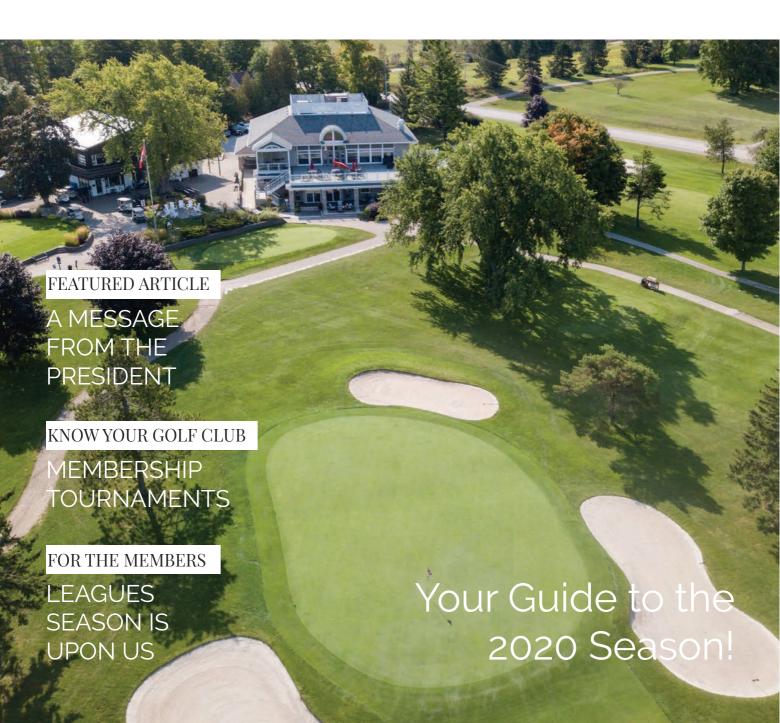
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# A Message from the President

Club. We are entering Ninety-Five Years of operations and providing arguably the best playing conditions in Grey Bruce Counties and maybe Southwestern Ontario. First and foremost, our thanks go out to our dedicated membership who choose Saugeen as their golf club of choice. The 2019 season was one for the books. Wet to start the season and then hot and dry with excellent playing conditions being provided by Master Superintendent Mike Pellerin and his dedicated staff. Mike has turned our golf club around over the past four years and continues to elevate the playing conditions that we all enjoy. Thank you very much to you and your team, Mike.

Randy Felker, our Executive Chef, is winding down with some events to close out the 2019 season. This was Randy's first year with SGC. We thank him for his culinary delights and look forward to the 2020 season.

2019 was very busy for the club with a full calendar of events of all shapes and sizes, and already the 2020 calendar is nearly full. The feedback to offer. we have received has been excellent, but there is always room to improve. Many members and guests have provided excellent feedback that we will use in the 2020 season to provide continuous improvements in all departments of the Club. We would like to thank all our management and staff that worked so very hard to provide a positive experience for our membership and guests. It takes a very dedicated serving and event staff to make it all happen. This team is led by Marissa Schultz, our Hospitality Supervisor. She and her staff have worked tirelessly to ensure our members and

quests have a positive experience.

We will be making a capital investment of about \$40,000 as we have to replace both of our deep well pumps and add some instrumentation and metering equipment in order to establish a base line of water consumption for our 2021 Water Taking permit application. This is a regulatory requirement for the golf course. This will also set up our irrigation system with new pumps to ensure we have a reliable source of water to keep our turf healthy.

Over the winter months, we will be painting the clubhouse as it is due for a paint job in the heavy Hello and welcome everyone to Saugeen Golf traffic areas. We will also complete maintenance activities on our course turf equipment. Currently Mike and the course staff are prepping the course for the Bruce County winter ahead. The old couches on the main floor will be recycled and if anyone has any comfortable furniture to donate please let the General Manager know. There is always lots to do over the winter months. We need to order the stock for the proshop and look at the full slate of events to ensure Randy our Executive Chef has what he will need to service these events.

> On a personal note I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the Board of Directors to thank all of our members and guests. We truly appreciate all the support we receive. Thank you to all the members that give their personal time for the betterment of our club. We count on your support year after year. It does not go unnoticed and truly makes a difference for everyone; a heartfelt thanks to you all. I would also like to welcome all our new members to Saugeen Golf Club. You have made an excellent choice in joining our family and I have no doubt you will enjoy the golf club and all it has

> I look forward to the 2020 season and wish everyone a safe, happy and healthy off season, and for those of you who are heading south for the winter months, safe travels and enjoy the warmer weather and winter golf.

> > - Kerry Turcotte President of the Board of Directors Saugeen Golf Club

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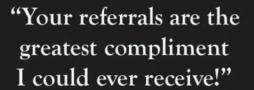
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# From the General Manager's Office

Hello All. Welcome to your 2020 season.

