



2025 Horse In the Barn

Saturday, September 20

Eligibility/Field: 4-Player Teams

Teams may consist of any combination of Members and guests
Must be at least one Member or Extended Family on the team

Entry Fee:

\$100 per Member, \$200 per guest

*spouses of participants are welcome to attend the event after play (\$50 fee)

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9 am: Practice Facility available
10 am: Brunch Buffet
12 pm: Shotgun Start
Following Play: Awards, cocktails, & hors d'oeuvres

Format:

Scramble (net) With a Step-Back:

Each player may tee off on each hole. The best shot is selected.

Step-Back: For each shot after the tee shot, the player's whose shot was selected takes a 'step back' and does not play that shot. So, for each shot other than a tee shot, only 3 players will play those shots.

No practice or 'scout' shots may be hit by the step-back player

Players may lift, clean, and place their ball 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) and repeat this procedure until the ball is holed.

Handicaps:

September 1st USGA 'Low Handicap Index' (12-month low) used; maximum handicap of 36. Combined 25% A player, 20% B player, 15% C Player, 10% D Player (rounded to one decimal place). Maximum score on a hole is triple bogey.

Prizes:

The Overall low net team, and low men's, ladies', and mixed team(s) will be awarded prizes. There will be Closest To The hole contests on #7 & #16.

Tees:

Men play the II tees, unless they have previously notified a golf professional in advance their intent to play the III, IV, or V tees with a handicap adjustment. Ladies play the V tees.

Ties:

All ties will be broken by the lowest net score on holes 10—18, then 13—18, and so on until a winner is determined.

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.