



“TIN CUP” Golf League -- 2019

HOSTED BY NOBLE HAWK GOLF LINKS



**Sponsored by SHEPHERD'S CHEVROLET, BUICK, GMC
Kendallville, IN**

League Rules, Format, and Information

I. ENTRY FEE

The Entry Fee is \$60 per player.

*Every participant will receive a prize/award/gift at the conclusion of the league season.

*The winner of the season-end “Tin Cup Match Play Tournament of Champions” will be immortalized by having their names etched onto the Tin Cup Trophy which will be forever displayed in the Noble Hawk Club House.

II. LEAGUE GOLF FEES

Those who are not members of Noble Hawk shall pay \$16 per nine holes played and \$32 for eighteen holes rounds. These fees are the lowest offered at Noble Hawk for any group or league and **apply any day or time of day throughout the season, league round or not.** This special league fee shall

be in effect as soon as the entry fee is paid and may be used for rounds played prior to the official start of league and will continue through September/October after the league season ends in August.

III. LEAGUE SCHEDULE

The Tin Cup League shall start the week of May 12-18 and continue for 14 consecutive weeks concluding the week of August 18-24. Sunday is considered the first day of league each week. The league will alternate playing the front nine and back nine from week to week. Odd weeks will play the front nine and even weeks play the back nine. Tee times are required and please indicate at time of reservation which 9 you need to play.

Teams may play league rounds “ahead” up to 2 weeks and 1 additional point will be awarded to the rounds played ON TIME. You may make-up a league round once the week has passed, however you will not receive the extra points for playing on time. If, for some reason out of your control, you may play the following week and then make-up the original week one week late without penalty.

IV. LEAGUE FORMAT/SCORING/RULES

1. The Tin Cup league is open to men and women of any skill level. Minimum age 18.

2. **Format & Tees:** The format is 2 person team Scramble. Each player hits a tee shot. The best is selected and each player hits a shot from that point. This format is repeated until the ball is holed. Through the green, the ball may be moved up to 1 club-length no nearer the hole. On the putting surface the ball may be moved up to 4 inches no nearer the hole. At no time may the ball be moved from rough to fairway or onto the fringe of the green, from fringe to green, or from a hazard.

Each participant may play the tee of choice with the requirement that he/she play from the same tee the entire league season. **YELLOW TEES – LIMITED TO MALE PARTICIPANTS AGE 60+**

3. **Special Rules of Golf (local rules):**

- a. You may rake and place when playing out of sand.
- b. Out of Bounds, all water features, natural areas, tall grass, and wooded areas shall be played as a Lateral Hazard with one penalty stroke assessed.
- c. Maximum Score Per Hole: The max score any team may record on any hole is **TRIPLE BOGEY** (3 over par).

4. **League Scoring Average:** Each team shall have a scoring average. The team’s scoring average shall be the average of the most recent 3 scores. This Scoring Average will be used to determine hole by hole net score for the team and ultimately points awarded per hole and for the round.

5. **Scoring System:** Stableford System utilizing net score per hole as determined by League Average and indicated upon Official Score Card.

EAGLE:	4 points
BIRDIE:	3 points
PAR:	2 points

BOGEY OR WORSE: 1 point
PLAY ON TIME: 1 Point

6. Substitutions: Subs are not allowed. However, should a regular league player become injured to the extent he/she cannot play golf, or move out of the area, a permanent sub shall be allowed.

7. Flights: The Tin Cup League shall be evenly divided into flights utilizing scoring average after the first 4 weeks of league play. Once flights are established they are set for the year.

8. Official Score Card: Each team will be required to utilize an "Official Card" for each league round. This Card will be provided by the Pro Shop Staff at the time of play and will include player names, date, league week, & flight. This card will be returned to the Pro Shop upon completion of the round. *It is recommended that you keep a copy of each of your score cards (photo on phone, etc) in the event of a discrepancy in scoring or duplicate cards.*

9. Weekly Mulligan: Each player may purchase one Mulligan per week for \$1. This Mulligan may be used to replay one poor shot at any time during the round. Limit one Mulligan per player to replay one shot per league round. The money raised through the sale of Mulligans will be put into the Year-End Prize Fund.

V. LEAGUE RESULTS

Weekly league results will be posted to Noble Hawk's web site (www.noblehawk.com), and available in the Pro Shop. Typically league results/standings are calculated and made available by Friday following a league week.

VI. SEASON-END MATCH PLAY TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONSHIPS

At the conclusion of the 14 week league season, and prior to the Year-End Banquet/Awards/Scramble, the top two teams (and ties) in each flight, and the defending champions (2018) are invited to participate in a head-to-head match play tournament to determine the 2019 Overall Tin Cup League Champion. Skins for this event shall cost \$5 each. The winner of the Tournament of Champions shall have their names engraved upon the Tin Cup Trophy.

VI. "NOT SO SWEET 32" TOURNAMENT

Teams who have not qualified for the Tournament of Champions may voluntarily sign-up for this event. Field limited to the first 32 teams to enter. The entry fee shall be \$25 per player and prizes will be awarded in the form of Pro Shop Credit to the top 8 place finishers. See attached Rules/Format Sheet specifically for this tournament.

VII. THE TIN CUP YEAR-END EXTRAVAGANZA GOLF OUTING (9 Holes) Sunday September 22 3:00pm Shotgun Start

Open to all league participants. Nine hole scramble with two teams paired together to form a 4 person team. There will be a Buffet Meal and Awards/Prize Ceremony following golf.

League participants unable to attend the Year-End Outing will receive \$20 in Pro Shop Credit.

YOU MUST SIGN-UP FOR THIS EVENT WHICH IS LIMITED TO THE FIRST 70 TEAMS TO SIGN-UP.
The Sign-Up Sheet will be made available in the Pro Shop AUGUST 1, 2019.

Up to \$7,000 in prizes and gifts will be distributed to participants at this event.