



PLEASE READ NOW – NOT MORNING OF EVENT



**The Milford NH Rotary Club
29th Annual
100 Holes of Golf in One Day
Friday, June 16, 2023
Amherst Country Club**

~ A Few Friendly Reminders and Rules ~

- **5:15 am Arrival/Check-in**
- **5:45 am Carts Off!**
- **6:00 am Shotgun Tee Off**
- **6:45 pm Cocktail Hour**
- **7:30 pm Electronic Scores/Scorecards Submitted**
- **7:45 pm Awards Ceremony and Banquet**

Pre-Tournament:

- **Monday, June 12, 2023, 6:00PM** Golf Genius Training/ Event Information Meeting for all golfers. A link will be sent out to all golfers.
- **Wednesday, June 14, 2023 or earlier** - Please ask your sponsors to purchase their tickets by this date. If you have paper tickets, please turn your tickets and money in by that date as well. The fewer people turning in money and tickets on the morning of the event, the better. Please contact any of the undersigned to make those arrangements.

Tournament Start and End Times:

- Please arrive at the Amherst Country Club **no later than 5:15 AM**. After loading your carts, there will be a brief review of the tournament rules, so we need all golfers with bags on carts ready to roll by 5:30 AM. Carts will be released at **5:45 AM**. There will be a shotgun start **promptly at 6:00 AM**. We must adhere to the start time in order to complete the tournament within the time allowed.
- Based on the 13.5 hours allotted for play, each of the 9 holes (and a special hole at the end of hole 18) needs to be completed in 1 hour and 20 minutes and each 18 (with 1 special hole) needs to be completed in 2 hours 40 minutes. This pace is slightly less than twice as fast as the scorecard indicates. By pacing your play to half the card pace per hole, you will be able to adequately maintain the appropriate pace of play.

- Be aware of your pace of play and monitor it at appropriate benchmarks. This is particularly important at the beginning. If your first nine holes take 1.5 hours, those extra minutes are very difficult to make up.
- There will be rangers to assist if a bottleneck occurs.
- **Play is expected to be completed by 7:30 PM;** there will be no volunteers on the course after that time. All electronic scores are to be submitted by 7:30pm (remember to hit “enter”!) or scores will not be in contest. If you have not completed your 5 rounds by that time and wish to continue on your own, you are free to do so. Please note that the Cocktail Hour begins at approximately 6:45 PM – you will have two free drink coupons that will be supplied on the patio. The Closing Awards Banquet will begin at 7:45 PM.

A Word About the Course:

The Amherst Country Club is an Audubon certified bird and wildlife sanctuary. Many of the lateral hazard areas are protected areas. These are marked with red stakes with a green top. These are absolutely "NO ENTRY" areas. If your ball goes in, you don't. Play the shot as a lateral hazard.

Around several tees and greens there are areas of high grass. If your ball goes in one of these areas, you may take a cursory look for it but these are "NO SEARCH" areas. Too much time will be spent looking for a bad shot to begin with. Play it as a lost ball.

Tournament Play:

- Play is in Twosomes with a few Threesomes. Men play from the Blue tees. Women play from the Gold tees.
- Scoring will be based on 90 holes played continuously. The five practice holes and 5 special holes do not count towards a players tournament score. Prizes will be awarded for the "Closet-to-the-Pin" or a "Hole-in-One" (if made)!
- Scoring will be done through the Golf Genius App. If you have not downloaded it, please do. **THIS IS THE OFFICIAL SCORE.** Scorecards are provided for your convenience and serve as a back up/verification of electronic entry if there are technical issues, but they are *not official*. If the scorecard is used and not the app, your score will not be counted. There will be a representative from Amherst County Club available all day to assist with any and all questions regarding usage of Golf Genius.
- Count **ALL** strokes up to 8, as the maximum allowable score on any hole is 8. If your ball is not holed out in 7 strokes, pick up your ball and mark an 8.
- There will be an “Inside the Leather” gimmie in effect on each green. To measure, place the putter club head (standard 36” putter only, no belly clubs) inside the cup edge nearest your ball. Lay the putter flat on the putting surface, extending back toward the ball. If the ball is between the cup and the bottom of the grip (i.e., if the ball lies next to the shaft part of the putter), the putt

is within the gimmie distance. Once your ball is “Inside the Leather”, add one stroke to your score and pick up your ball.

