

LWGA 2021 Tournament Descriptions

April 6 LWGA Opening Member Meeting, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. (via Zoom)

April 6, 13, 20* **Open play.** No prizes. Players choose their own tee times. *Non-members invited to play.

April 27 **Opening Day Tournament** - Best ball scramble. Team event. Mixed flight teams assigned by TC (Tournament Chair) using an average of handicaps.

Event format: Every player hits a drive on every hole - team decides which drive will be used. Everyone hits a ball from that spot. If your drive is used, you may take the 2nd shot. Follow this format until you get on the green. All players putt until the ball is holed. Each player's drive must be used for 3 holes. Record your team's Gross score on the official score card. Leave one score card per team. TC will determine net score. **Note:** If your group has only three players follow this format. On holes 1 thru 6, player #1 will hit 2-balls at each position. On holes 7 thru 12, player #2 will hit 2-balls at each position. And on holes 13 thru 18, player #3 will hit 2-balls at each position.

Prizes: 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Gross teams, and 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Net teams. **GHIN and Ringers:** don't post

May 4 **Trophy Tuesday** - Stroke Play. Individual effort. Paired in flights by TC.

Prizes: two winners per flight, Low Gross and Low Net. You must play 18 holes without picking up if you want to qualify for this tournament. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in Leaderboard System (LS) which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins.

George Buck Tournament - This is a major tournament that extends over three weeks. If you sign up, you must be available to play in all rounds. Top 16 lowest net scoring players move on to match play rounds. Qualifying round on May 11. 1st round on May 18, 2nd round by May 25, and semifinals and final by May 27. **The TC will assign tee times for 1st and 2nd rounds semifinals on these dates: May 18 (during Tues. block), 4 foursomes; Thurs., May 20, 2 foursomes; May 25 (during Tues. block) 1 foursome; and Thurs., May 27, final 2 golfers (1 two-some). If you make it past the qualifying round, you must be available to play these dates if you move on - so make sure you clear your calendar before you sign up.** There are no eligibility requirements for this tournament. Paired in flights by TC.

May 11 **George Buck Qualifying Round** - Stroke play. Individual effort. Tee times and pairings by handicap by TC.

Event format: Use 100% of your handicap. Top 16 Lowest Net scoring players qualify for the Match Play semifinals and final. A tie among qualifiers will be broken by a Match of Cards. Draw sheets will be posted immediately after the Qualifying Round. **Prizes:** One medalist for Low Net. In ties for medal, both players receive a prize.

GHIN Tournament Type: Competition. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in Leaderboard System (LS) which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins. **Rain date:** May 18

May 18- May 27 **George Buck Tournament – Round 1, 2, Semi Finals and Final** - Match play. Tee times and pairings by TC.

Event format: Match Play. Use 100% of your handicap. Stroked scorecards will be provided. Each qualifier must be available to play in each round; otherwise, she will automatically be disqualified. The TC will assign tee times for rounds 1, 2, semifinals and final that may be outside of the scheduled Tuesday tournament. You must be available to play in these assigned times so make sure you clear your calendar. You may use an LWGA Tuesday tournament time for your competition, but you will be unable to play in that regular Tuesday tournament.

The TC will assign tee times for 1st and 2nd rounds semifinals on these dates: May 18 (during Tues. block), 4 foursomes; Thurs., May 20, 2 foursomes; May 25 (during Tues. block) 1 foursome; and Thurs., May 27, final 2 golfers (1 foursome).

Prizes: winner and runner-up. **GHIN Tournament Type:** Competition. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in Leaderboard System (LS) which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins.

May 17 SCWGA Tournament – This is not an LWGA event. Contact Lynn Cerrone for details to sign up for this tournament.

May 18 **Stroke Play Tournament** – Stroke play. Individual effort. Players choose their own tee times. Note, this tournament will accommodate players who are not participating in the George Buck semi-finals. **Prizes:** 1st, 2nd and 3rd place low gross and low net per flight. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in Leaderboard System (LS) which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins. **Extended play period:** May 13-17.

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May 25 **Mystery Holes Tournament** - Stroke play. Individual effort. Players chose tee times.

Event Format: You must play all 18 holes and hole out on every hole for your score to count. There will be 4 mystery holes (randomly chosen by the LS system prior to commencement of play, and not announced to players until all play for the tournament has been completed). The mystery holes will be 'thrown out', not counting toward players' final tournament scores. **Prizes:** 1st, 2nd and 3rd place low gross and low net per flight. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in LS which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins. **Extended play period:** May 20-24.

June 1 **President's Cup Tournament** - Round 1 - Two-person team stroke play. Best ball of twosome. Tee times assigned by TC.

Event format: You must satisfy eligibility requirements outlined on Page 2 of the member handbook to qualify for this tournament. This is a major tournament consisting of two-day, 36-hole stroke play. Players must be available to play in both rounds, June 8 and 15. Create two-person team. Use 100% of your handicap and best ball of twosome. Throughout tournament, use course handicaps from the Yellow tees that are in effect the day of play. Maximum of 8 strokes between the playing partners; e.g., Player 1 - HDCP 20, Player 2 - HDCP 30; Player 2 - will play with HDCP of 28. Team must be available for all 36 holes. Take strokes as they fall on card. Non-Qualifiers may sign up to play after the Qualifiers. Stroked scorecards will be provided.

