**Handicap Used:** August xx, 2018

**Cost of Event:** \$40.00

**Tees:** All other Flights use the **Silver** tees. Maximum handicap - 42

\*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze (Max handicap - 41)**. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.

**Other Information:**

*All other Flights will be filled by players evenly based on handicap index. The number of flights will be based on the number of participants. There will be up to 8 players in each flight. Since there is an open registration with no qualifying, the lowest handicap index will be the #1 seed in the flight and the highest of up to 8 handicap indexes in each flight will be the #8 seed. #1 seed will play #8, #2 will play #7, #3 will play #6, and #4 will play #5.*

*In the event that a player has to withdraw or does not show for their tee time, the opponent will win the match by default. Once the match schedules are released the flights will NOT be changed or adjusted.*

**Registration Closing Date:** August xx<sup>th</sup>, 2018 12:00pm, no exceptions

**Gifts/Prizes:** Awards will be given to the Men's Club Champion and Runner-Up in Championship Flight, & Flight Winners Only for all other flights

**Ryder Cup Points:** Every player will receive 15 points for participation. Flight winners will receive 5 bonus points; flight runners-up will receive 3 bonus points.

## **MIDWEST SENIOR GOLF LEAGUE August 23rd @ Cress Creek**

### **Participating Clubs:**

Butterfield, Elgin, Inverness, Stonebridge, Medinah, St. Charles

**Eligibility:** Must be 55 years or older

**Qualifying:** The roster for each date of play will be determined by the Team Captain. The Team Captain will take into consideration those who are available to play, those who have been winning and those who have been playing well in defeat. Participation as an alternate will also be considered when determining each date's roster.

**Cost:** \$45.00 per player, which covers golf, lunch, prizes. It does not include drinks, carts, caddies. Cash payment is due to the Team Captain, for turn in to the host Golf Professional before start of play.

**Start Time:** 8:15AM Shotgun  
7:00 AM Arrive for breakfast and driving range

**Team Co-Captains for Cress Creek:** **John Provenzano** (jpro1942@comcast.net)  
**Bob Orth** (robert.orth@yahoo.com)

**# of Players:** 8 players on each team per match.

**Format:** Match Play. Four, 2 man team and eight singles matches are contested. All matches are handicapped off the lowest handicap in the match. There is an individual match and a two-man team match within each foursome. 3 points per player are available in individual matches; 6 points per team are available in 2 man team matches. 12 points are maximum per 2 man team for individual and team play. USGA Rules apply.

**Handicap:** The maximum individual handicap allowed is 30. If a player has a handicap higher than 30, he will be reduced to 30 for league play.

**HUSBAND & WIFE CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**Saturday, August 26th**

**Event Format:** 18 Hole Stroke Play: combined Stableford point system

**Start Time:** Shotgun at 1:30 PM

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% of 9 & 18 Hole Handicaps

Men or Ladies with only 9 hole handicaps will be adjusted to an 18 hole handicap within the regulations of the CDGA & USGA

Maximum handicaps for men are 42 and ladies 46.

**Handicap Used:** August 15, 2017

**Tees:** All men will play from the **Silver** tees\*.

All ladies will play from the **Red** tees.

*\*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze** tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Other Information:** The 18 hole net champions will be recognized as the Club Champions and represent Cress Creek CC at the [CDGA Mixed Championship](#) to be held at Aurora Country Club on September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

If additional space is available, any couples that would like to play in the CDGA event must pay their own entry fees.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Golf Shop credit will be awarded based on combined stableford points (top 3 gross teams & top 2 net teams) only one prize per team.

Entry fee for the CDGA Husband / Wife Championship included for the net champions.

**Food and Entertainment:** Dinner is included with the event

Must have at least **14** couples in order to run tournament

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire

**Cost of Event:** \$100.00 per couple, food will be included after golf

**Registration Closing Date:** August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**\*Scores will be posted by the golf shop as Tournament Scores.**

In the event the field is not full, other groups may call the Golf Shop on a first come – first serve basis on Saturday morning (the day before the event). All couples must sign up prior to reserve their spot.

