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A Message from the President

Hello and welcome to Saugeen Golf Club. We are entering Ninety-Four 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 members who choose Saugeen as their club of choice. The 2018 season was one for the books; hot and dry with excellent playing conditions being provided by Superintendent Mike Pellerin and his staff. Mike has turned our golf club around over the past three years, and we are blessed that he calls Saugeen Golf Club his home. Thank you very, very much Mike.

Gary Glenister has finished his first full time year as our General Manager, he has worked hard to learn our operations and apply his 30 plus years of experience in the golf industry to ensure that the members and guests enjoy each day they spend at the Club. Well done Gary! We look forward to your continued leadership as we move the Club forward with our goal of making Saugeen Golf Club the destination of choice in Grey Bruce Counties.

Our top Board priority of providing continuous improvements to the golf course and our food and beverage experience, while remaining fiscally responsible and protecting the assets, remains as a key deliverable and road map for the golf club. We are blessed to have a membership that is truly vested to help, volunteer and do whatever needs to be done to have a facility that we can all truly be proud of. This is our golf club, and without you the members, it would not survive. Many, many thanks for all of your support.

We continue to do everything we possibly can to service our current membership and attract new members to join our club and enjoy all that it has to offer. This year we have taken our communication and promotion campaign to a new level led by Louise Glenister. We have increased, and will continue to grow, our footprint on our social media platform, an extremely important and cost-effective avenue to connect with our members and guests and increase awareness of our club to as many individuals as we possibly can. We are investigating exciting new technology strategies to keep SGC on the leading edge. Our marketing focus will include promoting our entire club as a multi-purpose facility and we have introduced a unique and flexible Corporate Package to attract businesses of all sizes to SGC.

We are going to be making some capital investments in both wells. This will ensure that our irrigation system is healthy and able to meet the demands of the future, and that we have the required data to support a new Water Taking Permit in 2021. We are also looking at making a significant investment in some of our turf management equipment. We have many pieces of equipment that need to be replaced. This has been a top priority for Mike Pellerin for the past couple of years to help enable his staff to continue doing their best at providing us with superb playing conditions.

I also want to acknowledge all the staff that support the golf club. We truly appreciate your dedication and support to ensure that members and guests enjoy a great experience here. We value your support. I also want to thank all the volunteer members and the many leagues that give their time throughout the golf season in support of the Club. We could not do it without you and we are indebted to you. Our membership base is the backbone of the Club. We could not make this happen without you and your stewardship. A heartfelt thanks goes to all of you.

Finally, the Board of Directors wishes everyone the very best that the new year will bring. We are looking forward to seeing you and our new members back in 2019. Have a safe and healthy new year everyone.

- Kerry Turcotte
President of SGC

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A Message from the General Manager, Golf Operations Manager

Hello Members,

Welcome 2019! It's the new year & our thoughts quickly go to getting back on the course! I am honoured to be your General Manager at Saugeen Golf Club for a second year and look forward to continuing to work with both the front and back of house team members that keep this beautiful, busy facility humming! We all enjoy the relationships that we have developed with you, our members, and look forward to working with those important people one sees up front, and those behind the scenes who are just as important.

Off the course, I think you will be pleased with the several new and exciting visible changes in our food and beverage area and in our pro shop. We continue to actively recruit new staff to replace those that have "graduated" from SGC. We will miss our students and wish them well in their future endeavours. Behind the scenes staff continue their dedicated work to keep you well informed and the accounting systems moving along seamlessly.

We remind our committed membership that you are our best means of promoting this beautiful facility and outstanding golf course, and we encourage you to continue to do so. Treat a friend to a few holes at Saugeen Golf Club or enjoy time together at our "everyone is welcome" social events. It is how we will continue to grow.

The start of another season is just around the corner. Dust off your clubs, lather on the sunscreen and you will be ready for a great 2019 experience. See you soon…

- Gary Glenister
General Manager,
Golf Operations Manager
Saugeen Golf Club

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 most of the photos in Links 2019. Thank you Bob.

Weddings & Events at Saugeen

Plan your wedding with us at Saugeen Golf Club!
Enjoy the beautiful sunsets, delicious food & magnificent atmosphere on your special day!

We are now booking 2020 dates!

Welcome Back!

A Special Letter from our Club House Assistant

We are excited for the upcoming eventful year at Saugeen Golf Club! We are more than just a wedding venue! Our large, versatile banquet facilities offer use of a great space for bridal and baby showers, retirement parties, golf tournaments and more! With floor to ceiling windows, simple and clean décor and in-house food and beverage services, our staff cannot wait to put on the perfect event for you!

Don't forget to check out the upper patio. Enjoy a sunny afternoon relaxing after your round on our generously donated patio furniture, all while sipping on a cold drink and enjoying a delicious snack from The Grill! Now that sounds like a great day at the golf course!

