

MISSISSIPPI MENS DAY POLICIES
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Registration and Payment

Mens's day is open only to full time members of the Mississippi Golf Club. Registration and payment must be done simultaneously at the beginning of the season. No player may register without paying in full. The registration cost will be determined at the beginning of each season.

Returning players from the previous year will be guaranteed a spot in the league if they have registered and paid before the deadline. Open positions will then be up for grabs by draw, up to the maximum allowable players. The maximum allowable players is flexible, as most days see 30-40 tee times go unused, but 198 players is a good target. The mens day committee will determine the maximum player count each year, with the main factor being available tee times.

Registration may continue throughout May but will be closed to new players after 4 weeks of play, or whenever the maximum player count is reached whichever comes first.

Team Allocation

Once all players have registered, teams will be drawn by lot based on the previous season, meaning that the top players will be spread across different teams. Depending on the number of registered players, the number of teams and players per team will be determined so that there is as close to the same number of players per team as possible. For example, if 198 players were registered, 18 teams of 11 would be used.

In the case of an uneven number of players per team, the additional players will be placed on teams starting with team 1, team 2, and so on until everyone is on a team. Teams with one more additional player cannot use that additional players score for team points, however the players points will count in the individual standings.

Refunds

Full refunds will only be given to players who have played 4 times or less and must leave due to medical reasons. Partial refunds will be considered depending on when in the season the request is received, how many times they have played, and other circumstances.

Weekly Play and Scorecards

The league is limited to tee times from 10:28am to 5:30pm every Thursday, with typically one week being used by the member-guest day. This gives 19-20 weeks of play. Players will register each week at the pro-shop and receive a scorecard with their name, team number, and assigned handicap for that week. Players should verify that this information is complete and correct. Players must fill in their Stableford scores per hole (details outlined on scorecard) and the total Stableford points. Handicaps

should NOT be added. Cards that are incorrectly done or do not have a total entered will be rejected into a bin in the pro-shop. Players will have two weeks to correct their card before the card is discarded.

Stableford Point System

Triple bogie or worse = - 1 points

Double bogie = 0 points

Bogie = 1 point

Par = 2 points

Birdie = 4 points

Eagle = 5 points

Handicaps will be added to the total Stableford points by the committee and posted in the mens locker room and the club website the following week. Handicaps are determined based on mens day scores only. Handicaps will be reduced or increased according to the table below.

Relation to Par (18 points)	Gross Score	Adjustment to Handicap
+5.0 or more	23.0 or more	-1
+2.5 to +4.5	20.5 to 22.5	-0.5
+2.0 to -2.5	20.0 to 15.5	0
-3 to -5.5	15 to 12.5	0.5
-6.0 or less	12.0 or less	1

Guests

Guests will be permitted if there is an opening on the tee sheet left vacant by a member who is not available to play that day. Members are encouraged to delete their names on a given week if they know they will not be available to play.

Tee Times

A lottery will be run for the first week and tee times will be allocated for the remainder of the year based on this one-time lottery. Should a player name be entered in the lottery before that player has properly registered (and paid), then that name may be removed prior to the lottery being run. If the removed players slot is required for another player, then the committee may insert that new player into the group.

Player Attendance

Players are encouraged to play as often as possible to help their team, and themselves, score points for the yearly prizes. Players who habitually miss playing are a detriment to their team and to this effect will

not be allowed to register the following year should they play 2 times or less in a season. Exceptions will be made for players who request time off due to injury.

Weekly Prizes

\$10 Weekly prizes will be awarded by class to the top 9 players and ties in A, B, and C class. If the 9th position is tied, all of the tied players in the last paying position will receive \$5.

Four skill prizes will be awarded for the closest to the pin (all handicaps), closest to the pin on second shot on two par 4s (one low handicap class and one high handicap class), and the longest putt (all handicaps). Skill prizes are roughly valued at \$20.

50-50 Draw

Each week, a 50-50 draw will be done and two weekly winners awarded with each winner receiving \$1 per registered player. All registered players will be entered into the 50/50 draw regardless if they are able to play or not that week. Players may not win the 50-50 more than once during a season. For the final 50-50 draw of the season, players must attend the banquet to be eligible. Winnings will be automatically entered by the pro shop into each player's pro-shop account.

Year End Prizes

Players playing two games or less for the entire season are ineligible to year end team prizes, however any player who has paid for the season may attend the year end banquet. The top 40 individuals and the top 6 teams will receive prizes in the form of pro shop certificates.

The best 14 days played per player will count towards the individual and team scoring. The top 6 scores per team will count towards the team score on any given day.

Individual Winners - top 40 and Ties				
#1	\$ 75	1	Total	\$ 75.00
#2	\$ 50	1	Total	\$ 50.00
#3	\$ 40	1	Total	\$ 40.00
#4- #17	\$ 30	14	Total	\$ 420.00
#18 - #40	\$ 20	23	Total	\$ 460.00
		40	Grand Total	\$ 1,045.00
Team Winners - top 6 teams				
1st Place	\$ 50	11	11 players	\$ 550.00
2nd Place	\$ 40	12	11 players	\$ 480.00
3rd Place	\$ 30	11	11 players	\$ 330.00
4th Place	\$ 25	11	11 players	\$ 275.00
5th Place	\$ 20	11	11 players	\$ 220.00
6th Place	\$ 15	11	11 players	\$ 165.00
			Grand Total	\$ 2,020.00

Year End Banquet

The year end banquet will be used to announce the yearly winners and the final 50-50 draw. The cost of the banquet will be 100% covered by the registration fee at the beginning of the season, however players must positively state to the pro-shop if they will or will not be attending the banquet. Depending on the budget, draw prizes will be given at the year end banquet to players who attend the banquet.

Player Complaints

Players may file complaints with the mens day committee for review, however abusive emails or behavior towards any member of the committee will not be tolerated. Players will be given one written warning and banned from play on any second offence.

Sponsors

Sponsors will be sought each year for the weekly skill prizes (typically 4 holes). Prize amounts will be in the order of \$20 per prize for a total of 18-20 weeks depending on the season.

Weekly sponsors will also be sought at the cost of \$250 per sponsorship week. In return for this, sponsors will be given 4 green fee passes including carts. Green fee passes are for 1pm or later tee times.

Budget

The mens day committee will keep a budget and separate bank account for the purpose of fairly allocating prizes and ensuring that sufficient funds are available. This will be done in concert with the pro shop. The goal each year is to break even with a positive bank balance of at least \$2000. Year end prizes will be adjusted to meet this goal.

Schedule

April 15 - Notification sent to all members outlining the exact registration dates, cost and other items including the tee time lottery process

May 1 – Registration closed for all players

May 5 – Teams determined including which new players are added or if anyone needs to go on a waitlist

May week 2 – Lottery open at least 4 days prior to opening day

May week 2 (Opening Thursday) – Opening Mens Day (weather dependant)

Late September/Early October – Last counting mens day (19 - 20 weeks)

Early/Mid October – Banquet and year end prizes