

Pine Hills Men's Club

2019 Season Information Letter



Changes from last season, all Headers are in Red!



GENERAL INFORMATION

SIGN UP & TEE TIMES

All players MUST CHECK IN 45 minutes BEFORE THEIR SCHEDULED STARTING TIME. Late arrivals may be replaced or lose their assigned tee time. **Sign up deadline for all tournaments is on the Wednesday by 4PM preceding the tournament. The closing time will adjust according to the Pro Shop closing time.** Any member who registers for a tournament will be expected to participate in that tournament; Inability to meet this commitment must be reported to the club as soon as possible.

EARLY TEE TIME REQUESTS

Request for early tee times can be as late as group 4 or 5, depending on the field. Abuse of the privilege can result in an end to this request.

Exceptions are Tom Gomes who works the golf course that benefits us all and the Illiano's for all the food he brings us almost every week.

SCHEDULE

Any changes in the tournament schedule will be posted near the signup sheet. It is not the responsibility of the club if a player cannot play in a tournament due to a schedule change for any reason.

KICKERS

Kickers are an optional extra added to all tournaments. The optional fee of \$3.00 (*\$6.00 per team in some events*) is collected when you sign in. At the end of play a random number from 0 to 9 is picked. If the last digit of your gross score matches the selected number you win or share the pot!

Once the number is selected no changes to the score posted on the kicker sheet is accepted, regardless if your score is posted correctly or incorrectly! If no score is posted on the kicker sheet, you cannot win.

RED WHITE AND BLUE TEES

Fourth of July weekend: Player must play any 6 holes from the red tees, 6 from the white tees, and 6 from the blue tees.

You choose the tees you wish to play on each hole.

DUES & PRIZE FUND

Dues are used for administration expenses, USGA handicaps for all members, awards, the prize fund, and to supplement the end of the season award dinner. The prize fund is used to purchase credit in the Pro Shop

USGA Recommended Handicaps

Four-ball (better-ball-of-two) match play – 100%
Four-ball (better-ball-of-two) stroke play _ 90%
Best-ball-of-four stroke play _ 80%
Two-best-balls of-four stroke play_ 90%

Handicap Allowance for Events

Founders Points Played at 100%
Red vs. Blue Singles played at 100%
Red vs. Blue Partners 90%
Memorial Played at 100% Handicap
Member/Member 90%
Stableford Championship 90%
Club Championship 100%
President Cup 100%

TOURNAMENT TYPES

MEDAL PLAY

Stroke play: with winners in each flight. Competition is among all players in your flight. 18 holes net, 2 nine hole nets, 3 sixes net, best 12 of 18 holes net, **(100% HC)**

TWO MAN BEST BALL

Best net score for each hole is recorded. Competition is among all teams in your flight. **(90%)**

STABLEFORD POINTS

Points earned for each hole, computed by your net score. This event is played in flights, individual **(100%)** or partners. **(90%)** Competition is among all teams or players in your flight.

RED VERSES BLUE

Two teams (red & blue) made by matching players mostly by handicap. The team a player represents is picked at random. Match play is used with one point earned for the front nine, one point for the back nine, and one point for the overall. All ties will earn ½ point each. The team with the most points will share the allocated prize fund. In the unlikely event of a tie, all 3-point winners will be awarded a normal prize for first place. Players on the winning team must earn at least one ½ point to share in the prize fund. 3-point winners on the losing team will receive a consolation prize. This event is played in singles matches **(100% handicap)** or best ball doubles. **(90% handicap)**

MAJOR TOURNAMENTS

MEMBER<>MEMBER

This tournament is open to all members. *1st year members must have played at least 6 rounds.* The Member/Member tournament is 36 holes Best Ball played over 2 Saturdays as scheduled. All teams must sign in as a twosome (pick your own partner) and be able to play on the scheduled dates and rain dates. This tournament requires a \$15 per person Registration Fee. No blinds are used in this event, but a player may play alone if his partner cannot play. At the completion of 36 holes of play the low gross team is the Gross Champion. The low net score is the Net Champion.

A tie for 1st place low net is played off from the 1st hole with strokes on the handicap holes as noted on the official card. A Tie for 1st place gross division is played off from the 1st hole sudden death.

One Player can represent his team at any time in this event.

If both players of a team leave the Pine Hills facility it is determined they have conceded the playoff.

This event is played at (90% handicap)

2 MAN STABLEFORD CHAMPIONSHIP

This tournament is open to all members. *1st year members must have played at least 3 rounds.*

36 holes, first 18 holes are played best ball points; second 18 holes are played combined total points. All teams must sign in as a twosome (pick your own partner) and be able to play on the scheduled dates and rain dates. This tournament requires a \$15 per person registration fee.

Tie for 1st place will be played off sudden death (Total Points) from the 1st hole. Shots are given as listed on the score card.

If both players leave Pine Hills, they will automatically place as though they lost the playoff. One member of the team may play alone and will have a (-2 score) for his partners score for every hole played.

This Event is played at (90%Handicap)

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP (Gross Champion) & PRESIDENTS CUP (Net Champion)

These tournaments are open to all members. *1st year members must have played at least 7 rounds to be eligible.* The 2 tournaments are played concurrently for 3 rounds (54 Holes) stroke play. After 54 holes of play the low gross score is the Club Champion. The low net score is the Presidents Cup winner.

TIES

In the event of a tie for gross, the players will play off sudden death from the first hole to decide the winner. The other players are contestants in the Presidents Cup. If the low gross winner is tied for 1st in the net division, he is the Club Champion and not in the Presidents Cup. A tie for low net (President Cup) will be played off starting on the 1st hole with full handicaps on each hole. The Club Champion & President winner share equal prizes. The President Cup will have 10 winners.

If a player leaves Pine Hills it will be determined he has conceded the playoff.

This event is played at (100% Handicap)

FOUNDERS CUP

The Founders Cup format of play is changed to give more players a fairer chance in the competition.

The event is played every Saturday from April 6th through October 12th with the finals on October 19th. The finals have a rain date of November 2nd. If both dates are rained out, the totals from the last round played will be the final results.

The event is played in 1 flight.

The top 12 players each Saturday will receive points as listed on the chart.

All other participants that finish the round will receive 10 points

This event is played at (100% Handicap).

Founders Points Chart

1 st	300	Points
2 nd	250	Points
3 rd	210	Points
4 th	180	Points
5 th	160	Points
6 th	140	Points
7 th	120	Points
8 th	100	Points
9 th	80	Points
10 th	60	Points
11 th	40	Points
12 th	20	Points

All other participants who play the full round will receive 10 Points

Ryder Cup Match

After Season Event

Players are picked by the Captains

The Captains are selected by the Clubs President

subject to change by the committee