

Whitinsville
Golf
Club

2021 Tournament Book

2021 Tournaments “Need to Know”

All tournaments are mixed gender, including member/guest tournaments. Women members will be included with the men in all club tournaments (excluding the Men's Round Robin and Ladies Invitational), with no separate divisions unless otherwise stated.

Sign-Up Procedures:

- Only members in good standing are eligible to play in tournaments.
- Members are responsible for signing up for a tournament. Sign-up sheets will be made available in the pro shop prior to the event. Members must print their name, fill in the date, and sign the entry form. Members may also enter in a tournament by calling or emailing the pro shop. However, they are still required to sign their name on the tournament sheet prior to the end date of the sign-up period.
- Any Member withdrawing from an event within 72 hours of the start of the event will be charged for the entry fee unless their spot is filled by another member.
- **Due to the new World Handicap, all participants must sign up for weekend tournaments before Thursday, your handicap from Wednesday will be used for the entirety of the weekend tournament.**

Tournament Player Maximums and Morning/Afternoon Tee-Times

- Tournaments with 64 players or less will have all tee-times in the morning.
- For tournaments with more than 64 players a shot-gun will be held..

Tournament Tiebreakers:

- USGA rules apply to tiebreakers and are dictated by tournament type.

In 2021, ALL scores from member tournaments will be posted. If the tournament allows for one person to pick up their ball, if out of the hole, the following rule will be applied:

Conceded Strokes/Unfinished Holes

If a player does not finish a hole or is conceded a stroke, record the most likely score for handicap purposes.

A most likely score is the number of strokes already taken, plus in the player's best judgment, the number of strokes needed to complete the hole from that point more than half the time.

The most likely score should have an "X" preceding the number. For example, player A is just off the green in two strokes, and player A's partner just holed out for a two; therefore, player A decides to pick up. Player A determines the most likely score would have been to chip on and two putt; therefore, player A will record an X-5 on the scorecard (two strokes already taken plus three more strokes to complete the hole). Player A does not automatically put down the Equitable Stroke Control (ESC)[™] maximum. First, player A determines the most likely score and then after the round checks to see if the most likely score is above the ESC limit. In this case, player A has a Course Handicap[™] of 24 and an ESC maximum of eight. Recording X-5 is not above ESC limit and therefore, X-5 is the score that must be posting for handicap purposes.

2021 Black/White Tee Rules

In 2021, if you are 67 years old and your handicap added to your age is 85 or greater, you can play the black/white tees with no handicap restrictions.

Board Tournaments are as follows:

- Men's Club Champion
- Ladies Club Champion
- Carr Cup Champions
- Spring Tournament Champion
- Fall Tournament Champion

WGC Player of the Year:

The Player of the Year award is given to the golfer who has accumulated the most points throughout the season in qualified tournaments.

The points scoring system is as follows:

1 st place -	40 points
2 nd place-	30 points
3 rd place -	20 points
4 th place -	10 points

Point values are doubled for the Club Championship.

Tournaments that qualify as WGC Player of the Year events are as follows:

- Spring Tournament
- Memorial Day Tournament
- Carr Cup Tournament
- Club Championship Tournament
- Las Vegas Member/Member Tournament
- Labor Day Tournament
- Fall Tournament
- Shootout Finals Tournament
- Whitinsville Cup
- Ross Cup

The Sony event winner will receive a yearly prize as well as the other "Major" events.

Single player event – player must be eligible for forward tees, see above rules for Senior tees.

Member/Member events both players DO NOT have to be eligible in order to play from the Black/White tees. Las Vegas tournament is the exception (both players must be eligible).

