



Millcroft Golf Club

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2022 FALL / 2023 WINTER NEWSLETTER

Thank you everyone for a great golf season!



FROM THE MANAGEMENT TEAM AT MILLCROFT GOLF CLUB

Dear Members,

Thank you everyone for a great 2023 golf season. It was a great year all around and we thank everyone for their business this season. Our last day of the season was Sunday, November 19th and we made use of the weather by day's end to get our golf cart fleet tucked away into storage the same day. It was a very productive day out on the course and behind the scenes!

As we look towards our 2024 golf season, the most important top question on everyone's mind is "will there be any changes to the golf course?" Aside from the possible tee levelling, some planting of trees, as well as general maintenance and repair, the answer is "NO". For the most part, the golf course will remain the same as it was in 2023.

For the 2024 golf season, we will be offering game package memberships once again along with our Associate Membership. We will continue to offer League Play for members only, and will offer a Senior Men's League, a Ladies League, a Men's League and a Mixed League. For 2024, Members' privileges will include: up to (14) day advance booking, the Golf Canada fee for their scoring & other benefits (\$47.50 value), special member cart rates (\$17.70+tax pp), and playing privileges at Mount Nemo Golf Club on Mondays & Tuesdays after 11am, space permitting. An annual Food & Beverage minimum is automatically included in your membership purchases and the amount will vary based on the game pkg. purchased.

FROM THE MANAGEMENT TEAM AT MILLCROFT GOLF CLUB CONT.

When signing up for your 2024 membership, via our Online Store on our website, all the various components that you would add are available and listed. You would first add your game package, which includes your annual Food & Beverage minimum, your league fee if you wish to play, and a prepaid power cart package if you like to ride and have them prepaid in advance for a speedier check-in with the pro shop.

During the winter months the administration office will generally be open Monday to Friday from 10am to 4pm (weather/vacation pending). If you have an inquiry, best way to reach us is via email and we will get back to you just as soon as we can.

We will be sure to keep in contact with you through the winter. Until then, have a healthy, safe and happy holiday season and we wish you all a very Happy New Year!

Sincerely,

The Management Team of Millcroft Golf Club

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A VERY BIG THANKS TO ALL OF OUR DEDICATED STAFF THIS YEAR!!! WE APPRECIATE YOU BEING ON BOARD WITH US AND ALL THE HARD WORK YOU CONTRIBUTED! WE HOPE TO SEE MANY OF OUR SAME FACES RETURNING FOR THE 2024 SEASON!

THANK YOU ALSO TO ALL OF OUR MANY MEMBERS & STAFF WHO ASSISTED IN THE OPERATION OF OUR LEAGUES FOR OUR MEMBERS THIS SEASON. THE LEAGUES WOULD NOT HAVE OPERATED AS EFFICIENTLY WITHOUT YOU, THANK YOU AGAIN!

THE TUESDAY LADIES

Although the weather did not always cooperate on Tuesdays, we still managed to have lots of fun! Our section dwindled somewhat this season for the first time in years, mostly due to injuries. We hope that the numbers will improve next year. If you have friends who might be interested in trying out Millcroft, bring them out for a trial run! Just let one of our committee members know when you would like to bring a friend for a friendly round of golf.

Many thanks to the following:

- Ed Liptay for keeping the course in great condition
- Jamie and Rick for coordinating our weekly games, collecting money, and keeping us in check!
- Martin and crew for maintaining a well-groomed course.
- Millcroft Catering for putting together some great meals for our special events.

The following ladies received rewards for their accomplishments this year. Congratulations to all!

Most Birdies:

1st place – Deb Jenings 16

2nd place – Lynn Bevan 9

3rd place – Arlene Real 6

Most Chip-ins

1st place – Deb Jenings 6

2nd place – Dianne Kril 3

Eagle

Mabel McAree – 16th hole

Broke 80

Deb Jenings and Lynn Bevan



THE TUESDAY LADIES CONT.

Putting average scores:

Deb Jenings - 31

Lynn Bevan - 31.9

Gail Massey - 32.30 Mabel McAree 32.62 Kim Perrin 32.93

Ringer Board winners and second place

A Flight: - Deb Jenings 64, Lynn Bevan 65

B Flight: - Arlene Real 71, Kim Sunderland, and Marie Kenyon 73

C Flight - Dianne Kril 74, Melanie Harman 81

D Flight - Ruth-Ann Nothof 92, Jen Marshall 97

Some of our current committee members will not be returning next year – Wendy Ross, Marie Kenyon, and Margaret Kostuik. We want to thank them for their hard work and dedication throughout the season. New members have stepped up and we are happy to report we will have a full committee of 9 members for next season. Kim Sunderland will be your new communications coordinator.

Our annual Christmas lunch took place on Tuesday, December 5th at the club and it was nice to see everyone again. The donations we collected for the Burlington Food Bank were greatly appreciated.

Wishing you all a joy-filled holiday season, and a healthy and prosperous New Year. Stay safe, and keep well. See you in the Spring!

