DEER VALLEY WOMEN'S GOLF CLUB GREEN TEE PLAY

REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES

Amended: January 2022

In November 2018, the board of the Deer Valley Women's Golf Club approved a motion accepting green tees as official tees for play in the Deer Valley Women's Golf League and in January 2019, approved a set of regulations and procedures regarding green tee play. In January 2020, with the implementation of the new World Handicap System, the regulations and procedures have been revised to eliminate the adjustment for Green Tee Players. In January 2022, the board further approved a motion to amend eligibility and continuance of green tee play once green tee play has been established. The following are the Regulations and Procedures.

REGULATIONS:

- 1. Only players with a **handicap of 30 or higher MAY** choose <u>and continue</u>, to play the green tees when playing at player's home course (Deer Valley Golf Course) <u>regardless of normal adjustments in handicap</u>, for the remainder of <u>the current year</u>.
- 2. A qualifying player may choose to play from the red tees. They are **not compelled to play from the green tees**.
- 3. A green tee player will use their handicap index and green tee handicap as provided on the bi-monthly handicap printouts.
- 4. All green tee play will be flighted in a separate flight for weekly events if there are sufficient numbers of green tee players to make a separate flight.
- 5. A minimum of six players is required to make a separate green tee flight. If there are less than six players, the green tee players will be integrated into the red tee flights.
- 6. **No green tee play will be allowed in major tournaments.** All players must play from the red tees. However, if there are sufficient numbers of green tee players to make a separate flight, this can be considered by the tournament committee. This number of players is to be determined by the committee.
- 7. Ace (handicap 0-19) and Aces (handicap 20+): Green tee players are not eligible for Ace competition. Green tee players are not eligible for Aces

- **competition** unless they have played the red tees and qualified. In the Ace and Aces competition at years end, all players must play from the red tees.
- 8. **Medallion:** Green tee players are **not eligible for Medallion Play** unless they play from the red tees on the designated Medallion Play dates. All Medallion Play scores will be entered as Competition ("C") Scores by the handicap chair.

PROCEDURES:

- 1. **Handicapping:** The handicap chair will print a bi-monthly handicap sheet with both the red tee and green tee handicaps.
- 2. **Scorecard:** Green tee players must **write 'GREEN' on their scorecard** so it is clearly visible to the monitor and the handicap chair.
- 3. **Payouts:** If there is a separate green tee flight, the **payout will be determined by the number of players in the flight**. i.e. 6 players will mean there will be \$12 total payout for the green tee flight. 8 players will mean there will be \$16 total payout, etc.
- 4. Ringers: There will be a separate green tee ringer flight if there is a sufficient number of green tee players regularly playing the green tees. No red tee scores can be used for the green tee ringers and no green tee scores can be used for red tee ringers.
- 5. **Blind Bogey:** Net score for green tee players will be based on their green tee handicap as provided on the bi-monthly handicap printouts. Enter your gross score, less your green tee handicap, to determine your net.
- 6. **Chip-ins:** Green tee players may choose to participate in the chip-in event as per red tee players.
- 7. **Birdies and Eagles:** Green tee players will write their birdies and eagles on the same birdies and eagles sheet as red tee players.

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