- USGA rules apply other than local course exceptions. If your ball lays in a footprint or strike mark in a non-raked sand trap, you may place the ball within a scorecard width of its original spot. In his or her own fairway only, a player may take a preferred lie of no more than 6” from its original spot and no closer to the hole. Ground under repair will be clearly marked with white paint; relief is one club length but no closer to the hole. Otherwise the ball will be played as it lays.
- If inclement weather precludes the completion of the 90 scoring holes, an adjustment will be made so that all scores are based on everyone playing the same holes. ACC staff will determine all scoring decisions.
- Golfers may invite a guest to drive the cart and/or to help out as a fore caddy.
- Golf Carts –Use sides of the fairways and avoid long runs down the fairway. Please obey all cart directional signs. Carts are to stay on the cart path near tee boxes and greens.

Food and Beverages:

- At check in, *Aroma Joe’s* will provide coffee and light breakfast items will be provided by *Trombly Gardens*.
- Breakfast sandwiches will be distributed on the course beginning at approximately 7:30 AM. *Moulton’s Kitchen & Market* supplies these.
- A snack cart will circulate throughout the tournament with free snacks and cold (non-alcoholic) beverages. Free snacks will also be available at the Volunteer Tent throughout the day. There will be NO Amherst Country Club (ACC) beverage cart, however, the ACC bar service will be open all day.
- At 12:00 PM, *Papa Joe’s* and *Flying Butcher* will provide lunch to all golfers at one of the two stations to be set up at strategic points on the course.
- Ice Cream will be provided from 2:00-4:00 PM at a visible location on the ACC parking lot.
- A Cocktail Hour begins at approximately 6:45 PM and an Event Closing Ceremony will begin at 7:45 PM when the golf winners will be announced, golfer contest prizes will be awarded, the 100 Holes Hall of Fame awards presented, and the final raffle drawing will take place. *Giorgio’s Ristorante* will provide dinner.

Prizes:

There are THREE handicap divisions. The USGA handicap issued prior to Wednesday June 14, 2023 will be used. Please call or text your GHIN number to one of the committee members below as soon as you can after you receive your number on the 15th. This will allow us to form the three flights beforehand.

- For each of the THREE GHIN handicap divisions, low gross and low net will win \$250.00 in pro shop credits and \$250.00 cash. The golfer with the overall low net will receive the Ted Jordan Trophy award. For the Callaway (estimated handicap) division, the low net will win \$250.00 in pro shop credit and \$250.00 cash. This golfer will not be eligible for the Ted Jordan award.
- The lowest gross score will win one year with the Madras Jacket!
- All golfers will automatically be entered in our Skins Pool at no cost. All skins winners will be awarded a Gift Certificate for a Foursome with 2 carts at Amherst Country Club.
- **ALL SCORES MUST BE ENTERED THROUGH GOLF GENIUS NO LATER THAN 7:30 P.M. OTHERWISE THEY WILL NOT COUNT! NO EXCEPTIONS**

Inclement Weather:

- A lightning warning will be 3 blasts of the air horn. In the event that play is stopped due to inclement weather mark your ball with a tee (so it can be found easily) and head to the clubhouse. Please pick up any volunteers you can on your way back to the Clubhouse.
- Prizes will be awarded based on the full rounds that have been completed.
- Please keep up to date with the weather conditions for the tournament day. Play will go on unless there are lightning storms or if our play would cause damage to the course. Please be aware the carts will probably not be equipped with bag covers, so bring your own and other rain gear as conditions dictate.

After a few minutes of instructions, we hope to get everyone to their starting tee prior to 6:00 AM. A timely start is to everyone's benefit. "The shotgun waits for no golfer!"

REMEMBER TO HIT "ENTER" TO POST YOUR SCORES

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