-Marissa Schultz
Club House Assistant

Book Now for 2020!

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Tee times must be booked through the SGC Pro Shop and some restrictions may apply.
Explore your network of reciprocal clubs!

Keeping SGC on the Cutting Edge

Introducing the SGC App! Coming in March 2019!

- Tee Times
- Live Scoring
- Golf GPS
- Loyalty Programs
- Ontap Food & Beverage
- Push Notifications

For 2019, we are taking our customer service experience to a whole new level:

Introducing 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 on-course GPS, maintain your score card, order your food and bev, all on the device you spend your day on!

2018 Senior Ryder Cup

Saugeen Golf Club was honoured to host the 20th annual Senior Ryder Cup Championship on September 14, 2018.During the season, 112 teams of the top senior golfers from Ontario, Upper New York State and Michigan vied for one of the 16 spots in the final of this Ryder Cup style competition. On Championship Day, 128 golfers, 16 teams of 8, competed for the title of Senior Ryder Cup Champions.

A tournament of this magnitude cannot be successful without the dedication of many, especially the Tournament Coordinator!! Congratulations to Ken Dunlop who, with his committee, Saugeen Golf Club staff and army of 102 volunteers, worked tirelessly to make this tournament a resounding success. The bar has been set very high for Devil's Pulpit, next year's Senior Ryder Cup host club.

Through the hard work and tireless dedication of Ken and his committee obtaining sponsors & items for the auction, the committee raised enough money to cover tournament expenses and also purchase many needed items for Saugeen GC. Some of these items were:

- Wicker Lounge Furniture and Forged Aluminum Dining Furniture for the upper patio
- a new Paint Spray Gun with paint for painting lines on the course
- a new Industrial Toaster
- Bunker Sand
- new Club Washer for Driving Range

Thank you to the SRC sponsors UNIFOR, Jackson Triggs Wines, Callaway, Lexus of London, Visit Tucson and to the many local sponsors whose support was critical to the success of the event.

The committee, volunteers and staff displayed a real 'can do' attitude. Participants enjoyed immaculate course conditions (volunteers were out repairing divots as late as 10:00 pm the evening before the Championship) wrapped in a warm welcome and great hospitality. Thank you to Ken and all the great Saugeen members who made the two-day event one to remember.

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" On behalf of Cutten Fields, I want to thank you for a terrific couple of days at Saugeen. Everything was first class. Ken and his team at Saugeen have really raised the bar for the host club. I wish Devils Pulpit good luck in trying to match the performance of Saugeen as the host club. Thank you. We are very pleased to be a small part of the SRC. All the best."

Rick Ludlow & the Cutten Fields team.

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A Message from our Superintendent

I hope everyone is having a wonderful winter season. Before we know it, the course will come to life and golf season will be upon us. A lot of effort was put into winterizing the course last fall. With a bit of help from mother nature, we hope to offer good playing conditions to start the season. Once the course is dry enough, we will announce our spring clean up date. This day allows you to help us in getting the course ready for opening. It is a good time to catch up with friends and listen to the stories of winter adventures.

I would like to finish this message with some thank you's. Thanks to everyone who offered their time last year to help with course maintenance activities. Our season would not have been as successful without your help. Thank you to my staff. I appreciate your dedication and desire to provide the best playing experience we can offer to our members and our guests.

I look forward to seeing everyone in the Spring.

- Mike Pellerin
Golf Club Superintendent

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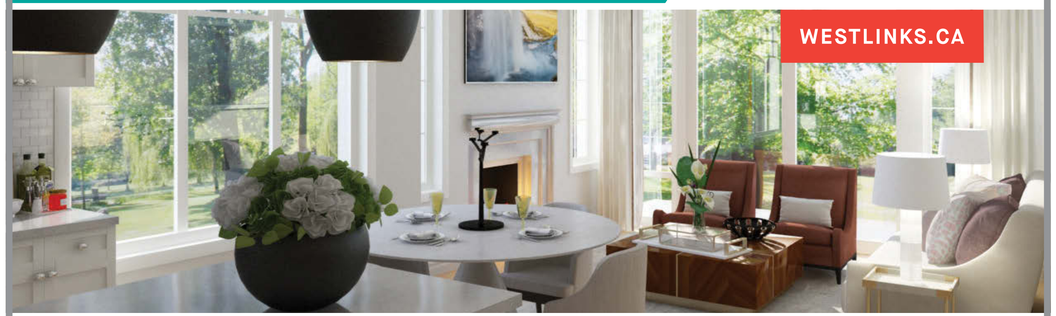

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Member Golf Tournaments

Spring Scramble
May 4th

Senior 2-Man
June 28th

Ladies Member Guest
July 16th

Club Championship
August 10th - 11th

Ladies Scramble
August 16th

Senior Club Championship
August 21st - 22nd

Senior Scramble
August 29th

Fall Scramble
September 28th

Inside The Golf Shop:

We are excited to get the 2019 season underway!