Prizes: First Place Low Gross winner and Runner-Up, and First Place Low Net winner and Runner-Up.

GHIN Tournament Type: Competition. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in Leaderboard System (LS) which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins. **Rain date:** June 8

June 8 **President's Cup Tournament** - Round 2 - Two-person team stroke play. Best ball of twosome. Tee times assigned by TC. See June 9 for description. Non-Qualifiers may sign up to play after the Qualifiers. **Rain date:** June 22

June 15 **Trophy Tuesday** – 8:00 a.m. Shotgun and **lunch**. Stroke Play. Individual effort. Paired in mixed flights by TC. See May 4th for details.

June 22 **Stroke Play Tournament** – Stroke play. Individual effort. Players choose tee times. See May 19 for details. **Extended play period:** June 17-21. **Rain date:** President's Cup, Round 2

June 29 **Play for Pink Tournament** - Stroke play, four-person team event. Players choose tee times. If you don't have a team and you want to play, contact the Tournament Chairs. Contributions collected for this tournament will benefit the Breast Cancer Emergency Aid Foundation.

Event format: Stroked scorecards will be provided as well as one numbered pink ball per foursome. Alternating use of PINK BALL within team. Player 1 plays PINK BALL on Hole 1; Player 2 plays PINK BALL on Hole 2; Player 3 plays PINK BALL on Hole 3; Player 4 plays PINK BALL on Hole 4; Player 1 plays PINK BALL on Hole 5; and so on. PINK BALL must come back to the clubhouse for team to win. If your team loses the PINK BALL the team is disqualified. Record score of the PINK BALL for the 18 holes and submit one official score card in the clubhouse. Take your strokes where they fall on the scorecard when it is your turn to play the PINK BALL to figure out Net Score. Record Gross Score and Net Score for PINK BALL per hole. **Prizes:** 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Gross teams, and 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Net teams. **GHIN:** don't post

Ringers: don't post **Rain date:** July 6

July 6 **Orange-Yellow-White Tournament** - Best Ball scramble team event. Foursomes or threesomes. Players choose tee times.

Event format: Team score, using an average of handicaps. On the first hole, the team plays from Orange (forward) tees, on the second hole from YELLOW tees, and on the third hole from WHITE tees. Continue alternating tees – Orange - Yellow - White - throughout the round. All players hit their tee shots; the team selects the best drive and marks it. All players hit their second shot from this spot. Select the best second shot and mark it. Continue this format until ball is holed. Must use three drives from each team member. Submit the team score on the official score card. **Note:** If your group has only three players follow this format. On holes 1 thru 6, player #1 will hit 2-balls at each position. On holes 7 thru 12, player #2 will hit 2-balls at each position. And on holes 13 thru 18, player #3 will hit 2-balls at each position. **Prizes:** 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Gross teams, and 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Net teams. **GHIN and Ringers:** don't post. **Rain date** for Play for Pink.

July 13 **Trophy Tuesday** - Stroke Play. Individual effort. Paired in flights by TC. See May 4th for details.

July 20 **Stroke Play Tournament** - Stroke Play. Individual effort. Players choose their own tee times. See May 18th for details. **Extended play period:** July 15-19.

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July 27 **Solheim Trifecta Tournament** - Two-person teams compete under two overall teams - Blue and White. 18-hole event played 6 holes each Best Ball, Alternate Shot and Scramble. Two-person teams and foursomes chosen by TC.

Event Format: Two-person teams in each foursome (one playing under Blue team and one under White) compete against each other over 18 holes. *Best Ball:* Holes 1-6 are played as Best Ball. Each player in the twosome hits her own ball through the green. The team records the lowest score for the twosome. *Alternate Shot:* Holes 7-12 are played as Alternate Shot. One player in each twosome drives the ball, and the other team member hits the second shot. Players alternate shots until the ball is holed. Team decides who will drive the odd holes and who will drive the even holes.

Scramble: Holes 13-18 are played as a scramble. Each player from the twosome hits a shot and the team decides which shot will be used. Moving to that spot, each player hits a second shot. This process continues until the ball is holed out.

Scoring: Each twosome's scores are entered in LS and handicaps are applied as follows: For Best Ball holes, each player in the twosome receives her full USGA handicap (not to exceed 36.3); for Alternate Shot and Scramble holes, the average of the players' handicaps in each twosome is applied. The team with the lower 18-hole **Net** score in the foursome wins, counting as 1 point toward the twosome's overall team - Blue or White. When all rounds are completed the overall team with the most points wins. In the event of a tie, prior year's winning team wins. For the first year, a coin toss will break the tie.

Prizes: Each member of the winning tournament team - Blue or White - wins a prize.

GHIN, ringers, birdies & chip-ins: don't post.

Aug 3 **Trophy Tuesday** - Stroke Play. Individual effort. Paired in mixed flights by TC.
See May 4th for details.