2021 Tournament Schedule

April

April 17

Presidential Kickoff

May

May 1

Inter-Club Qualifier #1

May 4

Men's League Start Date (16 weeks)

May 6

Ladies' League Start Date (14 weeks)

May 8

Whitinsville Cup Qualifier (Top 16 Individual Match Play)

May 12

Mixed Scotch

May 15

Spring Tournament

May 19

Member-Guest

May 22

Ross Cup Qualifier (Top 8 Teams of 2 Match Play)

May 23

Mixed Scotch

May 29-30

Memorial Day Weekend Tournament

June

June 5-6

Las Vegas Member/Member Tournament

June 9

Member/Guest #1

June 12

Inter-Club Qualifier #2

June 13

Mixed Scotch

June 17

Ladies Member-Guest

June 19-20

Carr Cup

June 23

Member-Guest #2

June 26

Club Championship Qualifier (Low 16 Qualify for Match Play)

June 27

Club Championship Round 1 Matches or Qualifier Rain Date

June 30

Mixed Scotch

July

July 4

Firecracker Classic

July 7

Women's Club Championship

July 10

Buckle Up I + Inter Club Qualifier #3

July 11

Mixed Scotch

July 14

Member-Guest

July 17-18

Club Championship Round 2 + Finals (36 Holes)

July 21

Junior Club Championship

July 28

Mixed Scotch

August

August 5

Member-Guest

August 7

Inter-Club Qualifier #4

August 8

Mixed Scotch

August 13-15

The Whitinsville Men's Invitational

August 20-22

Parent Child

August 29

Mixed Scotch

September

September 4-5

Labor Day Four-Ball

September 8

Mixed Scotch

September 11

Shoot-Out Finals

September 15

Member-Guest

September 18

Fall Tournament

September 19

Mixed Scotch

September 25-26

Senior Club Championship

October

October 9

Buckle Up II

October 13

Member-Guest

October 10

Mixed Scotch

October 16

Member Appreciation Day

October 17

Inter-Club Hosting Milton-Hoosic

October 27

Mixed Scotch

October 30

Turkey Shoot

Tournament: Presidential Kickoff
Date: April 17 (make-up date: April 18)
Time: 10:00 AM Shotgun
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime (Cutoff for signups are Wednesday at 7:00 PM)
Entry Fee: \$15 charged to member account.
Eligible Players: All members are eligible for this event.
Format: ABCD teams, Shamble Style event, blind draw for teams. If the field is greater than 60 players, the format will be scramble. 80% HCP with a max of 1 stroke on par three's. Senior tees allowed.

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Tournament: May Member/Guest
Date: May 19 (Wednesday)
Time: 12:00 PM shotgun with 11:00 AM lunch buffet (16 foursomes will fill this event)
Sign-Up Dates: After April 15
Cost: \$TBD per foursome, charged to member account. (Includes Food, Prizes, Carts)
Eligible Players: Full Members, Senior Single, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal.
Social members will be allowed to sign up for the event 1 week prior to the closing date, if spots are available.
Format: Format is one best ball of the foursome, gross and net prizes, 80% handicap. A member may bring 1 or 3 guests. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of any event. Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.

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Tournament: Spring Tournament
Date: May 15
Time: 7:00 a.m.- 9:00 am Tee-Times or 8:30 SG if the field is more than 64 players.
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime (cutoff for signups is Wednesday at 7pm.)
Entry Fee: \$15 charged to account
Eligible Players: Full Members, Executive, Junior Executive, Legacy.
Format: All net event, with the field split into two equal divisions. The low net score from either division will be declared the overall champion. There will be equal prizes in each division as well. Pairings and tee times will be assigned. Senior tees allowed. This events score will be put in the handicap system as a tournament score.

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Tournament: Memorial Day
Date: May 29- 30 (Saturday and Sunday)
Time: 7:00 a.m.- 9:00 a.m. Tee-times or 8:30 SG if the field is more than 64 players.
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime (cutoff for signups is Wednesday at 7pm)
Cost: \$25 per player charged to account.
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Legacy
Format: Team of 2 pick your partner. Day 1 Best Ball, Day 2 Team Quota. Flighted event: Championship Flight plays at scratch all other flights play at net. Pairings and tee times will be assigned. Senior tees allowed.