The management team has devoted many hours preparing the upcoming 2020 Club Event Calendar. We are confident you will be excited about the wide variety of dining, entertainment and social activities, as well as our traditional events you have come to truly enjoy. Check out our online calendar so you don't miss all the fun with your fellow members.

Of special note, we wanted to highlight two special events this upcoming season. 2020 marks SGC's 95th anniversary. To celebrate, you will find select merchandise and apparel in the Pro Shop with a special 95th anniversary logo. Throughout the season, GIMME NEWS will share stories of the past and your social committee, in conjunction with the Board of Directors and Management, are planning an official celebration in July.

SGC is extremely excited to be the host course for the 2020 Ontario Junior Golf Championship. This high-profile event will take place July 7th through July 10th. We are honoured and excited to be selected to be their host location. Not only will this be an exciting few days to come and watch 150 of Ontario's top junior golfers, but you will have the opportunity to volunteer.



Our volunteers are instrumental in showcasing our beautiful course and we are grateful to have

On behalf of the SGC team, we thank you for your continued support and we look forward to an outstanding 2020 season.

### A Special Thank You

We are grateful to all who share their beautiful photos of our wonderful golf club. A special thanks goes out to Bob Kopf who so generously shares his time and talents and who has provided many of the photos in Links 2020. Thank you Bob.



# WELCOME

# Weddings & Events at Saugeen

Booking now for 2020 and 2021!

# Welcome Back!

A Special Letter from our Hospitality Supervisor

Another eventful year is planned for 2020 at Saugeen Golf Club. With ongoing changes, we continue to work towards an enjoyable season for our members and guests! Our banquet facilities boast large floor to ceiling windows with views to our upper patio and fairways. The clean and understated decor provides versatility to host a variety of events, small or large! Our events team and Executive Chef invite you to plan your special event at Saugeen Golf Club.

Booking now for 2020 and 2021!

Marissa Schultz Hospitality Supervisor



Book Now for 2020!

Contact Information: marissa@saugeengolf.com (519) 389-4031 ext 107

# 2019 Women's Interclub

Several years ago, Saugeen Women were invited to join a local Interclub league and we happily accepted. As expected, when we started, we struggled to get participants, but I am happy to report that Saugeen women have embraced this competition, and this has turned into a very popular summer long event for us. At our windup day last season, we sent 24 ladies which was a record for us.

The clubs involved are Saugeen, Ainsdale Golf Club in Kincardine, Woodlands Golf Club in Clinton and Sunset Golf Club in Goderich. We have our schedules in place for 2020 and the dates are as follows: Saugeen will host first on Monday June 29 which is a change for us this season. Next, we will travel to Ainsdale on Monday July 27. August will see us travelling twice, first to Woodlands on Monday August 10 and we will wind up the competition in Goderich on

Monday June 29 2020 - Saugeen Monday July 27 2020 - Ainsdale Monday August 31. All dates will have a shot gun start at 1:00.

We play for the coveted pink toilet seat. Saugeen proudly won this in 2018 for our first time, but certainly not our last. It will be our goal this season to see it return to the Saugeen pro shop from its current location at Goderich. Also introduced for 2020 are team shirts. I am happy to say that 32 women were on board with this idea and placed their orders. Not only are we going to play great, but we are going to look like winners!!!

Looking forward to a fun interclub season! Thanks to all who have supported and participated in this league. We could not do this without all of you.

Bonnie Wilson

Monday August 10 - Woodlands Monday August 31 - Goderich Shot gun starts at 1:00.











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# In memory of Art Van Santen



On Saturday, July 27,2019, 210 golfers took to Saugeen Golf Course, braving the rain and filling the venue to commemorate the memory of Art Van Santen, beloved husband, father, friend, and long a fixture on the Saugeen Golf Course during the summer months.

The skies cleared quickly for the golfers, whose round was energized by the lively music of DJ Brae (Braeden MacKenzie) and, for the second year running, all golfers were treated to a decadent midround repast of ribs on Sunrise 5, courtesy of Queen's Bar and Grill of Port Elgin.

35 hole-sponsors and 25 volunteers made the tournament possible, and an additional 55 people, some from as far afield as Naples, Florida, joined the golfers and volunteers after the round for a delicious dinner prepared by Saugeen's own Executive Chef, Randy Felker. After dinner, tournament-goers raised a glass to Art and shared stories of the man whose friendship, love and kindness had brought them all together for the occasion, before dancing the night away to the fun-loving tunes of the Lulus Band.

The tournament raised a striking \$18,000, to be donated in three equal parts to the Heart and Stroke Foundation, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Guelph and Southampton Hospital Foundation. Follow the Art Van Santen Memorial Golf Tournament Facebook page to see pictures of this year's event and details about the third instalment of the AVS Memorial Golf Tournament, set to take place on July 25, 2020.



