



MISSION STATEMENT

Wakonda Club provides its members and their families with the premier country club experience in Iowa offering outstanding golf, recreation, social and dining offerings that are highly valued and treasured.

VISION STATEMENT

Always exceeding expectations in the Wakonda Way

THE WAKONDA WAY

To always provide a unique and superior private club experience in a friendly and professional way that members highly value as their "home away from home".

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Dear Wakonda Golf Members:

On behalf of the Golf Committee and the Golf Staff, we welcome you to the 2018 golf season at Wakonda Club. We are coming off three consecutive years of records for rounds played and we hope this season continues to provide outstanding playing opportunities, golf conditions, and services offered. There are many wonderful events to look forward to this season, including our majors: Member/Member, Blazer Day, Lone Leaf, Club Championships, and Wakonda Cup.

Whether you are a competitive tournament golfer, a recreational golfer, or someone just beginning to play, we offer events and programs just for you. This 2018 Golf Events Book will give you an overview of the entire golf operation, highlighting all of the events, programs and services that we offer.

Our Golf Staff has again committed to growing the game and showing value to each golf member in 2018. We continue to offer our Four Pillars to Growing the Game as well as offering four complimentary guest passes to each membership for use throughout this season. We sincerely hope that you are able to take advantage of these opportunities and they help you rediscover your love for golf at Wakonda Club.

Have a wonderful 2018 golf season and please do not hesitate to contact the Golf Staff with any questions or feedback you may have.

Fairways & Greens,



Aaron Krueger, PGA
Director of Golf

2018 Golf Committee

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GOLF PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Aaron Krueger, PGA – Director of Golf

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Aaron is beginning his eighth season at Wakonda Club in 2018 and his second as Director of Golf. Aaron is originally from Fulton, Illinois and is a graduate of the University of Iowa, competing on the men's golf team. Aaron worked as an Assistant Professional at Wildcat Run Country Club in Estero, Florida and Sunnyside Country Club in Waterloo, Iowa. In 2007, Aaron completed his apprenticeship and became a Class A Member of the PGA of America. He served as the Head Golf Professional (2008-2010) at Pinnacle Country Club in the Quad Cities prior to coming to Wakonda in 2011. Aaron is currently serving as President of the Iowa PGA Board of Directors and is the 2008 & 2013 Iowa PGA Section Champion. He was recognized as the 2017 Iowa PGA Golf Professional of the Year. In 2014, he competed in the John Deere Classic and the PGA Championship. Aaron and his wife Tonya have one daughter, Lydia.

Grant Feilmann, PGA - Head Golf Professional

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Grant joined Wakonda's professional golf staff in 2014 and became the Head Golf Professional in 2017. Golf has been an integral part of Grant's life since he was 12 years old. In high school, he played on the Marshalltown High School golf team, and was awarded the Herman Sani Scholarship by the Iowa Golf Association. While studying Professional Golf Management at Ferris State University he interned at The Classic at Madden's Resort in Brainerd, Minnesota; TPC Boston in Norton, Massachusetts; and Desert Willow Golf Resort in Palm Desert, California. In December of 2011, Grant graduated from Ferris State with his bachelor's degree in business and was elected into PGA membership. After graduation Grant took a job with Dick's Sporting Goods as PGA Golf Professional where he enjoyed fitting customers for the equipment that best fit their golf games. In 2016, Grant completed his master's degree in Business Administration from Iowa State University and was also awarded the 2016 Iowa PGA Assistant Golf Professional of the Year award.

Sarah Bidney, PGA – Director of Instruction

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In 2015 Sarah joined Wakonda Club. 2018 marks Sarah's 17th year teaching and her 12th as a dedicated PGA Teaching Professional. She is a 2001 graduate of Simpson College and earned her Class A PGA Membership status in early 2006. Sarah has been recognized both locally and nationally for her expertise in teaching accumulating 3 Iowa PGA Teacher of the year awards, an Iowa PGA Youth Player Development award, and 9 National awards. She is one of the few instructors in Iowa with a TrackMan launch monitor and has training in the Wright Balance Fitting system, BioSwing Dynamics, and most recently Vision 54. Sarah loves coaching all ages and ability levels. No matter your goal, Sarah is here to help you achieve it. Sarah resides in Urbandale with her wife Stephanie and their two children, Katelynn and Kyle.



GOLF PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Tyler Christians – Assistant Golf Professional

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Tyler is joining Wakonda for his sixth season. In 2012, Tyler began working at Wakonda in the bag-room. Tyler grew up in Urbandale and developed a passion for the game at age 12. He attended Urbandale High School and actively participated on the varsity golf team and he competed on the bowling and soccer teams. After graduating from UHS in 2011, Tyler attended Grand View University in Des Moines. He studied Sport Management while competing on the golf team. His greatest accomplishment came at the 2014 Kohler Classic when Tyler took home medalist honors at Whistling Straights in Kohler, Wisconsin. During his final year of college, Tyler completed an internship with Wakonda. Upon graduating from Grand View University in 2015, Tyler began the PGA Apprentice Program at Brown Deer Golf Club in Coralville. After completing Level 1 of the program, Tyler returned to Wakonda to continue growing his knowledge of the PGA. Tyler has dreams of coaching a collegiate golf team and also playing in a PGA Tour event. Tyler also has a passion for cars and the belief that he can beat anyone in a game of ping pong.

Daniel Wilson – Assistant Golf Professional

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Daniel was born in Dyersville, Iowa and attended Core Golf Education in Orlando, Florida for College. While in Florida, Daniel worked at Falcons Fire Golf Course in Kissimmee. Daniel returned home to Iowa to work at Wakonda Club, where he spent the past year as an intern learning all of the aspects of the golf operation. Daniel is currently working toward PGA Membership and has just begun Level One of the PGA Golf Professional Training Program. In his free time, Daniel loves golfing, playing basketball and watching Iowa State Cyclone athletics.

HOW WE COMMUNICATE

The golf staff communicates information in many different ways. Join us to receive regular updates from the golf department.

- Email: receive direct email information from the golf shop.
 - To enroll in these special "golf only" email updates, send an email to aaronk@wakondaclub.com
- Wakonda Club's Website: www.wakondaclub.com
- Facebook: @WakondaClub
- Twitter: @WakondaClub and @WakondaGrounds

FOUR PILLARS FOR GROWING THE GAME OF GOLF AT WAKONDA CLUB IN 2018

Pillar #1: Increasing Play - Complimentary Guest Passes

- Providing four Complimentary Guest Passes per golf membership to use at any time throughout the season.
 - Only one Complimentary Guest Pass may be used per visit.
- Weekday Guest Experience Package that bundles Golf, Cart, personalized bag tags, looged ProV1 balls and Food & Beverage Credits for lunch at the 14 Stand.

Pillar #2: Updating Play – Reallocating Handicap Holes & Rerating the Golf Course (see pages 26-27 for more details)

- When posting all member scores in 2017, all scores were posted hole-by-hole instead of by total score.
- This information was recorded and used to reallocate the handicap holes on the golf course for the Men's and Women's Handicaps (previously done in 2012 based on 2011's scoring data).
- The Iowa Golf Association's Course Rating Team came to Wakonda in September, 2017 to rerate the course and slope rating for men and women from all tee boxes.
- Wakonda was last rated in October 2009 following the course renovation.
- These changes have brought needed updates to our handicapping and ratings.
- New scorecards were designed and the ratings and allocations were applied.

