## CORDOVA GOLF CLUB

## TOURNAMENT RULES

**HANDICAPS:** All Cordova Club tournaments, including NCGA qualifying tournaments will be played using tournament handicaps only. Members must play a minimum of (4) four club tournaments before receiving a tournament handicap and must have a tournament handicap in order to qualify for tournament awards. Handicaps will be adjusted after each completed round. Handicaps will be determined using 3 of the last 10 adjusted scores.

**TOURNAMENTS:** All tournaments shall be played by the general rules of golf and the rules listed on the course scorecard, except as stated by Cordova Golf Club rules.

**CORDOVA GOLF CLUB RULES:** Lift clean and place, year round. **Mark** your ball then you may lift, clean and place the ball a maximum of 1 club length in **fairway being played**, no closer to the hole, elsewhere, 1 club grip no closer. The use of your hand or a club to move ball without properly marking ball, counts as a **stroke** in Stroke Play and **loss of hole** in Match Play.

**ELIGIBILITY:** To be eligible for **Zone** qualifying and **Trophy** tournaments, members must have played in (10) ten scheduled club tournaments in the (12) twelve month period, prior to the applicable tournament. Delinquent members who reinstate their membership after a December deadline of each year must re-qualify their eligibility.

**TIES:** In the event of a tie in any **Trophy** or **Zone** qualifying tournament, the winner will be determined by a sudden death playoff. All other ties in tournaments will be determined using the matching scorecard formula: 1) last nine holes 2) last six 3) last three and 4) the 18<sup>th</sup> hole. If still tied, repeat this formula for the 1<sup>st</sup> nine holes.

**PAIRINGS:** In all Multiple rounds and major tournaments, pairings are made according to previous round scores with the leaders going last.

PLAYER RESPONSIBILITES: If you are on the Play Every Tournament (PET) list, you will be scheduled to play every tournament. If you are not able to play a tournament, your cancellation must be made 48 hrs prior to a scheduled tournament start time. 3 no shows and/or late cancellations will result in removal from the PET list for the remainder of the tournament year. Players not on the PET list will need to notify tournament director no later than Thursday to request a start time. Only emergency cancellations will be allowed without fee penalty. Failing to cancel within above parameters will result in tournament fee and possible green fee assessment. All assessment fees must be paid prior to or at the next tournament being played. You can request to be included or removed from the PET list at anytime and as often as you wish. Must arrive 30 minutes before start time.

**NCGA TOURNAMENTS:** All members who **commit** to qualify agree to pay the total costs incurred collectively in advance and if additional costs are necessary agree to pay these cost as well.