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# Keeping SGC on the Cutting Edge

Have you Downloaded the SGC App yet?

- Tee Times
- Live Scoring
- Golf GPS

- Loyalty Programs
- Ontap Food & Beverage
- Push Notifications



In 2020, we continue to take our customer service experience to a whole new level:

### Welcome to the Saugeen Golf Course App!

The app is designed to provide an even better all-around experience for you, our valued members and guests. Our app will provide you with easier access to SGC right in the palm of your hand! Book your tee time, access the oncourse GPS, maintain your score card, order your food and bev, all on the device you spend your day on!

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# Our staff work very hard to ensure that your round is enjoyable.

### A Message from our Superintendent

I hope that the sun is shining bright and warm wherever you are reading this from. We are long overdue for a nice early Spring; fingers crossed it's soon!

Although November weather was less than desirable, you can trust that the course was put to bed in the best manner possible. Our fleet of equipment and accessories have been winterized and stored. A question that I am often asked is "what do you do in the winter"? There are several activities that keep us busy through the off season. We continue to work out on the course until the snow is too deep to travel in a safe manner. Tree removal and pruning is an ongoing process and usually keeps us busy till the middle of December. In order to retain the proper certification to use pesticides, we host an annual meeting and provide

the Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Council of Canada a report that includes application, scouting, calibration records, maps and usage totals. Equipment is serviced and repaired before the start of the season. Conferences, seminars and vacation time round out the winter season. Once March rolls in, the work hours start to ramp up as we get the accessories ready and begin to prepare the course for opening day.

I hope you enjoyed the 2019 golf season at Saugeen. Our staff work very hard to ensure that your round is enjoyable. We look forward to the pleasure of seeing you soon.

- Mike Pellerin Golf Course Superintendent









# Member Golf Tournaments

Spring Scramble May 2nd

Senior 2-Man
June 26th

Women's Member Guest July 21st

Club Championship August 8th - 9th

Women's Scramble August 14th

Senior Club Championship August 19th - 20th

> Senior Scramble August 28th

Fall Scramble September 26th





# Pro Shop News:

We are excited to get the 2020 season underway!

The 2020 golf season is almost here, and we are We are so fortunate to have Jerry Noga, Director excited to welcome you to the Saugeen Golf Club! We have a busy calendar again this year full of events and tournaments for both members and guests, golf instruction and a Pro Shop that is filled with fresh and colourful merchandise. Be sure to drop in soon.

All Women's and Men's leagues will commence in early May. Women play 9 or 18 holes on Tuesday mornings and for the business gals, 9 holes on Wednesday evenings. Men's League on Tuesday evening is a 9-hole round and Senior Men on Wednesday mornings, an 18-hole round. All leagues are either a 9 or 18 hole shot-gun and are followed by a tasty meal. If you haven't done so yet, consider joining in the fun and camaraderie. We are confident there is a group that fits your needs.

Be sure to visit the SGC website for the list of tournaments scheduled this season so you can start planning now. We are honoured to host many charitable, business development and SGC invitational events. Most registrations are coordinated in the Pro Shop, so bring us any questions and let us get you signed up!

of Golf Instruction and PGA of Canada return to provide us with golf instruction. Jerry's brochure is in the Pro Shop and on the SGC website. Maybe check out his Spring Clinic Series - it will help dust off the cobwebs. Jerry's Junior Camps were FULL last year. Be sure to register your junior golfer early!

Our popular Demo Days are returning this season. This is an opportunity to experience the hot, new merchandise from Golf Trends, Callaway, Ping and Titleist right here at home with manufacturer Reps on hand to answer your questions. And remember, if at any time what you want isn't in the Pro Shop, we have accounts with all leading manufacturers and are happy to order anything you need.

Whether you live here year-round, just in the summer or visit for a week, enjoy a round of golf at the gem of Saugeen Shores. The entire SGC Pro Shop team are looking forward to a fun-filled season and to seeing you soon.













# **GOLF LESSONS**

(Group Lessons and Private)

### 2020 Spring Refresher

**4 WEEK PROGRAM** 

Focus on Grip, Stance, Posture, Ball Position, **Execution of The Swing and Putting** 

### **2020 Summer Programs**

Variety of Time/Date Options Runs May through August

### **Kids Golf Camps**

July and August

Jerry Noga, our Director of Golf Instruction, will again be rejoining our Golf Services Team for the 2020 Golf Season. Providing golfers from beginners to advanced players with his insightful analyses, expert instruction and his unique style, Jerry "quarantees" improvement in your game. He has successfully made major improvements in the development of junior golf at the Saugeen Golf Club, and we expect the participation in his programs to continue growing.



