

Sun ‘n Lake Golf Club

Rules and Regulations

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Emergency Procedures

Immediately call 911 if you have an emergency. Do not hesitate to call if you are uncertain of the severity of the emergency. Be sure to give the exact location of the emergency (the street they would turn off to get on the golf course would be helpful if the emergency is on the golf course) to help the EMS find you. Supplying exact details of the emergency will help EMS dispatch the most appropriate form of assistance.

Call Sun 'N Lake security (863) 235-1758 and the golf shop (863) 385-4830 ext. 1 after the above has been accomplished and they will make an effort to assist in the process of getting EMS to your location.

Hours of Operations

- Golf Shop – 6:45 am to 5:30 pm all year
- Golf Course – Dawn to Dusk
- Restaurant – Summer Hours (June 1st thru Sept 30th)

Sundays: Bar Service 11 - 5:30 pm

Mondays: Lunch only 11 am - 3:30 pm & Bar Service until 5:30 pm- Closed for dinner

Tuesday – Saturday: Full Menu 11 am – 8 pm & Sunset Dining 3:30 – 7 pm

Winter Hours (October 1st thru May 31st)

Sundays: Limited Lunch Menu & Bar Service 11 - 5:30 pm

Monday – Thursday and Saturday: Full Menu 11am – 8 pm & Sunset Dining 3:30 – 7 pm

Friday – Full menu 11 am – 8 pm Friday night menu 3:30 – 7 pm

- Snack Shack - open January 15 to March 31; 11 a.m. to 3 p. m.

Memberships Descriptions

- Full-Membership – This one-year membership provides two adults in residence together (along with minor children) unlimited play. **Qualifications to become a significant partner in residence:**
 - We have a committed relationship of indefinite, duration.
 - We intend to reside together for an indefinite, period of time.
 - We are not related by blood.
- Single-yearly Membership– This one-year membership provides an individual unlimited play on both courses.
- Single/ Full Membership -There are specials reduced classifications for members over 80, over 85 and over 90 years of age.
- Seasonal Membership – are restricted to single memberships only and currently can be for 3 or 5 consecutive months long, starting Oct. 1st – May 30th (these seasonal memberships can start on the 1st or 15th of any month. The Club does not offer Full seasonal memberships.
- Summer Memberships can also be purchased May 1st-Sept. 30th but cannot be combined with a 3 or 5 month memberships.
- Junior Executive Membership – This one-year membership provides anyone ages 18-25 years of age. unlimited plays on both courses.
- Executive memberships for both Single and Full are available to those (under 50 years of age) they will receive all of the same benefits as regular members.
- Youth Membership –This membership is for those under 18 years of age and do not fall under a Full membership, they can enjoy the benefits of year round unlimited golf.

- Corporate memberships are available. It consists of up to four individuals, at a time; and must be approved by the SNL Board of Supervisors.
- When joining the SNL Golf Club Full, Single, and Executive members also get several other amenities as part of your membership. You receive access to the health club, tennis courts, pool and pickle ball courts at no additional fees.

*For a Full membership to qualify for an age restricted discounted membership, either of the primary members (member and spouse, or member and significant partner in residence) must meet the age restriction of the membership. *

The Club does extend a member referral incentive. An individual can receive a bonus for referring new members.

Proration of Membership Dues:

An annual membership will be prorated the first time someone joins the club, if they have not been an annual or seasonal member in the past.

Membership Refunds: In the event of a death of an annual member, refunds will be prorated for up to six months.

Dues Payment options:

If you pay your membership by cash or check you will receive a discount on the pre-taxed membership fee.

- Option 1: Pay the total amount by October 1, 201x and enjoy the benefits of being a member of Sun 'N Lake Golf Club.
- Option 2: Pay 50% of your membership by October 1, 201x and we will automatically bill the remaining balance to your account that will be due by January 31, 201x. If we have not received payment by that day, we will automatically bill your credit card on file the remaining portion of your dues.

Membership Upgrades:

A membership can be upgraded at any time, by paying the difference in the cost of the memberships.

Membership Downgrades:

Membership downgrades should not take place unless it falls into the criteria of another policy as in the case of death i.e. (membership refunds: In the event of death of an annual member, refunds will be prorated for up to six months.)

Initiation Fee:

Currently the initiation fee has been waived.

Leave of Absence/Medical:

Any member that chooses to take a medical leave of absence must present a letter of application to the manager. There is a limit of one leave of absence per member with a second leave of absence being earned after 5 years of membership. The prorated amount for the time missed will be applied to a membership in the future. A letter from a physician must be presented upon the members return.

