

2025 Summer Classic: Rules of Play

Format: 9 Hole Matches—Each team plays every other team in their flight. *Net Better ball of two*—shots will be awarded off the low handicap player in the match at 100% handicap. Shots will be marked on each scorecard.

Remember to stay on your own 9!! 9 turns to #1 and #18 turns to #10

Scoring: Each (9) Hole Match consists of 9 points as follows:

- * Each team will be awarded 1 point for each hole won
- * Each team will be awarded a 1/2 point for each hole halved
- * No points awarded for a lost hole
- * Maximum of 7 points per team per match and there is no minimum
- * If a team is missing 1 or 2 players – see below for Revised Rules 2019

The team that accumulates the most overall points after all 7 matches will be declared the flight winner.

Ties for the Flight Champion will be broken by a Sudden Death Playoff starting on Hole #1. If still tied after the first hole, players will have chip off by the 9th green. Each player chips, the closest chip from the two teams will determine the flight winner.

If the course becomes unplayable during a match, the points will be accumulated during the match will stand, the remainder of the outstanding points will be split. If rain cancels an entire match, points will be split.

Ties for the Flight Runner-Up will be broken by the following system:

- A. Results of their Head-to-Head Match
- B. Number of Matches Won
- C. Results of their Head-to-Head Match vs. the Flight Winner, 4th Place team etc.

Playoff for overall winner:

Flight winners will play the 18th hole. Four teams will be eliminated. The remaining four teams play the 18th hole again to determine the overall winner. Format will be - TRUE Alternate shot. Team chooses who will make the tee shot and the must alternate until the ball is holed. Each flight winner will play from the assigned tee box. All teams draw to determine the order of play continues on the tee box until the conclusion of play. True alternate shot – no players will hit consecutive shots. If after playing the hole twice and there remains a tie the remaining players will chip from a designated spot, and the closest to the hole is the Overall Winner.

Hogan & Snead will play from the Blue Tees

Palmer & Player will play from the White Tees

Nicklaus & Trevino will play from the Gold Tees

Sarazen & Green will play from the Black Tees

NO HANDICAPS – The adjusted tee box will equalize the field. It will then play out as a TRUE ALTERNATE shot the rest of the way until the match is won.

Closest to the Pin Shootout

Entry fee is \$10 for each day. Each day the top five players with the closest to the pin shots on Hole 8 will qualify for a Closest to the Pin Shootout to be held on the 18th Hole from 135 yards at the conclusion of play on Sunday. Payouts 60% to the winner, 30% to the runner-up and 10% to the third closest shot. Players can qualify more than once.

2 vs 1 Rule

If one player from a team does not show up – the match will be played **2 vs 1 with Par** in effect. The team missing the player will automatically lose 2 points from the final score of the match. Example – the team with the missing player makes 7 points in the match – they awarded 5 points. If they make 5 they are awarded 3 points and so on.

2 vs 0 Rule

If both players from a team are missing, the team with 2 players will play against par with a spotter. The missing team will be awarded 0 points.

In both above cases you must earn your points. No automatic points are awarded

In the instance of one or both players being late to at tee time

If one player is missing, the match proceed 2 vs 1 for up to the 4th hole tee shot. If a missing player does not arrive by the time the 4th shot is hit, then the match defaults to above 2 vs 1 rule. If both players are missing, the same scenario will apply spotter in place. In this instance, the team playing will play the first three holes, but will automatically win the holes the other team misses. Once 4th tee shot is hit it defaults to above 2 vs 0 rule.

In all of the above instances the Team/Member not having both participants in a match for any reason will be automatically disqualified from next year's Summer Classic, but may appeal to the Tournament Committee.

The Tournament Committee reserves the right to adopt rules at any time to cover situations or disputes that arise that are not subject to a previously adopted rule.

All above rules are final – No rules shall be adjusted/changed by agreement of players in the flight

Local Rules

In addition to your local rules that are on your cart

- * Drop area 6th hole, if you cross the hazard on your tee shot, you must use the drop area unless you know your ball crossed the hazard line closer to the hole.
- * You have the option of using the ball drop circle if your ball enters the penalty area beyond the drop circle on the right side of the 7th hole.
- * Bushes behind 9th green, if you know for certain your ball is lost in the bushes or found in the bushes, one club length relief without getting closer to the hole and no penalty.
- * On the 13th and 16th holes behind the green, when proceeding under rule 26 (water hazards) if you cannot drop without being closer to the hole use the ball drop circles.
- * The inside line of the poles on the 18th hole define the out of bounds.
- * Hole 16 – Out of bounds tying into lateral hazard: a ball which crosses the area of cranberry bogs defined as out of bounds and comes to rest in the area of bogs defined as a lateral hazard is deemed to lie out of bounds, even though it may lie on another part of the course.
- * If a doubt or dispute arises between the players, a player may make a claim, You must notify your opponent that you are making a claim and the claim must be made before any play in the match plays from the next teeing ground, if it is the last hole before all the players leave the putting green.
- * Please keep up with the group in front of you and please pick up if you are out of the hole. Players that are asked more than once to pick up and keep up with the pace of play may not be invited back for next season's event.
- * No practicing on the driving range between matches.
- * The rules of the Tournament cannot be changed by agreement of all teams in a flight.
- * No Member of LeBaron Hills can ever play as a guest.
- * The Tournament Committee reserves the right to adopt rules at any time to cover situations or disputes that arise that are not the subject of a previously adopted rule.