

SPRING 2020

Dear Bartlett Women's League Golfer:

Spring will be here soon, along with our golf season!



Our league begins on Monday, April 27th and ends on Monday, August 31st. That gives us 18 weeks to get our required 10 games in! There will be no league golf on Memorial Day, May 25th.

The registration fee of \$25 should be made by check payable to Bartlett Women's Golf League. Mail your check and registration form to **League President Lori Warder, 287 E Cleburne Ave, Bartlett IL 60103** by Monday, April 20th to ensure you make the **Wednesday, April 22nd deadline**. Registrations received after deadline will be assessed a late fee of \$5. Registration fees must be paid before the league starts play. No scores will be entered until fees are paid. Registration fees are not refundable once league play has started.

The league fee covers the cost of copy paper, copying costs, postage, score keeping website, league gift, banquet prizes, and scorekeeper's greens fees punch card. The League Fee does NOT include the end of the season banquet cost. Payment for the End-of-Season Banquet will be requested later in the season.

New members are always welcome, so please forward this registration information to any friends that may be interested. League members must be 18 or over.

Golf League Kick-Off Night: Monday, April 20th 6pm at Log Cabin in Bartlett Park. This night is open to everyone. Whether you are thinking about joining the league or want more information. Come ask questions, meet other players, and enjoy some light refreshment.

Greens Fees: League members are required to pay weekly greens fees for a round of golf; or you may purchase a 10-round punch card or full season pass (at resident rate) from the Bartlett Park District. Season Golf Passes and 10-round punch cards are available at the Registration Counter in the lobby of the Bartlett Community Center, 700 S. Bartlett Road, Bartlett, IL, 60103. Punch Cards can also be purchased at the Clubhouse at Apple Orchard Golf Course.

Tee Time Sign-up Sheets: The tee-time sign-up sheets will be posted on the bulletin board above the drinking fountain at Apple Orchard Golf Course beginning **Monday, April 20th at 1pm**. You must sign up for your tee time one week in advance of playing. **The sign-up sheet will be posted on Sunday by 1pm for the following week.** If you do not see the sign-up sheet, ask the golf course attendant for it.

Tee times are available in the morning or afternoon/evening hours. Morning tee times are from **7:35am to 8:59am**. Afternoon/evening tee times are from **3:58pm to 6:18pm**. Tee times are every seven (7) minutes. ***Evening Golfers:** If you are an evening golfer, please note that **there are only 44 spots after 5pm**
Evening tee times fill up fast, permanent times are highly recommended.

Permanent tee times will be available on a first-come/first-serve basis (league officers and committee members have first choice). If your desired tee time is still available, you may request it as a permanent time by writing "**permanent**" next to each name in your group on the sign-up sheet. Do not request a permanent time unless you plan on using that time for the entire season. **Permanent tee times will not be added or changed after Monday, June 1st.** For those who have signed up for a permanent tee time, be courteous and respect other golfers. If you are not able to play at your tee time on any given week, please call the Apple Orchard Clubhouse 630-540-4807 to let them know, in order to free up that time slot so that others can use it.

League History: The Park District leased Apple Orchard Country Club from City Savings and Loan Association in 1970. This property was subsequently purchased and further improved upon in 1974. We believe the league began in 1974.

2020 GOLF SCHEDULE:

NOTE: Special Event information will be posted on the bulletin board near the sign-up sheet.

APRIL

WEEK 1: April 27 **Opening Day!** Your choice of regular play or scramble. If you scramble, it counts toward your total games, but not your overall score.

MAY

WEEK 2: May 4

WEEK 3: May 11

WEEK 4: May 18 **NEW: Hydration day: Free beverage**

May 25 — MEMORIAL DAY – NO GOLF (Play for Fun this week or do a Make-Up Game)

JUNE

WEEK 5: June 1

WEEK 6: June 8 **LONGEST PUTT** (on the 9th hole one on the Green – 1 prize for AM , 1 prize for PM)

WEEK 7: June 15

WEEK 8: June 22 **3 CLUB MONTE** (Only 3 clubs, plus 1 putter, allowed in your bag)

WEEK 9: June 29

JULY

WEEK 10: July 6 **CLOSEST TO THE PIN** (Hole #8 drive from the tee must make it to the green to count)

WEEK 11: July 13

WEEK 12: July 20 **FEWEST PUTTS** (Fewest Putts for the round; once on green or hole in one:-))

WEEK 13: July 27

AUGUST

WEEK 14: August 3 **LONGEST DRIVE** (From the Tee on the 6th Hole – 1 prize for Morning Golfers, and 1 prize for Afternoon/Evening Golfers – Ball must be in the Fairway to count)

WEEK 15: August 10

WEEK 16: August 17 **TEAM SCRAMBLE** (Best Ball-Prizes will be awarded for 2, 3, and 4 person teams.)

WEEK 17: August 24

WEEK 18: August 31 Last week of golf

SEPTEMBER

Our end-of-season banquet will be held on Monday, September 14th, so mark your calendars. Information about the Banquet will be posted on the bulletin board in August. All make-up games must be completed by **Monday, August 31st** to allow our scorekeeper enough time to enter the information. All make-up games must be played with another league member.

PLEASE NOTE: In order to be eligible for any league awards and prizes at the End-of-Season Banquet you must play a minimum of 10 rounds of golf during the season.

Attached to this letter is the registration form, additional league information, and a few Rules of Etiquette.

Have a great golf season!

Lori Warder

2020 Bartlett Women's Golf League President

BARTLETT WOMEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

2020 REGISTRATION FORM

ANNUAL FEE:

\$25 by Wednesday, April 22nd

\$ 30 If received after Wednesday, April 22nd

Mail your check and this form to our League President.