***Exceptions to this policy must be approved by the Sun 'N Lake Board of Supervisors. ***

Booking Tee Times:

- Members are allowed 21 days' advance booking of tee times.
- Member groups will be booked several months in advance.
- Public players are allowed 7 days advanced booking.
- Hotel play and large group play will be booked several months in advance.

All members and guests must check in with the golf shop or the starter before going out to play. If you need to cancel a tee time or reduce the amount of players in your party or group, please contact the golf shop as soon as possible to open the tee time(s) to other members and guests.

Failure to cancel your tee times: All members must check in with the starter or golf shop before going out to play. Failure to check in will result in the possibility of losing your starting time for that day. If you need to cancel a tee time or reduce the amount of players in your party or group, please contact the golf shop 24 hours in advance.

Proper Golf attire.

- Casual attire is permitted throughout the club house, practice facility, and golf course. Dungarees, blue jeans, acid or stone washed jeans and denims regardless of style or make are discouraged; Jeans with holes, will not be permitted. Cut-off shorts, gym shorts, tennis shorts or sweatpants are not acceptable. Ladies and Gentlemen, must wear proper golf attire at all times. The staff reserves the right to refuse playing privileges to anyone not properly attired.
- Women are not permitted to wear halter tops or short tennis shorts.
- Men are not permitted to wear tank tops or sleeveless shirts nor may they remove their shirts. Any clothing containing offensive statements will not be permitted. Cut-off, torn, or clothing with holes is not permitted.
- Golf shoes or flat soled shoes are to be worn when on the course. **SOFT SPIKES ARE MANDATORY.**
- Any person violating these regulations will not be permitted to play.
- Improperly dressed golfers will be asked to change before playing. If you are in doubt concerning your attire, please check with the golf shop before starting play.
- Failure to abide by this may result in removal from the course without a refund.

Pace of Play:

- Our team strives for everyone to enjoy a round of golf when it comes to pace of play, every effort possible will be made for all players to maintain a reasonable pace of play.
- Please keep in mind that golfer skill levels vary and there will be times (especially in season) when rounds of golf will take longer than they do in the off season. This is directly related to the amount of players on the course as well as the wide variety of skill levels.
- If you should encounter a slow pace of play situation, please notify the golf shop by phone. We will dispatch immediate assistance.
- When there is a double tee start (teeing off #1 and #10) and the lead group plays the first nine holes in under 2 hours that group may be required to wait at the turn in order for the last scheduled tee time in that block to start.

Driving Range Hours of Operation:

- The practice ranges will be open during normal operating hours as posted in the respective pro shop.
- There will be a minimum of one day per week set aside for mowing of the driving range and maintenance. This procedure may require that the range be closed at least two hours before dark the evening prior to mowing.

Driving Range Policy:

- Range balls will be purchased in the Golf Shop when buying a pass or at the range machine when using a credit card.
- All range balls and equipment shall not leave the golf course.
- Balls must be hit from designated areas. No hitting is permitted from the rough or sides of a practice range.
- Shagging out on the range is prohibited.
- Personal shag ball bags are not permitted on driving range. Members are allowed to use shag bags at the short game areas.
- Golf carts are prohibited from being on the drive range, there is designated parking for golf carts.
- Proper golf attire is required at all times on a practice range.
- Care should be taken at all times.
- Sun 'N Lake golf club will be required to maintain the following amenities:
 - Properly maintained mats, brushes, and grass tee areas.
 - Signs indicating safety procedures for all patrons.
 - Adequate quantities of clean range balls to allow for peak usage periods.
 - Golf staff will monitor on a daily basis to ensure compliance of driving range policies.

Inclement Weather:

- SNL does not possess an inclement weather warning or detection system. Golfers are advised to play at their own risk and we are under no obligation to warn, retrieve, and/or remove anyone from the golf course due to inclement weather, including lightning.
- Golfers may suspend their round at any time upon their own determination of the dangers of existing, impending or threatening inclement weather and golfers may be eligible for a rain check. Neither Billy Casper Golf nor the District of Sun 'N Lake are responsible for injuries or damage resulting from inclement weather.

Play Cards

Player Advantage Card- Player advantage cards are available throughout the year and provide players the following benefits: FREE First Round, 25% off public rates, receive all special promotions, offered 10% off in the golf shop.

Payment Programs:

Account balances over 90 Days: All accounts that have balances due over 90 days we will automatically use any or all credit book balances in your account to cover the charges. You will also be required to keep a credit card on file in order to continue your charging privileges at Sun 'N Lake.

Charging Policy:

When charging to your membership account, please review the itemized receipt to insure that you are being charged for correct items. If you do not sign your receipt you may come in the next day to sign your ticket. You will be responsible for any unsigned ticket as well as a 20% gratuity for items purchased at the Island View Restaurant.