Pillar #3: Expanding Play – Pros Play More With Members at Wakonda & Away

- Golf Professionals playing with members more often through regularly scheduled rounds and a commitment to bring members to Pro-Am events.
- Providing unique golf experiences for groups of members of all ages & abilities, male or female at Wakonda.
- Offer a selection of golf trip options to the membership that cover different durations and financial price points.
- Select destinations that appeal to our membership.
 - Possible 2018 Destinations: Kohler and/or Sand Valley in Wisconsin; Streamsong in Florida
 - Planning has begun for a 2019 International Trip to Southwest Ireland
 - August 2018: WWGA Road Trip with the Pros. Aaron & Grant will lead a group of WWGA members for a fun day of golf at Happy Hollow Club in Omaha, NE.

Pillar #4: Improving Play – Comprehensive Instructional Programs & Offerings

- Our Director of Instruction – Sarah Bidney, PGA has created many new programs for juniors, women, and men of all ages and abilities. (see pages 7 & 8)
- New technology such as Sarah Bidney's TrackMan and Aaron Krueger's Bodi-Trak will offer the top level of instruction to the membership.
- BioSwing Dynamic screenings are available with Sarah to fit your swing to your body composition for the most dynamic, consistent, and efficient swing your body is designed to make.

As you can see, there will be a continued focus on growing the game of golf and player development at Wakonda in 2018 that will build from the past three seasons. Please take advantage of these Pillars and utilize our Golf Staff to help you enjoy the game more and play more golf this season!

GOLF INSTRUCTION AND LESSON PROGRAMS

All instructional programs are centered on three elements: **enjoyment, learning** and **improved performance**. With all instructional programs, our objective is that you leave each session with a "road map to success" to play better golf and have more fun. We offer a variety of programs that cover all aspects of the game of golf.

Please contact the Golf Staff to register for any of the instructional offerings.

2018 PRIVATE INSTRUCTION

Sarah Bidney, PGA Director of Instruction	\$70 per lesson / \$195 for a series of 3 / \$375 for a series of 6 <i>Monthly Performance Coaching Package available</i>
Aaron Krueger, PGA Director of Golf	\$70 per lesson / \$195 for a series of 3 / \$375 for a series of 6
Grant Feilmann, PGA Head Golf Professional	\$60 per lesson / \$150 for a series of 3 / \$275 for a series of 6
Tyler Christians Apprentice Assistant Professional	\$45 per lesson / \$125 for a series of 3 / \$225 for a series of 6
Daniel Wilson Apprentice Assistant Professional	\$45 per lesson / \$125 for a series of 3 / \$225 for a series of 6

Instruction Topics Include:

Full Swing Mechanics

- Driver
- Fairway/Hybrid
- Irons
- Trackman Combine Skills Evaluation

Short Game

- Putting
- Chipping/Pitching
- Bunkers
- Short Game Skills Evaluation

Full Game

- Course Management
- Rules & Etiquette
- Mental Toughness
- Stretching / Physical Strength with a TPI certified Fitness Professional
- Uneven Lies
- "Do Your Clubs Fit Your Swing?" Club-Fitting
- Distance Gapping Your Golf Clubs by Launch Monitor Assessment

Technology Available During Lessons:

**High Speed Camera with
Digital Analysis**

**TrackMan Launch
Monitor with Combine
Skills Evaluation**

Bodi Trak Pressure Mat

Uneven Lies

To schedule lessons with Aaron, Grant, Tyler or Daniel; call the golf shop at (515) 285-1934.
To schedule lessons with Sarah, please contact her directly at (515) 491-0940.

Adult Performance Coaching Program – April through October

This program is designed for the individual who wants to improve their overall game and learn a strategy for scoring bogey or better. If you removed anything double or higher, what would your score look like?

- Over half the program is on the course with Sarah for coaching and strategy
- Opposite week is a 90-minute training session focusing on how to practice
- Learn to commit to your shot on the course
- Learn to practice effectively and in a manner that transfers to the course!

TrackMan Practice Program



There's a fundamental issue with how we practice hitting balls at the range doesn't train us in the environment we expect ourselves to play in. Using TrackMan to select a few relevant parameters allows you to learn how to have a focused and purposeful practice session allowing you to work on something you truly need vs chasing a swing idea that doesn't really improve your performance. We can also set up training environments and create a game-like focused practice. Change poor practice habits into a worthwhile session!

Ladies Operation 36



Join Sarah in this friendly, low-pressure, fun learning environment designed to help you learn the game of golf at a manageable pace and become more comfortable on the golf course!

Open to Golf and Social members!

Spring Semester begins April 3. Summer Session begins June 12. Fall Session begins September 4. Tuesdays 6:30-7:30pm, additional classes can be formed – contact Sarah!

Operation 27 – Adult Avid Players Match Play Challenge

Improve your short game this year through the Operation 27 Avid Players Match Challenge. We'll make you the best driver of the ball by having you start play from 25 yards on every hole! If you can score 27 or less for 9 holes from these distances your game will dramatically improve and you'll graduate to the next yardage of 50 yards, 100 yards, and end up at 150 yards. Matches will begin on Saturday, April 7, with a 2pm tee time start and will be held on every Saturday without an afternoon scheduled golf event.

Register in the Golf Shop or by emailing sarahb@wakondaclub.com



Operation 36 – Ages 7-18

The Op 36 program is the best long-term player development program for junior golfers – now at over 200 facilities around the world, Wakonda is proud to have been one of the first 12 clubs. This program builds confidence in juniors by setting small goals for them to achieve, ultimately guiding them to larger goals in the sport. Skills are focused on the short game first and work farther away from the hole. It's a wonderful combination of learning skills, putting them to test on the course, and having a great time! Future 36ers will also be back this season in the Spring, Summer, and Fall for juniors ages 3-6.

Leading Edge Elite Junior Golf Team – Ages 12-18

The Leading Edge Elite Team is designed to combine instruction, on-course play, and competition into one program. Designed for juniors with High School Team goals

- 20 hours of team practice and 18-hole play on Thursdays
- Membership in the Iowa PGA Junior Golf Tour
- Three competitive tournaments scheduled



Please visit the Wakonda Club website or reach out to Sarah for a complete list of instruction offerings including more information on the Wakonda Junior Golf Academy programs and private/small group lessons!

GOLF COURSE AVAILABILITY

Usage of the golf course for approved club events shall suspend this golf schedule.

MONDAY * Golf Course is Closed until Noon

Members	After 12:00 p.m.
Spouses	After 12:00 p.m.
Dependents	After 2:00 p.m.

TUESDAY

(Juniors only on Practice Facility from 8:00 - 10:45 a.m., June-August)

Men	All day from 9:45 a.m. (around reserved WWGA morning/evening play)
Ladies***	All day from 8:00 a.m.
Dependents	After 2:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Members	All day from 8:00 a.m. until Men's League****
Spouses	All day from 8:00 a.m. until Men's League****
Dependents	8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. & after 2:00 p.m. until Men's League****

THURSDAY

(Junior Day from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., June - August)

Members	All day from 8:00 a.m. / After 11:00 a.m. (June-August)
Spouses	All day from 8:00 a.m. / After 11:00 a.m. (June-August)
Dependents	8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. & after 2:00 p.m.

FRIDAY

Members	All day from 8:00 a.m.
Spouses	All day from 8:00 a.m.
Dependents	8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. & after 2:00 p.m.

SATURDAY – Morning Double Tee Start – see below for policies

Members	7:00 a.m. – 8:57 a.m. and all day from 11:00 a.m.
Spouse	7:00 a.m. – 8:57 a.m. and all day from 11:00 a.m.
Dependents **	After 2:00 p.m.

SUNDAY - Morning Double Tee Start – see below for policies

Members	7:00 a.m. – 8:57 a.m. and all day from 11:00 a.m.
Spouse	7:00 a.m. – 8:57 a.m. and all day from 11:00 a.m.
Dependents **	After 2:00 p.m.

* Monday Outings supersede listed Monday hours.

