## LATAH CREEK 18-HOLE WOMEN'S GOLF CLUB

## STANDING RULES

**GENERAL**: All competition held under the jurisdiction of the club shall be played strictly in accordance with the "Rules of the Game of Golf" as approved by the USGA and with such special rules as apply to the Home Course or shall be adopted by the Executive Board.

**DRESS**: Proper dress shall be worn at all times.

**TEE TIMES**: Tee Times for weekly play shall be by reverse shotgun (ie. 1A, 1B, 18A, 18B, etc.) unless otherwise noted. Assignments will be made **1-2 days** prior to the 8:00 and 9:00 start times through Golf Genius. If you are anticipating being late or are unable to play, contact **a member** at the club to delete you from the lineup. Do **NOT** call the pro shop. Members not playing with the group are not eligible for any prizes.

**ELIGIBILITY FOR PLAY**: With the exception of the Club Championship, to participate in tournaments, special events, or weekly play sponsored by the Club, a contestant (other than a guest) must be a paid member in good standing with an established handicap. Home and Associate members will pay equal dues as determined by the Executive Board.

**HANDICAP LIMIT:** Handicap limit for tournament play at Latah Creek is forty (40) which may be assumed.

**WEEKLY PLAY**: Unless a special event or tournament is being played, tee assignments will be made by the lineup chair using Golf Genius.

- 1. **Two cards** from each group on Ladies' Play Day must be turned in for eclectic and games.
- 2 Always post your **adjusted** scores as directed by the Handicap Chair.
- 3. Guests are welcome to play in weekly games only.

**NUMERICA CUP/SWEEPS:** To be eligible a player must have played at least three (3) play days at her home course as a "Home Club" member as defined by SAWGA in the present or preceding year.

**SAWGA REPRESENTATIVES** must be members in good standing of Latah Creek Women's 18-Hole Club.

## **TOURNAMENTS**

**GREENSKEEPERS:** A fun net best-ball tournament with our greenskeepers. Foursomes determined by the committee.

**MEMBER/GUEST:** Game, luncheon and prizes with our invited guests from other golf clubs.

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**CROOKED CREEK TOURNAMENT**: This is a TEAM Match Play NET better ball tournament. 2 Teams, partners, and opponents will be determined by the chair using handicap information. Total net points for teams after 2 days will determine the winners.

CAPTAIN'S CUP & PUTTING: This tournament will have one (1) gross winner and one (1) net winner on each of four (4) qualifying days. A player may win only ONE of the eight legs of the Cup. Gross takes precedent over net. The next lowest gross or net wins the qualifying round if there is a repeat winner. Ties will be decided by matching scorecards according to USGA Rule #33-6 Appendix 1 (See Ties). The 4 gross and 4 net winners will play separately for the gross and net Captain's Cup. The putting winner will have the lowest combined total on three (3) of the four (4) qualifying days. Players must be listed on the play of the day sheet to be eligible. Post as a TOURNAMENT SCORE on the final day only.

**CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**: To be eligible to play in the Club Championship, all participants shall play five (5) current year's Ladies play days. Home members may substitute any of one (1) Sweeps or Numerica Cup in the current year. A Thursday Sweeps counts as a Ladies Play Day for Home members. Associate members may substitute one (1) Thursday Sweeps event in the current year.

The Club Championship will be a combination of stroke and match play held on a Thursday-Monday-Thursday in August as scheduling allows. Players will be assigned to flights divided as evenly as possible. Day 1 and Day 2 will be stroke play. At the conclusion of Day 2, the two (2) players with the lowest total scores will compete in Match Play for the Club Championship and Runner-up. The remaining two lowest scoring players in each flight will compete in Match Play for First and Second in their respective flights. All remaining players will compete in Match Play in their respective flights.

Post all 3 days as Tournament Scores

TIES: All ties in the Captain's Cup Tournament will be decided by matching score cards according to USGA Rule #33-6, Appendix 1. An acceptable method of matching cards is to determine the winner on the basis of the best score for the last nine holes. If the tying players have the same score for the last nine, determine the winner on the basis of the last six holes, last three holes and finally the 18<sup>th</sup> hole. ½, 1/3, 1/6, & 1/18<sup>th</sup> of the handicaps should be deducted. In all calculations a fraction of ½ or more shall count as a full stroke. Any other fraction shall be disregarded. If players are still tied, the same procedure will be followed using the front nine scores. If players are still tied, the tie shall then stand.

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

**PRO-AM LADIES:** Latah Creek Home Club members will have preference for participation in Ladies Pro-Am. After sign-up, a draw will be held if needed to determine participants. Those not chosen will be first chosen for the following Pro-Am.

**HOLE-IN-ONE POT:** Members and associates pay \$1.00 into the Hole-in-One Fund at the beginning of each year and are eligible to win the pot for a Hole-in-One on Ladies Play Day that year at Latah Creek. The Treasurer will keep a running balance and cap it at \$300. Any amount above this will be used for club activities at the discretion of the Executive Board. The prize for a Hole-in-One will be \$100 (or the balance of the fund if it is under \$100). It is payable directly to the player in a timely manner.

**MOST IMPROVED GOLFER**: Most improved home course golfer of the year has to play 10 times at Latah Creek Ladies Day.

**AWARDS BANQUET:** The end of year awards banquet will be held in October on a date and time determined by the Executive Board and the Banquet Chair.

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