It is my wish and hope that this season can be inspiring to you all. SGC is the "gem" in the Region! Share your love for this game and your Club with your family, friends and neighbours. Encourage the junior golfers in your lives to experience this healthy and fun sport. My junior golf camps offer a fun filled learning experience that will introduce them to skills that will last a lifetime. Remember that the future of the game remains in our efforts to inspire the young. And remember to reach out if you have challenges in your own game...I'm here to help.

> Jerry Noga, PGA of Canada Director of Golf Instruction













**GOLF TRENDS** 

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**SATURDAY** MAY 23rd 11am - 3pm

**SATURDAY** JUNE 13th & JULY 11th 11am - 3pm

**SATURDAY** JUNE 6th 11am - 3pm

**SATURDAY** JUNE 20th 11am - 3pm



Contact Our Pro Shop to Sign Up 519-389-4031 Ext. 102

# 2020 Membership Information

The 2020 Membership Rates have been approved by the Board of Directors of Saugeen Golf Club.

This 2020 fee structure has been adopted to continue the success of having a strong, vibrant membership base for years to come!



### Claim Requests:

- Refund Request for deceased member prior to June 1st 2020 Full Refund Eligible
- Refund Request prior to April 30, 2020 Full Refund Eligible
- Refund Request May 1st to June 30th, 2020 50% Refund Eligible (or transfer of funds to 2021 season)
- Refund Request after June 30th, 2020 and before August 15th, 2020 will be offered at 25% discount on following years membership
- Refund Request after August 15th, 2020 Is Not Eligible for Refund

### 7 Days a Week - No Restrictions

Adult (Age 40-79)	\$1885
Adult (Age 30-39)	\$1380
Adult (Age 19-29)	\$1150
Adult (80+)	\$1270
Couples	\$3285
9 Hole	\$1155

Membership allows play 7 days/week no playing or time of day restrictions. Allows you to play maximum of 9 holes per day. Additional 9 holes for \$35 + HST.

Junior (Must be 13-18 years of age) \$300
(7 Days per Week/After 12pm on Weekends)

### **Bantam**

(Must be 12 Years of Age or Under with Birthday Listed on Front of Form – Sponsor Required)

(7 Days per Week/After 12pm on Weekends)

### **Weekday**

Adult \$1650

### **Additional Options**

Adult Power Cart	\$670
Couple Power Cart	\$975
Nine Hole Power Cart	\$335
Club Storage	\$100
Club Lockers	<b>\$60</b>
Power Caddy Storage	\$160
Member Owned Cart Fee (Includes Land Lease)	\$570
Member Owned Cart Fee Deluxe (Allows Cart Owners to use SGC Carts when required )	\$670

### **ALL PRICES SUBJECT TO HST!**

Members that have purchased an individual rider program may use one seat in a SGC cart. The cart will be shared either with a paid rider or another individual seasonal cart rider

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### **TEE TIME RESERVATIONS**

Members may reserve tee times up to 8 days prior through our on-line agent, or 7 days by phone.

### PRACTICE FACILITY USE

Unlimited use of our practice facility, which extends to your immediate family (with your oversight). Golf balls will be found on the range for your use daily from Dawn til Dusk.

### **HANDICAP SYSTEM**

Members have access to our in-house handicap tracking system.

### **RECIPROCAL PROGRAM**

Saugeen is a member of a reciprocal program which adds other courses at discounted rates to your arsenal of golf options.

### **HOUSE ACCOUNT**

Members have the option of opening a house account providing the convenience of once a month payments.

### **GOLF SHOP AND SUNSET GRILL PURCHASES**

Members receive 10% off all hard good purchases including clothing, golf bags & shoes and regular menu food items, excluding alcohol (some restrictions apply).

### **CLUB TOURNAMENTS**

Members receive discount rate in club sponsored tournaments.

### MEMBER OWNED POWER CARTS

Saugeen offers the unique option of the use of member owned power carts along with the leasing of land for placement of sheds to keep such carts. Trail fees apply.

### **CLUB STORAGE SERVICES**

We offer club storage services to our members including staff provided retrieval and cleaning service. Storage Fees apply.

### **LOCKER & TOWEL SERVICE**

Our locker rooms provide you with a safe place to leave your belongings during your round. Complimentary towel service provided following play. Locker fees apply.

### **CLUBHOUSE RENTALS**

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# 95th Anniversary Timeline

During our 95 th Anniversary year we plan to sprinkle stories of our past in our communications. What follows is a very brief list of some of our highlights.





### April 24, 1946

Provincial Charter incorporating Saugeen Golf Club - To promote, organize ,manage and administer a club or clubs on a non-profit basis and solely for pleasure, social and recreational purposes.