** Dependents may play with a member off the 10th tee during the first hour of play on weekend mornings as well as at other times. Please see dependent exemptions listed in 9.5.

***Tuesday mornings and evenings will have tee times reserved in advance for ladies' play. All times not used by the ladies' play will be open for other member play.

****Men's League runs from May 9th – August 29th and will close the course fully at 5:30 p.m. The tee sheet will close at 1:15 p.m. on Men's League days.

Wakonda Weekend Golf Policies

- The first tee is reserved two hours after the first tee time for Walkup play to include Primary and Spouse Golf Members.
- There is a double tee start on #1 and #10 from 7:00 – 8:57 am. Priority on the #1 and #10 tees go to those with tee times during this time.
- After 8:57 a.m. on each side, no play is permitted to allow those that teed off between 7:00 and 8:57 am on #1 or #10 to make the turn.
- Each member may have up to ONE GUEST.
- For the first hour of play (7:00 am – 8:00 am), members may begin play on #10 with a dependent that has an official GHIN handicap.
- All players are expected to keep the pace of play of 2 hours or less per nine.
- Weekend starting times begin one hour later in March, April, Oct. & Nov.
- Golf Staff may suspend the double tee start and use #1 only during frost delays or weather situations.

2018 SCHEDULE OF GOLF EVENTS

APRIL

1	Sunday	Men's 2-Man Best Ball Qualifying Begins (Month-long from April 1-30)
9-10	Mon. – Tues.	Spring Greens Aerification 9-holes each day
25	Wednesday	Fitting Day (Titleist, Mizuno & Tour Edge) 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.

MAY

2	Wednesday	Fitting Day (Taylor Made) 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
8	Tuesday	WWGA Opening Day 5:30 p.m. shotgun
9	Wednesday	Men's League Opening Night 5:30 p.m. shotgun
17-18	Thurs.-Fri.	Member-Member Championship 1:00 p.m. shotgun on Friday
20	Sunday	Couples Challenge All Day – Make Your Own Tee Time
23	Wednesday	Fitting Day (Ping, Callaway) 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
24	Thursday	Men's Guest Stag #1 1:00 p.m. shotgun
28	Monday	Memorial Day Holiday Event 8:30 a.m. shotgun

JUNE

2	Saturday	Oak Leaf Cup – Employee Scholarship Fundraiser 1:00 p.m.
4-10	Mon.-Sun.	2018 PRINCIPAL CHARITY CLASSIC
11	Monday	Club Completely Closed All Day for PCC
12	Tuesday	Mighty Oaks Junior Golf Session 1 Begins
19-20	Tues.-Wed.	WWGA Eclectic Event 8:00 a.m. shotgun each day
24	Sunday	Couples Challenge All Day – Make Your Own Tee Time
28	Thursday	Men's Guest Stag #2 1:00 p.m. shotgun

JULY

4	Wednesday	Stars-N-Stripes Holiday Event 8:30 a.m. shotgun
5	Thursday	Junior Golf Interclub @ Wakonda 8:00 a.m. tee times
7	Saturday	Women's Ryder Cup Event 12:00 p.m. tee times
15	Sunday	Couples Challenge All Day – Make Your Own Tee Time
17-18	Tues.-Wed.	WWGA Lone Leaf Invitational 1:00 p.m. shotgun Tues. / 8:00 a.m. shotgun Wed.
26-28	Thurs.-Sat.	Blazer Day Men's Member-Guest All Day

2018 SCHEDULE OF GOLF EVENTS

AUGUST

9	Thursday	Junior Club Championship 8:00 a.m. tee times
12	Sunday	Couples Challenge All Day – Make Your Own Tee Time
14-15	Tues.-Wed.	WWGA Handicap Event 8:00 a.m. shotgun each day
19	Sunday	Junior Golf Season-Ending Banquet 5:30 p.m.
21	Tuesday	WWGA Guest Day 8:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. shotguns
25-26	Sat.-Sun.	Wakonda Club Championships (Men & Women) 7:00 a.m. tee times
28	Tuesday	WWGA Road Trip with Pros to Happy Hollow Club, Omaha, NE - All Day
30	Thursday	Joe Brown Cup @ Des Moines Golf & Country Club 1:00 p.m. shotgun

SEPTEMBER

3	Monday	Labor Day – No Event Open Golf at 8:00 a.m. tee times on #1 tee
4-5	Tues.-Wed.	Fall Greens Aerification (9-holes open each day)
4	Tuesday	WWGA Closing Day 5:30 p.m. shotgun
TBA	TBA	Family Glow Ball Golf 7:00 p.m. shotgun
15	Sunday	Couples Challenge All Day – Make Your Own Tee Time
20-21	Thur.-Fri.	Wakonda Cup Thurs. Practice Round - 12:00 p.m. shotgun Friday – 27-hole Event - 9:00 a.m. shotgun
26-28	Wed.-Fri.	Langford Cup @ Happy Hollow Club, Omaha, NE Wed. a.m. /All Day Thurs. / Friday a.m.

OCTOBER

6	Saturday	Tournament of Champions Final Event 12:00 p.m. tee times
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NOVEMBER

3	Saturday	Cross Country Golf Event 9:00 a.m. shotgun
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TEE IT FORWARD

The idea behind Tee It Forward is to play a shorter golf course based on your average driver distance to allow for shorter approach shots into the greens, similar to the same club a tour player hits into a green. This initiative is vital to continued enjoyment of the game. See the chart below or consult with the golf professional staff to find your optimum course yardage and start enjoying Wakonda Club even more!

During tournament play (with the exception of the Club Championship Gross Flights and Wakonda Cup) players may play a forward set of tees in events (with USGA GHIN Section 3-5 handicap adjustment for players competing from different tees in place). Below are the USGA Section 3-5 adjustments to move to a forward set of tees if playing against someone from a different set of tees.

- Wakonda's Black Tees: Yardage: 6,910 / 74.2/139
 - Players competing from here will have their course handicap increased by 2 strokes.
- Wakonda's Blue Tees: Yardage: 6,508 / 72.0/135
 - Players competing from the Blue Tees will use their full Blue Tee course handicap
- Wakonda's Blue/White Combo Tees: Yardage: 6,372 / 71.3/133
 - Players competing from here will have their course handicap reduced by 1 stroke.
- Wakonda's White Tees: Yardage: 6,292 / 71.1/132
 - Players competing from here will have their course handicap reduced by 1 stroke.
- Wakonda's White/Gold Combo Tees: Yardage: 5,983 / 69.5/128
 - Players competing from here will have their course handicap reduced by 2 strokes.
- Wakonda's Red Tee: Yardage: 5,366 / 66.9/118
 - Players competing from here will have their course handicap reduced by 5 strokes.
- Wakonda's Gold Tees: Yardage: 5,275 / 66.4/117
 - Players competing from here will have their course handicap reduced by 6 strokes.

GUIDELINES FOR SELECTING TEES

DRIVER DISTANCE	RECOMMENDED 18-HOLE YARDAGES
275	6,700-6,900
250	6,200-6,400
225	5,800-6,000
200	5,200-5,400
175	4,400-4,600
150	3,500-3,700
125	2,800-3,000
100	2,100-2,300

This chart is to be used as a guideline to help golfers potentially align their average driving distance with a course length that is best suited to abilities

GOLF CLUB FITTING DAYS

Purchasing new golf equipment can be difficult and confusing. With so many good products on the market, choosing the right equipment and best value is difficult. Throughout the spring, vendors will visit Wakonda for special clubfitting and demonstrations. Each clubfitting is complimentary (unless noted) and appointments are required. Fitting days will consist of only specialized fitting appointments. These stand-alone fitting days offer a better service for members and a more comprehensive fit. Contact the Golf Staff to schedule your appointment with the vendor of your choice!