Warmer weather is on the way and before you know it, we will be back on the golf course enjoying the game we all love so much.

It is time to start dusting off the clubs, and I want to encourage you to start thinking about these things as Spring nears...

- Getting your clubs re-gripped.
- Marking your calendar for golf events you would like to play in this year.
- Getting your junior golfer signed up for junior golf.
- Talking to our Director of Golf Instruction, Jerry Noga, about getting private lessons or taking part in a Spring Clinic Series.

Be on the lookout for various Demo Days throughout the season from Callaway, Ping, Titleist and Golf Trends. While we have a great offering of clubs on-site, these Demo Days are a great opportunity for you to try anything and everything that the club manufacturers have to offer. Also, if you don't see it in the Golf Shop, not to worry. We have accounts with all leading manufacturers and would be happy to order you anything you were looking for.

In the months of March and April, we are busy at work preparing the Golf Shop for opening day. We have new merchandise hitting our doorstep daily. We want our Golf Shop to be the first place you look for golf shirts, shoes, clubs and accessories. In 2019 we are offering merchandise based on the desires of members. We continually strive to provide you with the latest and greatest in golf equipment and apparel.

We have much to look forward to in the 2019 season. The golf experience at Saugeen Golf Club should be constantly evolving, and we are always looking to improve!

-Brian Streeter
Pro Shop Manager

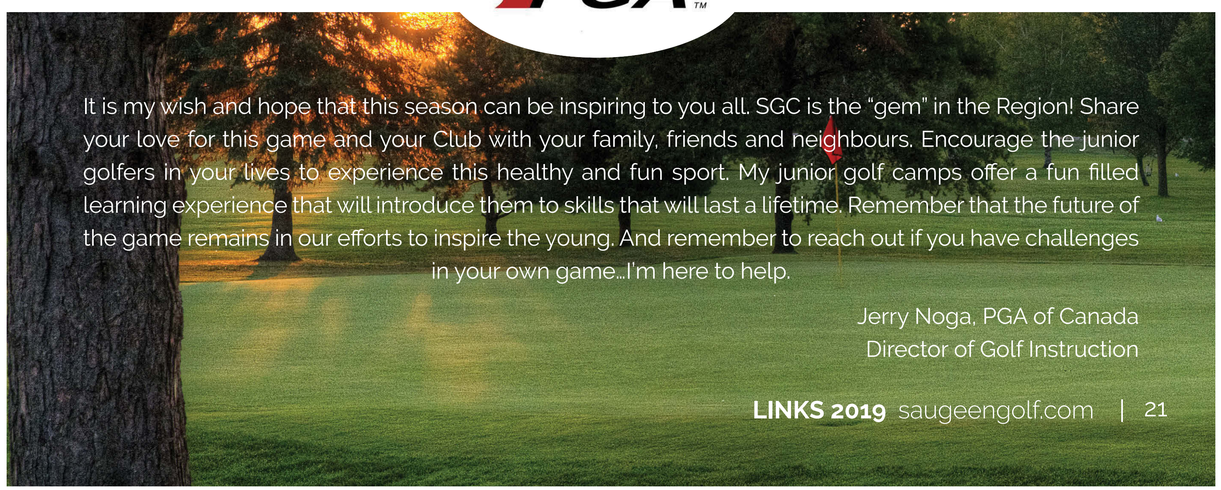
GOLF LESSONS

2019 Spring Refresher
4 WEEK PROGRAM
Focus on grip, stance, ball position, execution of the swing and putting

2019 Summer Programs
Variety of Time/Date Options
Runs May through August

Kids Golf Camps
July and August

Please welcome back Jerry Noga, PGA of Canada and our Director of Golf Instruction, for the 2019 golf season. Jerry will be rejoining our golf services staff this year to give you his insightful analysis of your golf swing and provide you with his expert instruction. He will help you play your best golf and better enjoy this great game that you love.



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

Gone but not *Forgotten*

Richard Grolway

Albert "Bert" McKenzie

Demo *Days*

GOLF TRENDS	CALLAWAY GOLF	TITLEIST GOLF	PING GOLF
SATURDAY MAY 25 11am - 3pm	SATURDAY JUNE 1 and JULY 13 11am - 3pm	SATURDAY JUNE 8 11am - 3pm	SATURDAY JUNE 15 11am - 3pm

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Contact Our Pro Shop to Sign Up
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2019 Membership Information

The 2019 Membership Rates have been approved by the Board of Directors of Saugeen Golf Club.

This 2019 fee structure has been adopted in an effort to continue the success of having a strong, vibrant membership base for years to come!

