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Special Events Coordinators

Dinner Dance	TBD
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Please note that the following informaton in this handbook was prepared in light of current restrictions (December 2020) and is subject to change. It is important to stay informed through the L9GA.org web site, L9GA Events, L9GA eblasts and updates from the Landings Golf Club.

L9GA Tournaments

Member-Guest March 10-11 Chair - Mimi Krupp

L9GA members are eligible to participate in this event along with their Landings or non Landings guests. Landings guests need to be golf members and have an established handicap. Each non-Landings guest will need a handicap/index from her club's pro. This information is to be submitted to The Landings Club Tournament Coordinator by the sign-up deadline. Information regarding the tournament may be found at L9GA.org.

Member-Member April 14-15 Chairs- Katherine Crew and Annette Turner

This tournament is open to all L9GA members. Select a fellow L9GA member and sign up together for this fun event. The Landings Club Tournament Coordinator will adjust paired handicaps if there is more than a seven point spread between the handicaps of the two players. Flyers detailing information about the tournament may be found at L9GA.org.

Charity Tournament October 28 Chair - Elsa Lindenschmidt

The L9GA's charity of choice is the Kids Cafe, an afterschool meal program for school-age children who are at-risk for hunger. Open to all Landings Golf members (including men) and their guests. Flyers detailing information about the tournament may be found at L9GA.org.

Club Sponsored Event

Womens Nine Hole Championship - date TBD

This flighted tournament is open to all Landings Club women golf members and is organized by the Landings Golf Club. As with other Landings Club tournaments, trophies are given to the overall gross and net winner, and prizes are given to the top three net finishers in each flight who play the course tees. To encourage L9GA players, separate prizes will be given to top L9GA players in each flight from the L9GA

L9GA Thursday Play Days

Play Days are Thursdays during the months of January-May and September-December. Summer play days are those days of play during the months of June-August.

Information regarding the specific game and course location can be found under the Landings Club Golf tab. Click on L9GA Events to view location, game and to register.

When signing up for play (via L9GA Events) tee times are reserved for L9GA from 8:02-9:30 and players are informed of their tee time by Chelsea reservations. Players should select their tees (course, Island or short, Skidaway).

REMINDER -Due to recent restrictions, start times are staggered from 8:02- 9:30. In January and February start times will be shotgun at 10 a.m. *This is subject to the most recent safety restrictions.*

General Rules for all Play Formats

- All scores must be posted except for games that allow for atypical golf rules (ie. scrambles)
- All players must putt out their ball unless otherwise specified.
- All players must pick up their ball if they have reached their Net Double Bogey score unless otherwise specified by the phrase “must hole out”.

The months of June, July, and August are designated as “Summer Play Days”, as there are no games or flights. During the summer months, the icon “Add a Team Member” will be included within the sign-up via L9GA Events so that you may play with another L9GA member. Start times remain from 8:02-9:30 for Summer Play Days. Special FRIEND Days will be scheduled to invite non-L9GA golfers.

Play Day Sign-Up and Cancellation Procedures

The deadline for sign-up for regular Play Days and Meet-n-Eat Play Days **is 8 a.m. on the Monday** of the week of play.

To sign up for an L9GA event:

- Go to www.landingsclub.com
- Log in to your account.
- Select the Golf Tab.

- Click on L9GA Events.
- Click on “View” to the right of the Event you want to sign up for.
- Click on “Register” for the Event. This is in the blue box on the left.
- Click on “New Registration”.
- Select the Tee you wish to play from.
- Acknowledge the Privacy Notice at the bottom.
- Click on “Register”
- Once you have registered, you will immediately receive a confirmation email.
- If you miss the sign-up deadline you will not be able to sign up online. Call the Tee Time Assistance Line (912-598-2677).

