

2017 TOC at DeLaveaga Golf Course Course

Rules and Play sheet

September 24, 2017

Format:

This is an individual tournament played at 100% of course handicap. Switch cards with someone in your group and record their gross score per hole.

Flight Payout:

3 Flights, = \$50.00, \$40.00, \$30.00, \$20.00 and \$10.00 in each flight for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th. DeLaveaga Gift Certificates - 1st place and 2nd place Flight 1 and 3, 2nd Place Flight 2. All others are redeemable at Poplar Creek.

Rules:

USGA Rules govern play.

- **PLAY THE BLUE TEES**
- Check the **DeLaveaga scorecard** and pro shop for local rules *especially regarding the interior course out of bounds and lateral hazards*.
- PLAY THE BALL DOWN.
- **TOURNAMENT RULES COMMITTEE:** Denis Kunz, Levi Fontaine and Bill Strahan. Contact them with any RULES questions or PROTESTING a ruling before signing and turning in your scorecard.

In the event of a question as to how to proceed a player may play 2 balls per USGA Rule #3-3 but he must use the following procedure.

1. Announce to a competitor the intention to play a second ball.
2. Announce which ball he wants to score with if the rules permit.
3. Report all facts to the Committee unless both balls are the same score.

Ties will be broken using the recommended USGA card matching procedures, back 9, back 6, etc.

New tournament rules and clarifications

- Red or yellow stakes and/or lines mark water hazards and lateral water hazards.
- Young trees that have been staked are considered staked for protection as noted in USGA Rule Book, Appendix II. Entire tree and stake are considered one obstruction.
- Decorative rocks and boulders and rocks with tee markers are deemed fixed and are considered an integral part of the course. They must not be moved.

Player Responsibilities

Every player is responsible for knowing the rules of today's play and the Rules of Golf. All players are also responsible for verifying the accuracy of their handicap. It is every group's responsibility to keep up with the group in front of them. Do not worry about the group behind you. They are the responsibility of the course rangers.

Rule #1: Have fun and play by all the rules. It is your responsibility to protect the field.