



2025 Derby

'For Gentlemen 70+ years of age'

Tuesday, August 26

Eligibility/Field: 2-Player Teams (2 Members or 1 Member + 1 Guest)

Players must be aged 70+ to participate
Members may be Primary Golf Members or Extended Family
Caddies are available upon request (limited availability)
Caddies can provide advice/service to all players in a foursome

Entry Fee: \$100 per member, \$200 per guest

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

8:00 am: Practice Facility available
8:00 am: Breakfast Buffet
9:45 am: Tournament announcements @ Practice Facility
10:00 am: Shotgun Start
Following Play: Awards, cocktails, & hors d'oeuvres (spouses are invited)

Format: Shamble (One Best Net)

Both players may tee off on each hole. Players select the best tee shot and play their own ball until the ball is holed. After the tee shot only, players may both play from within one club-length (one putter-head length on the green), maintaining the integrity of the lie (i.e. ball in the rough stays in the rough). Maximum score is net triple bogey.

Handicaps: Players receive 80% of their course handicap

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Tees: Players will play the III tees (approx. 6000 yds.). *Players may play the IV or V tees with the appropriate handicap reduction. Typically, a player's IV tee handicap is 1-3 strokes lower, and V tee handicap is 6-10 strokes lower, than their III tee handicap. This is a decision made by each player and players on a team can play different tees.*

Ties: Ties will be broken by a scorecard playoff, beginning with the last 9, last 6, etc.

Rules/reminders to help with pace of play and fun for all players:

- **"Gimme" Rule:** A putt may be considered a "gimme" if it is closer to the hole than the distance between the metal bottom of the flagstick and the inside/bottom edge of the black tape. A "gimme" does count as a stroke.
- The 14 Club Rule is NOT in effect.
- Relief may be taken from **sod seams** only of any newly laid sod.
- **Sprinkler Head Close To Putting Green** (Model Local Rule F-5): For a ball in the General Area, a player may take relief under Rule 16.1b if the sprinkler head is on the line of play (reasonable), within two club-lengths of the putting green, and within two club-lengths of the ball.
- For any rules questions that cannot immediately be decided, please play and hole 2 balls under Rule 20.1c(3) and seek a Golf Professional after play.