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Tournament: Las Vegas Member/Member Tournament
Date: June 5-6 (Saturday and Sunday)
Time: 7:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m. Tee-Times or 8:30 SG if the field is more than 64 players.
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime (cutoff for signups is Wednesday at 7pm)
Entry Fee: \$50 per person charged to account. Calcutta option available, \$200 per person (CASH ONLY).
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Legacy.
Format: Two player better ball event, pick your partner. Gross and net divisions for Las Vegas portion, net divisions only for Calcutta. Tee times and pairings will be assigned. Senior tees allowed. Senior Division applies only to the Member/Member portion. All teams playing in the Calcutta will play from white/blue tees only.

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Tournament: June Member/Guest #1
Date: June 9 (Wednesday)
Time: 12:00 PM shotgun with 11:00 AM lunch buffet (16 groups will fill this event)
Sign-Up Dates: After May 12
Cost: \$TBD per foursome, charged to member account.
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal, Legacy.
Social members will be allowed to sign up for the event 1 week prior to the closing date, if spots are available.
Format: Format is one best ball of the foursome, gross and net prizes, 80% handicap. A member may bring 1 or 3 guests. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of any event. Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.

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Tournament: June Member/Guest #2
Date: June 23 (Wednesday)
Time: 12:00 PM shotgun with 11:00 AM lunch buffet (16 groups will fill this event)
Sign-Up Dates: After May 19
Cost: \$TBD per foursome, charged to member account (Includes, Food, Prizes, Carts)
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal, Legacy.
Social members will be allowed to sign up for the event 1 week prior to the closing date, if spots are available.
Format: Format is one best ball of the foursome, gross and net prizes, 80% handicap. A member may bring 1 or 3 guests. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of any event. Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.
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Tournament: Carr Cup
Date: June 19- 20 (Saturday and Sunday)
Time: 7:00 AM -9:00 AM Tee-Times or 8:30 a.m. SG if the field is more than 64 players.
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime
Entry Fee: \$25 charged to account
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Legacy.
Format: Two player teams, pick your own partner or sign-up as a single and a partner will be provided if available. First 9 holes shamble better ball, second 9 holes best ball, third 9 holes alternate shot, last 9 holes aggregate. Gross and net prizes. Pairings and tee times will be assigned. Senior tees allowed. Overall Low Net score from either Division is considered the overall Champion, there is also a Gross Champion.
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Tournament: Firecracker Classic
Date: July 4 (Sunday)
Time: 8:00 AM shotgun
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime
Entry Fee: \$15 charged to account.
Eligible Players: Open to all members
Format: ABCD Teams Shamble style event, blind draw for teams. If the field size is greater than 60 players, the format will be scramble. 80% handicap with a max 1 stroke on par 3's. Senior tees allowed.
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Tournament: Buckle Up
Date: July 10 (Saturday)
Time: 1:00 PM shotgun
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime
Entry Fee: \$75 per person (cash, \$25 to charitable program); Guest Fees NOT included.
Eligible Players: Full, executive, Jr. Executive, and Legacy (Guest must have a GHIN)
Format: Two player teams, pick your own partner or sign-up as a single and a partner will be provided. A combined handicap of 8 or more at time of sign-up is required. Maximum Handicap Differential of 15 strokes between partners. Aggregate gross/net scores per hole for skins. Only 1 stroke maximum on all par 3's. Maximum of 64 players fill the field. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of event. Senior tees allowed.

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Tournament: July Member/Guest
Date: July 14 (Wednesday)
Time: 12:00 PM shotgun with 11:00 AM lunch buffet (16 groups will fill this event)
Sign-Up Dates: After June 17
Cost: \$TBD per foursome, charged to member account. (Includes Food, Prizes , Carts)
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal, Legacy.
Social members will be allowed to sign up for the event 1 week prior to the closing date, if spots are available.
Format: Format is two best balls of the foursome, gross and net prizes, 80% handicap. A member may bring 1 or 3 guests. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of event. Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.

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Tournament: Club Championship
Date: June 26 Qualifier (Low 16 Qualify for Match Play)
Time: 7:00 AM – 9:00 AM
Sign up dates: Anytime
Entry Fee: \$25 Charged to account
Eligible Players: All Members
Format: Match Play, all play from the white/blue tees.