7 Day - No Restrictions

Adult (Age 40-79)	**$1725**
With Power Cart	**$2395**
Adult (Age 30-39)	**$1220**
With Power Cart	**$1890**
Adult (Age 19-29)	**$990**
With Power Cart	**$1660**
Adult (80+)	**$1110**
With Power Cart	**$1780**
Couples	**$3075**
With Power Cart	**$4050**
9 Hole	**$995**
With Power Cart	**$1330**
Twilight (Play after 4pm with use of power cart 7 days a week)	**$1250**
Junior (Must be 13-18 years of age)	**$300**
Bantam (Under 12 years of age with Paid Adult)	**COMP**

Claim Requests:

- **Refund Request for deceased member prior to June 1st 2019 – Full Refund Eligible**
- **Refund Request prior to April 30, 2019 – Full Refund Eligible**
- **Refund Request May 1st to June 30th, 2019 – 50% Refund Eligible (or transfer of funds to 2020 season)**
- **Refund Request after June 30th, 2019 and before August 15th, 2019 will be offered at 25% discount on following years membership**
- **Refund Request after August 15th, 2019 – Is Not Eligible for Refund**

Weekday

Adult (Monday-Friday) after 12 on holidays	**$1490**
With Power Cart	**$2160**

Additional Options

Club Storage	**$100**
Club Lockers	**$60**
Power Caddy Storage	**$160**
Member Owned Cart Fee (Includes Land Lease)	**$550**
Member Owned Cart Fee Deluxe (Allows Cart Owners to use SGC Carts when required)	**$650**

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.

Benefits of being a *Member*

TEE TIME RESERVATIONS

Members may reserve Tee Times up to eight days prior through our online booking system, or seven days prior by phone. Non-weather related tee times must be canceled no less than 24 hours prior to play.

PRACTICE FACILITY USE

Members have unlimited use of the Practice Facility which extends to your immediate family with your oversight. Meaning, you may bring your children, grand-children, great-grand-children to the driving range with you, but they are not permitted on their own. Golf balls are on the range for your daily use from dusk until dawn. The Practice Facility is closed weekly for maintenance.

RECIPROCAL PROGRAM - PMGG

Saugeen Golf Club is a member of the Privileged Members Golf Group, bringing other courses to you as a member of The Club, adding to your arsenal of golf options. Contact the Golf Shop to book your Tee Times. Some restrictions do apply.

HOUSE ACCOUNT

Each member has the option of opening a House Account, with a secured credit card, that will be billed on a monthly basis. All charges will automatically be applied to the card on file. All food and beverage charges will reflect a gratuity of 15% unless otherwise illustrated on your charge slip provided at the time of purchase. Members must complete a Charging Privileges Application Form in order to allow Saugeen Golf Club to process charges onto your secured card.

GOLF SHOP PURCHASES

All members will receive 10% off all hard good purchases including clothing, golf bags and shoes. Please support your Pro Shop with your next golf equipment purchase.

MEMBER OWNED POWER CARTS

Saugeen Golf Club permits the use of member owned power carts along with the leasing of land for placement of sheds to keep such carts. This unique options allows members to have a little piece of home onsite.

RULES & REGULATIONS OF THE CLUB

DRESS CODE

Proper golf attire is required at all times. Short shorts, sweat pants, cut-offs, tee shirts with large, explicit images or pants with holes are not permitted. Proper footwear must be worn on the course. Soft Spikes are mandatory. Any Dress Code ambiguities will be left to the discretion of the Golf Shop Staff. Non-compliance with the dress code, as officially posted in the Golf Shop, will prohibit play on the course.

PRIVACY POLICY

During its operations, Saugeen Golf Club must collect information from its members, guests & employees to facilitate the provision of its services and products. Such information may include the names, addresses, birth dates, emails, credit card information and particulars, handicaps and playing experience. Except for uses properly required by law, Saugeen Golf Club will not knowingly convey such collected information to other parties without first obtaining their consent to do so.

MEMBERSHIP ADD-ON DAILY FEE POLICY

Membership Add-On Daily Fees have been established for those that have purchased membership types that are accompanied with restrictions. Those that do not pay for extra play during restricted times and for additional riders will be subject to the When in Breach of the Club Policy Guidelines (see below).

WHEN IN BREACH OF CLUB POLICY GUIDELINES

Members who do not respect the simple rights of others, as described above, or breach any of the Club Policies and Procedures will be subjected to the following protocol:

I. Verbal Discussion and Written Warning will occur and the Board of Directors will be informed.

II. The Board of Directors will be informed and a One Week Suspension may be issued.

III. The Board of Directors will be informed and a Permanent Suspension may be issued.

Code of Conduct *Policy*

Saugeen Golf Club wishes to ensure behavior that respects the rights of all Members, Guests and Employees as per Bill 168. Respecting this Code of Conduct in addition to The Clubs Policies and Procedures is essential to uphold the underlying philosophy of Saugeen Golf Club.

