

Monday/Tuesday Bushwhackers Golf League Rules

1. The Monday and Tuesday Bushwhackers League will conform to all USGA rules.
2. A "Clean and Place" rule will be in effect for balls landing in an unnatural hazard in a sand trap (i.e. unraked footprint, water, mud, etc.) This must be agreed upon by a member of both competing teams.
3. League play will begin determined by the Commissioner, Board members and Nemadji Golf Pro shop.
4. Check the schedule for your tee time and be on time. If a player is late for tee time, he will lose Medal points and a point for each hole he does not tee off with his playing partners. He may join the group late and play for any remaining match points.
5. PENALTIES:
 - a. If a team is short, one player will play against the two (2) opponents.
 - I. He will forfeit medal points against one opponent and play for nine (9) points.
 - II. He will play for medal points against the other opponent and play for eleven (11) points.
 - III. If two players are missing, the two remaining golfers will tee off separately, and golf two opponents each. They will forfeit medal points to the higher handicapper in each group and play for medal against the lower handicapper. All match play points will play as usual.
 - IV. If each team is missing a player, making it a 3 vs 3 match, they will follow the same format in subsection III. Making it a 2 vs 1 and 1 vs 2 match.
 - *One Person Missing: Forfeit Two (2) Points (Medal)
 - *Two Person Missing: Forfeit four (4) Points (Medal) **See III**
 - *Three Persons Missing: Forfeit Twenty-Four (22) Points
 - *Four Persons Missing: Forfeit Thirty-Three (33) Points (after 2 times expulsion will occur)
 - b. If a team is short player(s) after six (6) times, the issue will be brought to the Commissioner and a determination will be ruled on possible expulsion.
6. If a team drops out of the league the rest of the division will get twenty-two (22) points added to their total. If your team already played that team the scores will be adjusted accordingly.
7. A player may post no more than a **NET** double bogey per hole (for handicap only). A player will not have a handicap more than eighteen (18).
8. A total of eleven (11) points per round will be awarded. One (1) point per hole and two points for Medal Score.
9. Players are responsible for posting their own scores. Scores should be posted the same day of play but are required to be posted within 24 hours. If a golfer is found to not have posted a score the **TEAM** will be penalized the equivalent of team medal points, which is equal to 8. If a player is found to be within violation a 2nd time, the same penalty will be enforced. If a player is found to be within violation a 3rd time the same penalty will be enforced. However, that player will also be disqualified from playing in any future Men's Club events for the remainder of the season.
10. Matches must be played on the scheduled day (excluding playoffs). If you need to golf ahead, the other team must agree and be present. The Commissioner will be contacted.
11. Each team member must be a member of the Nemadji Men's Club. If a non-member plays, he will forfeit any point(s) won.
12. If a player does not have an established handicap through the GHIN app their handicap will be determined by taking the total strokes over par (Adjusted Score) and subtracting two (2) strokes. Example: If a person shoots a forty-eight (48) on the East Course and his adjusted score (nothing higher than a double bogey) is forty-five (45) and par for the course is thirty-six (36), he is nine (9) strokes over par, then you subtract his nine (9) strokes over par by two (2) and his handicap would be seven (7). This will continue each round until a player has an established handicap through the GHIN app.
13. Rosters may be changed until July 15th. Players must be on the team roster to play in the playoffs. Team members may play in any position (1-4). Subs may be any Men's Club Member. Players may not play against their own team. A Bushwhacker sub will use their established Men's Club handicap when subbing for another team.
14. A player must play a minimum of three (3) matches for that team to qualify for the playoffs.
15. The Pro Shop and/or League Commissioner will determine rainouts by 3:00pm. If a match is in progress when the rain starts points will be awarded for the holes played and remaining points will be split evenly. In the event that the Pro Shop and/or League Commissioner do not call off play in the

middle of the match, and a twosome of the team determines that they do not want to continue play due to conditions, the match will end immediately, and points will be split for the remaining holes. This can be determined between the foursomes playing each other and does not have to affect both matches between the teams.

16. PLAYOFFS: The playoffs will consist of a “Championship Bracket” and a “Consolation Bracket”. The Commissioner will determine brackets depending on the number of teams in each division. The Commissioner will inform the captains of the number of teams in each bracket by July 15th.

17. Any member wanting to be a sub, please contact League Commissioner.

18. If you have a grievance or complaint, contact your League Commissioner or any Men’s Club Board Member.

19. If a player doesn’t have an established handicap through the GHIN app at the time of playoffs and has reached his minimal number of 3 rounds in league, the Commissioner and Board will establish/approve his handicap based on his past rounds.

20. In the event of a tie after a playoff round teams will go to hole 10 on the South course. Using the same league scoring format, including handicap, teams will play this hole until there is a winner.

21. TEE BOXES- The league will play the Black/White combo tee boxes designated by Nemadji. If you are 65, as of the start of the season, you are allowed to tee off from the WHITE tee boxes. At the start of the season, you must DECLARE which tee boxes you will play from. Either the Black/White combo or Whites only. A player may not pick and choose which tee boxes they want to play from depending on the course being played.

22. BYE TEAMS- When scheduled to golf against a bye team, points will be awarded based on an average of the season’s running points won. ****This is an unofficial bylaw until voted on at the next Captain’s meeting. But has been the guideline for scoring over the last couple of seasons since there has been nothing official.**

Other notes-

We are requesting that each match be tracked on an official scorecard and turned in at the end of the round with the following information. (New envelope in the wire baskets by the restrooms.)

- Team name
- Date
- Individual player names (First and Last)
- Total gross score (and adjusted if possible)
- Signature from at least 1 player on each team to signify that scores were agreed upon.

Teams/Players are still required to fill out the standard league sheets as we have been doing in the past.