

PACE OF PLAY:

- **One of the Most Visited Topic of Golf Committee and its Guests!**
All golfers paid to play, and ALL golfers deserve pace of play to be as efficient as possible, so everyone enjoys the round!
- Our Golf Courses are considered “READY PLAY” ---i.e., no need to rush, but don’t waste time!
- Start smart: know your tee time and hole assignment, get there minimum of 15 minutes ahead, to pair up , so we can go on time.

Expedite Your Hit:

- Strive for having 20 seconds to execute your hit. This includes measuring the distance, selecting your club, doing your Pre-Shot Routine with 1(one) practice swing, and executing your hit.

What is Correct position on the Course?

- Immediately behind the group in front of you, NOT immediately in front of the group behind you
- Be ready to hit your shot before the group in front of you leaves
- If unable to stay up with group in front of you, and gap grows, then invite group behind you to play through or skip a hole so you catch up

WHAT do we each NEED to do for pace of play and enjoyment of all our members?

- When you get to the tee box, be ready with glove, ball, tee, and club
- Whoever is ready, tee off first, (Honors are nice if it was a birdie and the person is ready)
- Shorter distance hitters should hit when not a threat of hitting into group in front of you
- Follow flight of tee shots of all players to assist with finding balls
- Don’t start/continue conversations at tee box when fairway is open in front of you, save your stories for later or when time
- Don’t camp out in the cart while your partner is playing. Grab a club or two and make your way to your ball, figure your yardage, and hit when the coast is clear
- Take only one practice swing

- If in a cart, grab a few clubs and walk to your ball if possible, so you are ready to hit when it is your turn
- If walking , walk directly to your ball so you are ready
- If someone has a lost ball , hit your ball first then go help look
- Putt while someone else is raking a bunker
- You can putt out instead of all continuing to mark your ball
- Consider double par as max score! (We all have those moments when it is not our hole!)
- When done with hole move to cart, put away clubs quickly and ALWAYS score on the next hole

What else....

- Don't wait for the dawdler in your group, play your speed, no one wants left behind they will pick it up.
- Trust the other guy's range finder if he gave you the number!
- Save the jokes and stories for the right time, you can easily hold up play
- You don't have to be a good player to play fast, follow these tips and you will easily keep up
- Play as if you only have 3 hours to finish due to darkness, you most likely will focus on your game, not over think, and keep moving!
- If you cannot consistently reach a par 4 in regulation, consider moving to a different set of tees. You will have more fun reaching the green!

Thank you from the Golf Committee and the Pro Shops for doing your part in helping us improve Pace of Play for everyone!