Schedule of Fitting Day Events in 2018:

- Titleist – Wednesday, April 25th, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
- Mizuno – Wednesday, April 25th, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
- Tour Edge – Wednesday, April 25th, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
- Taylor Made – Wednesday, May 2nd, 2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
- Callaway – Wednesday, May 23rd, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
- Ping – Wednesday, May 23rd, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
- PXG – Date & Time TBA

If you cannot attend one of the fitting days scheduled above, contact the Golf Staff to set up your custom club fitting. In your complimentary fitting we will utilize Wakonda's Foresight GC Launch Monitor. For a \$30 upgrade fee, we will utilize TrackMan for enhanced fitting information.

We have the Titleist, Ping, Mizuno and Taylor Made fitting systems on site and also have access to many other manufacturers' fitting equipment with advance notice.

Purchasing golf equipment without getting custom fit is like buying a suit off the rack without trying it on! Schedule your PGA Club Fitting with the Wakonda Club Golf Staff today!

GOLF EQUIPMENT TRADE-IN PROGRAM

Would you like to take advantage of the latest golf equipment technology? The Golf Shop will accept trade-in's on golf equipment. Trade-in your brand-name clubs and we'll give you top value toward any merchandise in the shop. To help ensure that you receive top dollar for your clubs, we utilize the current PGA Trade-In Value Guide for calculating the value.

- Top value for brand-name clubs are based on the current PGA Blue Book value
- Any golf club will be considered (drivers, putters, wedges etc.)
- Receive golf shop credit good towards ANY MERCHANDISE in the shop – not just clubs

*All value quotes must be made in person with the actual club.

CLUB REPAIR CENTER

The Golf Shop at Wakonda provides a full-service club repair center. Services include: re-gripping, re-shafting and loft & lie angle adjustments. We offer next day service for nearly all minor club repairs and guarantee all completed work. We will special order products that are not stocked as regular items at no additional charge other than shipping.

If you are not sure which grip size is best for you, the Golf Staff will be happy to measure and fit you for your new grips. As an additional service, the Golf Staff will also provide periodic regripping reminders to all members with clubs in storage.

A great service offered is our Loft & Lie Angle Machine. The Golf Staff will be able to adjust any of your irons or wedges to the desired loft and lie. Comprehensive fitting and bag analysis are available by contacting the Golf Staff.

HOLE-IN-ONE PROGRAM

What is the Wakonda Hole-In-One Club?

Golf tradition states that when a golfer scores a hole-in-one, he/she buys drinks in the Clubhouse that day for their fellow golfers. Imagine if there are a hundred golfers playing that day, it can be quite expensive. The Wakonda Hole-in-One Club is a program that assists in offsetting this cost. When an ace is scored, everyone that is registered in the Hole-in-One Club is charged \$5. The entire amount (less than the bar-tab from that day) is then forwarded as a merchandise credit to the account of the lucky golfer making the ace for use in the Golf Shop.

Who is eligible for the Hole-In-One Club?

Open to all Wakonda Club Golf Members and their spouses only. Dependents are not eligible.

How do I ensure that I am in the Hole-In-One Club?

The Hole-in-One List is located on the Wakonda Website. If you are not on the list and would like to be added, or are on the list and would like to be deleted you must contact the golf shop staff to make the changes. The official Hole-in-One list is located in the golf shop and is to be modified by the Golf Staff only.

What constitutes an official Hole-In-One at Wakonda in order to be awarded the Hole-In-One Club credit?

- Must play 18 holes of golf in one day at Wakonda (exceptions granted by golf professional may apply)
- Must have at least one adult witness
- Must be a member of the Hole-in-One Club by being on the Official List to collect the credit

What is the policy on purchasing drinks for others when I make a Hole-In-One?

Anyone that is in the Hole-In-One Club is allowed to have one drink of their choice on the day of the ace redeemable in the Lower Grill only with a drink value up to a \$10 maximum. Further generosity of drinks purchased (for multiple drinks or for those not in the Hole-In-One Club) is up to the individual scoring the ace.

CORPORATE / CUSTOM LOGO MERCHANDISE



Take advantage of your "Member-Owned" golf shop for Corporate or Custom Logo Merchandise. This is a win-win scenario for your company or outing and Wakonda. You benefit from low pricing and personalized customer service from the Golf Staff, while at the same time supporting your club.

Golf balls, caps, shirts, wine bottles, golf bags, luggage, and den caddies are just a few examples of what you can use your logo on. The possibilities are endless. Whether you are ordering logo golf balls for a customer appreciation golf event or ordering new custom-logoed shirts for your office staff, we can help.

With Wakonda Club's member pricing, you are guaranteed the most competitive price, highest quality of product and best service. Please contact the Golf Staff for pricing or questions on ordering, and we will be glad to assist in any way possible!

SEASON GOLF CART RENTAL PROGRAM

- **Individual Season Cart Pass:** \$550.00 (30 rounds of golf to break even)
 - Valid only for the individual that purchases the "Single" Pass
- **Double Season Cart Pass:** \$875.00 (48 individual rounds to break even)
 - Valid for only two immediate family members that must be designated when registering

The Golf Staff requests that all players check in to the golf shop prior to playing golf, even if you have the season golf cart rental. This allows the Golf Staff to know who is on the course in case of an emergency and helps record and track rounds played.

EVENT DEPOSIT POLICY

- When an event fills to capacity and a waiting list is developed, each member in the event and on the registration form will be contacted via email.
- Each member registered for the event will be notified that they are currently registered, that the event has filled and now has a waiting list triggering the Tournament Deposit Policy.
- Each member currently registered will be given 48 hours to verify their entry. Upon verification or 48 hours, each registered member will then be charged a deposit fee of 20% of the event entry fee (for example: \$84 for a Stag foursome).
- If the member on the original registration list verifies their entry, then withdraws prior to the event and is not able to be replaced by someone from the waiting list, they forfeit this deposit.
 - Members will be credited back the full deposit if their spot in the field is filled by someone on the waiting list.
- If the withdraw occurs within 5 days of the event and their spot is not filled from the waiting list, the member will be charged 50% of the event fee to cover the costs of gifts, food, etc.
- **This policy will be enacted for all events that fill to capacity in 2018 (except Blazer Day).**

Blazer Day Entry Procedure for 2018

- Registration opens on March 1 at 8:00 a.m.
- The first 60 members to register via phone, email or in person are guaranteed a spot in the 2018 Blazer Day.
- Once 60 spots have been filled, a waiting list is established.
- The waiting list immediately begins with the previous year's waiting list for those that did not get in to the previous year's event.
- If those on that waiting list entered the event in the first 60 spots, they are removed from the waiting list and everyone else moves up.
- The 60 members that have registered will be charged a non-refundable deposit of 25% immediately upon the creation of the waiting list.
- This helps ensure that those that did not get in the previous year on the waiting list are expedited to the top for the waiting list for the following year if they are not part of the first 60 to register.

WAKONDA CLUB'S DINING/SOCIAL EVENT CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellations of reservations are also encouraged. For private parties and special events, cancellations or changes within 48 hours of the event will not be accepted. Guarantees for private parties and "no shows" for Club events will be charged 50% of the cost of the event.

TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS AND WAKONDA CLUB PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

The Wakonda Club Tournament of Champions is a season-long points list used to identify the 2018 Men's and Women's Players of the Year. Season-long point standings will be published after each event. Following the conclusion of the 2018 event schedule, the top 24 available Men and top 12 available Women from the Tournament of Champions Points List will be invited to play in the 2018 Tournament of Champions Final Event on Saturday, October 6th. The players in each division with the most points will be named the 2018 Wakonda Club Player of the Year.

