Segregansett Country Club Member Rules

Given the many new members that have come into the Club, this Rules Notice is intended to **compliment** our <u>Member</u> <u>Handbook</u> and serve as a *Rules Reminder Update for all Members!*

The BOG intends to update and publish this Rules Document as needed. All New Members joining the Club will also receive this Document at joining. If you have a Question and don't see your answer here, ask our PGA Professional / our General Manager / or a Board Member.

Checking In and Important Member or Guest Rules:

- All Members must Check-in at the Pro Shop to start their day.
- A Member must sign in and pay for their Guest(s). A Guest should not pay the Pro Shop for Green Fees or a Cart.
- A Member may have only 1 Guest in a foursome before 12 PM on weekends and holidays. More than 1 Guest per member in a foursome is allowed after 12 PM on weekends / holidays.
- A Two-some (2-some) intending to play a Weekend or Holiday Morning (before 12 Noon) will be paired with another
 2-some (or single) to the extent possible. Otherwise, a 2-some should attempt to create a 4-some or 3-some if
 attempting to book an online Weekend or Holiday AM Tee Time. The Pro Shop has complete governance of Tee Time
 access and will manage accordingly.
- The same Guest may only play the Course 2 times during a Calendar month.
- Proper dress is Required. On the Course proper collared golf shirts, slacks, shorts, no cut-offs, spike-less shoes (no metal spikes). Jeans may only be worn on the Course from Dec 1 to March 31 during the Winter Season only.
- Dress Jeans, shorts, slacks, <u>collared shirts</u> (<u>no tee shirts or tank tops</u>) and generally accepted causal dress is expected
 in the Clubhouse and Deck at all times.
- A Member is responsible for the proper dress and conduct of their Guest on Course or in the Clubhouse.
- On Course Alcohol should be purchased from the Club Bar or Beverage Cart (when operating). Coolers are available for Member use by request at the Bar. <u>Personal Coolers containing Alcohol are not permitted on the Course</u>. The Club also does not permit drinking on property from a Car or Cooler in a Club Parking Lot.

Please Use our Electric Golf Carts Properly:

- Whether you have a Cart Plan, or are doing a Daily Rental, you must check in for a Cart at the Pro Shop.
- Continued violation of Cart Check in Rules may result in suspension of Cart Privileges and action by the BOG.
- A Cart Driver is required to have a Driver's License.
- 2 Riders to a Cart when the situation warrants. 3 Carts in a foursome is not allowed unless a specific Member has been given BOG approval to ride single. Failure to follow this Rule may result in additional cost to the Member.
- Follow all Cart Signs / Avoid Roped Areas / Avoid Wet Areas / Avoid unsafe terrain / Carts should always be 30 Feet+ from any Green and to the extent a hole has a cart path, please use it.
- Handicap Flags are available for Members who qualify.

Treating Our Course and Fellow Members with Respect:

- As a Member you have invested in Segregansett Country and we need every Member to help us protect and improve our investment.
- Please Fix and Repair Ball Marks / Divots / Place Garbage in Receptables / Rake Bunkers completely.
- In 2022 and 2023 your Club has invested heavily in improving our Bunkers. NO ONE should walk on the Face (front) of a Trap! Exit traps from the Rear or low point. Avoid newly mulched areas around traps to the extent they are marked.
- Avoid walking or playing from roped areas or ground under repair.
- At Segregansett CC we are proud of our sub-4 hour rounds and producing a reasonable pace of play for our Members.
- Be aware of your position on the Golf Course and your pace to the group in front of you, or behind you! Report slow play to the Pro Shop and we urge Members to allow our Pro Shop staff to address Slow Play issues!
- Simply, slow play is not optional and once warned, you will be expected to correct the problem.
- 5-Somes are not allowed on the Golf Course at any time unless the Golf Professional (based on play levels that day) has approved a Fivesome.

 Speaking of respecting your fellow Member, we stress the most basic tenant of Golf that relates to fair play and honesty. Every member is expected to post every score / every time you play / correctly through the MGA app on your phone. The Pro Shop or Golf Committee can assist if you have questions about using the app that is the basis for your Handicap. But please understand, we will have little patience for anyone in our Seggy Community not playing by the Rules!

Using the Range:

- Check with the Pro Shop for Range Operating Hours. The range closes every Sunday at 4PM for pick and clean.
- Dress Code for the Range (and Putting Green) is the same as the on-Course Dress Code.
- Carts are generally available for use to and from the range until 6PM Mon -Sat. Cars should not be driven to or parked at the range.
- Please observe the defined areas to hit from and return baskets to the Ball Shed.
- To the extent possible......aim away from the woods!

Our Staff is our Most Important Resource:

- Whether Course Maintenance / Pro Shop / Clubhouse Wait Staff or Administrative Staff we treat every employee with courtesy and respect and there is no circumstance that a Member should ever violate this requirement.
- If you have an issue, or problem, or you are dissatisfied in any way please elevate your concern to a supervisor on duty or a BOG Member.
- It is particularly important in our Clubhouse, Bar and Deck that you respect our staff (many who are young women) PLUS our Members themselves and refrain from loud and offensive language. It will not be tolerated! Any action that is even remotely close to being defined as sexual harassment will be cause for suspension from the Club. We have a Zero Tolerance sexual harassment policy.

Understand Your Membership Category:

- Families, Singles, Young Adults (21-29 / 30-35), Snow Birds have no restrictions in terms of when they can play, or participation in Club sponsored Tournaments subject to sign up requirements.
- Senior, Corporate, Social and Restricted (new in 2023) Young Adult Membership Categories do have some restrictions on Weekend and Holidays and some Tournaments may be on a space available basis (see Tournament Schedule at Member Menu in the web).
- Seniors are a M-F Membership and may play the Weekend / Holiday (any time) at the Member's Guest green fee.
- Corporates and Young Adult Restricted may play M-F and on Weekends/Holidays after 1 PM.
- Socials may play M-F and on Weekends / Holidays after 1 PM subject to a maximum of 4 times in a month (with max of 2 of the 4 on a weekend / holiday). Socials pay the Member's Guest rate when they play. A Social may play as a Member's Guest on the weekend / holiday at any time, however the round counts as 1 of the 4 rounds allowed in a month.
- Juniors are subject to the 1 PM weekend / holiday starting requirement and M-F they will have some time restrictions subject to the discretion of the pro shop.

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