

1. Membership & Divisions

- **Eligibility:** All participants (players and substitutes) must be **Nemadji Men's Club Members** (requires a current membership card). Playing with a non-member results in the forfeiture of all match points.
 - **Team Registration:** The annual league fee is **\$40 per team**, paid prior to the season.
 - **Returning Teams:** Automatically retain their spot unless the commissioner is notified otherwise prior to the first meeting. Registration and payment must still be submitted.
 - **New Teams:** Admitted Teams are subject to division capacity and approval after the first spring meeting. Large requests will require randomized selection and commissioner approval.
 - **Divisions:** The league is split into Division 1 (D1) and Division 2 (D2), each capped at 16 teams to ensure timely evening completion and even participation numbers.
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2. Governance & Voting

- **Men's Club Board Decisions:** Affect all leagues and are adopted by this league as non-voting matters.
 - **League Operations:** Changes to league-specific operations are voted on by the league captains.
 - **Commissioner Rulings:** Decided by the league commissioner if required.
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3. Schedule & Course

- **Season Dates:** Regular season begins the third Wednesday in May and concludes in mid-August. Playoffs follow and conclude by the third or fourth Wednesday in September.
- **Tee Times:** League play begins at **4:30 p.m.** each Wednesday, with increments every 10 minutes.
 - Tee times may only be changed with the coordination and agreement of both team captains.
 - Teams may not play without a formal assigned tee time from the course.
 - If a player is late, they may join the match for remaining points, but their team automatically forfeits the 2 low-net points.
- **Course Assignment:** League play alternates courses (N/S, E/W) for D1 and D2 weekly, subject to Nemadji Golf Course direction.

4. Inclement Weather & No-Shows

- **Cancellation:** Cancellations are determined by **3:30 p.m.** in coordination with the golf course. Captains will be notified via SMS.
 - Canceled matches are not recorded, resulting in 0 points for all teams that week.
 - The commissioner will attempt to reschedule if a Wednesday is available.
 - **Weather Option:** If the course is open but teams choose not to play due to inclement weather, they can elect to "split points" for 4 points per team.
 - **No-Shows:** * The present team is awarded 7 points; the no-show team loses 4 points.
 - Teams are on probation after one no-show; a second no-show results in removal from the league.
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5. Communication Channels

Captains are the primary point of contact for disseminating information. General league announcements are communicated via:

- **Website:** nemadjimensclub.com
 - **Social Media:** facebook.com/nemadjimensclub
 - **Email & SMS:** Direct messages to captains
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6. Handicaps & Tees

- **Handicap System:** Handicaps are based on performance in the Wednesday 2-Man Best Ball League and must be recorded in the USGA GHIN app. Players without a handicap on the first night start with 0 and must work with the GM of Nemadji Golf Course to establish one.
 - *Handicap Guide:* [Nemadji Handicap Guide](#)
 - *USGA GHIN:* ghin.com
 - **Tee Boxes:** Matches are played from the **Blue (Black/White)** tees. Declared tees must be used for the entire season.
 - **Age 65+:** May declare to play from the White tees.
 - **Age 70+:** May declare to play from the Green tees.
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7. Scoring & Rosters

- **Point System:** 11 points per match (1 point per hole + 2 points for low team net total).
 - The low-handicap player in the foursome receives 0 strokes. All others have their handicap reduced by the low handicap.
 - Ties on an individual hole result in 0.5 points per team.
 - **Submitting Scores:** Players must attest and record scores on the score sheets at the clubhouse or patio immediately after the match. Failure to submit scores results in 0 points for the offending team (the opposing team retains the points they recorded).
 - **Roster Rules:** Roster changes and additions are permitted until **July 4**. Roster changes must be clearly indicated on the scorecard; otherwise, the player is considered a substitute.
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8. Playoffs

- **Qualification:** The top 8 teams from each division advance to the playoffs.
 - **Eligibility:** Players must be on the team roster and have played a minimum of **3 league rounds** to compete.
 - **Schedule & Course:** Playoff matches take place during the 4 weeks following the regular season starting at 4:30 p.m. Matches may be played earlier if both teams mutually agree. Teams not completing matches on time are disqualified.
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9. Payouts

Gift certificate payouts and end-of-season meals are determined prior to the start of the season by a majority vote of the league captains.

10. Disputes

Disputes require the participation of both parties for a ruling by the league commissioner.