**There is no cost for the Tournament of Champions Event or awards.
Play in as many events as possible to earn points toward becoming the
2018 Wakonda Club Player of the Year!**

POINTS:

- Points are earned by participating in the designated events listed below.
- You receive points based on the entry fee you pay to enter these events
- You also receive points based on any winnings you receive in these events.
 - Points received are either half value, full value or double value based on the size of the event.

TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS EVENT – Saturday, October 6, 2018:

The top 24 available men and 12 available women from the 2018 Tournament of Champions points list will qualify for the 2018 Tournament of Champions Final Event. The format will be 1 of 2 net best balls. Teams will be made by a live random draw prior to the event. There will be no entry fee for those qualifying for the TOC event and all prizes will be paid back in golf shop credit.

<u>2018 Golf Events Awarding Tournament of Champions Points</u>		
<u>MINOR POINT EVENTS</u> 25 participation points + ½ value winnings	<u>FULL POINT EVENTS</u> 75 participation points + full value winnings	<u>MAJOR POINT EVENTS</u> 200 participation points + double value winnings
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oak Leaf Cup • Langford Cup (100 participation points only) • WWGA Weekly Events (special point structure) • Women's Evening Events 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2-Man Best Ball Championship • Men's League • Memorial Day Tournament • Stars & Stripes • Men's Stag #1 • Men's Stag #2 • Women's Guest Day • Women's Four-Ball Match Play • Women's Ryder Cup 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blazer Day (special point structure) • Member/Member • Lone Leaf • Wakonda Cup • Club Championship • Tournament of Champions – Final Event



**11th ANNUAL LANGFORD CUP
INTERCLUB MATCHES
Hosted by Happy Hollow Club
September 26-28, 2018**

What: The Langford Cup is the premier annual interclub event between Wakonda Club (Des Moines, IA), Milburn Golf and Country Club (Overland Park, KS), and Happy Hollow Club (Omaha, NE). These three clubs were designed by William Langford between 1917 and 1925. The three clubs are on a rotating schedule each year with Happy Hollow Club hosting in 2018.

When: Wednesday, September 26 – Friday, September 28, 2018

Team Composition: 16 players per club

- Team Captain – Tom Donnelly has been appointed as the 2018 Wakonda Club Captain
- Golf Professional - Aaron Krueger will be the Wakonda Club Golf Professional
- Men's Club Champion (if unable, the Men's Club Championship Runner Up)
- Men's Net Club Champion (if unable, the Men's Net Club Champ. Runner Up)
- Senior Club Champion (if unable, the Senior Club Championship Runner Up)
- Senior Net Club Champion (if unable, the Senior Net Club Champ. Runner Up)
- Four players with 8 or less handicap through qualification process (see below)
- Four players with 9 or higher handicap through qualification process (see below)
- 2 Captain's Selections - The Wakonda Team Captain will select two players.

Cost: Cost per participant will be \$325.00 and includes all fees associated with the event starting with the practice round and includes golf and cart fees, meals at every meal period, uniforms, team photos, tee gift, and bragging rights. (Fee does not include \$10 per qualifying round attempts or hotel & travel costs to the event)

Qualifying Procedures and Dates:

- You will need to complete two 18-hole rounds at Wakonda during the qualifying period of April 1 – August 31, 2018.
- Qualifying rounds will only be permitted to be played during:
 - During scheduled qualifying round tee times. The Golf Staff will block out Langford Cup qualifying tee times on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. You must play with others members that are qualifying in these times and the Golf Staff will arrange pairings.
 - During a club event that has an 18-hole stroke play format.
 - While playing with a golf professional.
- You may attempt as many times as you desire to try and increase your chances of bettering your score. Scores will be posted online for all to see so everyone knows their current standing.
- Handicaps will be valid as of the date of the qualifying round and you will receive 100% of your course handicap from the tees you select to qualify from.
 - Wakonda Event Forward Tee Policy is in effect and will apply to qualifying rounds. You may choose to move to a forward set of tees, however Section 3-5 will be applied to your handicap.
 - All qualifying rounds will be based upon the Blue Tees and Section 3-5 adjustments will apply for anyone playing a set of tees other than Blue.
- Your qualifying score is the 36-hole total net score between your two lowest qualifying rounds.

Dates That You Can Qualify: Sunday, April 1 through Friday, August 31.

Cost to qualify: \$10.00 per qualifying round attempt. You may play an unlimited number of qualifying rounds.

2018 WAKONDA CLUB MAJOR GOLF TOURNAMENTS

Men's Best Ball Championship (Season Long Match Play Event) (Open to all Male Golf Members of the Club)

- This is an event where members pick their partner to compete in a season long 1 best ball of 2 match play format with a guaranteed two matches.
- Best Ball qualifying begins April 1st and runs through April 30th.
- The low 62 teams will qualify for the match play bracket joining the defending champions and runners-up in the 64-team bracket.
- All matches will have a one month deadline to complete on the last day of the month your match is scheduled in.

2017 Best Ball Champions:
Bob Smith & Lynn Horak

Member-Member – Thursday May 17 & Friday May 18 (Open to Primary Golf Members Only)

Format: 1 of 2 Net Best Ball, Teams Blind Drawn from A/B Pools

****Registration deadline is Monday May 14 at 5:00 p.m. ****

- This Wakonda major is an 18-hole event where you are paired with a fellow member and teams are selected based on an A/B blind draw.
- Thursday afternoon will serve as an informal practice round followed by hors d'oeuvres, cocktails & gaming party at 6:00 p.m.
- On Friday, there is a 1:00 p.m. shotgun for the 18-hole championship round, followed by cocktails, awards ceremony, and dinner & dancing.
- All players must have an official USGA Handicap to play in this event.

2017 Member/Member Champions:
Joe Cerne & Blake Saunders

WWGA Lone Leaf Invitational – Tuesday July 17 & Wednesday July 18 (Open to all Women Golf Members – Must be a WWGA Member)

Format: TBA by Lone Leaf Committee

****Registration deadline is Monday July 2 at 5:00 p.m. ****

This is the premier event for Wakonda Women to invite special guests (1 or 3) for an exciting and extra-special two days of golf. We promise to have a fun, yet competitive format. Tuesday's first round starts with an afternoon shotgun at 1:00 p.m., followed by cocktails and dinner. Wednesday will begin with a wonderful breakfast, a morning shotgun at 8:00 a.m. followed by a luncheon and awards. Formal invitations will be sent to all WWGA members by mail.

2017 Lone Leaf Champions:
Dianna Abrahamson & Sherry Schafer

2018 WAKONDA CLUB MAJOR GOLF TOURNAMENTS

Blazer Day – July 26, 27 and 28

"WAKONDA CLUB'S PREMIER GOLF EVENT"

(Open to Male Primary Golf Members Only)

Format: Member-Guest, 5 Matches within a flight and Flight Champion Shootout

****Registration with a full field of 60 teams has been met and a waiting list has been established****

This event is the highlight of the golf season at Wakonda. The Blazer Day format is a two-person member-guest team, match play event. Each team will play five 9-hole matches in a "round robin" format with flights based upon the combined team handicaps. Total points accumulated in the flight will determine flight winners. All flight winners will then square off in a final shootout to determine the overall champion and the recipients of the 2018 Wakonda Club Green Blazers.

- Practice round and Derby event on Thursday
- Team match play on Friday and Saturday
- A valid USGA handicap is required for all players to compete in this event.