**FALL MEMBER X 4**  
**September 1st – 3rd**

**Format:** Modified Stableford Team Total Format  
Saturday – 2 Best Balls of 4, Sunday - 3 Best Balls of 4

Players earn points toward the team total per as follows:

-3 pts = Net Triple Bogey or worse

-1 pts = Net Double Bogey

0 pts = Net Bogey

1 pts = Net Par

3 pts = Net Birdie

5 pts = Net Eagle

7 pts = Net Double Eagle or better

\* Any ties will be broken via scorecard playoff, according to the recommended USGA method; total team points from the back 9, then back 6, then back 3, then the 18<sup>th</sup> hole.

**Start Time:** Saturday: Tee times start at 7:30 AM beginning with Flight B #1 Tee Only.  
Sunday: Tee times start at 7:30 AM beginning with Flight A #1 Tee Only.

*The golf course will open for normal play at approximately 1:30pm on both days*

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100%. Maximum Handicap Allowed: Silver - 42, Bronze – 41, Red – 46.

**Handicap Used:** September 1st, 2017.

**Tees:** Players will use **Silver** tees.

*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze** tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Gifts/Prizes:** Golf Shop Credit will be awarded to the top four teams in each flight.

**Food and Entertainment:**

Friday: Dinner Stations for participants and spouses at 7:00. All beverages are signed for by the member. (Casual attire)

Saturday: Breakfast and Lunch buffets with beverages on the course. Complimentary pre-round stretching will be offered (gratuities accepted).

Sunday: Breakfast and Lunch buffets with beverages on the course. Complimentary pre-round stretching will be offered (gratuities accepted).  
Plated dinner and annual awards banquet (Jacket required.)

**Cost of Event:** \$275

**Registration Closing Date:** August 29th, 2017. Any teams signing up after the closing date will be placed on the alternate list.

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder cup qualifying points. Each participant in the event will be awarded 25 points. Bonus points will be awarded to each member of the top placing teams in each flight.

**\*Scores will be posted by the Golf Shop as Tournament Scores**

**GLOW BALL NIGHT  
(Golf Members)  
September 16th**

**Event Format:** These events will be 4 person team Scrambles. Teams will be comprised of members and their children. The scramble format is when every player tees off and the best tee shot is selected. All players then play their 2<sup>nd</sup> shot from this location and the best 2<sup>nd</sup> shot is selected. This format is continued until the ball is holed. This is a **4** Hole event played at night with Glow balls.

**Start Time:** Shotgun start at 7:30 PM

**Handicap Used:** N/A

**Tees:** Men will use the **Silver** tees.  
Women & Juniors will use the **Glowing** tees.

**Other Information:**

**Gifts/Prizes:** No prizes will be awarded. This event is designed to encourage family fun.

**Food and Entertainment:** The price of dinner is not included in the entry fee. Dinner is available prior to the start of the event. Please make your dinner reservations by contacting the club receptionist at extension 10.

**Following Golf, we will meet in the Clubhouse for an Ice Cream Social that is included in the Golf Entry Fee.**

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire, casual

**Cost of Event:** \$55.00 (estimated) per family team includes Ice Cream Social. Families will sign for dinner. Carts will be charged at \$10.00 per cart.

**Registration Closing Date:** September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**CREEK DAY**  
**September 20th**

**Event Format:**

Two Divisions

First Division Format: One best ball on par 5s, two best balls on par 4s, three best balls on par 3s

Second Division Format: Four player team gross scramble

**Start Time:** Shotgun start at 12:45 PM

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% handicap index.

Maximum handicap allowed: Silver – 42.

**Handicap Used:** September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017

**Tees:** All men will play from Silver tees\*, Ladies from the Red tees.

*\*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze** tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the Bronze tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Other Information:** You may bring up to seven (7) guests (more if space available).

**Gifts/Prizes:** Each member & guest will receive a special gift.

The winning teams in each division will win a prize.

**Special Events:**

Closest to the Pin – Holes #3 & #14

Reverse raffle

**Food and Entertainment:**

Brunch 10:30am – 12:30pm

Cocktails, Hors D'oeuvres, & wine tasting 5:30pm

Dinner 6:30pm

Dinner menu will be chef's selection.

Complimentary pre-round stretching will be offered (gratuities accepted).

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire acceptable

**Cost of Event:** \$250.00 (*estimated*) per participant (member or guest) includes guest's/ Members gift, green fee, prizes, brunch, dinner, tax and gratuities. Caddies and / or carts are required and are an additional cost.