Lori Warder, 287 E Cleburne Ave, Bartlett IL 60103
lwarder@sbcglobal.net for any questions

* Checks should be made payable to the Bartlett Women's Golf League.

All registration forms must be received by Wednesday, April 22nd to allow enough time to enter them into the system. The season starts on Monday, April 27th. Registration fees are not refundable once league play starts.

(Please PRINT legibly)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

CELL/WORK PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

YEARS IN LEAGUE: _____

Please note: If you do not have an email address you will not be able to receive golf league updates or be able to access the netGolfLeague.com website to check your scores.

Please indicate if you will be a Morning or Afternoon/Evening Golfer:

 Mornings (7:35am to 8:59am) Afternoon/Evening (3:58pm to 6:11pm)*

Tee times are every seven (7) minutes apart.

League officers and clubhouse staff are not responsible for reserving or changing the tee times.

A confirmation of your registration will NOT be sent out.

2020 BARTLETT WOMEN'S GOLF LEAGUE INFORMATION

SCHEDULING / TEE TIMES:

If you cannot make your scheduled tee time on Monday or if you will be late, **you must notify someone in your foursome or the Clubhouse at 630-540-4807**. If an individual golfer is late and misses their tee time, they may join another group that is short golfers. A maximum of 4 golfers is allowed to golf at any time.

If your group misses their tee time, **you may not jump in ahead of another league or public foursome** but must wait for an opening. If there are three empty tee times in a row, the Clubhouse will allow other golfers on the course.

SCORECARDS:

The scorecard should be turned in at the Clubhouse at the end of your round. **All scorecards must have each golfer's first initial and last name printed on the cards**. Please write legibly for the sake of our scorekeeper. Scorecards must be signed on the back by 2 golfers who played the round and date filled in. In order to keep accurate scores, the league recommends you keep 2 scorecards during your round. You only need to turn in one card from your group!

GUEST GOLFERS: If you bring a guest to golf with you that is not in the league, for the scorekeeper's benefit please list them as **GUEST** on the scorecard.

COUNTING:

All whiffs are counted! Each time you swing your club, it counts as a stroke. **Only one** practice swing is permitted.

All putts are counted! Please place the number of putts legibly on the scorecard above your number of total strokes for the hole. **You must putt out**, unless you already have 10 strokes for the hole. **PUTTS/SCORE**

The maximum amount of strokes for any hole is 10. If you have 10 strokes, and have not yet holed out, pick up your ball and use your average number of putts for that hole.

OUT OF BOUNDS:

5th Hole — Beyond the trees is out-of-bounds. Add one penalty stroke. Measure 2 club lengths from the fairway side of the trees.

9th Hole — If you hit into the water on your drive off the tee you must add a penalty stroke and start your new shot from behind the water. This counts as your 3rd stroke.

NOTE: When measuring club lengths, it is always done with the longest club—the Driver.

MAKE-UP GAMES:

All make-up games must be completed by **Monday, August 31st** to allow our scorekeeper enough time to enter the data. All make-up games must be played with another league member.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Special events will be posted on the league bulletin board in the Clubhouse above the drinking fountain, on the league Facebook page and on the Golf League Website: **www.netGolfLeague.com**. Please pay close attention to the rules for each of the special events.

QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions, please contact one of the golf league officers:

President:

Lori Warder: lwarder@sbcglobal.net

Vice-Presidents:

Michelle Martino: michelle.martino@att.net

Shayla Montbriand: shaylamont@comcast.net

Treasurer:

Joy Pentz: jpentz@hpre.com

Scorekeeper:

Julie Braun: jamonpolk@aol.com



A FEW RULES OF ETIQUETTE

Please be considerate:

- If you are unable to make your allotted tee time, let someone in your foursome know, or call the Clubhouse to free up that time slot so that others can use it.
- The Clubhouse phone number is 630-540-4807.
- Abuses of the tee times will result in being dropped from a permanent tee time.

Please be on time:

- Be at the tee ready to hit (not pulling into the parking lot) at your tee time.
- If one of your foursome is late and you want to wait for her, let the next group go ahead of you.
- Join the group in front of you if they have less than a foursome (limited to 4 players in a group).

Keep moving:

- Everyone should be ready to move as soon as the last person in your group has teed off.
- Rather than walking as a group to each person's ball, walk to your own ball (unless you are at risk of being hit) and be ready to hit as soon as it is your turn.
- Golf can be a social sport. If you want to talk, please do so while you are moving.
- Mark your score at the next tee, rather than just off the green. This will keep play moving.

Strokes:

- You may only take **one** practice swing. Too many swings will slow play.
- Remember, **the maximum number of strokes is 10**. If you have 10 strokes and have not yet holed out; pick up your ball and use your **average number of putts** for that hole.

Putting:

- Keep the pull carts off the green; that also includes the fringe.
- When you reach the green, put your bag or cart between the green and the next hole to avoid having to walk all the way back across the green when you are finished putting, which slows play.
- Do not stand on or walk across the line of another golfer's putt. Walk behind the golfer.
- Never move or talk while another golfer is putting.
- Do not stand in the golfer's line of sight or allow your shadow to cross their putting path.
- On the green, if you have a short putt remaining, please putt out ahead of the others. It is not necessary to mark every single putt.
- On every green, try to repair your ball mark plus at least one other. This is one way to make up for those inconsiderate people who do not repair their own.

Remember: Good golfers don't care about how many strokes you take as long as you play quickly. So beginners, if you only remember one rule of etiquette, **remember to keep moving.**

Let's have FUN this Season!!!