2017 Blazer Day Champions:
Jayme Adam & Rich Adam

Wakonda Junior Club Championships – Thursday, August 9

(Open to all junior members age 9-18)

Grouped by gender, age and number of holes played

****Registration deadline is Tuesday August 7 at 5:00 p.m.****

- There will be numerous age categories for boys and girls for this stroke play championship (9-18 years of age).
- There will be two divisions – individual stroke play (3, 6, 9 & 18 holes) and a 2-player scramble format.
- Register with the Golf Staff and entry is free of charge.
- The High School Division Champion will receive an exemption into the Men's Club Championship (Championship Flight) on Aug. 25-26.

2017 Boys High School
Club Champion:
Cooper Craiger

2017 Boys Junior
Club Champion:
Jackson Yurgae

Wakonda Club Championships – Saturday August 25 & Sunday August 26

(Open to all Golf Members – Men's, Senior's and Women's Divisions)

****Registration deadline is Thursday August 23 at 5:00 p.m.****

- 18-hole Stroke Play on Saturday August 25th. The low four scores within each flight from Saturday's stroke play will qualify for Sunday's Match Play.
- The low four qualifiers from each flight will compete in Match Play on Sunday morning. The winners of the morning flight semi-final matches will play in the Flight Championship Match on Sunday afternoon.
- The winner of the Flight Championship Match will become the 2018 Wakonda Club Champion of their respective flight.
- Women will play in a net format with flights playing 18-holes each Saturday and Sunday.

2017 Men's
Club Champion:
Bo Anderson

2017 Senior
Club Champion:
Bernie Gradoville

2017 Women's
Club Champion:
Fiona Watson

2017 Men's Net
Club Champion:
Ryan Berven

2017 Senior Net
Club Champion:
Bill Weidmaier

2017 Women's Net
Club Champion:
Dianna Abrahamson

2018 WAKONDA CLUB MAJOR GOLF TOURNAMENTS

Wakonda Cup – Thursday September 20 & Friday September 21

(Open to all Primary Golf Members and their guests)

Format: 27-Hole Ryder Cup –

9 holes 2 of 4 Best Ball + 9 holes 2 of 4 Shamble + 9 hole of Alternate Shot

****Registration deadline is Fri. Sept. 7 at 5:00 p.m. or when a full field of 120 players is met****

This is the final Member/Guest of the year; a 4-person team event where you may create your own team. (Members may bring either 1 or 3 guests.)

- Optional practice round shotgun on Thursday with Hors d'oeuvres to follow
- The 27-hole tournament will be played on Friday with a shotgun beginning at 9:00 a.m.
- Teams must consist of either 1 member and 3 guests or 2 members and 2 guests.
 - The Golf Shop will not be able to pair two teams together.
- A valid USGA handicap with a minimum of 10 posted scores is required for all participants in this event.

2017 Wakonda Cup Champions:
Brady Evans, Ryan Berven, Jerod
Jones & Jack VonBank

2018 WAKONDA CLUB STANDARD GOLF EVENTS

Memorial Day Tournament – Monday, May 28

(Open to All Golf Members: Primary Golf Members, Spouses, and Dependents – Non-golf members will not eligible to play) - 8:30 a.m. shotgun

Format: Variable/Progressive Net Best Ball – Make your own four player teams.

****Registration deadline is Sat. May 26 at 5:00 p.m. or when a full field of 120 players is met****

The Memorial Day Tournament may prove to be the most exciting event of the year as the course will be in Tour condition! Due to this, the field is limited to 120 players only and all players must be a golf member of Wakonda Club. The format is a Variable or Progressive Net Best Ball. Register with a full foursome team or individually and the golf shop will pair you.

2017 Memorial Day Champions:
Dick Hodges, Jim Sarcone,
Gerard Neugent & Bill Weidmaier

Oak Leaf Foundation Employee Scholarship Ryder Cup Event – Saturday June 2

(Open to all Golf Members and their invited guests. Players do not need a GHIN Handicap)

1:00 p.m. shotgun

****Registration deadline is Wed. May 30 at 5:00 p.m. or when a full field of 120 players is met****

The Oak Leaf Foundation was founded to provide Wakonda Club employees with educational scholarships. This fun format free event will be the main fundraiser for the Foundation's Scholarship mission. There will be an optional games package to enter for skins game, flag events & other fun contests to win prizes from. This will be a fun, single-day stag event immediately before the PCC that you will not want to miss. The Wakonda Club PCC Member Party will follow the golf event in the evening.

Major Impact Event for
Wakonda Employees!

2018 WAKONDA CLUB STANDARD GOLF EVENTS

Couples Challenge - (Open to all Golf members)

Format: Each Couple must be golf members from the same membership (Spouses/Partners/Significant Others) or, if single, with another member of the opposite gender.

****Register by making your own tee time on that day and notifying the Golf Staff prior to play****

A 9-hole and 18-hole division for Couples.

Make your own tee time and pairing and play the format for the day.

Entry fee is \$20 per couple per month and prizes paid out after each month's event.

A season-long money list will be established and the top couple at the end of the year are recognized as Wakonda's Couples Club Champions and invited to the Champion's Dinner.

Play in as many or as few events throughout the season.

- Sunday, May 20 – 1 of 2 Net Best Ball
- Sunday, June 24 – 1 of 2 Net Stableford Points
- Sunday, July 15 – Two Couple Team Blind Draw – 2 of 4 Net Best Ball
- Sunday, August 12 – 1 of 2 Net Stableford Points
- Sunday, September 16 – 1 of 2 Net Best Ball

Men's Guest Stags – (Open to all Male Golf Members and their guests)

Format: Individual Gross Score–Flighted

Entry fee is \$105 inclusive per player. Includes golf, cart, food and prizes.

****Registration deadline is the Tuesday prior to each event or when the field fills to the 112 player capacity****

Stags are great events to bring clients, friends or fellow members for 18 holes of golf followed by dinner and drinks, for the same cost of a guest fee and cart in season. The format of Individual Stroke Play does not require a handicap and is flighted after play. All players are eligible to win prizes. Because of the popularity of the Men's Stag events, registration fills quickly. Be sure to enter as soon as possible.

- Guest Stag #1 Thursday, May 24 1:00 p.m. Shotgun
- Guest Stag #2 Thursday, June 28 1:00 p.m. Shotgun

Stars and Stripes – Wednesday, July 4

(Open to Primary Golf Members, Spouses, Dependents & Guests)

Format: Red, White and Blue – Team 2 of 4 Net– 8:30 a.m. shotgun

Tee off on 6 Red Tee Boxes, 6 White Tee Boxes and 6 Blue Tees Boxes

****Registration deadline is Monday, July 2 at 5:00 p.m. or when a full field of 120 players is met****

Register for this fun holiday event where you can compete in an 18-hole tournament in the morning and still enjoy the rest of the day's festivities at Wakonda with family and friends. Guests are welcome and each participant must have a valid USGA handicap. You may register as a foursome or individually and the golf shop will pair you.

2017 Stars & Stripes Champions:
Matt Hinch, Johnny Textor,
Andy III & Brian Moran

MEN'S LEAGUE

The Men's League is Wakonda's most popular golf event, expanding from 46 players in its inception in 2009 to 145 players in 2014 to a record 182 players in 2016. This is the best way to meet your fellow members and get integrated into the Club! Play starts with a shotgun at 5:30 p.m. each Wednesday from May 9th – August 29th. Plan to stay for a special buffet dinner after the 9-holes of golf to socialize with your fellow members. Joining the Men's League is a must for all golf members – Register today!

The Men's League will shotgun on all 18 holes and take the entire course. This will allow more teams to join Men's League and will help with pace of play.

Duration of the League:

The League will begin on Wednesday, May 9th with the regular season, followed by the playoffs. The final week of the season and playoffs is scheduled for Wednesday, August 23rd, but if weather delayed will not extend past Wednesday August 30th.