### 1951 Season

Legacy 9 re-designed by Stanley Thompson

### 1990-1992

Our First Woman President of the Board of Directors-Pat Fenton. A lifelong resident of Port Elgin Pat joined Saugeen in 1947. She is one of our two Honorary Members.



Major Reservoir installed to the right of Sunset #4 to support **Course Watering** system.

2002

Fall- Start of Course upgrades designed by Graham Cooke. Graham was inducted into the Canadian Golf Hall of Fame in 2010 after representing Canada around the world as an amateur golfer. He was second in the Senior British Amateur twice . He designed over 75 golf courses and specialized in updating Stanley Thompson designs.

One of the first changes was the Legacy #8 redesign to include pond and mounds. Numerous changes were made to improve playability and add interest to the course design over the next few years.

### June 3, 1925

Official Opening - Saugeen Golf and Country Club. Memberships were \$10.00 for men and \$5.00 for ladies. The land for the original course cost \$18,754.39. The course workers were paid 15 cents an hour and had the latest shovels combined with horse and wagon to complete the construction.

Hank Smith age 22 joins Saugeen. He would go on to become Club Captain in 1954, Director and President Board of Directors 1965-1967. He was appointed General Manager in 1967. Together with his wife Joan, who was the restaurant Manager, he led the club through many significant changes. He remained GM until his retirement in 1989. Hank is one of our two Honorary Members.

### June 20, 1957

SGC becomes only 18-hole course northwest of Guelph, London and Peterborough. Official opening of Sunset 9, designed by Fred Hulls.



### July 28, 1995

Official opening of Sunrise 9, designed by RF Moote and Associates Limited, making SGC a 27-hole course

### 2003/2004

Legacy & Sunset watering systems upgraded to "Double Row " System greatly improving coverage.

### 2012-2013

Clubhouse Renovation started in 2012. Grand **Opening Celebration** June 1 2013

95th Year of Golf in Saugeen Shores. Significant upgrade to course wells and pumphouses planned to comply with Water Taking Permit requirements. Robertson Farm Property on the market.





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# Welcome Back to the Tuesday Women's League ~ 2020

I am happy to take this opportunity to welcome all the Tuesday women back for another exciting season of golf. We will continue to offer our golfers the option of playing either 18 holes or 9 holes each week.

Implementing the Stableford format has proven to be popular with both 9 and 18 hole members, so I am happy to say, we will be continuing this format three times a month for our 2020 season.

Last season, we added a little twist to our monthly Scramble format with the introduction of the Step Aside Scramble. It helped us to keep the teams as even as possible, and since your feedback on this format was all positive, we will continue with this for the 2020 season.

You have also indicated to the executive, that you wish to continue having our monthly Buffet Lunch in the banquet room following our Step Aside Scramble play. This lunch gives us the opportunity to celebrate the success of our winners. It also gives the executive the opportunity to communicate with you and keep you updated on any news. Let's not forget the opportunity to enjoy a lovely lunch prepared by our chef and staff. It is always a welcome way to end a fun day on the links.

We have scheduled opening day for the Tuesday league on May 5, weather permitting. We will kick the season off once again with complimentary muffins and coffee.

What has become a popular evening at Saugeen is our Women's Opening Dinner where all Saugeen women are welcome and encouraged to attend. Please be sure to mark Wednesday April 29 on your calendars for a fun evening of reconnecting with your golf friends.

Once again we have our monthly Interclub play in place at Saugeen Golf Club, Ainsdale Golf Club, Woodlands Golf Club and Goderich Sunset Golf Club. One of the changes introduced for 2020 is that Saugeen will host first to kick the season off on Monday June 29. Hoping for lots of sunshine that day!!! We will all look fabulous in our new team shirts and will be working toward bringing that pink toilet seat back to Saugeen. Look for the sign-up sheets in the pro shop.

We will once again offer all women at Saugeen the opportunity to participate in our Match Play event. This event has been in place at Saugeen for many years and continues to be a popular tournament. It is an honour to win the Charles Cup. Play will commence in June.

Our yearly Member/Guest tournament is scheduled for Tuesday July 21. This tournament has grown into a featured event for the women. Another growing tournament is our Annual Women's Scramble to be held on Friday, August 14th. All women are welcome to participate. The list of exciting Women's events at Saugeen continues to grow. We are so fortunate to have these popular tournaments on our calendar.

We welcome all new members and guests to our Tuesday Women's League to enjoy all our league has to offer. If you are looking to be part of a women's league why not come give Tuesday mornings a try. This is a perfect opportunity for you to meet a fabulous, fun group of women.

Our annual membership fee is \$25.00. You will find the women's membership forms online or they will be available in the pro shop for your convenience. Please be sure to fill yours out and return to the pro shop along with your fees before league play begins.

I think I speak for all the Tuesday Women when I say we are all looking forward to a golf season filled with FUN, friendship and lots of sunshine!!

