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A match is won when one side leads by a number of holes greater than the number remaining to be played. If there is a tie, the players go to hole #1 and play as many holes as are required for a match to be won.

General: The state of the match is expressed by the terms: so many "holes up" or "all square", and so many "to play". A side is "dormie" when it is as many holes up as there are holes remaining to be played. A hole is halved if each side holes out in the same number of strokes.

Concession of next stroke, hole, or match

- A player may concede his opponent's next stroke at any time provided the opponent's ball is at rest. The opponent is considered to have holed out with his next stroke and the ball may be removed by either side.
- A player may concede a hole at any time prior to the start or conclusion of that hole.
- A player may concede a match at any time prior to the start or conclusion of that match.
- A concession may not be declined or withdrawn

Tournament Format: There is no limit to a player's handicap and the number of players who can play. In addition, there will be a consolation bracket for all first-round losers. The field will consist of 32, 48, or 64 players.

- If there are fewer than 32 players, there will be buys for those players according to what place they finished last year (ties will be broken by the draw of cards).
- If there are 32 players, the field will be declared full.
- If there are greater than 32 but less than 48 players, there will be a play-in.
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The field of players will be flighted based on their Trend Handicap and there will be a consolation bracket for all first-round losers.

Tee Times: There is a schedule of deadlines between rounds. If the round is not played prior to the deadline both players will be disqualified. If a match is scheduled on the deadline date and the match is rained out the Players will have three (3) days to reschedule. If the match is not played within those three (3) days both players will be disqualified and if your match is rained out again there will be no extensions and both players will be disqualified.

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Also, if you play your match after the deadline date both teams will be disqualified.

Note: Subsequent rounds can be played prior to the next round deadline – you can play early.

You should not sign up for this event if you cannot play within the time frame allotted. In addition, please have the courtesy to respond when someone calls. There will be no exceptions or deviations from the tee time rules.

Handicap: Players use their full handicap trend the day of play and will be calculated net of the lowest player's handicap. EXAMPLE: Player A handicap 10, Player B handicap 15 – Net Handicaps Player A handicap 0, Player B handicap 5. Each player may select which tee box they intend to play and use the full handicap from the selected tee box.

New members must have an established handicap (adjusted to Timber Pointe slope) of a minimum of 10 rounds posted from their prior club. The lower of the prior club handicap or the new Timber Pointe handicap as of the day of play will be used until 10 rounds are posted at Timber Pointe.

Consolation Bracket Tournament Format: will be made up of one bracket. The field of players will consist of 16, 24, or 32 players. The field of players will be randomly drawn. All the same tee time rules apply.

- If there are fewer than 16 players, there will be buys for those players randomly drawn accordingly.
- If there are 16 players, the field will be declared full.
- If there are greater than 16 but fewer than 24 players, there will be a play-in. Those players who lost in the first play-in will automatically be seeded and the balance of the field will be drawn randomly to determine who will be part of the consolation flight play-in.
- If there are 24 players, the field will be declared full.
- If there are greater than 24 but less than 32 players, there will be a play-in. Those players who lost in the first play-in will automatically be seeded and the balance of the field will be drawn randomly to determine who will be part of the consolation flight play-in.
- If there are 32 players, the field will be declared full.

NOTE: The USGA local rule for Stroke and Distance that was approved for TPMGA regular play is not applicable to Singles Match Play. For out-of-bounds and lost balls use the traditional USGA rules as appropriate.

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Entry Fee: $30.00 per player. The entry fee must be paid prior to play. Failure to pay will result in disqualification.

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- **A concession may not be declined or withdrawn**

Tournament Format: There is no limit to a player's handicap and the number of players who can play.

- **If there are fewer than 32 players, there will be buys decided by drawing cards.**

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Handicap: Players use their full handicap based on the World Handicap System and will be calculated net of the lowest player's handicap. EXAMPLE: Player A handicap 10, Player B handicap 15 – Net Handicaps Player A handicap 0, Player B handicap 5. A player may play from ANY Tee Box.

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