

Skaha Meadows Golf Course
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Skaha Meadows Golf Course – Information package for your tournament or event.

We suggest that you print this 2 page printer friendly information package along with the tournament contract, and keep this for future review and to help with your planning.

Thank you for your interest in having your golf tournament event at Skaha Meadows. Our goal is to provide a friendly, cozy atmosphere with the emphasis on service and quality.

On behalf of the entire Skaha Meadows staff, we look forward to assisting and serving your event needs. Should you have any questions, concerns or suggestions please feel free to contact us.

Special Events and Tournament Planning

This summary is prepared as a guide to assist individuals in charge of golf tournaments or events planning. It may give you ideas on special events that you may want to include for your group.

9-Hole or 18-Hole Scratch Stroke Play Tournament

In a scratch play tournament, no handicap is used. The lowest score wins the event. This type of tournament is usually reserved for par or near par golfers. Competition may be on an individual basis, or you play as two, three, or four man teams.

9-Hole or 18-Hole Handicap Tournament

This type of event enables golfers of varying abilities to compete on an even basis. This event may utilize USGA handicaps if all participants have a current USGA handicap. The Peoria System (or Calloway System) may be used for non-handicapped players to determine winners.

Scramble

A tournament and/or format of golf play. All golfers hit the ball, starting at the tee. The best ball is picked after each shot, and everyone picks their ball up and hits from the spot as the best ball. The process starts all over again until the ball is putted out. Score is counted using one stroke for each best ball. This format is good for beginners, as it alleviates the pressure of playing with better players.

Closest to the Pin on a Par Three Hole

The golfer in the first group who is closest to the pin on the selected hole(s) writes his/her name on the tag and puts the marker where the shot came to rest. If following groups have an individual whose tee shot comes closer to the hole, he/she writes name on the tag under the previous names and places marker where his/her ball came to rest. The last name on the marker is the winner. A special prize may be awarded for this event.

Longest Drive

In this event the golfer in the first group who has the longest drive on the selected hole(s) writes his/her name on the tag and puts the marker where the shot came to rest. If following groups have an individual who has a longer drive, he/she writes name on the tag under the previous names and places marker where his/her ball came to rest. The last name on the marker is the winner. A special prize may be awarded for this event.

Longest Putt

In this event the golfer in the first group who's putt is the longest of all putts in his/her group on the selected hole(s) writes his/her name on the tag and puts the marker where the putt was shot from. If following groups have an individual who has a longer putt, he/she writes name on the tag under the previous names and places marker where his/her ball was putted from. The last name on the marker is the winner. A special prize may be awarded for this event.

Skins

A skin is when you get a birdie on a hole, if more than one birdie is made on the same hole, then the hole is halved and no skin is awarded for that hole. A skin is won by being the only one to get a birdie on a hole. An extra fee can be charged if golfers wish to participate in skins and then divided among the skin winners.

Putting Contest

A putting contest is a fun way to finish off your golf tournament. The golf course would set up a three hole-putting course on the practice green. You can charge for every try (winner taking the pot) or just give everyone a certain amount of tries. Goal is to complete the putting course in the least amount of putts.

Policies and Procedures	
Keeping Pace	Special events often comprise a complete cross-section of golfers. Each foursome must maintain its tee time interval by keeping pace with the group ahead. We expect all foursomes to complete 9 holes in maximum 2 hours.
Rain Policy	Tournaments go rain or shine, unless the course is ruled too wet. Event will be rescheduled if course is closed; if rescheduling is impossible, a complete refund will be made.
Arrival Procedures	Groups are requested to arrive at least 30 minutes before their tee time. Please provide a copy of your tee times to the Pro Shop.
Food and Beverage	No person or group is allowed to bring coolers or beverages from off the premises. All beverages must be purchased from the golf course.
Attire	Players are expected to wear appropriate attire. Shirts must be worn at all times. Proper footwear is soft spiked golf shoes, runners or flat-soles shoes. We reserve the right to restrict boots, cleats and heels.
Etiquette	Players should replace divots and repair ball marks.
Event Contests	The course will accommodate your special event's contests (closest to the hole, longest drive, etc.) and set up the putting course.
Golf Prizes	The golf course will offer a 15% discount for any merchandise purchased from the Pro Shop.