

1.LEAGUE START DATE-monday april 26th and ends september 13th(19 weeks) with no golf on Memorial or Labor Day.

2.LEAGUE SCHEDULE-the league will consist of 18 weeks of golf and a championship/fun night/banquet.league play will be divided equally into 2 halves with a first half champ playing the 2nd half champ in a week 19 championship match.point totals will reset to zero to start the 2nd half.the championship match at the end of the year will be a match play format.

3.3 DIVISIONS-we will have 3 divisions based on skill level.you will be matched up weekly against your division opponents ONLY.

4.MATCHES-each week you will compete in a low net (shots under handicap) match vs.the other players in your division.with 14 players in each division,the player who is most shots under their handicap each week will be 1st place for the week and receive the most points.for instance,14 players would earn 14 points for 1st,second place would earn 13 pts.and so forth.actual handicaps will be used.

5.SKINS ,PINS and LOW NET-there will be 2 skins divisions based again on skill level.we will NOT handicap skins this year. No double low net payout-instead \$1.00 per player entered for the week,same for pin shots,payout will be \$1.00 per player entered.the weekly cost will be \$10.00,you must be in all 3 to participate.you must also be there on mondays to be in and tee off after 4pm.if you miss on a monday you will NOT owe for that week.the first couple weeks you will have the option to be in or out.you must notify jim mirtich,john rogers or myself if you want in prior to teeing off.after a couple weeks i need a commitment for the rest of the half.

6.TEE TIMES-a tee time schedule will be sent out weekly,usually over the weekend.groups must tee off with 4 golfers at all times,if a group only has 3 golfers and are heading to the tee box, a golfer may move up and join them,you must get the ok from john rogers,jim mirtich or myself.no sneaking your buddy in and cutting someone out.please do not be late for your tee time,but if you are running late send group email out asap.if you are going to miss on a monday and know in advance (vacation)email me asap,don't wait till the last minute after i put you on the tee time schedule..

7.SPONSORSHIP- Bennetts sports bar at 19616 w.130th st in strongsville(2 minutes from course)will be our sponsor this year.we will meet at bennetts directly after you finish your round each week.if you cant make it over, send your scorecard and your \$10.00 over with another golfer.bennetts will be providing all of our food at the end of the year banquet(at bennetts)so please do your best every week to patronize.please dont be that guy who doesnt show up to Bennetts all year then shows up on banquet night wondering where all the free food is.Pine hills will pay us out cash at the end of the year based on league weekly attendance.i need that money for our end of year banquet so please do all you can to golf and show up at bennetts at least for 1 beer.we do track your weekly attendance at pine hills for the entire year.

8.THREE MAN PANEL-a 3 man panel of JOHN ROGERS,JIM MIRTICH and myself will handle any and all golf/match related issues and respond within a 24 hour period if possible.JOHN YANTEK and GREG KUCH have volunteered to assist at Bennetts in collecting score cards and your \$10.00 .

9a.USGA RULES-we will use MOST USGA rules,but we ask that you talk within your group during your match to try and resolve issues regarding:lies,point of entry,lost ball (not in hazard)and OB rules.going back to the tee will not be used on lost tee shots out of bounds or on any shots for that matter,instead a 2 club length drop at point of entry plus 1 stroke penalty will be used."point of entry"is defined as where the ball begins to go out of bounds or over water NOT WHERE THE BALL ENDS UP.we ask that you come to an agreement and play on.a ball coming to rest in a sand bunker that has standing water is the only time a ball can be removed and dropped outside the bunker area.

9b- THIS YEAR-COURSES CAN ISSUE A LOCAL OB RULE WHICH ALLOWS YOU TO DROP IN FAIRWAY IN DIRECT LINE FROM ENTRY BUT 2 STROKE PENALTY.so you will now have the option of 1 stroke penalty at point of entry + 2 club lengths or 2 stroke fairway drop in direct line.

10.OTHER PLAYING RULES-pick and clean will be used in fairways only.no touching or moving the ball in rough,sand or opposite fairways.no grounding the club when hitting out of the hazard.
UNDER BAD WEATHER CONDITIONS -winter rules apply in your own fairway,you may pickup and move your ball up to 12 inches -no closer to the hole.
PICK AND CLEAN EVERYWHERE if pine hills has a “cart path only rule” for that day....
NO GIMMIES on par or birdie putts i repeat-NO GIMMIES ON PAR OR BIRDIE PUTTS!!!

11.HANDICAPS-handicaps will be based on your last 7 rounds minus your high and low round.so its more of a current average not season average.until week 7 high and low rounds will not be subtracted.

12.LEAGUE FEES-a \$50.00 league fee will be collected during the first month of the season to cover the cost of trophies and prizes.i will be collecting the money this year.

13.MAKE UP ROUNDS-you can make up a round you know you are going to miss prior to that monday no more than 7 days in advance(vacation/business travel)you must call course(we have no arrangement with pine hills on make ups)to set up a tee time.usually saturday or sunday evenings are best.you will probably pay weekend rates.when your done take a picture of scorecard with date you are making up and your last name on card.this year we will have a seperate email address for scorecards to be sent.
SEND MAKE UP ROUND CARD PHOTO TO:BestDamnGolf@icloud.com and richcorso9@gmail.com...

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14. And finally-dont hesitate to call or email with any questions you may have regarding this format sheet or anything else.richie-216-802-8302//email- richcorso9@gmail.com