On the Course, all Members and Guests have the Right to expect speedy play, proper etiquette and golf course care by fellow players. They are also entitled to a peaceful environment without being forced to hear loud conversations, shouting and coarse language from other players.

Around the Facilities, similarly, all Members and Guests have the Right to a peaceful environment for themselves while enjoying food and beverage services. They should not have to be subjected to coarse language, shouting or loud voices that come from other tables or areas of a room or patio to the extent that they, or their guests are disturbed or embarrassed.

As a Club Member, you have the Right to play golf here at the club without distraction, while being an ambassador of the club. As a courtesy to the staff, members and guests of Saugeen Golf Club, your concerns should be portrayed to management, and you have the Right to receive the courtesy of having our management team listen to your concerns.

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Membership Fees *Refund Policy*

BACKGROUND

By-Law 1-2002 provides that if a member discontinues his or her membership during the golf season, the fees that they have paid shall not be refunded unless the termination of membership is as a result of the member's death prior to June 1st of the year in which the fees have been paid. By-Law 1-2002 further provides that the Directors of the Corporation may administer the affairs of the Corporation in all things, and in that capacity, the Directors have as a practice, considered the requests of members for a refund of membership fees paid where the member becomes physically unable to play golf during the year in which the membership fees have been paid.

MANDATE

To establish guidelines and criteria for the consistent consideration by the Board of Directors of requests by members for refunds of membership fees paid.

REFUND OF MEMBERSHIP FEES POLICY

If a member passes away prior to June 1st of a year for which they have paid membership fees, then upon written request made to the Board of Directors by that deceased member's estate, the Board of Directors will refund the membership that has been paid by that member for the year. (Provide proof of death is submitted, the Board of Directors may delegate this authority to the General Manager.) Consideration will also be given by the Board of Directors to any request by the spouse of such deceased member, who has also paid a membership fee for that year, for a refund of their membership fees as well.

Saugeen Golf Club membership includes refund protection for paid up members. This protection is rare in the golf business and reflects the value we place on having a long-term relationship with our members. If due to injury or sickness, a member is unable to golf for the balance of the golf season, the club will refund a portion of club dues, cart and trail fees but not any other fees. The amount of refund is based on calendar dates. A schedule of dates will be published annually as will the associated refund rate for such refunds. During the golf season the General Manager will inform the Board of Directors of refunds paid.

REFUND SCHEDULE FOR 2019

- **REFUND REQUEST FOR DECEASED MEMBER PRIOR TO JUNE 1ST, 2019 - FULL REFUND ELIGIBLE**
- **REFUND REQUEST PRIOR TO APRIL 30TH, 2019 – FULL REFUND ELIGIBLE**
- **REFUND REQUEST MAY 1ST TO JUNE 30TH, 2019 – 50% REFUND ELIGIBLE OR TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO 2020 SEASON**
- **REFUND REQUEST AFTER JUNE 30TH, 2019 & BEFORE AUGUST 15TH, 2019 WILL BE OFFERED AT 25% DISCOUNT ON FOLLOWING YEARS MEMBERSHIP**
- **REFUND REQUEST AFTER AUGUST 15TH, 2019 – IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR REFUND**

ALSO - MEMBERS ARE OFFERED THE OPTION OF TRANSFERRING THEIR PLAYING PRIVILEGES TO ANOTHER PERSON INSTEAD OF TAKING A REFUND AT ANY TIME DURING 2019 SEASON.

THE MEMBER WOULD STILL BE CONSIDERED A FULLY PAID UP MEMBER FOR CERTIFICATE HOLDER PURPOSES BUT WOULD HAVE RELINQUISHED PLAYING PRIVILEGES. (TRANSFERS CAN BE DONE ONCE DURING THE SEASON. ARE SUBJECT TO NOTICE WITH THE GENERAL MANAGER AND ARE NOT REVERSIBLE).

MEMBERS *ONLY*

Welcome Back Ladies!

2019 Ladies League

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

The 2018 season saw us introduce the new Stableford format 3 times per month and a fun Scramble where both 9 hole and 18 hole ladies played together once per month. Based on your survey results, you have strongly indicated that you wish the league to continue in this manner, so the 2019 season will see us carry on with this format. I am happy the changes we introduced were embraced and enjoyed by so many of you.

You have also indicated that you wish to continue having our Buffet Lunch in the banquet room following Scramble play at which time we can celebrate the success of our winners while enjoying a lovely lunch.

We have scheduled opening day for the Tuesday league on May 7. We will kick the season off again with complimentary muffins and coffee.

What has become a popular evening at Saugeen is our Ladies Opening Dinner where all Saugeen ladies are welcome and encouraged to attend. Please be sure to mark Wednesday May 1 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 and Goderich Sunset Golf Club and this year I am happy to announce we have a new club, Woodlands Link Golf Club in Clinton joining our interclub participation.

