

2023 WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION

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Women's Golf Association

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WGA 2023 EVENT CALENDAR

TBD	Opening Day Meeting & Lunch Scramble (Shotgun Start)	TBD
June 1 & 3	Beat the Pro - Hospice Benefit Thursday <u>OR</u> Saturday	8:30am - assigned
	Margaret Bunn dates see page 7	
June 15	Flag Day	8:30am - assigned
J uly 14-15	Member - Guest	9:00 am
Aug 1 & 3	President's Cup	8:30 am
Aug 12-13	Club Championship	TBD
Sept 17	Member - Member Closing Banquet	TBD

Thursday Reg Play Teams and Format set by Pro Shop - Shotgun start

May	4,11,18,25	9:00 am May
June	1,8,22,27*	8:30 am June
July	6,13,20,27	8:30 am July
Aug	10,17,24,31	8:30 am August

^{*} Note: June 27 is a Tuesday

PLAYER RESPONSIBILITY

You must sign up for Thursday Morning Play and each Tournament that you would like to play in.

Any WGA member who wishes to play in an event (see page 3), must sign up on the posted event sheet on the WGA's Bulletin Board located on the pro shop porch or via email invite and electronic sign-up when available.

If you must cancel out of a tournament, please notify the Pro Shop (432-8950) as soon as possible.

Each player is responsible for posting their own scores in the GHIN system. WGA members should adhere to the OCC rules of conduct and exhibit good course etiquette.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Event announcements will be posted on the WGA Bulletin Board located on the Pro Shop porch and via email.

TOURNAMENTS

Prizes are awarded in Thursday regular play, and in WGA/OCC tournaments. There is a required minimum field of four players for a prize eligible event. Assigned tee-times must be adhered to.

To be eligible for prize money, a player must have an established handicap consisting of THREE current 18 hole or SIX current 9-hole scores recorded GHIN scores. Your current handicap is your GHIN system handicap which includes scores from other clubs. The maximum allowable handicap is 54 for 18 holes and 27 for 9 holes. If you do not have an current GHIN handicap you will be assigned a handicap of 20 until enough scores are posted and one is established.

If a rules question arises during tournament play, the Director of Golf should be consulted. If a ruling is not immediately available, the player must play two balls for that hole.

The Pro Shop will print the score cards and compile the final scorings and results for each event. All scorecards must be signed, dated, and attested for tournaments. Failure to do so will result in disqualification. Score cards must be turned in to the Pro Shop immediately following each competitive tournament round.

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PRESIDENT'S CUP

August 1 & 3

- 1. Open to all WGA members of the Oneonta Country Club.
- 2. Two rounds of Stroke Play, using 100% handicap.
- Tee times are designated, and participants must play at those times.
- 4. All putts must be holed out. Players may not pick up.
- A tie at the end of two rounds, will require that a full round of 18 or 9 holes be played to determine a winner.
- 6. Prizes will be awarded.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

- 1. Open to all WGA members of the Oneonta Country Club
- Two rounds of Stroke Play without handicap played over two days.
- 3. In case of a tie at the end of the final round, the playoff will be held on hole 18 until a player wins.
- Score cards are to be turned into the Pro Shop immediately following each round. Final decisions on all play will be made by the head golf Pro.
- 5. The name of the Club Champion will be added to the Club Champion Trophy at the year-end banquet.

The use of Carts is preferred for all major tournaments to ensure proper pace of play.

MARGARET BUNN CUP (carts preferred)

Round 1: June 4-25 Round 2: June 26-July 16

Round 3: July 17-Aug 13

Final Round: Aug 14-26

The Margaret Bunn Cup is an 18-hole match play event held during the months of June, July and August for WGA Members.

- 1. A qualifying round of 18-holes of play is necessary if you do not have an established handicap. Qualifying will begin May 13 and end June 3. **To qualify**, please sign up in the Pro Shop before going out to play. **Play must be with another WGA or MGA Member**. Qualifying will be according to **gross score**. The Director of Golf will arbitrate handicap issues.
- 2. All putts must be holed out during the qualifying round.
- 3. Players tied for after their match will continue to a sudden death payoff beginning on hole #1 until a winner is determined.
- 4. All matches must be played by the date designated on the information/standings score sheet on the Bulletin Board.
- 5. In scheduling matches members are expected to be flexible in finding a convenient time for both players.

Season Long Games

<u>Hole-in-one fund</u> -- join by paying the treasurer \$5.00. The money in the fund gets distributed when a WGA member records a hole-in-one at OCC that is witnessed by another WGA or MGA player. Then a new fund gets started with those who want to participate paying the treasurer another \$5.00.

Ringer book - join by paying the treasurer \$5.00. The money in the fund gets distributed at the end of the year based on performances at OCC that are recorded in the ringer book. The ringer book is located in close proximity to the pro shop computer where members can post their scores into the GHIN system. Enter your scores via the paper and pen method on your separate page. Enter your score for a round, then replace each improved score on a hole by hole basis for subsequent rounds. Enter your birdies where indicated.

GOLF ETIQUETTE & SPEED OF PLAY

Whether you are a beginner or an experienced golfer, there are two factors that will determine how you are regarded by your fellow golfers. They are your attention to golf etiquette and to speed of play. Here are some tips that are related to both:

When there is an open hole in front of you, let the players waiting behind you play through. Otherwise you will cause congestion on the entire golf course.

Good cart management is important. When walking a distance from your cart to the ball, take multiple clubs with you so you are prepared to shoot. When sharing a cart, drop your partner off at her ball and proceed to your ball. Hit your shot and pick up your partner, who should be walking toward the green.

Do not linger over lost balls. Your fellow players will appreciate your courtesy. As per PGA rules, your search must not exceed three minutes.

Replace divots. Use the rake to smooth sand in bunkers. Mark scores on score cards at the next tee, not at the side of the green you have just played.

Do not move, talk nor stand directly in front of or behind a player making a stroke.

Keep your handicap accurate. Inaccurate handicaps cause many problems. Enter your score after each round. If you need help, the Pro Shop can assist you.

Be responsible. Leave the course in the condition in which you would like to find it for maximum playing enjoyment.

Courtesy is contagious . . . let's all catch it!

2023 WGA Members (4/27/2023)

Elaine Baird Jarrin Hayen Jill Ranc Teri Basdekis Heidi Hofbauer-Buzzy Laura Raner Karen Bazan **Stephanie Holmes** Tracey Ranieri Sabrina Beckerink Crystal Hurlburt Jennifer Reynolds Nicole Briguglio Melissa Jervis Carolee Riddell Marci Brunswick Bonnie Johnson **Betty Schulte**

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RECIPROCALS

Tee times must be arranged through the OCC Golf Shop Ballston Spa Country Club (cash only)Ballston Spa, NY Canajoharie Country Club......Canajoharie, NY Cedar Lake ClubCedar Lake, NY Cobleskill Country Club......Cobleskill, NY Delhi College Golf Course Delhi, NY Endwell Greens......Endwell, NY Lake Shore Yacht & Country Club.......Cicero, NY Mohawk Valley Country Club...... Little Falls, NY Shepard Hills Country Club Waverly, NY Stamford Golf Club......Stamford, NY Traditions at the Glen Resort......Johnson City, NY Tuscarora Golf Club...... Marcellus, NY