Teams:

There will be a maximum of 18 teams and the total number of teams must remain an even number. Teams will be comprised of a minimum of six players. Each player must play a minimum of four weeks throughout the season. Each team will select one person to be the Captain to represent the team and is responsible for submitting the pairings to the golf staff each week. Teams will not play all other teams throughout the regular season.

Format:

Each week will have one team playing another. Only 4 players from each team will compete each week. Those 4 players will be broken down into A/B/C/D based on their handicap. The A players from each team will play one another. The B players from each team will play one another as will the C & D players.

Each match (A vs. A, B vs. B, C vs. C, D vs. D) will be 9 holes of golf MATCH PLAY ONLY. The match will be played off the low 9-hole course handicap. The player with the low 9-hole course handicap will play to a zero handicap and the higher handicap will be reduced by the amount of the lower player's handicap. The player with the higher handicap for the match would receive a stroke.

Assuming a league of 18 teams, each week there will be 72 players (36 matches) spread throughout the entire course.

Scoring:

Every individual match is worth 10 points. Each hole of each match is worth 1 point. If the players tie a hole, both will receive ½ point for that hole. There will be a bonus point awarded to the player that wins the match. Each match is worth 10 points. Since each team will have 4 weekly matches, there will be a total of 40 points per week. Every point accumulates throughout the season; therefore every hole is worth something.

Playoffs:

Based on the regular season point standings, all teams will be divided into four flights: First, Second, Third and Fourth. Each flight will have a two week match bracket and the #1 flight seed will play the #4 seed along with the #2 and #3 flight seeds playing in playoff week one. The winners of those matches square off the final week in the Flight Finals. The four winners of the Flight Finals will play in the Men's League Playoff Flight Championship to determine the overall playoff champions.

MEN'S LEAGUE

Entry Fee:

The entry fee for 2018 will be \$700 per team.

Payouts:

There will be three different payouts in 2018.

- The first payout will be a \$100 payout to the team with the most points scored each week.
- The second payout is the overall regular season payout. Assuming 18 teams, 5 teams will be paid out as follows:
 - 1st: 30% / 2nd: 25% / 3rd: 20% / 4th: 15% / 5th: 10%.
- The third payout is for the playoffs. The flights will receive the playoff payout distribution as follows:
 - First Flight: 30% of the playoff pot
 - Second Flight: 25% of the playoff pot
 - Third Flight: 20% of the playoff pot
 - Fourth Flight: 15% of the playoff pot
 - Each playoff flight will then pay 70% to the flight winning team and 30% to the flight runner up.
 - The overall playoff winning team will receive the final 10% of the playoff pot.

Prize money earned throughout the season will be accumulated and paid out following the completion the playoffs.

2018 All Men's League Team:

At the end of the year, including the playoffs, the four individuals with the highest weekly average point totals (minimum of 4 rounds) throughout the season will be named the "2018 All Men's League Team" and will collect a bonus payout.

2017 Men's League Regular Season Champions: Team Clean Livin'

Captain: Todd Lantz –Paul Soener, Barnes Kelley, Matt Sargent, Mike Kentfield, Kevin Stetson, Jamie Cord, Ryan McClintock, Clint Kelderman, Jon Hummell, Matt Adrianse

2017 Men's League Playoff Champions: Team Clean Livin'

Captain: Todd Lantz –Paul Soener, Barnes Kelley, Matt Sargent, Mike Kentfield, Kevin Stetson, Jamie Cord, Ryan McClintock, Clint Kelderman, Jon Hummell, Matt Adrianse

2017 All Men's League Team:

Tom Child, Jamie Cord, Patrick Hall, Larry Jackson, Brad Winterbottom

WAKONDA WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION (WWGA)

The WWGA is a group of fun, energetic, non-competitive golfers of various ages & abilities who are out to meet new friends, enjoy the beautiful course, improve their game and have a great time! Membership in the Wakonda Women's Golf Association (WWGA) is only \$50 per year and includes ability to register for events, gifts and many other prizes and opportunities.

WWGA events are held on Tuesdays with options to play at 8:00 am (8:30 am in May) and 9-holes at 5:30 pm. Following play, we encourage you stay for either lunch or dinner and continue socializing with the other women.

Please contact the Golf Staff (285-1934 or grantf@wakondaclub.com) to register to play in a weekly WWGA event. We ask that you register for the weekly WWGA event no later than the Monday prior at 2:00 p.m. In 2018, the Golf Staff will determine pairings to mix players and allow you to meet more women.

2018 WAKONDA WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION BOARD

Co-President – Linda Craig

Co-President – Rebecca Woodburn

Secretary – Laura Leonard

Treasurer – Vicki Heiken

Tues. Evenings – Kathleen Gradoville

Tues. Evenings – Ann Michelson

At Large Member – Emily Leder

At Large Member – Pam Netzel

At Large Member – Tana Kirkpatrick

WOMEN'S FOUR-BALL MATCH PLAY

The Women's Four-Ball Match Play format will allow each team to play more guaranteed matches. There will be a maximum of 16 teams of two players (choose your own partner) and those teams will be divided into four pods of four teams. The four teams in each pod will play one another in a round robin format over the course of May – July. The teams with the best record in each pod will advance to the semi-final matches in August. The teams that win their semi-final match will meet in the final match during September. Matches are scheduled for 18-holes and are scheduled mutually by the two competing teams. Entry is \$20.00 per player.

WOMEN'S RYDER CUP EVENT – SATURDAY, JULY 7

A new event in 2016, the Women's Ryder Cup has become one of the most popular of the year. This year it will be played on Saturday, July 7th with a 12:00 p.m. tee time start. This event will feature players divided into two teams (Red Team vs. Blue Team) and will be contested over 18 holes. The format will be a best ball, alternate shot and singles matches, each for 6 holes. The team with the most points will be declared the 2018 Women's Ryder Cup Champion! Register individually and captains will be selected to make the teams and pairings. Entry will be \$20 per player and there will be optional food items available following play.

WWGA ROAD TRIP WITH THE PROS – TUESDAY, AUGUST 28

The WWGA Road Trip with the Golf Professionals (Grant & Aaron) began in 2017 and will continue this season. We will travel to Happy Hollow Club for a round of golf and lunch in their beautiful clubhouse. This will be a fun day of golf with our professionals away from home! Register by Sunday, August 19th and this is open to the first 17 women.

CALENDAR OF WAKONDA WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION EVENTS

May 8, Tuesday – WWGA Opening Day Golf & Dinner

- 5:30 p.m. shotgun
- 9-holes of golf with dinner to follow play.

June 19-20, Tuesday-Wednesday – WWGA Eclectic Tournament

- 8:00 a.m. shotgun each day
- Format: Individual stroke play; count your best score on each hole of the two rounds
- 5:30 p.m. event option for 9-hole players

July 7, Saturday – WWGA Ryder Cup Event

- 12:00 p.m. tee times
- 18-holes of golf with a Ryder Cup match play format
- 6 holes will be best ball, 6 holes alternate shot, 6 hole of singles match play

July 18-19, Tuesday-Wednesday – WWGA Lone Leaf Invitational

- This is the premiere event for the WWGA season!
- Host 1 or 3 guests in the event that combines competitive and fun golf with outstanding food
- The theme for 2018 is TBA
- Format: Lone Leaf committee will determine a format for each day's play

August 22-23, Tuesday – Wednesday – WWGA Handicap Tournament

- 8:00 a.m. shotgun each day
- Format: individual 36-hole net stroke play
- 5:30 p.m. event option for 9-hole players

August 21, Tuesday - Women's Guest Day

- 8:00 a.m. shotgun start with lunch following play
- Invite 1-3 guests to play in a fun format
- 5:30 p.m. event option for 9-hole players

August 25-26, Saturday-Sunday – Women's Club Championships

- Gross, Net and Senior divisions
- Format: Individual 36-hole Stroke Play & Stableford Formats
- Morning tee times each day

August 28, Tuesday – WWGA Road Trip to Happy Hollow Club

- Play the beautiful Happy Hollow Club with Golf Professionals Aaron & Grant
- Mid-morning tee times followed by lunch in HHC's clubhouse
- Limited to the first 13 women to register

September 4, Tuesday – WWGA Closing Day & Dinner

- 5:30 p.m. shotgun
- 9-holes of golf with dinner to follow play.