2020 Women's Executive:

Ladies President - Bonnie Wilson Ladies Past President - Suzanne Scott Ladies Vice President - Kendra Pagnan Games Co-Captain - Karen Fehr Games Co-Captain - Wendy Buckley Secretary - Susan Miller Treasurer - Jayne Lassen Nine Hole Rep - Jane Pritchard-Bowers

Welcome Jayne and Jane to the executive. We look forward to working with you.

Bonnie Wilson Tuesday Women's President

# Tuesday Night is Men's Night!

### 2020 Men's League

Men's night 2019 has brought a breath of fresh air for the league and on behalf of the Men's Night Committee, we'd like to thank all the guys that came out to make it happen. It wouldn't have been possible without you guys!

With 2020 here, we have some great new events that will be incorporated into our league - stay tuned for updates on that.

For those of you who have not participated in the excitement of this event, please come out any Tuesday! A social hour with drink specials begins at 4:30 p.m. Sign-up for a 5:30 shot-gun start will also happen. Scoring is always live through the SGC app, where players can question each others' scores right as they are posted on course. We have frequent hole-in-one prizes that can be upwards to \$10k in cash. The hole-in-one prize is not the only way to win something with our pins games.

After the round, players always enjoy coming upstairs for dinner and drinks. You can choose to stay or take your meal to go - and if you don't have time for either, just come for the golf and camaraderie.

Hope to see you out on the course!

Justin Niklaus, Jamie Dunlop and Stig Lassen Men's Night Committee

### 2020 KEY DATES

Tuesday, May 5th: First Men's Night

Tuesday, September 1st: Last Men's Night

Sunday, September 13th:
Men's Night Closing,
& Bob Cammidge
Memorial
Tournament

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# 2020 Senior Men's League

If you are 50 or older and a member of Saugeen, like to meet new people and have fun playing golf, you are encouraged to join our league which plays every Wednesday morning, 8:30am shotgun start. We have 160 active senior members and average 120 plus players every week. We play a quota point game where members are divided equally across five flights. Prize money is distributed equally across all flights. We pride ourselves in playing 18 holes in just over 4 hours.

You are welcome to buy into our weekly 'Deuce Pot' which pays all deuces an equal share of the pot if you've bought in that day. In addition, you can buy into our Hole-in-One insurance for \$2. Over the past six years, there have been five holes in one scored during league play. The latest was on July 31, 2019 when long time member Brian Crabbe aced Sunset 5. Buy in and get your hole-in-one during league play and you will win \$\$\$!

There are weekly lunch and beer specials and once a month we host a 'mandatory' lunch where everyone pays and stays for a short, but fun filled gathering in the banquet hall. This season's dates are May 20, June 17, July 15, August 19 with closing day on September 16.

Sign up in the Pro Shop and we'll get you on our league email distribution list. You will receive the tee sheet on Monday and results later in the day on Wednesday. We work hard at making sure you play with different members each week. We have set April 29 as our opening day, but weather and course conditions will dictate if that will happen. We look forward to seeing you.

> - Bob Buck Senior League Convener



# Wednesday Night Women's Golf

### SAVE THE DATE ~ Attention all Women!

Come join us Wednesday evenings starting with our meet and greet opening buffet dinner at 6:00 pm on April 29th, 2020. Buffet includes salads, entrée, dessert, tea and/or coffee.

We play 9 holes of fun non-competitive golf every Wednesday starting May 6th, 2020 with a 5:15\* pm shotgun start. Following golf, we enjoy either a buffet or salad bar dinner.

There are different on-course games each week featuring a prize for Closest to the Line, Closest to the Pin and Longest Putt. We also hold a weekly raffle with excellent prizes for your \$2 investment for one ticket or \$5 for three tickets.

Monthly Member/Guest nights are the first Wednesday of each month. Guests golf for free and following a fun night of golf can enjoy a buffet dinner and drinks.

Mix-It-Up Nights give everyone a chance to golf with someone new and meet new friends. A draw of cards determines who you golf with and what hole you start on. The second Wednesday each month will be Mix-It-Up Night.

Dinner Theme nights are Chef Randy's chance to show off his culinary specialities. The third Wednesday of each month will feature a themed buffet dinner.

Game Nights, with a prize for the overall winner, put a new twist on your game and are a lot of fun. These are held on the fourth Wednesday of each month and will also feature the Mix-It-Up format for determining who you will golf with.

Our closing buffet dinner will be September 16th & our game will feature a 4-person Scramble. Teams will be determined using the Mix-It-Up format.

All levels of golfers are welcome, so come on out and give it a try. See you on the course!