This should be an exciting year as the ladies of Saugeen attempt to retain the coveted pink toilet seat!!!

We will once again offer all ladies 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 kick off in June.

Our yearly Member/Guest tournament is scheduled for Tuesday, July 16. This tournament has grown into a featured event for the ladies. Another growing tournament is our Annual Ladies Scramble to be held on Friday, August 16. All ladies are welcome to participate. The list of exciting ladies events at Saugeen continues to grow; we are so fortunate to have these popular tournaments.

We welcome all new members and guests to our Tuesday Ladies League to enjoy all our league has to offer. Why not come out & give "Tuesday a Try"!

Our annual membership fee is $25.00. You will find the ladies membership forms on line 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 Ladies when I say we are all looking forward to a golf season filled with FUN, friendship & lots of sunshine.

- Bonnie Wilson
Ladies President

2019 Ladies Executive

Ladies President - Bonnie Wilson
Ladies Past President - Suzanne Scott
Ladies Vice President - Denise Bellamy
Games Captain - Karen Fehr
Games Assistant - Wendy Buckley
Treasurer - Kendra Pagnan
Secretary - Susan Miller

Tuesday Night is Men's Night!

2019 Men's League

2019 Men's Night is set up to be even better than 2018! More prizes, more friends, more fun.

New to 2019 - monthly hole-in-one contest with a large cash prize give-a-way. As always, 4:30pm social hour with food and drink specials, followed by 5:30pm shotgun start on rotating 9's. Guests always welcome! Call to book ahead for availability.

Pins games for 2019 season will include longest putt, closest in 2, closest in 3, and we will be bringing back the popular longest drive for the guys who think they are strong!

Come out and enjoy your club with some friendly competition.

We'll see you out there in 2019!

From your co-captains Justin Niklaus and Jamie Dunlop

2019 KEY DATES

Tuesday, May 7th:
First Men's Night

Tuesday, September 3rd:
Last Men's Night

Sunday, September 8th:
Men's Night Closing,
& Bob Cammidge
Memorial
Tournament

2019 Seniors League!

Our mission is to provide the opportunity for members to play golf, meet fellow members, establish and nurture friendships and have fun. Participation has been growing every year with 160 active members in 2018.

We play Wednesday mornings with an 8:30am shotgun in the shoulder season and 8:00am during the prime season. We play a quota point game with members divided equally into five flights. Your flight is determined by your handicap which will fluctuate weekly dependent upon your score. Prize money is distributed equally across the board.

In addition, we offer the opportunity to buy into the 'deuce pot'. Each week players who contribute will share the pot with those who score a two on any hole.

We also offer hole-in-one 'insurance' at $2 until someone gets one. If you buy in and score an ACE during league play, you win the pot. In 2018, Clayton MacKay dunked one on Sunrise 5 and won a pot valued at over $300. This was the third one in the past five years. A new pot was started and continues to grow.

Each week there are beer and luncheon specials available after golf, and once a month we have a 'mandatory' lunch where everyone pays and hopefully stays to enjoy a few laughs and collect your monthly prizes. Playing a four-man scramble has proven popular on lunch days.

Weekly sign up is a must with the tee sheet being developed by Pro Shop staff on Monday morning. Every effort is made to have you playing with different members each week. Tee sheet is distributed via email on Monday afternoon with results coming to you on Wednesday afternoon.

We are excited for the 2019 season and look forward to hosting new and existing members as soon as the course and weather will allow. Sign up in the Pro Shop. You won't be disappointed.

- Bob Buck
Senior League Convener

2019 KEY DATES:

Wednesday, April 24th:
Opening Day

Friday, June 28th:
27 Hole Senior 2-Man Format Invitational

August 21st to 22nd:
Senior Men's Club Championship

Thursday, August 29th:
27 Hole Senior 4-Man Scramble

Wednesday, September 18th:
Closing Day (12:00pm Start)

Wednesday Night Ladies Golf

Attention all Ladies!
Join us for 9 holes of fun, non-competitive golf and dinner every Wednesday evening. Each week, with a 5:15pm shotgun start, we play a different on-course game and include Closest to the Pin, Longest Putt and Closest to the Can competitions. Non-members are welcome to play every week. You don't need a member to host you. Just call the Pro Shop to sign up (519-389-4031 ext 102).

After play, join us for dinner which includes a choice of either our delicious Salad Bar, dessert, tea/coffee or, if you prefer, our Salad Bar with an entrée, dessert, tea/coffee. Drink specials will also be available.

We kick off the 2019 Season at our Meet and Greet Ladies Opening Buffet Dinner at 6pm on Wednesday, May 1, 2019. This has become a popular evening where all ladies are welcome to attend. Please be sure to save the date on your calendars for a fun evening of reconnecting with your golf friends.