Tuesday Ladies League Committee

THE SENIOR MEN

Now that the 2023 Senior Men's Section season has ended, we can look back on another successful year even though Mother Nature did not always cooperate. Thanks to all of you who participated in making this a fun year.

Thank you to all our executive members, Bryan, Kirby, Trevor, Rick, Jim, Murray, Dave, and Jamie. There would be no senior men's league if it wasn't for their hard work. With that in mind we are always looking for more volunteers to help share the workload. Please contact any member of the Executive if you would like to help.

A big thank you to Jennipher Orr for her ongoing support throughout the season. Thank you to Warren and all the Pro Shop staff for their assistance and to Martin and his crew for all of their efforts in maintaining the golf Course. Thanks as well to the Millcroft Catering Staff who provided their usual excellent service during the season.

A special congratulations to our Senior Men's champions:

LOW GROSS:

A Flight: Gregg Krahulec B Flight: Rick Stefiszyn C Flight: Ernie Davis

LOW NET:

A Flight: Russ Drennan B Flight: Fred Sweeney C Flight: Bryce Aitken

Well done gentlemen.

I would like to congratulate the new Dream team of Russ Drennan, Kerry Habberfield, Murray Antrum and Bryce Aitken.

Finally, congratulations to Bryan Muldoon for making his first Hole In One this year.

We are always looking for new members. I would encourage you to ask any one you know to join our section and enjoy the camaraderie of our group.

I wish you all a healthy off season and looking forward to next spring when we tee it up under the leadership of our new captain, Rick Stefiszyn.

Bill Wilson
Senior Men's Captain

THE MENS' LEAGUE

The men's league operated relatively unscathed from bad weather for the 2023 golf season. We closed our season (second day of the Ryder Cup event) on October 4 with a great dinner at the club.

The Wednesday league consisted of some 72 participants this year and the prize money available was great as a result. Weekly prizes for our regular Wednesday scoring, skins and Closest to the PIN contests were very successful. Sponsors included the course pro shop, the course Food and Beverage, and Sparkle Cannabis.

Members were able to participate in 15 regular week games plus 7 tournament events during the season. We also had our Ringer Board and Best Ten Net competitions.

The tournament winners:

Tombstone – Brad Swift and Rick King/Mike Bell and Bart Mazzocato (tied)

Modified Stableford – Michael Daley

Martin's Revenge – Brad Swift

Two Men Better Ball - Paul Dawson and Chris LeBlanc

Ryder Cup – Ted Kindos/Rick King (Red Team Winning Co-Captains) and Eric Philip/Joel Dryburgh (Blue Team Runner-Up (Losing) Co-Captains)

League championships:

Championship Flight – Kerry Barchan

Champion A Flight – Brett Currah

Champion B Flight – Alex Pogacean

Champion C Flight – Rob Sluban

Champion D Flight – Reid Stephens

Match Play – George Robson

Ringer Board – In flight order, Mark Raven, Ryan Waller, Dave Bloomer, Dean Stavro, Bradley Morrison

Best 10 Net Scores– Dave Bloomer

For the first time in several years, no hole in ones were recorded for Men's League play.

THE MENS' LEAGUE CONTINUED

The league had tremendous support from the pro shop and administration office (Warren Moon and Jennipher Orr respectively), Millcroft Catering (F&B department), and many members who took on various roles. In no particular order, many thanks to Brad Swift, Rick King, Eric Philip, Joel Dryburgh, Ted Kindos, Boyd Hamblin, Dean Stavro and Reid Stephens. I apologize if I missed any names. It was not intentional.

Dave Bloomer (as always) was very helpful in many areas.

Many thanks to the men's league assistant captains George Robson and Mark Raven, who made the year possible with their great support and contribution of their time.

As we move into the 2024 season, I will continue as Captain, with my able assistants – George Robson and Mark Raven. Doug Smiley has offered to assist on the 2024 committee.

We are anticipating 2024 to have even more growth and look forward to the 2024 golf season.

All the Best over the holiday season.

On behalf of the 2023 committee,

Barry Wyner
Men's Captain

THE MIXED LEAGUE

It's bittersweet to say goodbye to another terrific summer of golf and friendship in the mixed league. The weather was (usually) perfect, the course in great shape and the golfers lots of fun! We had 21 couples which allowed for a good weekly mix of players, and a wide participation in game prizes and 50/25/25 draws (the proceeds of which funded our closing dinner). Thank you to everyone for your enthusiastic participation!

Appreciation to Jennipher, Warren and Kirstie along with their wonderful support teams for ensuring everything ran so smoothly. And of course, a huge round of applause for Rick and Denise for organizing our very fun closing day and dinner. Every year just seems to get better and better!

We're always looking for new ideas, so if you have any suggestions please don't hesitate to pass them along. Wishing you all a safe and happy winter season, rest up for next year and we'll see you in the spring!

Faye Doerffer & Lynn Bevan