> Dianne Wallace Wednesday Night Ladies League Convenor



# In The Winners Circle

2019 CLUB CHAMPIONS

### **MENS**

Overall Champion: Nolan Boorsma

**Overall Net Champion:** 

Bill Cole

A Flight Winner: Bob McQuade
B Flight Winner: Ken Bolan
C Flight Winner: Joel Norwood
D Flight Winner: John MacLeod
E Flight Winner: James Pope

A Flight Gross Winner:

Ty Smith

**B Flight Gross Winner:** 

Brian Acton

**C Flight Gross Winner:** 

Jordan Roulston

**D Flight Gross Winner:** 

Jim McKnight

**E Flight Gross Winner:** 

Kenneth Bolan

**JUNIORS** 

Overall Campion: Sean Tippin

### **SENIOR MENS**

**Overall Champion:** Ken Dunlop

**Overall Net Champion:** 

Chris Cartwright

A Flight Net Winner: Dave Boorsma B Flight Net Winner: Doug Maas C Flight Net Winner: Eric Sterling

D Flight Net Winner:

Doug Freiburger

A Flight Gross Winner:

Rob Brignell

B Flight Gross Winner: Ted Sinfield C Flight Gross Winner: Bill Cole

**D Flight Gross Winner:** 

Don MacIntyre



### **LADIES**

Overall Champion:

Kim Legge

**Senior Champion:** 

Lynda Palinsky

Overall Net Champion:

Jayne Holt

A Flight Net Winner:

Lysanne Miller

**B Flight Net Winner:** 

Jayne Lassen

**C Flight Net Winner:** 

Nancy MacLeod

D Flight Winner: June Sinfield

A Flight Gross Winner:

Kristan Shrider

**B Flight Gross Winner:** 

Bonnie Wilson

**C Flight Gross Winner:** 

Jane Muir



# Saugeen Senior Ryder Cup Team

Another successful season for Saugeen's Senior Ryder Cup Teams has come to an end. The season begins with 124 teams from across the province, state of Michigan and New York competing with the goal of winning the Championship. Saugeen Golf Club is fortunate to have two teams play on the SRC circuit. All agree it is truly an awarding opportunity to have. Many of the players on Team 2 have played in the previous years when one team was entered the SRC.

Saugeen's Team 1. comprised of team members Rob Brignell, Dave Boorsma, Ken Dunlop, Al Kanters, Stig Lassen, Bob McWade, Keith McConnachie, Charlie Rooparaine and spares Mark Rosner and Brian Acton, represented Saugeen well, winning our Division.

Semifinals at Tangle Creek Golf Club. The team finished second out of 16 teams and once again qualified for the Senior Ryder Cup Championship which was held at Devil's Pulpit this year. At the Championship, under perfect weather and course conditions, the team competed hard and managed to tie for 8th out of the 16 teams.

"I highly encourage all male members who have reached the prime age of 55 or older to consider trying to qualify for the team next year and continue our winning tradition" says Stig Lassen. Details on how to qualify for the 2020 team will be released next spring.

Saugeen's Team 2 players consisted of, Don Reed, Al Scott, Lloyd Sonneburg, Ken Bollen, Gord Brown, Jim McNight, Brian Acton and captained by Jim Shrider. Alternates included Ted Sinfield. John Vecchies. Mark Rosner and Bill Cole.

Team 2 was in the South West Division where they played against Listowel, Seaforth and Elmira. Team 2 finished tied for second place after the four divisional games. Our players enjoyed the SRC formats very much, playing at the different courses and the excellent hospitality. "For anyone playing in the SRC, This qualified this team to move on to the Regional it is truly a great experience, playing with and against some of the best senior golfers throughout Ontario, Michigan and Upper New York State," savs Jim Shrider.

> Saugeen Golf Club is fortunate to have the quality and the large number of members to support two teams playing in the SRC events throughout Ontario. Hopefully this can continue.





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# Looking forward to an Exciting 2020 at the **SUNSET GRILL**

My first season is now under my belt, and what an exciting and challenging year it was! 2019 was a learning year for me as I created the culinary team and began working with new menus for the Sunset Grill and our banquets and weddings. I appreciate all the support and feedback I have received & am looking forward to an exciting 2020!

Spring is approaching quickly, and there are exciting events to mark on your calendar. Our **Easter Brunch is on Sunday, April 12th,** and I am happy to announce that we will be hosting **Mother's Day Brunch on May 10th.** Treat Mom to a delicious meal and then a round of golf...she will LOVE her day!

Taste was an enormous success this past July. It was a pleasure to collaborate with outside local vendors as we shared our delicious gourmet appetizers and samplings of fine wines, beer and cider. I am looking forward to this event again in 2020. Mark your calendars for Thursday, June 25th. There was so much post-party buzz that I am confident this season this will be a sellout event. You will want to be sure to purchase your tickets as soon as they are released as there will once again be limited tickets available. Don't miss out!