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Tournament: August Member/Guest
Date: August 5 (Wednesday)
Time: 12:00 PM shotgun with 11:00 AM lunch buffet (16 groups will fill this event)
Sign-up dates: After July 7
Cost: \$TBD per foursome, charged to member account. (Includes, Food, Prizes, Carts)
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal, Legacy.
Social members will be allowed to sign up for the event 1 week prior to the closing date, if spots are available.
Format: Format is two best balls of the foursome, gross and net prizes, 80% handicap. A member may bring 1 or 3 guests. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of event. Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.

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Tournament: The Whitinsville Men's Invitational
Date: August 13-15 (Friday, Saturday, Sunday)
Time: Tournament information packet will be provided prior to the event. This packet will tell you the divisions and times for all your matches.
Sign-Up Dates: After June 16
Cost: TBD (\$150 deposit due at sign up, non-refundable unless a replacement team is available). Final payment due August 1.
Eligible Players: Full, Junior Executive, Executive, Legacy (women have a separate invitational), first priority to sign up then the following classifications will be allowed to sign up: Weekday, Seasonal, and Social
Format: Member with one male guest (women have a separate invitational), match play event with flights determined by combined indexes. All guests must have a verifiable GHIN handicap with a minimum of 10 scores posted in 2019. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of event. Guests without a GHIN will play to a 0 handicap. Maximum of 12 shot handicap differential allowed between partners. You can have a higher handicap but only twelve shots above the lowest HCP golfer will be allowed. Senior & Super Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.

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Tournament: Shootout Finals

Date: September 11 (Saturday) **Last Day to qualify is Friday September 3**

Time: 2:00 PM with the Gross division teeing off first

Sign-Up dates: **Shootout qualifying includes play on Friday, Saturday and Sunday and all cards must be attested by a scorer and the competitor.** Note: Players must keep a separate card to turn into the golf shop.

Entry Fee: \$5.00 entry...every time you want to qualify (charged to account)

Eligible Players: Full Member, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal, Legacy.

Format: All qualifiers from each division tee off on the first hole, and one person is eliminated after each hole until one player remains. Gross division tees off first followed by the net division. Net division will play with handicaps. Course closed at 2:00 PM. Members and guests are invited to witness this exciting event. Senior tees allowed.

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Tournament: Labor Day Tournament

Date: September 4-5 (Saturday, Sunday)

Time: 7:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m. Tee-Times or 8:30 SG if the field is more than 64 players.

Sign-Up Dates: Anytime

Entry Fee: \$25 per player charged to account

Eligible Players: Full, Junior Executive, Executive, Legacy.

Format: Team of 2 Scramble day 1, day 2 team Best Ball. Flighted event: Championship Flight plays at scratch all other flights will be net. Pairings and tee times will be assigned. Senior tees allowed.

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Tournament: September Member/Guest

Date: September 15 (Wednesday)

Time: 12:00 PM Shotgun with 11:00 AM lunch buffet (16 groups will fill this event)

Sign-Up Dates: After August 18

Cost: \$TBD per foursome, charged to member account. (Includes Food, Prizes, Carts)

Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal, Legacy.
Social members will be allowed to sign up for the event 1 week prior to the closing date, if spots are available.

Format: Format is one best balls of the foursome, gross and net prizes, 80% handicap. A member may bring 1 or 3 guests. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of event. Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.

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Tournament: Fall Tournament
Date: September 18
Time: 7:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m. Tee-Times or 8:30 SG if the field is more than 64 players
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime
Entry Fee: \$15 charged to account
Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Legacy.
Format: Individual quota with -1 for a triple bogey or higher subtracted from your total score. Tee times and pairings will be assigned. Senior tees allowed. This event's score will be put in the handicap system as a tournament score.