By Tuesday, you will have received an email from the Club scheduling system indicating the date of play, the designated course, the tee time, your starting hole and your playing partners. **The first name of the foursome is the captain.**

Should you need to cancel prior to **Monday at 8 a.m., go back to where you signed up (L9GA Events) and click on “cancel”.**

Finally, should you need to cancel on the day of play, contact your group and the Pro Shop where you are scheduled to play. If play is cancelled, notice will be given on the Club’s Golf Announcement Line (rain line)- 912-598-3450 and via an e-blast.

Scorecards

On the morning of play, pre-printed scorecards will be available. The code for Golf Genius will be noted on the card. **Directions for Golf Genius can be found on the L9GA.org website under Quick Links.**

Within the group, one person should be designated to keep scores using Golf Genius and another group member should keep scores on the paper scorecard. Please verify the scores on Golf Genius using the paper scorecard at the end of play. **Please note that under USGA golf guidelines handicaps will be calculated daily so it is imperative that golf scores are posted on the day of play.**

To post your score:

- Go to www.landingsclub.com
- Log in to your account
- Select the Golf Tab
- Select GHIN
- Enter your GHIN number
- Enter your last name
- Verify the date
- Type = select Home or Away
- Holes = Select 18 or 9
- Rating/Slope Entry: Click on "Course"

- State = Select GA
- Starts With: Select the letter “L”
- Course: Select Landings Club - Oakridge for example
- Tee: Click on the appropriate Tee and whether it was the front or back 9.
- ESC Score: Enter your Adjusted Gross Score
- Click “Post Score”
- Remember to Log Out

It is helpful to put the GHIN app on your phone. The Golf Pros will help you with this process. Once you have this app, there are very few steps to put in your score or to check your handicap for each course.

Award Points Policy

Value: One point equals \$1.00

Award Points: Award Points are given on non-tournament days for players during the regularly scheduled Play Days as per the chart below. In the event of a tie, a match off using USGA rules will determine the winner. In order to be awarded Award Points, players must post scores in GHIN no later than the day after play.

Individual Winners	1st	3Points
	2nd	2Points
	3rd	1 Point

Team Winners	1st	2Points
	2nd	1Point

Awards

Hole-In-One: A \$30.00 cash award is given to any L9GA member who scores a hole-in-one during a regular L9GA Play Day. This award is not given during Summer Play Days or during Tournaments. The player must play the entire nine holes, report her score to the Pro Shop, and inform the Game Coordinator. Remember to have someone who played with you attest your Hole-In One.

I Broke 50/45: Year-end recognition will be given to any L9GA member whose first time gross score is less than 50 or 45 during a regular L9GA Play Day. This award is not given during Summer Play Days or during Tournaments. The member must play the entire nine holes and inform the Game Coordinator. Remember to have someone who played with you attest your score.

Most Improved Golfer: A member must have played in a minimum of nine L9GA Play Days during the months from January - May and September - December 1 in order to be eligible for this award. The Landings Club Tournament Coordinator will make all calculations, and the player with the largest percentage of improvement in her index is the winner.

General Information

Handicap: Each player is responsible for maintaining her established handicap by posting her allowed score each time she plays. Players must maintain an 18-hole handicap.

Meet-n-Eats: The L9GA hosts Meet-n-Eats throughout the year after regular Play Days. Those that have signed up to play golf on that day are automatically registered for the luncheon. Those not playing, yet wishing to attend the luncheon, may contact the Meet-n-Eat Coordinator no later than the Monday before the event. In order to receive a refund, cancellations must be made directly to the Meet-n-Eat Coordinator by noon on Monday prior to the event.

Membership and Dues: Membership in the L9GA requires a handicap of 60 or below for 18 holes. Annual dues are \$44 per calendar year, January - December. Annual dues will be charged to the member's Landings Club account and billed on the December statement each year. Members joining after January 1 will pay their dues (by personal check) directly to the Membership Coordinator. Once regular play is concluded in May, dues are reduced to \$22 through the year end.

Name Tags: Members are encouraged to wear nametags during check-in, warm up, and social events. Tags may be ordered from the board Secretary.