There is lots more in store for this season. Thursday's will be Burger Bonanza day. Enjoy a new feature each week for a unique twist to our regular homemade burgers such as an aged cheddar stuffed burger. Pair this with fries or salad and a beverage.

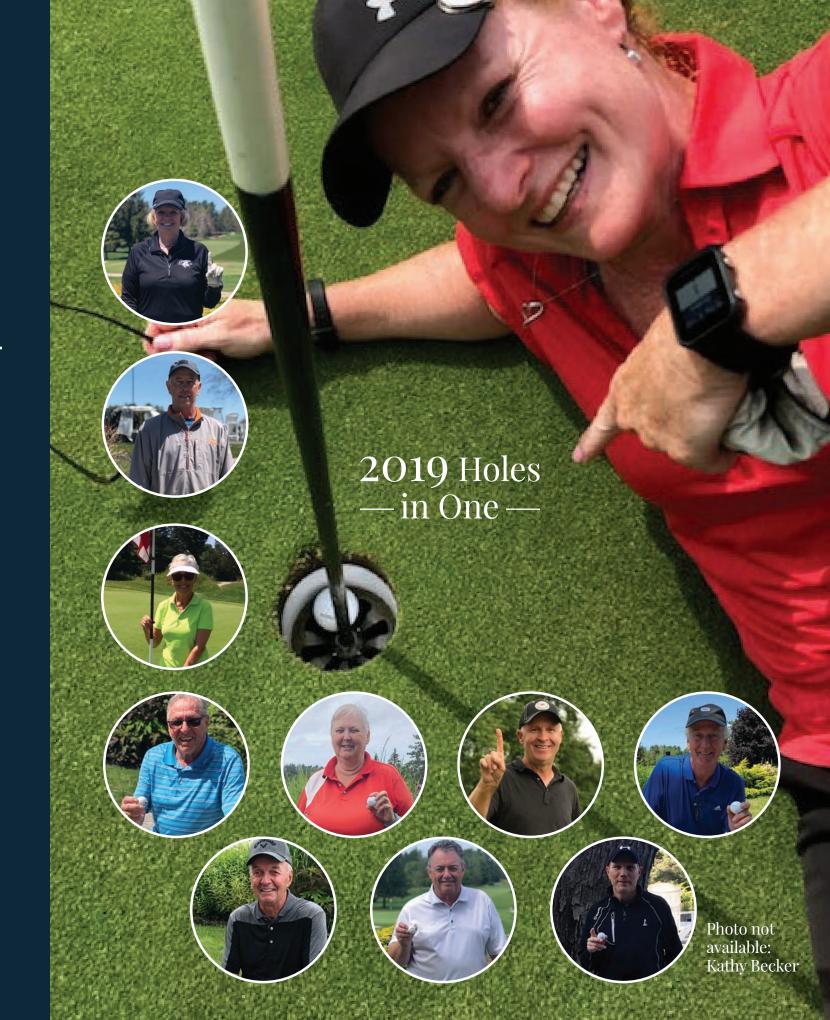
New this year, we are introducing Prime Rib Sunday Dinner. On the last Sunday of the months of May, June, July and August, enjoy a Prime Rib Dinner on the patio. To cap off the season, we are hosting a year-end Pig Roast. Watch for tickets to go on sale in August.

Whether you've worked up an appetite on the course, are celebrating a special milestone, or simply wish to experience some amazing food and a spectacular view, I would like to extend a warm welcome to you and your guests to join us at the Sunset Grill. There is something for everyone from sandwiches to take out on the course or a casual evening to enjoy our new pub-style Sunset Grill menu. Make it a family night & bring the kids for a personal pan pizza.

I look forward to a great year ahead for all involved with the culinary team and service staff. I enter 2020 with a vibrant new attitude as I am in the mix of planning menus and events for the year ahead both standalone and partnerships with other Chefs.

### Bon appetit...

Executive Chef, Randy Felker





The Social Committee would like to thank all who attended the Welcome Back opening and Thank You closing events this year. Fun was had by all with the lighthearted golf and fantastic lunch provided by our Saugeen food staff. In July, we hosted "Taste – An Evening of Food, Drink and Fun" – an event that had us sample great food prepared by Shoreline Cooking Studio and our own Executive Chef, Randy Felker and Sous Chef, Laure McLean. The food was paired with beverages specially chosen for each dish and were provided by The Roost Winery, Waterloo Brewing and Duxbury Cider Co. The ambiance was enhanced with music provided by Andrew Kennedy, a SGC member.

In 2020 there will be more events that you don't want to miss. Please watch for announcements of events that your Social Committee will be launching. Also, the committee is looking for additional members so if you are interested to volunteer please let our General Manager know so he can put you in touch with the Social Committee Chair.





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