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Tournament: Senior Club Championship
Date: September 25-26
Time: 7:30 a.m.- 9:30 a.m. Tee-Times
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime
Entry Fee: \$25 charged to account
Eligible Players: All members (50 years of age and over)
Format: Senior and Super Senior division with gross and net prizes. Low gross score is declared overall senior club champion, this winner must play from white/blue tees. Pairings and tee times assigned. Senior tees allowed. Senior Division applies.

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Tournament: Buckle Up 2
Date: October 9
Time: 1:00 PM Shotgun
Sign-Up Dates: Anytime
Entry Fee: \$75 per person (cash, \$25 to charitable program); Guest Green Fees NOT Included.
Eligible Players: Open to Full, Executive, Jr. Executive, and Legacy (Guest must have a GHIN)
Format: Two player teams, pick your own partner or sign-up as a single and a partner will be provided. A combined handicap of 8 or more at time of sign-up is required. Maximum Handicap Differential of 15 strokes between partners. Aggregate gross/net scores per hole for skins. Only 1 stroke maximum on all par 3's. Maximum of 64 players fill the field. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of event. Senior tees allowed.

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Tournament: October Member/Guest

Date: October 13 (Wednesday)

Time: 11:30 AM shotgun with 10:45 AM lunch buffet (16 groups fill this event).

Sign-Up Dates: After September 9

Cost: \$TBD per foursome, charged to member account. (Includes, Food, Prizes, Carts)

Eligible Players: Full Members, Junior Executive, Executive, Seasonal, Legacy.
Social members will be allowed to sign up for the event 1 week prior to the closing date, if spots are available.

Format: Format is one best ball of the foursome, gross and net prizes, 80% handicap. A member may bring 1 or 3 guests. Guest handicaps may be subject to review and adjustment by the Pro before start of any event. Senior tees allowed for those who qualify.

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Tournament: Member's Appreciation Day

Date: October 16

Time: 9:30 AM shotgun

Sign-Up Dates: Anytime

Cost: TBD

Eligible Players: All Members

Format: ABCD Teams Shamble Style event, blind draw for teams. If field size is greater than 60 players, format will be a scramble. 80% HCP, with a max 1 stroke on par 3's. Senior tees allowed.

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Tournament: Turkey Shoot

Date: October 30

Time: 10:00 A.m. Shotgun

Entry Fee: \$15

Eligible Players: All Members

Format: Scramble-Make Your Own Teams

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Tournament: Whitinsville Cup
Date: May 8
Time: All Day
Sign-Up Date: Day of Play
Entry Fee: \$15
Eligible Players: Full Members, Executive, Junior Executive, Legacy
Format: Top 16 Low Net scores from qualifying will be seeded into a Match Play event. Once the bracket has been established each match will have 3 weeks to play Their match. If a match cannot be played by the determined date a winner will Be chosen by the end of the set deadline by which ever means deemed Acceptable by the competitors. There will be no postponements of matches.

Tournament: Ross Cup
Date: May 22
Time: All Day
Sign-Up Date: Day of Play
Entry Fee: \$25 each Player
Eligible Players: Full Members, Executive, Junior Executive, Legacy
Format: Top 8 Low Net teams from qualifying will be seeded into a Team of 2 Match Play event. Once the bracket has been established matches will have 4 weeks To complete each match. If a match cannot be played by the determined date A winner will be chosen by the end of the set deadline by which ever means Deemed acceptable by the competitors. There will be no postponements of Matches.

Tournament : Junior Club Championship
Date: July 21
Time: 1:00 Tee-Times
Sign-Up Date: June 15
Entry Fee: TBD
Eligible Players: All members children 17 and under.
Format: 18 or 9 Hole stroke play based on age.

Tournament: Women's Club Championship
Date: July 7
Time: 9:00 a.m. Tee-Times
Sign-Up Date: June 7
Entry Fee: \$15
Eligible Players: All Women Members
Format: 18 Holes Stroke Play Gross + Net Prizes

2021 Golf Committee

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Member input on tournaments is extremely valuable. Please let us know if you have any questions, comments, or concerns.

****The Tournament Committee has the option to make any changes to tournaments that they see fit in order to make the event fair and equitable for all golfers****