

TWGA NEWSLETTER

Monthly Newsletter for TWGA Members



TWGA UPDATES

Cara's Corner

PAR FOR THE COURSE

The golf course looks great, as usual, and is ready for all play. All we can say is the rough is rough (insert your favorite curse word!) and the greens are fast!!!

As usual, keep sanding your divots and fixing your ball marks. Your efforts are appreciated and do not go unnoticed.

There have been concerns regarding drinking water on the course. Due to Covid the yellow water coolers had to be removed. Going forward Tuscarora has made the decision to eliminate the yellow coolers. Instead, there will be some type of water available at the halfway house. Either a water dispenser or bottled water.

Also, there is water available upstairs or for purchase in the proshop. Speaking of the pro shop, be sure to stop in and see everything they have in stock to choose from. If you can't find what you want they are happy to order for you!



In memory of Jackie Ross, a tree will be planted near hole 10. See info below

A TREE IN MEMORY OF JACKIE ROSS

We are asking for donations to plant a tree, so we might think of Jackie, when we pass by on the golf course.

Autumn Gold Ginkgo Biloba

Contact Jan Anthony or Donna Bome for more info

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FROM THE TWGA

TWILIGHT LEAGUE: LEARN THE RULES

Rules Overview

Penalty Shots

- Hitting the wrong ball - 2 Strokes penalty - re-hit the correct ball
- Out of bounds or lost ball - re-hit from the original spot - loss of stroke and distance - i.e. count both shots - 1 stroke penalty
- Pond, streams, other penalty areas or unplayable lie - 1 stroke penalty - 3 options for playing the next shot:
 - replay from previous spot
 - drop ball within 2 club lengths of where ball crossed the penalty area - no closer to the hole
 - drop ball as far back as you want - keeping the point where the ball went into the penalty area between you and the flag
 - Grounding club in sand trap - 2 strokes penalty
- Hitting another ball while putting (if ball on green) - 2 strokes penalty
 - No penalty
 - Ground under repair - free drop
 - Casual water on course - free drop
- Relief from immovable objects - sprinkler heads, yardage markers, ball washers, benches, etc. - free drop
 - Relief from cart paths - free drop
- Grounding club in penalty areas (note that you cannot ground club in sand traps)
 - Hitting flag while putting
 - Hitting you or your playing partners' equipment (or persons)
 - Double hitting ball in one swing
- Removing loose impediments in sand trap (stones, leaves, etc.)

Post Score - GHIN

GHIN - Golf Handicap & Information Network. Use the GHIN app to post your scores. Check with the pro shop if you need help in setting up your account on the app.

From the Home screen select 'POST SCORE'

Enter or select course name - Tuscarora or other course played

For easiest posting select 'TOTAL SCORE'. Note that you can also enter Hole by Hole if you prefer to enter more details

You should get this 'POST TOTAL SCORE' screen. (Linda can you insert attached picture?)

You can then select each item to edit:

Number of holes - 18 or 9 - if you select 9 hole score you will also select front or back as prompted

- Tees - select from options listed - at Tuscarora your options will be Blue, White or Yellow

- Score Type - Home, Away or Competitive

- Date - current date is auto displayed but this can be changed.

- Enter Score - Front, Back or Total - if you selected 9 holes above only one score will be posted. Note that you should enter your Adjusted Gross Score (see below)

Select 'POST SCORE'

ADJUSTED GROSS SCORE

A score for handicap purposes should not be overly influenced by one or two bad hole scores that are not reflective of a player's demonstrated ability. The main method of arriving at the Adjusted Gross Score is to adjust the total score for any hole in which the player had a score higher than net double bogey; i.e., par + 2 strokes + handicap for that hole. For example,

A player with a handicap of 54 would get 3 strokes on each hole.

The player shot a 10 on a par 4 hole

The hole allowed 9 strokes (par 4 + 2 for double bogey +3 for handicap), the 10 would still be recorded on the score card but the total would be reduced by 1 stroke for handicap posting.

REVIEWING POSTED SCORES

You can review your previously posted scores or check to see if a score has been posted through the GHIN app.

From the Home Screen select 'STATS'

Your latest scores will be displayed (up to 20 scores 18 holes)

Beside each score is a code

- H - home course

- A - Away course

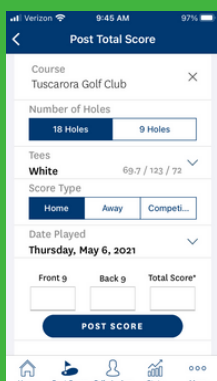
- C - Competition

- N - 2 nine hole scores combined

The screen shows the date and course played

To view the individual 9-hole scores combined in the posting, click the (i) button next to the N and the scores, dates and club will be displayed.

If any posted score needs to be corrected, check in with the pro shop.



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Upcoming Events

****Don't forget to play your first round of the Eclectic by July 31st.
The second round will be completed on August 8th 2021****

June 22 - Twilight - MG

July 20 - Tuesday Ladies Day 18 hole - no leagues this day

August 8th - 2nd day of the Eclectic (Sunday)

August 17th - Tuesday 18 hole 2 day MM

August 19th - Thursday 18 hole 2 day MM (day 2)

August 24 - Twilight League MM

September 1 - Wed am MG 9 hole

September 11-12 - The IDA Saturday/Sunday

September 28th TWGA Fall Meeting Tuesday

****Check the Tuscarora Calendar for non-TWGA events****