

The Fairway Golf League welcomes you to the 2024/2025 Fairway Golf Season! Our season will officially begin October 28th and conclude in late May. We will play on Mondays and Wednesdays with the first tee time starting at approximately 9:30 and on Saturdays starting at approximately 9:30. As a reminder you must sign up in the pro shop no later than 48 hours prior to the first tee time in order to play on any given day. The pairings and daily results can be found on the sunlandspringsgolf.com website.

For those new to the league and those considering joining, we play using shared carts and assigned tee times. You are welcome to play as often or as little as your schedule allows. The computer-generated tee time assignments help to ensure that you will have an opportunity to play with many different members of the league.

In addition to the regular green fees the cost to play remains at \$3, with an optional skins pot (\$5) on most days with 18-hole play. Play remains based on net score with the handicaps generated by our Pro Shop. The skins game is also handicapped based. Depending on the number of individuals the play is broken into multiple flights, based on those handicaps. We will continue to offer an optional hole in one insurance pot. A one-time \$20 buy in for the season pays out \$400 on each hole in one during league play.

This season we will have a 9-hole play option on both Mondays and Wednesdays and the first tee time will be immediately following the last 18-hole group. The club has established 9-hole handicaps for all players playing in the group. Three 9-hole scores (played by rules and attested to) must be turned in the pro shop in order to establish your 9-hole handicap. This must occur even if you have already established an 18-hole handicap. For those wishing to play 9 holes, simply write a "9" by your name on the sign-up sheet. Remember to get checked in at least 48 hours prior to the morning of play. For those wishing to participate in the 9-hole league, you must be an active member of either the Fairway League or the SSV Men's League.

As in years past, we will participate in Home and Away events with Sunland Village and Sunland Village East. The dates of play are posted in the SSV website under Fairway League.

Our fall luncheon will be on Tuesday December 3rd and our spring Banquet will be on March 25th. Please be sure and save these dates as these events are included in your annual dues.

Our low gross/low net tournament will begin in January, and our annual league match play championship will begin in February. We will crown our league champ during the spring banquet.

In general, our play is governed by the current Rules of Golf of the USGA, the local SSV Golf Club Rules, and the Fairway Golf

League Rules. A copy of the rules are posted on the Fairway League Tab of the club website.

For those that are contemplating joining our group, we are confident that you will enjoy the comradery that the Fairway League offers.

Our club has purchased into a new handicap system that is cloud based. This will eliminate the problems that occur when the computer crashes. You will notice that our handicaps have changed and will change with each round, depending on which courses we play. There is a cost that the club incurred of \$6 per man that they have passed onto the golf leagues.

Consequently, our dues are going to be raised to \$60 for the season. We will begin collecting our annual dues (\$60) during the week of October 21st. Cash or check payable to Fairway League preferred.

Attached are league rules implemented by the Golf Club. You will notice the 48-hour sign up deadline as well as the change in starting times. With the men's league starting their tee times at 0800, we will immediately follow them, resulting in varied starting times on Mondays and Wednesdays depending on their numbers. Please let me know if you have any questions.

For those that are current or returning members, thanks for being a member of the Fairway Golf League and have a great season!

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