**Registration Closing Date:** September 10th, 2017. The field is limited to the **first 88 players** to sign up.

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder Cup qualifying points. Each participant in the event will be awarded 25 points.

**CRESS CREEK RYDER CUP  
September 22nd – September 24th**

The event will mirror the Ryder Cup, from qualifying for the two teams to the actual rules of play. This event is sure to provide some exciting year-end play for those earning their selection on one of the two teams.

**Format:**            Saturday morning:    Foursomes – alternate shot  
                         Saturday afternoon:    Four ball – best ball of twosome  
                         Sunday morning:        Singles – 13 matches

**Handicap Used:** September 15, 2017

**Tees:**                All A & B players will be from the Silver tees. Maximum handicap allowed Silver 42, Bronze 41. (Seniors 70+ may opt to play from the Bronze tees.)

**Qualifying:**      Participation points that were awarded from the following events:

Turkey Trot	15 points (from 2016 season)
President's Cup	25 points
Founder's Cup	25 points
Opening Shotgun Event	15 points
Member-Member	25 points
Draft Event	20 points
Invitational	35 points
Club Championship	15 points
Fall Member x4	25 points
Creek Day	25 points

*Additional points will be awarded to the top finishers in each event.*

**Pairing Dinner:** Friday, September 22 @ 6:30pm. The Captains will reveal their teams and pairings, all participants will receive their uniforms.

**Sunday Awards Reception:**

Post-event awards reception Sunday afternoon at the conclusion of the singles matches.

The winning team will have their names inscribed in the Cress Creek Ryder Cup plaque. Check the Cress Creek Ryder Cup standings in the mens' locker room on the event board or on the Cress Creek Website.



**MEMBERS' FALL CLASSIC**  
**September 30th**

**Event Format:** 2 Net best Balls of 4. Each team will consist of an A, B, C and D player. This event is open to Golf Members & Spouses and SST Members & Spouses who have a USGA handicap.

**Start Time:** Shotgun start at 9:45 AM

**Percentage of Handicap:** 90% handicap index. Maximum handicap allowed: Gold- 43, Silver 42, Bronze 41, Red - 46.

**Handicap Used:** September 15, 2017

**Tees:** All Men will play from the **Silver** tees.

All Ladies will play from the **Red** tees.

*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze** tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the **Bronze** tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Special Events:** Closet to the Pin "A" - #6, "B" - #17, "C" - #3, "D" - #14

**Other Information:** Teams will be randomly drawn with each team consisting of an A, B, C, and D player.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Tee gifts for all participants.

**Food and Entertainment:** Breakfast included beginning at 8:15 AM

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire

**Cost of Event:** \$50.00 (estimated) per player includes tax and gratuities. SST members pay event fee plus SST greens fees.

**Registration Closing Date:** September 27, 2017; a waiting list will be used to form teams.

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder Cup qualifying points for the 2018 golf season. Each participant in the event will be awarded 15 points. Bonus points will be awarded to each member of the top placing teams.

**NAPERVILLE CUP**  
**October 6th – 8th**

**Schedule:** 10/6 FourBall at Cress Creek  
10/7 Alternate Shot at White Eagle  
10/8 Singles at Naperville

**Cost:** Cost is determined per round played per player, but is based on how each club puts their team together. This amount covers golf at all three venues and lunch (limited drinks) each day (also covers expenses for medals, team plate for the trophy).

**Team Composition:** 12 players from each club, each day. Each team should have 15 players, plus the Captain (total of 16). The Captains play against each other on Sunday (Singles) for sure, but they can also play the other two days.

**2017 Team Captain for Defending Champions Cress Creek:** Rich Cavoto

**NAPERVILLE CITY SCRAMBLE**  
**Dates TBD**

**Schedule:** 10am Shotgun Start at Naperbrook Golf Course

**Participating Facilities:**

White Eagle, Springbrook, Naperbrook, Bolingbrook GC & Cress Creek

**Cost:** \$120 cash per player.

**Team Composition:** Three foursomes from each facility in a “bring your best scramble”. One professional can play in each group. Gross scramble scoring.

Cash payouts for low teams and the low facilities.

