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TSWGA Club Representatives:

We are excited to inform you of changes made to the format of our TSWGA tournament. Responses to the survey from early 2023 indicate that participants' interests are headed in a new direction and we are following those wishes.

Since the disruption of 2021 and 2022 tournaments it has been difficult to fill the field as we had done in the past. Country Clubs are finding it more difficult to stage multi day tournaments at many sites.

It is with sincere appreciation I can say we are excited to have Elkins Lake Country Club hosting the 2024 TSWGA Golf Tournament.

The online tournament registration will begin March 1, 2024, running through March 31, 2024, on the website at [www.tswga.net](http://www.tswga.net). The field will be set on April 1<sup>st</sup>. The tournament dates will be Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup> through Thursday May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Important Reminder: Even if one of your members cannot play this year, she must go on-line to register that she is "Not Playing" in order to retain her seniority or to establish seniority if she has never played this tournament.

The flyer has the information that can be posted or distributed to all eligible members at your organizations. A list of accommodations is also included to plan your stay during the 2024 tournament. Elkins Lake ladies have worked overtime to gather this information for you to have options and a wonderful stay in the area.

The 2024 Elkins Lake Tournament is now a Match Play Event with flights of eight. A field of up to 144 will create 18 flights. The tournament will start with a practice round per person, first match on Tuesday, second on Wednesday and final on Thursday. The tournament will end one day sooner than before. As always if you lose on Wednesday you will have played two rounds and your tournament is over.

The player cost remains \$300. We are happy to not have any increase this year with the increased costs in course fees, food, flights and awards. This year the Welcome Party and the Business Banquet are combined on Sunday night to bring everyone together without a worry of getting to the event on time.

It is time to start promotion of the event with your Ladies Golf Association members. You are a significant member of the TSWGA and we appreciate your efforts to get the ladies of your organizations excited about playing.

We are here for you if you have any questions or concerns please contact me [gingerdieter@mac.com](mailto:gingerdieter@mac.com) or call me 713-417-6799

Sincerely,

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