Handicap Flag Policy:

- We are allowing our members and guests who have a handicap (who have an authorized handicap flag) inside the red stakes that indicate when carts should return to the cart path.
- A blue stake will be positioned by the green where handicapped players with authorized blue flags may park.
- UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ARE CARTS, WITH BLUE HANDICAP FLAGS, TO BE CLOSER THAN 15 YARDS/45 FEET FROM TEE BOXES, GREENS OR APPROACHES EXCEPT WHEN OPERATING ON THE CART PATH OR PARKED NEXT TO THE BLUE STAKE. (Anyone who is unable to follow the above restriction may bring us a doctor's note to that effect and receive a yellow flag to be able to get closer to tees and greens)
- Handicap Flags shall be assigned to a member that provides bona fide proof to the golf staff that he/she has a disability requiring utilization of such flag. The handicap flag must be displayed on the golf cart.
- The Pro Shop manager will keep a list of all Disabled Flags that have been issued to Members.
- Players with Handicap flags will drive directly to the green and park their cart next to the blue stake or 15 yards from the green. Then back up when leaving. This will minimize the amount of time the cart is driving on a slope which reduces any damage that would be done to the grass.
- The club reserves the right to allow severely handicapped individuals (yellow flag) to park within 5 steps of the green.
- Public golfers will be allowed handicap access upon request and will be given a handicap flag to borrow for the day.

Abuse of the Handicap Flag Policy:

- 1st Violation: the player will be notified of the violation and informed of the cart policy rules.
- 2nd Violation: the player will be notified that they have a second violation and that is the final warning.
- 3rd Violation: the player will be notified that they need to report to the general manager. They will be informed that they will no longer be allowed to rent/drive golf carts on the course for two weeks.
- 4th Violation: Loss of cart privileges for 1 month that will include being suspended as a member for that period of time.

USGA Handicap information:

- Handicaps are available for all members, residents and outside guests and are computed twice a month, year around.
- Scores are posted in the handicap computer in the association room, with adjustments for Equitable Stroke Control.
- Golfers must have an established handicap to compete in any handicap event, except by special permission from the golf association, and golf staff.
- USGA maximum Allowable Handicap:
- Men – 36 Women -40

The golf Staff shall have the authority to establish temporary handicaps for individuals where special circumstances dictate.

Men's:**Equitable Stroke Control for 18 – Hole Scores**

Course Handicap	Max score on any hole
9 or less	double bogey
10 – 19	7
20 – 29	8
30 – 39	9
40 – 49	10

Ladies:

Course Handicap	Max score on any hole
4 or less	double bogey
5-9	7
10-14	8
15-19	9
20 or more	10

Course Information:

Colored makers are located in the center of the fairways indicate yardage measured to the center of the greens:

Blue -200
White – 150
Red – 100
Green – 50

Sprinkler Heads are marked with front, center and back of green. Colored flags indicated pin placements.

Red – Front
White – Middle
Yellow – Back

Turtle Run Scrub Rule

All Scrub area on Turtle Run will be played as a penalty area with the same relief options as a lateral water hazard. The scrub area is defined as any area not maintained by mowing which contains scrub oaks and/or palmettos in it.

Private Carts:

- Only those persons who are members in good standing of Sun 'N Lake Golf Club will be allowed to operate a privately owned, electric golf cart on the golf course. A trail fee sticker must be displayed on front driver's side, bottom corner of windshield.
- Ownership of the private cart is limited to members only. The cart is to be used only by those individuals listed on the membership.
- If your private cart is being repaired you will be granted a one week "grace period" and may use a club owned cart, if available, at no charge. Club owned carts must remain on golf course property.
- The private cart owner assumes all liability for any damages incurred by himself or any third party occurring out of the operations or use of the private owned cart, and hereby agrees to indemnify and hold Sun 'N Lake Improvement District and the Sun 'N Lake Golf Club harmless from any such injury. The cart owner shall keep the cart insured with public liability insurance covering the cart with single limit liability in a minimum aggregate amount of \$100,000 per accident. Loss or damage resulting from vandalism, collision, or accident shall be the sole responsibility of the private cart owner.

GOLF CART OPERATION:

- All golf cart operators must have a valid driver's license.
- Only carts with a handicap flag may enter handicap access areas.
- Golf carts are not permitted to drive inside the red stakes that line the fairways 35-45 yards from the green and are not allowed to approach the green on the non-cart path side. When you arrive at the red stake you must park on the cart path and walk to the green (this is to protect the integrity of the green surrounds).
- Maximum two persons, two bags per cart.
- Maximum of two carts, per group. Exceptions can be made by pro-shop staff.
- Carts are NOT permitted on driving range and practice tees except where designated.
- Golf cart operators are responsible for any damage caused to the golf course or golf cart.
- All carts, club owned and private, must be equipped with rake and sand bucket.
- No parking of golf carts under front entrance archway.