**Food and Entertainment:** Lunch included following play.

**TURKEY TROT**  
**November 4th**

**Event Format:** 4-person scramble

**Start Time:** 10:00am Shotgun

**Handicap Used:** No handicap required.

**Tees:** Men will use the **Silver** tees.  
Ladies will use the **Red** tees.

**Other Information:** Make up your own foursome for this fun scramble! Handicaps not required. NO minimum drive rule.

**Gifts/Prizes:** All participants will receive a 10-12LB Turkey. Closest to the pin prize, HOLE 3. Each flight will receive Golf Shop Credit (# of teams paid out will be dependent on the number of teams entered in the event.)

Optional Skins game-cash entry \$20.00 per team (cash in/cash out) TIEBREAK ctp  
HOLE 14

Raffle Tickets will be sold on the day of the event for Pro Shop Merchandise. \$5 EACH  
OR 5 FOR \$20

**Food and Entertainment:** Lunch following golf.

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire

**Cost of Event:** \$60 for all golf members.  
\$70 for all SST Members & Guests.

**Price Includes:** Golf, Carts, Lunch, and Turkeys.

**Ryder Cup Points:** This event provides Ryder Cup qualifying points for the 2016 golf season. Each participant in the event will be awarded 15 points. Bonus points will be awarded to each member of the top placing teams.

**\*\*This event is open to SST Members and Guests\*\***

## NINE AND DINES

**Event Format:** Formats will vary based on dates and participation

**Start Time:** 5:30 Golf (9 Holes on Front 9)  
7:45 Dinner

**Dates:** May 12  
June 23  
July 28  
August 25

**Percentage of Handicap:** Men's and Lady's Handicaps will be added together, and then divided by 4. Nine hole Lady Handicaps will be doubled (max of 45), then added to Men's handicap, and then divided by 4.

**Handicap Used:** Current handicap based on event date.

**Tees:** Men will play from the **Silver** tees.  
Ladies will play from the **Red** Tees.

**Other Information:** When signing up, please notify the Pro Shop if you are staying for dinner.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Prizes will be awarded for Low Gross score and at least three\* Low Net scores post-flighted.

\*may vary based on participation

**Food and Entertainment:** Dinner to follow included in entry fee.

**Attire for Meals:** Golf attire, casual

**Cost of Event:** \$90.00 per couple, includes dinner. Golf Cart fees and beverages are member sign for.

**Registration Closing Date:** Please sign up at least 24 hours before the event is to be played.

## **MIXER TEE EVENT**

**May 27th**

**Event Format:** 2 players per team 1 Net Best of 2 For the 1 best of 2 format, each player hits his own ball throughout the round. However, at the end of each hole, the lowest net score or “net best ball” is used as the team score.

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% handicap index. Maximum handicap allowed: Silver 42, Bronze 41, Red – 46.

**Handicap Used:** May 15, 2017

**Tees:** All Men will play from the **Silver** tees.

All Ladies will play from the **Red** tees.

*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the **Bronze** tees. Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating. If you are interested in playing from the **Bronze** tees, please contact the Golf Shop.*

**Pairings:** Random Draw for partners based on number of entries, pairings and tee times will be announced on May 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Cost of Event:** \$10 member charge to account.

**Gifts/Prizes:** Prizes will be awarded for the lowest net team score (golf shop credit)

**Tee Times:** First tee time begins at 8:30am. Last tee time at 10:00am with 10 min intervals.\* based on number of participants.

Please sign up in the golf shop, registration closes 2 days prior to the start of each event. This is a great way to meet new and old members and play some golf.

## **BUSTER TEE EVENTS**

June 24<sup>th</sup> & August 13th

**Event Format:** 1 Net Best Ball + both players Combined Net.

**Best Ball:** For the best ball format, each player hits his own ball throughout the round. However, at the end of each hole, the lowest net score or “net best ball” is used as the team score.

**Combined Net:** Add Player A’s 18 hole NET score and Player B’s 18 hole NET score.

**Pairings:** Random Draw for partners based on number of entries.

**Tee Times:** First tee time begins at 8:30am. Last tee time at 10:00am with 10 min intervals. *\* based on number of participants*

**Percentage of Handicap:** 100% of handicap, appropriate revision dates will be used.

**Cost of Event:** \$25.00 Cash. Cash entry-- Cash payout. Cash will be collected prior to tee off.

**Tees:** Silver Tees

*\*Any player age 70 and older may elect to play from the Bronze (Max handicap - 41). Rule 3-5 will adjust for difference in course rating.*

Please sign up online, registration closes 2 days prior to the start of each event.