

# **Rules and Etiquette**

<u>Please repair your ball marks and divots on all tee boxes, fairways and greens</u>. Divot mix boxes are located on tees. Please rake bunkers after use. Enter and leave bunkers from the lower side; never walk up or down the banks. Lay rakes down and place them outside of bunkers only. Please do not drive golf carts or bring hand carts near the edge of bunkers or greens, nor in front of the greens.

# Pace of Play

Be prepared to play in four (4) hours or less. Be prepared to play at all times. Be ready to hit when it is your turn and play ready golf. Always rake your own fairway bunker and your own divot. Repair ball marks and prepare to putt while others are playing their ball. Play from the appropriate tees. If you reach your maximum allowable score, pickup.

# Locker Room/Soft Spikes

Please utilize the club's locker room to change your golf shoes and your clothing.

We ask that you do not change golf shoes in the parking lot of the club. We ask that only approved soft spikes be used on the course. Shoes with aggressive soft spikes not permitted.

# **Cell Phone and Personal Communication Device Policy**

Talking on cell phones and personal communication devices (PCD'S) is prohibited on all Club property with the following exceptions only: the parking lot, the clubhouse phone room, the pool cabana and the men's and women's locker rooms. Nonetheless, cell phones and PCD's may be used in the event of an emergency. Please place these devices on silent mode or vibrate mode before arriving at the Club. The use of cell phones and PCD's for functions other than talking should be discreet and in a manner so as not to disturb others. Please notify your guests about this policy before arriving at the Club.

# **Lightning Strike Detection**

During the humid weather season, sudden and severe lightning storms are frequent. The Club has implemented a system that should reduce the risk of personal injury if adhered to by all members. Lightning is dangerous and because of the hills surrounding Bedens Brook, can approach from any direction.

The lightning detection system identifies a first strike of lightning within a distance with a radius of ten miles. When the detection siren sounds (one continuous long tone), all members are to vacate the golf course, tennis courts and pool and seek shelter. Once the storm has passed, the "all clear" siren (three intermittent high low tones) will sound, and play can resume.

# **Men's Dress Policy**

Slacks, Bermuda shorts, collared shirts, turtlenecks or mock necks are the standard required dress on Club grounds. Shirts are required to be tucked into slacks or Bermuda shorts at all times. They must be of appropriate size, length, neckline and fit. Cargo shorts for men are not suitable. Please remove hats when seated in the grill room or upon entering the second floor of the club-house. Golf caps must be appropriate and worn with the visor facing forward.

# Women's Dress Policy

Slacks, Bermuda shorts, Capri's or skirts longer than fingertips are standard dress. Blouses may be untucked but neat. Sleeveless blouses with collar, collared shirts or turtlenecks are the standard required dress on Club grounds.

### **Inappropriate Dress**

Tank tops, midriff attire, denim blouses or jackets, T-shirts with or without printed advertisements, short shorts, cutoffs, cargo shorts/ pants for adults, miniskirts, denim jeans, warm-up suits and bathing suits or any item of dress deemed inappropriate are not permitted. Open toed shoes are not permitted on the course or practice range.

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