WESTCHESTER WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION GENERAL INFORMATION

WEEKLY PLAY

- 1. WWGA plays every Tuesday at Westchester Golf Course (WGC), 6900 W. Manchester Avenue.
- 2. Tee Times are requested on a weekly basis at a date/time and format required by the WWGA Starter.
- 3. In the event of inclement weather, club members will be notified of play/course status via email between 6:30-6:45 on Tuesday morning OR members may contact the Pro Shop after 6:30am (310-649-9173). IF WGC announces NO CARTS, league play will be cancelled. If the course is open, members may opt to play a recreational round. NO weekly game; HIO, low net, birdies and/or chip-ins are NOT counted.

4. Tee Times & Pairings

- a. Players are expected to be at the course, ready to play, not less than 20 minutes prior to tee time.
- b. Last-minute cancellations may result in less than 3 players in a group. In this event players at the course are expected to realign groups to create foursomes; or minimally threesomes. This might involve eliminating a group; with groups following having their start times moved up.
- c. Players cancelling after publication/distribution of tee sheet should notify the other players in their foursome. This is in addition to notifying the starter and/or the ProShop in acordance with the instructions from the starter.
- d. Foursomes should start at scheduled start times. Do not accelerate start times because the 1st green is open. WAIT for the scheduled start time.

WEEKLY GAMES

- 1. The Weekly Game announcement is distributed with the weekly tee sheet and is posted on the bulletin board and the WWGA website.
- 2. An "X" on any hole in the round results in disqualification from the weekly game. NOTE: Refer to Standing Rules regarding "Team" game exceptions (pink ball, orange ball).
- 3. Cash awards are given to first, second and third place in each flight. Ties are paid.

TOURNAMENTS

WWGA has Major Tournaments throughout the year. (Refer to Standing Rules for eligibility) Tournament schedule is set annually; tournaments schedule is at the discretion of the Board.

- 1. Eclectic 36-hole (two weeks) single player event in which player selects better score on each hole for 18-hole tournament total.
- 2. President's Cup Match play; elimination tournament. Number of weeks dependent on field size. Includes a final consolation round (stroke play, low net) for non-winners.

- 3. Spring Fling Fun, recreational team tournament.
- 4. Club Championship 54-hole single player event. The field is flighted with additional prizes in each flight. Senior* golfers may have a special recognition category.
 - *Senior TBD by board, based on field size and ages of players
- 5. Captains Cup 36-hole partner better ball event
- 6. Play Away held over 3 days in the 3rd week of May. Tournament formats vary.

Tournaments schedule is subject to change.

SCORING AND POSTING

- 1. Play Days--Tuesdays
 - a. Each foursome will be provided with ONE buff scorecard; three players will complete a WGC scorcard for varification purposes. The buff card is submitted for record keeping purposes. Please complete legibly, last name entered first and in alphabetical order *unless* otherwise announced. (There are situations during tournaments where names are not alphabetical and it makes sense for buff card to match the tournament card.)
 - b. Mark any birdies, eagles or chip-ins. Birdie scores are circled. Scores for a chip-in have a triangle around them. Eagles should be marked with a double circle. WWGA pays an award for each birdie, eagle and chip-in made in regulation WWGA weekly play; payment included in year-end club pay-out.
 - c. Compare scores and designate one person to email a picture of the scorecard to Handicap and Weekly Tournament Chairs. Include Special Achievements volunteer for birdies, eagles & chip-ins as necessary.
 - d. Each player must post her own score by 5:00 PM on the day played. Failure to post by deadline will result in ineligibility for weekly gamme.

2. Tournaments

- a. Use two scorecards per foursome in accordance with tournament instructions. Please complete legibly, last name entered first and in the order specified by tournament chair (alphabetically, if not specified).
- **b.** Tournament/Competition scores are posted by the Handicap Chair.

HOLE IN ONE CLUB (HIO)

- 1. Participation is optional.
- 2. To be eligible a member must pay the specified amount to the Treasurer.
- 3. Subsequent payments due are assessed by the Board as needed, based on HIO cash reserves on hand.

- 4. Participant list is reset each time the HIO reserves are replenished.
- 5. Player provides Hole in One details (hole #, date played) following the round to the Special Achievements volunteer.

MEETINGS

- 1. **General meetings** will be held the third Tuesday of each month following golf at the discretion of the President; location and time to be announced.
- 2. **Board meetings** will be held at the discretion of the President; location and date/time to be announced.

ANCILLARY (OPTIONAL) MEMBERSHIPS

Additional golf opportunities are available by joining two associations which have an active WWGA representation.

- 1. LACWGA (Los Angeles County Women's Golf Association) www.LACWGA.net
 - a. Monthly Play days usually on the 4th Thursday of each month
 - b. Major Tournaments annually
- 2. WPLGA (Women's Public Links Golf Association) www.WPLGA.net
 - a. Monthly Association days usually on the 2nd Thursday of each month
 - b. Major Tournaments annually

WEBSITE

Information on WWGA can be found at WWGA.net.

BULLETIN BOARD

The board is located in the cart staging area and contains information on WWGA games and tournaments, results of play, local rules and upcoming club events and luncheons as well as announcements from LACWGA and WPLGA.

BOARD/OFFICERS & VOLUNTEERS

Board members serve annual terms (January 1 – December 31) and are elected in accordance to the WWGA Constitution. The board is comprised of six (6) elected officers and three (3) appointed standing committee chairs'

- 1. Elected Officers
 - a. President
 - b. Vice-President (Handicap Chair)
 - c. Secretary
 - d. Treasurer
 - e. Major Tournament Chair

- f. Weekly Games Chair
- 2. Standing Committee Chairs
 - a. Rules
 - b. Social
 - c. Membership
- 3. Advisor (immediate past-president, Non-voting)

Additional Volunteers - Non-board members, appointed by the President

- a. Bulletin Board Coordinator
- b. Directory (Blue Book) Coordinator
- c. Goodwill Coordinator
- d. Play Away Coordinator
- e. LACWGA Representative
- f. WPLGA Representative
- g. Special AchievementsCoordinator
- h. Starter

MISCELLANEOUS

Club colors consist of powder blue top with navy blue or white bottoms.

Membership dues are payable and mailed on or after October 1 (and are delinquent November 1) accompanied with the membership renewal form sent by the Membership Chair. Refer to Standing Rules for dues proration for new members joining mid-year.

SCGA (GHIN handicap administrator) annual dues are paid individually upon receipt of notice from SCGA.