PRIVATE CART AGREEMENT:

- Trail fee sticker must be displayed on front driver's side, bottom corner of windshield.
- For your safety, and the safety of others, all members must use cart paths when crossing Sun 'N Lake Boulevard.
- The private cart owner assumes all liability for any damages incurred by himself or any third party occurring out of the operations or use of the privately owned cart, and hereby agrees to indemnify and hold Sun 'N Lake of Sebring Improvement District harmless from such injury. The cart owner shall keep the cart insured with a public liability

insurance covering the cart with a single liability in a minimum aggregate amount of \$100,000 per accident. Loss or damage resulting from vandalism, collision or accident shall be the sole responsibility of the private cart owner.

- Private carts must abide by all the rules and regulations governing the use of the golf carts on the golf course.
- Each private cart must be equipped with an approved rake and sand bucket.

Golf Cart Storage:

- Private cart storage located at the course is available for rental on an annual basis. These storage areas are secured and locked with their own power for charging your cart.
- Members that rent a storage unit assume all liability for any damages or theft that is incurred at said unit. You further hereby agree to indemnify and hold Sun 'N Lake of Sebring Improvement District harmless from any damage or loss incurred.

Member Groups:

Games and Group Tee Times: Sun 'N Lake is unique because the club has so many different "games" available for our members throughout the week. All groups that receive blocked tee times must have information about the group and or a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. If your group is not open to new participants the club will not block your tee times.

Chicks with Stix:

Chicks with Stix at Sun 'n Lake provides fun and unique opportunities to build friendships and enjoy the golf lifestyle. Whether you've never touched a golf club or play often, we offer a variety of events that encourage women to mix, mingle and enjoy the game of golf.

Seasonal Membership // \$60

Membership to run from October –April Gets FREE Chicks with Stix logo visor!

Year Round Member // \$100

Membership to run from October – September Gets FREE Chicks with Stix logo Shirt!

Membership Benefits include:

- Discount to all CWS member events
- 10% off Merchandise in the Pro Shop
- Discount on Golf

Men's Golf Association MGA:

The Men's Golf Association was formed to promote fellowship through golf. The association cordially invites all male members, eighteen years of age and older, to become members of the Sun n Lake Golf Club.

To be a member of the MGA you must be a member of SUN n Lake Golf Club.

Weekly play is Thursday morning with an 8:00 am shotgun start and you must register before Tuesday of each week.

The annual dues of \$20.00 are payable October 1 of each year or upon joining the association.

There is an optional Hole-In One Pool that runs for a full year October 1st to September 31st. The Hole in One pool is divided among all those individuals who accomplished a HIO during that time period. That is an additional cost of \$20.00 per year. Speak to an MGA representative for further details.

You must be a MGA member to play in any Men's only MGA events.

Officers, committees, Constitution-by-laws and tournament schedules are available on the SNL web site.

Women's Golf Association WGA:

The Ladies golf association invites all New Sun N Lake Golf Club members to join their group.

Prospective association members must establish a handicap of 36 or less based on the minimum of (5) 18 hole scores on our courses with supporting scorecards returned to the association. If you have a current USGA handicap with 20 scores, you may put these scores in the computer.

Required dues of \$40.00 are annually payable by April 1st or upon initially becoming a member, and must be paid to play in any association event. There is an optional Hole-In One Pool that runs for a full year October 1st to September 31st. The Hole in One pool is divided among all those individuals who accomplished a HIO during that time period. That is an additional cost of \$10.00 per year. Speak to a WGA representative for further details.

Weekly association play is each Wednesday with and 8:00 am shotgun. There are a variety of association events throughout the year.

Further details are available through the WGA Membership committee.

LGA 9 Hole Ladies Association:

Ladies of the 9 Hole Ladies Golf Association pay yearly dues of \$40.00 and establish a 9-hole handicap to play with the group on Wednesday mornings.

Golf Committee:

The golf committee is comprised of members from the golfing community that represent the golfer ideas and suggestions for improvements. They are made up of representative from the MGA, WGA, LGA and Casper Management. Their ideas and thoughts are brought to Billy Casper Golf Management for consideration.

Employee Golf Privileges:

Employees of Sun 'N Lake Golf Club will be allowed to play golf during the summer months (May to September) at no charge. During the months of October thru April, playing privileges will be at the discretion of the Head Golf Professional.

Professional Lessons:

\$45 for 1 lesson

\$120 for a series of 3 lessons

These rules and regulation may be amended and put immediately into effect by a consensus vote of the Board of Supervisors. The amendment will be formally adopted at the next Board of Supervisors meeting.