Aug. 10 **Club Championship – Round 1.** Two-Day, 36-Hole Major Tournament. Stroke play. Individual effort. Paired in flights by TC with full handicap.

Event Format: You must satisfy eligibility requirements outlined on Page 2 of the member handbook to qualify for this tournament. Total of two-day stroke play cumulative score. Players must be available to play in both rounds. Anyone with a handicap index over 36.3 must play to a 36.3 index. **Prizes:** one Low Gross and one Low Net winner in each flight. You must be available to play August 10 and 17. Non-qualifiers may sign up after qualifiers.

GHIN Tournament Type: Competition. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in Leaderboard System (LS) which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins. **Rain date:** Aug. 17

Aug 11 **Lobster Fest (Will hold member meeting)**

Aug. 17 **Club Championship - Round 2.** Two-Day, 36-Hole Major Tournament. Stroke play. Individual effort. Paired in flights by TC with full handicap. Non-qualifiers may sign up after qualifiers. See Aug. 10 for details.

Rain date: Aug. 24

Aug 24 **Stroke Play Tournament** - Stroke Play. Individual effort. Players choose their own tee times
See May 19th for details. Rain date for Club Championship. **Extended play period:** Aug. 19-23.

Aug. 31 **LWGA 60th Anniversary Member Guest Tournament** - 8:30 a.m. Shotgun followed by lunch. Step Aside Scramble.

Event Format: Member can invite a guest and request foursomes. Carts mandatory. Stroked scorecards will be provided. Everyone in the foursome tees off. The player whose ball is chosen can't hit the next shot. That player "steps aside." The other three players move their balls to the chosen spot and hit from there. This format continues until reaching the putting green. Everyone putts until the ball is holed. Three drives from each player must be used and indicated on the team's scorecard. Submit team score on official score card. Each foursome will have an assigned handicap based on the average of the team's handicaps. This number will be subtracted from the team's total/gross score. Prizes will be awarded on the basis of these net scores. **Prizes:** TBD. **GHIN:** don't post. **Ringers:** don't post

Sept 7 **Fall Cup** - Round 1. Stroke Play. 36-Hole Major Tournament. Individual effort. TC assigns tee times and pairings by flight.

Event Format: You must satisfy eligibility requirements outlined on Page 2 of the member handbook to qualify for this tournament. You must be available to play two days, Sept. 14 and Sept. 21. Anyone with a handicap over a 36 must play to a 33 index. Total of two-day cumulative score for 36 holes. **Prizes:** awarded for Low Gross and Low Net per flight.

GHIN Tournament Type: Competition. **GHIN, Ringers, Birdies and Chip-ins** count. Players enter scores in Leaderboard System (LS) which automatically posts the player's adjusted score to GHIN (by midnight). LS will record all ringers, birdies and chip-ins. **Rain date:** Sept. 14

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Sept 14 **Fall Cup** - Round 2. *Stroke Play. 36-Hole Major Tournament. Individual effort. TC assigns tee times and pairings by flight.* See description for September 10th. **Rain date:** Sept. 28

Sept 21 **Trophy Tuesday** – 8:00 a.m. *Shotgun and lunch. Stroke Play. Individual effort. Paired in flights by TC.* See May 4th for details.

Sept 28 **Stroke Play Tournament** - *Stroke Play. Individual effort. Players choose tee times.* See May 19th for details. Rain date for Fall Cup. **Extended play period:** Sept. 23-27. **Rain date:** Fall Cup, Rd. 2

Oct 5 **The Caryl Beatus Member/Member Tournament** – 8:00 a.m. *Shotgun. Alternate shot scramble. Members create two-person teams - players must be from different flights.*

Event Format: This is an alternate shot tournament for all 18 holes. Before play begins, decide which player will tee off first, (Player A); then 2nd shot is taken (Player B); continue to hit alternate shots until ball is holed. Players alternating tee shots, with one teeing off odd numbered holes, and the other player teeing off the even numbered holes. Post your team's Gross score on score sheet in locker room.

Prizes: awarded to winning teams of 1st/2nd flight, 1st/3rd flight, 1st/4th flight, 2nd/3rd flight, 2nd/4th flights and 3rd/4th flight. **GHIN and Ringers:** don't post.

Oct 12 **Trophy Tuesday** -. *Stroke Play. Individual effort. Mixed flights paired by TC.* See May 4th for details.

Oct 19 **Closing Day Scramble and Closing Banquet** - *Best ball Step Aside scramble. Mixed flights paired by TC. Team event.*

Event Format: Every player hits a drive on every hole. Team decides which drive will be used. Everyone hits their second shot from that spot except for the person whose drive was used. Follow this format until you get on the green. All players get to putt until the ball is holed. Each player's drive must be used for 3 holes. Record team's gross score on the score sheet in the clubhouse. Leave one scorecard per team.

Note: If your group has only three players follow this format. On holes 1 thru 6, player #1 will hit 2-balls at each position. On holes 7 thru 12, player #2 will hit 2-balls at each position. And on holes 13 thru 18, player #3 will hit 2-balls at each position.

Prizes: 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Gross teams, and 1st, 2nd and 3rd Low Net teams using handicap averages. **GHIN and Ringers:** don't post.