

## **November 2025 Ladies Village Cup (LVC) Captains Committee Update**

The Ladies Village Cup Captains Committee met again on November 22nd to finalize registration and other plans for an exciting 2025 Ladies Village Cup Tournament!

First, we are still waiting for final verification of tournament dates from Golf Administration, but hope to have this settled early next week. Due to unexpected changes Golf administration had to make a change in our dates. We will now play the week of 7<sup>th</sup> and April 14<sup>th</sup>. We realize that Easter comes at the end of the second week. The dates of play will be April 7, 9 and 11 and April 14, 15 and 17.

Next, we are excited to have completed work to create an updated vision statement. After looking at the current bylaws, we realized that we didn't have a vision statement sufficient to use as a guide to determine whether changes/ enhancements considered for our tournament are in alignment with our vision. Through a few discussions, including a separate working session, we created a new vision statement with a clearer description of what the Ladies Village Cup strives to achieve:

“The Ladies Village Cup celebrates sportsmanship and exceptional competition through a premier match play golf event that upholds USGA tournament standards while creating cohesive team experiences and fostering lasting friendships”

This new Vision Statement has also updated in the Ladies Village Cup Bylaws document which can be found on our website: [www.ladiesvillagecup.com](http://www.ladiesvillagecup.com)

Based on our updated vision, the following decisions have been made regarding the 2025 Ladies Village Cup Tournament:

- The Ladies Village Cup will allow players with up to a maximum GHIN Low Handicap Index of 30 to participate in the tournament
- All participants will play from the Green Tees
- To align with the “exceptional competition” and “cohesive team experience” tenets of our new vision statement, we will continue to select members for each team based on the lowest 16 GHIN Low Handicap Index players who register for each team.

During our meeting, we also completed the updates, review, and approval of the 2025 Conditions of Competition document which has also been updated on our website: [www.ladiesvillagecup.com](http://www.ladiesvillagecup.com)

Some additional key updates include:

- The registration fee has increased from \$20 to \$25 mainly due to rising costs. It is the first increase in registration fees in 7+ years. You will not be asked to pay your registration fee until you have been confirmed on a team. You will be given directions at that time how and where to do this.
- The LVC ProAm Tournament, where four players plus a Villages Golf Pro play for bragging rights will be held on March 18<sup>th</sup> (course still to be determined)
- The LVC Kickoff Meeting will be held on March 28<sup>th</sup> at the Savannah Center. Teams should plan to bring their own food. The program will run from 3-5PM, so please plan to arrive in time to mingle before, and then be ready to start at 3PM. Teams should also plan to ensure that they help clean up their team tables/area.