

TNL'ers,

Welcome to the 2024 Thursday Night League (TNL)! The season starts Thursday, May 2nd at 4:30pm. We will add players to the Tee Sheet on ForeTees every Monday throughout the season. Below is information on the league and the schedule is attached with this email. If you have any questions or concerns, please let the Golf Shop know.

Format

- Season long 2-man teams play 9-hole matches. 2-man best ball 1 point per hole, 1 point for match win
- A team will consist of two players. A third regular member may be carried on the team roster. Any team member may play as a substitute in any match except in a match against his own team.
- A playing team shall consist of two regular members or a regular member and a substitute. **NO TEAM CAN PLAY WITH TWO SUBSTITUTES.**
- If your third player or substitute is playing, the golf shop needs to know no later than **NOON** the day of league. (Monetary Penalties Enforced)

Flights

- 5 Divisions of 14 Teams Each - 70 Teams / 140+ Players
- Each Team will have 3 Bye Weeks of the 16-week season
 - **Flight 1 Bye Weeks** / Week 5 May 30th, Week 10 July 11th, Week 15 August 29th
 - **Flight 2 Bye Weeks** / Week 1 May 2nd, Week 6 June 6th, Week 11 July 18th
 - **Flight 3 Bye Weeks** / Week 2 May 9th, Week 7 June 13th, Week 12 August 1st
 - **Flight 4 Bye Weeks** / Week 3 May 16th, Week 8 June 20th, Week 13 August 8th
 - **Flight 5 Bye Weeks** / Week 4 June 23rd, Week 9 July 27th, Week 14 August 22nd

Cost

- \$350 per Team (2 Man Team) & \$375 per Team (3 Man Team)

Sessions / Overall Winners

- Payout to Three Sessions Top 4 & Overall Flight Winners

Tees

- All matches will play from the BLUE or WHITE tees. **Teams must play the same set of tees.**

Scorecards and Posting

No scorecards will be printed. Each team will be responsible for Golf Genius (GG). You can find strokes for each match on GG. Regular Ptarmigan scorecards can be used to confirm scores enter into GG. **FOLLOWING THE ROUND, ONE PLAYER FROM EACH TEAM MUST COMPARE SCORES ENTERED INTO GG. SCORES ARE FINAL ONCE WE COMPLETE THE ROUND ON GG. GOLF SHOP WILL POST SCORES EACH WEEK.**

Shotgun Start

- All matches will be played Thursday nights with a shotgun starting time of **4:30** on both Front and Back 9's. We must tee off on time even though all players are not present. Slow play is aided by tardiness. Players shall tee off playing "READY GOLF". If league is playing slow, have the shorter hitters' tee-off first to speed up play. NO A or B groups, first to tee begins play.

Game of the Week - Skins

- Each week we will offer an optional skins game for \$10/man.

Handicap

- All players must carry a current GHIN handicap.
- Ptarmigan Course Handicap will be in effect.
- Matches wheel off the low player. The max handicap difference between partners is 10 strokes, reducing Higher Handicap.
- For posting purposes, we ask that the players remember to use Max Net Double Bogey.

Rules

- USGA RULES govern all play. If a rules violation occurs, it is the responsibility of the player and the group to discuss the violation. If the group is unable to determine the correct ruling, play 2 golf balls.

Rainouts\Rescheduling

- The PMGA BOARD and GOLF SHOP will be the final decision makers to determine whether all league matches are to be canceled due to inclement weather and for rescheduling. This decision will be made no later than 3:00 pm on league night and teams will be notified via email if matches are canceled. If all teams do not complete 9 holes due to weather/darkness, no points will be awarded for that week's matches to any team.

Make-up Matches

- If a team is unable to play on league night, it is the responsibility of the team with the conflict to contact the other team and schedule a time to play prior to the following week matches. If a player knows in advance that he will be out of town on league night, it is his responsibility to contact his partner and his opponents to reschedule. Matches can be played prior to or after the scheduled league night, **but MUST be completed before the end of that session.**

Substitutes

- Any Ptarmigan golf member that carries a current handicap is welcome to be a sub in this league. If a player is already on a team but he is not scheduled to play during the time of the match, that player is an eligible sub. Substitutes are not regular team members, do not pay league fees and are therefore ineligible to win prizes other than the “game of the day”. A substitute in the league championship must have at least 6 recorded league scores to be eligible to play. The Sub list can be found on Ptarmigan CC Website in the “Men’s Club” section.

Absent Team Member

- If one member of a team is absent and there is no substitute, the player in attendance will play against the other team as the “A” player.

Forfeits/Disputes

- If one team forfeits, and neither member can attend TNL for their scheduled match, the other team must play against par. If they can reschedule the match to be played before the end of that particular session, the score against par will be vacated, and the score of the actual match will be recorded.
- If there is a dispute between two teams as to the actual outcome of a match, it must be brought to the attention of The Committee before the next week’s TNL. If it is not done so by then, the results as shown in GolfGenius will stand.

Weekly Results

- Every Friday, the Golf Shop will post league night results and standings on the GolfGenius TNL PORTAL. If a team has a make-up match, we will post a To Be Determined (TBD) on the results sheet until end of session.

Session Tie-Breakers

- If there is a tie between any of the top 4 teams, it will be determined by your head-to-head match. If for some reason, we had a rainout, or you didn’t end up playing each other we will determine the winner by the lowest front 9 and back 9 scores combined throughout the session or season.

TNL Playoffs

- The Overall Five Flight winners will make it to the 2024 TNL Overall Championship. On Week 17 (September 12th) the other 65 teams will play in an Ultimate Match Play event to determine a Wild Card Winner to compete in the Overall Championship which will be played the following week, (September 19th). Any ties for the Wild Card winner will participate in a chip-off to determine the final participant. The 2024 TNL Overall Champion will be determined by Ultimate Match Play as well.

Thanks to everyone for participating and making the 2024 Thursday Night League such a great event. Play well and HAVE FUN!!!

Ptarmigan Professional Golf Staff