Pace of Play: As members, we are expected to complete 9 holes of golf in 2 hours. Our goal is to enhance the playing experience by doing the following:

- Play “ready” golf
- Keep up with the group in front of you, not behind you
- Plan your shot while walking to your ball or while others are playing
- “Hit then sit” when sharing a golf cart (put clubs away when you get to the other”s player’s ball or to the next tee)
- Record the score on the way to the next hole
- Park the cart and search for your ball on foot
- Play your ball, then help others search
- Fill divots/fix ball marks when waiting to play
- Know the USGA Rules of Golf and our Local Rules

Resignation: Any member who intends to resign her membership from the L9GA must make direct contact with the Membership Coordinator by December 15.

Responsibilities - Captains: The captain is the first person listed on the tee-time email notification sent from Chelsea Reservations. The morning of play, the captain picks up the scorecard and ensures that all players are present. The captain, or her designee, keeps score using Golf Genius and is responsible for verifying the score using the paper scorecard. All team members should agree on the scores submitted using Golf Genius.

The captain is also responsible for the team's pace of play. If you are the designated captain and need to cancel, contact the next player listed in your group and ask her to assume the captain's role. If you are new to the role of captain and would like assistance, please contact the second person on your team.

Responsibilities - Players:

On the day of play, should a player be unable to play, she should contact the Golf Shop and the members of the group.

Before play, each golfer should look up her handicap for the course and tee being played. This determines her maximum number of strokes (dots) allowed per hole.

Each player is responsible for entering her postable score in GHIN on the day of play.

Scoring Guidelines: All strokes are counted (no "mulligans" or "breakfast balls"). Players are required to sink all putts unless they have reached their Net Double Bogey score. Certain games may require "holing out" and players should check the game directions on the back of the score card.

In tournament play, players must count all strokes unless otherwise directed by The Landings Club Tournament Coordinator.

If unsuccessful after two attempts to cross a water hazard (yellow stakes), a player should drop a ball on the other side and count a stroke and penalty for each ball hit into the

hazard. Then add one penalty stroke for taking the ball to the other side. She is now hitting 6. This is an L9GA rule.

If a conflict in the stroke count occurs within a group, players should attempt to resolve the situation on the course amongst themselves. If an agreement cannot be reached, contact the Pro Shop for assistance.

World Handicap System: Maximum score per hole or Net Double Bogey

Net Double Bogey = Par + 2 + the Handicap strokes received on a given hole

For ease, this chart can be used as a quick reference:

Par 3 Hole

1 handicap stroke or “dot” = 6 maximum strokes

2 handicap strokes or “dot” = 7 maximum strokes

3 handicap strokes or “dot” = 8 maximum strokes

Par 4 Hole

1 handicap stroke or “dot” = 7 maximum strokes

2 handicap strokes or “dot” = 8 maximum strokes

3 handicap strokes or “dot” = 9 maximum strokes

Par 5 Hole

1 handicap stroke or “dot” = 8 maximum strokes

2 handicap strokes or “dot” = 9 maximum strokes

3 handicap strokes or “dot” = 10 maximum strokes

Special Circumstances

Blind Draw - Whenever there is a group of three (3) players when the format for the day involves 4-person teams, and everyone is playing her own ball, the group of three players will be assigned a player selected at random (a “blind draw”) from one of the 4-person teams. The scores of the “blind draw” player will be transposed onto the scorecard for the group of three players so that all groups have the benefit of four players.

3 Person Teams - If any of the teams playing either the Colored Ball or Scramble format has only three (3) players, each player, on a rotational basis, will play a second ball on each hole. This assures that four (4) balls are played. In a Scramble, if the additional ball turns out to be the best shot, select it and proceed from there.

Player A plays an extra shot on Holes 1, 4 & 7 (10, 13 & 16)

Player B plays an extra shot on Holes 2, 5 & 8 (11, 14 & 17)

Player C plays an extra shot on Holes 3, 6 & 9 (12, 15 & 18)