

2020 Cardiff Men's League Presented by Brent Melville Real Estate Team **Information and Rules of Play**

Outlined below are some rules and regulations with regards to booking, paying, rules of play, speed of play and prize payouts. These are rules and regulations we ask you to follow for the 2020 season.

Booking Tee Times

You will be able to book your tee times seven (7) days in advance; you can book for the following week each Wednesday beginning at noon. You can either book on-line at www.cardiffgolfclub.ca or by phone at 780-939-6666 ext. 1. You can book a time for yourself or for your group. If you are booking for multiple players we ask that you give each player's name. You can book a group for up to five (5) players. The system only recognizes four (4) players however in your comment section on-line you can put your fifth players name in. When calling in your groups directly to the pro shop inform the staff of all players. Tee times will be 10-minute intervals starting at 1pm.

***Members of the evening league may play their men's night round any time after 10am but **must play with at least one (1) other men's league member.**

***5 player groupings will only be allowed after 1pm.

Weekly Fees

It is mandatory that all members of the Cardiff Men's League pay the weekly fee of \$10.00, \$5.00 each week goes to the flight prizes and \$5.00 goes towards Skins and Deuces. If you are not a member of the Cardiff Golf & Country Club, you also must pay your green fee. Weekly prize money can be picked up in the ProShop. Results will be emailed and posted in ProShop.

Speed of Play

With over 200 players in our league we struggle each week with pace of play. Once again, this year we will have a marshal on the course tracking speed of play. If your group has been deemed "Fallen Behind", you will be given a warning to pick up the pace and catch up to the group in front of you. If you cannot catch up, the marshal will ask the entire group to pick up and move to the next hole in order to keep the speed of play going. If this happens to a group, the hole or holes that were missed will be treated as an 'X' and the group will not be eligible for weekly club buck prizes. Your group will still be eligible for the skins and deuce pot prizes. **We encourage ready golf as this will help with pace of play.**

Rules of Play

All shall follow "Rules of Golf". If you hit a ball in the bush or out of bounds, you must hit a provisional ball before going to look for that ball. If you choose not to hit a provisional ball and you cannot find your original ball, you must go back to the spot where you hit your last shot and re-hit. This is a stroke and distance penalty. If you choose not to go back and hit another shot, you can **X** yourself out of that hole. X'ing out on a hole only takes you out of the weekly flight prizes. It does not take you out of the skins or

deuces for the week. **However, the only exception to this rule is on hole #1, If you hit your ball into the left or right bushes you may play that as a lateral hazard. You can proceed to point of entry and take 2 club lengths from the bush, you also have the option to take the line on which your ball entered the bush and go as far back as you like keeping the pin inline with point of entry.**

We are all out for fun each week; however, we play for cash and gift certificate prizes. The rules are in place to make it fair for everyone. If you feel that you have seen someone not follow the rules of golf, report that golfer to the ProShop staff. Each violation will be dealt with in a timely matter and could result in disqualification from the weekly prizes. Repeat violations could result in forfeiting playing privileges during the Cardiff Men's League. **"Gimmies" are not permitted. You must hole out each and every shot.** This is our biggest violation and if you do violate this rule you will be given a warning, if caught again further action will be taken. If you have any questions with regards to any rules of golf, please see the professional staff for clarification.

Guest Rules

League guests will not be permitted unless approved by management (Dallas/Zach/Matt). Please note guests are not eligible to win flight prizes or skins or deuces so they are not required to pay the \$10 weekly fee but are required to pay their green fee.

Scorecards/Mobile Scoring

New for the 2020 Season we will have live scoring during and after round of play. During your rounds you will be able to input hole-by-hole scores for your entire group and access a live leader board. Please note that the mobile scoring app will not be the official score as you will need to hand in your card after nine for official scoring. As in years past please ensure first and last names are on the card legibly or cards will not be accepted for scoring. After the round we will have live scoring updates in the Flat Iron Grill along with live draws every week. These live draws will rotate, first week you will need to be present to win and the next week you will not. Draws will be done around 8-830pm depending on time of season.

If you have any questions or concerns you may contact Dallas Cantera (cardiffgolf@explornet.com) or Zach Rodda/Matt Mah (cardiffproshop@live.ca)