Regular league play begins this year on Wednesday, May 8th. Member/Guest nights are held the first Wednesday of every month (starting in June). Special Games Nights are the 2nd Wednesday of each month and will be our format for our May 8th opening night. Our meal Theme Nights will be the 3rd Wednesday of each month featuring a buffet dinner, and our Mix-it-Up- Night is the 4th Wednesday of each month. This last format is a great way to play with different women and make new friends. A draw of cards determines who you will play with and what hole you will start on!

No golf experience necessary for any of our evenings…all levels of golfers are welcome. This is a fun evening!! Enjoy playing 9 holes of golf, get a little exercise, relax, unwind and enjoy dinner with your friends, new and old. So, come on out and give it a try!! It's a great way to get started golfing.

Dianne Wallace
Wednesday Night Ladies League Convenor

In The Winners Circle

2018 CLUB CHAMPIONS

MENS

Overall Champion: Tyler Smith

Overall Net Champion:
Bill Cole

A Flight Winner: Ken Dunlop
B Flight Winner: Dave Boorsma
C Flight Winner: Scott Robinson
D Flight Winner: Jim McKnight
E Flight Winner: Chris Cartwright

A Flight Net Winner:
Warren Wheeler
B Flight Net Winner: Mark Wallace
C Flight Net Winner:
Paul Bolton
D Flight Net Winner: Gerry Hunt
E Flight Net Winner: James Pope

JUNIORS

Overall Campion: Sean Tippin

SENIOR MENS

Overall Champion: Ken Dunlop

Overall Net Champion:
Don Reed

A Flight Winner: Stig Lassen
B Flight Winner: Jim McKnight
C Flight Winner: Bill Cole
D Flight Winner: Chris Cartwright

A Flight Net Winner:
Keith McConnachie
B Flight Net Winner: Jim Shrider
C Flight Net Winner:
Larry Dudgeon
D Flight Net Winner:
Clayton MacKay

LADIES

Overall Champion:
Kristan Shrider

Senior Champion: Kim Legge

Overall Net Champion:
Jayne Holt

A Flight Winner: Lysanne Millar
B Flight Winner: Louise Sweiger
C Flight Winner: Maxine Logan
D Flight Winner: June Sinfield

A Flight Net Winner:
Karen Fehr
B Flight Net Winner:
Connie Tanner
C Flight Net Winner:
Sid Gordon
D Flight Net Winner:
Jane Muir

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Saugeen Senior Ryder Cup Team

Saugeen Senior Ryder Cup 2018 Team – Saugeen Golf Club had a very good year competing in the Senior Ryder Cup, starting with the members qualifying, which makes for a strong team, and the alternates stepping in when required.

Many thanks to the volunteers who made the Senior Ryder Cup Championship tournament far beyond anything anyone could have imagined. The bar has been set at an enormous height. The Saugeen team placed fourth out of sixteen teams achieving their highest points ever with 17 of a possible 24. The highlight of our golfing summer will return next year with our competition being Legacy Ridge, Shelburne and Blue Mountain. Look for the qualification notices early next year; the more qualifiers only strengthen the team and the enjoyment. Many thanks to the 2018 team for representing Saugeen so well, the alternates for filling in and again the volunteers.

Bob McWade- Captain
Saugeen Golf Club Senior Ryder Cup Team

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Exciting Changes are coming to the ***SUNSET GRILL***

Randy Felker, *Executive Chef*

We are delighted to greet Randy Felker, Executive Chef to the SGC Team!!

Randy moved to Port Elgin in 2013 to take on the role of Executive Chef at Ristorante Rosina where he openly acknowledges his time and experiences with Rosina to be a very important time in his career as a Chef. He has especially enjoyed the opportunity to create seasonal menus using products from the local community. Over the past three years, Randy has been the creative force designing the menus and planning the dinner service in the highly successful local event, Farm to Table - a culinary experience for over 150 people of a four-course meal, in an outdoor setting where all the ingredients are sourced locally and prepared by local restaurant staff.

Randy trained at Conestoga College in the Culinary Management Program where he decided this was a lifelong career he wanted to pursue. Over the past 15 years, he has completed a 5-year apprenticeship and has attained his Interprovincial Standard Canada Red Seal for the Culinary Arts while working with places such as Delta Hotels, Artisanal Restaurant in Guelph ON and Langdon Hall in Cambridge ON.

Randy is looking forward to this new chapter in his career and his position as Executive Chef at Saugeen Golf Club. His skills and experience over the years will be an asset to our Club! He is excited to bring a fresh approach to the daily menus and elevate the guest experience for our functions and banquets.

Welcome Randy!!

2019

Member & Guest Social Events

The Social Committee's combined Club/Friday Fun Night events this year were well attended and a ton of fun!! We would like to build on our 2018 success. For 2019, we are reviewing our program and will make some changes that we are confident will increase participation in our events. Our original mandate of social and light-hearted, affordable fun to be shared with members and guests will remain as our focus. We welcome suggestions and new members to the Committee!

