

2018 Special Event Tournaments

INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY

Boundary Oak Golf Course



1st round 32 Players ~ Feb 5
2nd round 16 Players ~ Mar 5
3rd round 8 Players ~ Apr 2
4th round 4 Players ~ May 7
Final round 2 Players ~ Jun 4

EVENT CHAIRMAN: Jim Barstow

All participants must pay \$5.00 to the treasurer to enter this event.

Format: Field of 32 players seeded in two man matches where an individual competes against another. The lower net score wins the hole. The state of the match is expressed by the terms: so many “holes up” with so many “to play” or “all square.” The winner of the match advances to the next round of competition until the Champion is determined. Each participant plays their own ball as in stroke play and post their individual score.

The proper way to allocate strokes in one-on-one match play is to subtract the lower handicap from the higher, then assign the difference to the weaker player. For example, if Player A’s handicap is 14 and Player B’s handicap is 26, Player A’s 14 is subtracted from Player B’s 26, leaving 12. Player B now takes strokes on the top 12 handicap holes, while Player A plays from scratch.

Scoring: You begin a match with both sides at All-Square, or (A/S), Once someone wins a hole, you’ll mark the card “+1” if you won the hole, or “-1” if you lost the hole. This means you are 1-up or 1-down, respectively, in the match. Let’s say you’re 1-up (so your scorecard reads “+1”) and you lose the next hole. Then you’re back to all-square. But if you’re 1-up and win the next hole, your scorecard now reads “+2” (for 2-up in the match).

If a long string of holes is halved (tied), you’ll keep writing the same thing on the scorecard for each hole. For example, you’re up by one hole at No. 5, so on the scorecard you’ve marked Hole 5 as +1. The next five holes are halved. So holes 6 through 10 will also show +1 on your scorecard, because you remained 1-up. When you are up more holes than there are holes left to play the match is over.

In case of a tie at the end of 18 holes, we will use a card-off to determine the winner. The first tie breaker will be the team that won the most holes on the back nine. If still a tie, the team who won the last six holes. If still a tie, the team who won the last three holes. If still a tie, the score on the 18th hole. If all of these remain a tie, one should flip a coin to settle the match.

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Any player who cannot play on the scheduled date must notify the Tournament Director in advance so the game can be rescheduled at a regular tournament, and must be played before the next round. If a team member cannot play a scheduled match, he must concede the match.

PREVIOUS MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONS

Jerry Hicks 2014	Fred Schafer 2015	Hugh Duggan 2016	Don Schroeder 2017
 A photograph of Jerry Hicks in a grey polo shirt and blue shorts, captured in the middle of a golf swing on a green field.	 A photograph of Fred Schafer wearing a grey long-sleeved shirt and grey pants, captured in the middle of a golf swing.	 A photograph of Hugh Duggan wearing a bright orange jacket and orange shorts, captured in the middle of a golf swing.	 A photograph of Don Schroeder wearing an orange polo shirt and dark shorts, captured in the middle of a golf swing near a body of water.

"Eighteen holes of match play will teach you more about your foe than 19 years of dealing with him across a desk." ~ Grantland Rice, Sportswriter