# RULES AND REGULATIONS

## RCGA

The rules of golf as drawn up by the RCGA will be observed at all times, except as modified by:

1. The local rules of the courses being played.
2. The requirements to pick up your ball after double par and proceed to the next hole. (Check the Par rating on the Golf Course’s Official Scorecard.)

## Tee-time Booking

Members may book their tee times in the following manner:

1. Times can be booked up to 2 weeks in advance.
2. Sign up via email to Course Coordinator. Deadline is noon 4 days prior to game day

## Guest Booking

Members can book only three guest times during each season. No guest times can be booked during a tournament or contest function. A guest booking is subject to the following rules:

1. A guest must be 55 years of age or older.
2. In allocating a tee-off time, the coordinator will give priority to members.
3. No non-member can play as a guest more than three times per season.

## Minimum Game Requirement:

1. Any members who do not participate in at least Twelve (12) games for 18 holes or Ten (10) games for 9 holes (or any combination of both) during a golf season might not be entitled to renew his/her membership.
2. Priority will be given to members who have met their game requirements.
3. Consideration will be given for just cause such as illness, injury, etc.

## Tee Times Commitment

1. Members who have reserved a tee-off time and find they cannot play will be expected to notify the Course Coordinator by the day before a scheduled game, or in the event of an emergency, the morning of the game. This allows members on a waiting list to move up and provides adequate time to contact the course re: player count.
2. Members who on three (3) or more occasions fail to cancel their tee off time and/or fail to turn up on that day, will have their membership in the club reviewed. You will be sent a letter after the second occurrence to draw your attention to these rules.
3. In addition, members who fail to turn up (no shows) on the scheduled golf day and have not notified the coordinator ahead of time, will be fined $10.

## Weather Policy

1. Games will be played regardless of the weather unless the course is closed.
2. DO NOT CALL THE GOLF COURSE
3. If the course is closed because of rain, the Course Coordinator will contact the members who have signed up to play that day.
4. If you cannot play due to extreme heat, you must inform the coordinator at least 24 hours prior to game day.

## Dress code:

1. Proper golfing attire must be worn.
2. Proper shoes with soft spikes are mandatory

## Alcoholic Beverages

Alcoholic beverages are strictly prohibited outside the licensed areas and only when legally purchased from the bar.

Golfers may be suspended from the course for excessive use of profane language, malicious damage or other misconduct.

## Golf Day Arrival

On golf days, be at the clubhouse and sign in at least 45 minutes prior to your personal tee time. Late arrivals will be assigned to the last group.

Upon your arrival at the golf course, please follow these instructions:

1. All players must register with the Course Coordinator first.
2. Players may then pay for their golf game at the pro shop.
3. All players must be at the starting tee when your name is called, at least ten (10) minutes prior to your tee-off time. (Golfers who are not present will lose their starting time with their group). DO NOT DISTURB THE STARTER

## Cell Phones

Cellular telephones and pagers should be put on mute in order not to disturb your fellow golfers.

Members who do not abide by the Rules and Regulations will be sent a letter reminding them of their responsibilities and obligations to the Club.