Thank you to the members and guests who attended our events in 2018. We wish you and your families the best for the winter season and look forward to seeing everyone next spring. Be sure to save the date - May 11th, 2019 for the "Members Welcome Back" member event on your 2019 calendar.

Come Join in the Fun! Everyone Welcome!

CALENDAR
OF EVENTS

April ~ 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.
14.	15.	16.	17. START OF SEASON!	18.	19. Good Friday	20. Member Day Wine & Cheese EASTER EGG HUNT
21. Easter Sunday Brunch	22. Easter Monday	23.	24. SR Opening Day (tentative)	25.	26.	27.
28.	29.	30.				

May ~ 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1. SR Men's Day Ladies Opening Dinner	2.	3.	4. Spring Scramble
5.	6.	7. Ladies Opening Day Mens Opening Night	8. SR Men's Day Ladies Opening Night	9.	10.	11. Welcome Back Members Day
12. Mother's Day	13.	14. Ladies Day Mens Night	15. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	16.	17.	18. Memorial Tournament
19.	20.	21. Ladies Day Mens Night	22. SR Men's Day & Mandatory Lunch Ladies Night	23.	24.	25. GOLF TRENDS DEMO DAY
26.	27. AGM Meeting	28. Ladies Day & Mandatory Lunch Mens Night	29. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	30. RAGBOS Tournament	31.	

June ~ 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1. CALLAWAY DEMO DAY
2.	3.	4. Ladies Day Mens Night	5. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	6. Cox & Pope Retirement Golf Fiber Arts Group	7. Crime Stoppers Tournament	8. TITLEIST DEMO DAY Wedding
9.	10.	11. Ladies Day Mens Night	12. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	13.	14. Children's Safety Village Tournament	15. PING DEMO DAY Bruce District Masonic Lodge
16.	17.	18. Ladies Day Mens Night	19. SR Men's Day & Mandatory Lunch Ladies Night	20.	21.	22. Wedding
23.	24. Senior Ryder Cup League Play	25. Ladies Day & Mandatory Lunch Mens Night	26. SR Men's Day SR Red & White Ladies Night	27.	28. Senior 2-Man Tournament	29. Wedding 30.

July ~ 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1. CANADA DAY	2. Ladies Day Mens Night	3. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	4.	5.	6. Wedding
7.	8. Summerhill Group Golf/Dinner	9. Ladies Day Mens Night	10. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	11. Food Bank Tournament	12.	13. Callaway Demo Day
14.	15.	16. Ladies Member/ Guest Mens Night	17. SR Men's Day & Mandatory Lunch Ladies Night	18.	19. Jeff Preston Tournament	20. Hilly Armstrong Tournament
21.	22.	23. Ladies Day Mens Night	24. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	25.	26. Wedding	27. Art Van Santen Tournament
28.	29. Ladies Inter Club	30. Ladies Day & Mandatory Lunch Mens Night	31. SR Men's Day Ladies Night			

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August ~ 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1. Grey Bruce Junior Tournament	2.	3. Wedding
4. Rob Klingbeil Group	5.	6. Ladies Day Mens Night	7. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	8. Tilco Electric Golf	9. BP Charity Golf Tournament	10. Wedding Club Championship - Day One
11. Club Championship - Day Two	12.	13. Ladies Day Mens Night	14. SR Men's Day & Mandatory Lunch Ladies Night	15. Southampton Hospital Tournament	16. Ladies Scramble	17. Wedding Palleschi Group
18.	19.	20. Ladies Day Mens Night	21. SR Men's Championship - Day One Ladies Night	22. SR Men's Championship - Day Two	23. BP Classic Tournament	24. Wedding
25.	26. Stonetree Golf Group	27. Ladies Day & Mandatory Lunch Mens Night	28. SR Men's Day Ladies Night	29. Senior Scramble	30.	31.

September ~ 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1.	2. Labour Day	3. Ladies Day Mens Night	4. SR Men's Day Ladies Closing	5.	6. BP Retirees 9 Holes	7. Wedding
8. Mens Closing Golf / Dinner	9. Bruce County Curlers	10. Ladies Last Day	11. SR Men's Day	12. Unifor Golf 18 Holes	13.	14. Liv-A-Little Tournament
15.	16. BP IT 9 Holes/ Dinner	17. Port Elgin Legion Golf	18 SR Men's Day Closing 12:00 pm Shotgun	19.	20.	21. Wedding
22. Members Day	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28. Fall Scramble
29.	30.					

October ~ 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.
13.	14. **Driving Range Closed for Season** **Clubs out of Storage** **Thanksgiving**	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.
20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.
27.	28.	29.	30.	31. **Golf Course Closed for Season**		

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