HANDICAP POLICIES & PROCEDURES

Handicap Allocation for 2018 Golf Season

Following a thorough collection of scorecards throughout 2017, the Handicap Committee has followed the USGA GHIN methods and reallocated handicap holes. This reallocation begins in the 2018 golf season and will last five seasons. The new allocation for 2018 is as follows:

2018 Men's Handicap Allocation																		
NEW HANDICAP ALLOCATION (will enter into effect at the beginning of the 2018 golf season)																		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Regression Values	6.08	4.86	5.7	6.05	7.48	6.01	5.35	6.93	3.74	6.35	5.49	5.95	7.2	4.67	6.24	5.41	4.07	5.62
2018 Hole-by-Hole Handicap Allocation	5	15	11	7	1	9	13	3	17	6	12	8	2	16	4	14	18	10

2018 Women's Handicap Allocation																		
NEW HANDICAP ALLOCATION (will enter into effect at the beginning of the 2018 golf season)																		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Regression Values	8.05	5.1	6.7	6.16	7.67	6.84	5.61	6.57	4.48	6.47	5.82	5.95	7.4	4.57	6.85	5.88	5.54	6.88
Regression Rank (Front Odd / Back Even)	5	15	7	11	1	3	13	9	17	8	14	10	2	18	4	12	16	6

As in years past, it is a mandate from your Golf and Handicap Committees to turn all of your 9 & 18-hole scores into the golf staff. Please follow these guidelines when returning your scorecards for posting in 2018:

- Record the first and last names of each player
- Record the date of the round
- Record the tee boxes played
- Record each hole-by-hole gross score (no ESC adjustments)
- If a hole is not played, record the "most likely" score – see below
- Return the scorecard to a member of the golf staff or to the box outside of Langford's

The Golf Shop will post all Wakonda Club tournament scores as "T" rounds.

Events designated to be posted as a Tournament Score ("T") are:

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| • Member/Member | • 2-Man Best Ball Championship |
| • Lone Leaf | • Memorial Day Tournament |
| • Wakonda Cup | • Stars & Stripes Tournament |
| • Wakonda Club Championships | • Men's Stag #1 |
| • Tournament of Champions Final Event | • Men's Stag #2 |

more events may be added or designated as Tournament Scores throughout the season

**Match play rounds are required to be posted according to USGA Guidelines>Please ask the Golf Staff for assistance*

- The Golf Shop/Handicap Committee will run score posting reports in accordance with the Iowa Golf Association's Revision Schedule, to assist in monitoring the posting of member's scores. Revisions are always the 1st and 15th of each month.
- The active posting season in Iowa is April 1 – October 31.
- For Best Ball and Men's League Matches, all match play scorecards must be turned into the Golf Shop following play for posting. These scorecards will be appropriately dotted and handed out to the match play participants before the commencement of play.

Understanding EQUITABLE STROKE CONTROL (ESC):

Equitable stroke control (ESC) is the downward adjustment of individual hole scores for handicap purposes in order to make handicaps more representative of a player's potential ability. ESC sets a maximum number that a player can post on any hole depending on the player's Course Handicap. ESC is used only when a player's actual or most likely score exceeds his or her maximum number based on the table below but it applies to all scores for handicap purposes, including tournament scores. There is no limit to the number of holes in which a player may adjust his or her score.

EQUITABLE STROKE CONTROL TABLE	
Course Handicap	Maximum Score on Any Hole
9 or less	Double Bogey
10 through 19	7
20 through 29	8
30 through 39	9
40 or more	10

PLAYING FROM DIFFERENT TEES: (Section 3-5)

When competing from different tees, the golfer playing from the tees with the higher course rating receives extra strokes, which are added to his or her already determined course handicap.

Wakonda tournaments will apply this USGA guideline in events

Strokes are determined by the rounded-off difference between the two Course Ratings. If "Sally" plays from the forward tees (red), where the Course Rating is 70.8 and her Course Handicap is 20, and Snoopy plays from the member tees (white), where the Course Rating is 72.5, and his Course Handicap is 13, Snoopy receives two additional strokes. (The difference between the two Course Ratings is $72.5 - 70.8 = 1.7$ or 2) Snoopy's handicap is then adjusted to 15 while Sally's handicap will remain 20.

UNFINISHED HOLES and CONCEDED STROKES: (Section 4-1)

If a player starts but does not complete a hole or is conceded a stroke, that player shall record for handicap purposes the score he or she most likely would have made.

The most likely score consists of the number of strokes already taken plus, in the player's best judgment, the number of strokes that the player would need to complete the hole from that position more than half the time. This number may not exceed the player's Equitable Stroke Control limit, defined in Section 4-3. An "X" on the scorecard should precede this most likely score.

POSTING A SCORE WHEN A COMPLETE ROUND IS NOT PLAYED (Section 5-2)

- If 13 or more holes are played, the player shall post an 18-hole score.
- If 7 to 12 holes are played, the player shall post a nine-hole score.

In either case, scores for unplayed holes shall be recorded as par plus any handicap strokes that the player is entitled to receive (a net par) on the unplayed holes.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Golf Shop regarding handicapping/posting procedures. As a reminder, all scores are to be posted by the golf staff in 2018. Please return a scorecard to the golf shop every time you play.

Wakonda Club will permit scores to be posted when playing alone in 2018, against the requirements of the USGA in Section 5-1 of the GHIN Handicap Manual. Contact Aaron Krueger for more information regarding this decision.

We are extremely excited to be the host of the Principal Charity Classic (PCC), a Champions Tour Golf Event scheduled to be played at Wakonda Club through 2023! As the 2018 PCC draws near, we are accumulating new information daily and ask that you check Wakonda Club's website often for the latest updates. We are committed to keeping our website fresh and exciting and are dedicated to making it the **#1 SOURCE** for your PCC questions as Wakonda Members.

On the PCC page of Wakonda Club's website, you will notice many page options in our drop down menus. Some pages are designed for public viewing and some are member specific and can only be viewed by member login. We encourage you to read all pages and information to help answer any PCC event questions you may have. Another great source of information is Principal Charity Classic's website, www.principalcharityclassic.com. It will have a much broader spectrum of information to become more familiar with this fantastic community event.

We truly hope as hosts of the event, that you have a fantastic experience. There are many opportunities to be involved with the event including: sponsorship, volunteering, simply attending the event to follow your favorite professional and visiting the Wakonda Member Hospitality Tent and Beer Garden at its great location on Hole #18 each day.

Thank you for your support of the PCC and enjoy the show!

[Principal Charity Classic Event Statistics](#)

Course: Wakonda Club
Location: Des Moines, Iowa
Tournament Course Par: 72
Tournament Course Yardage: 6,882
Format: 54-hole stroke-play competition; no cut
Field: 81 Champions Tour Players
Purse: \$1,750,000
2017 Champion: Brandt Jobe
2017 Attendance: 81,550
2017 Birdies for Charity Count: 821
Total Event Volunteers: 1,200
Local Economic Impact: Estimated at \$23 million
2017 Total Charitable Contributions: **\$2,053,725**
"FORE Our Kids" Charities Benefitting from the PCC:

- Blank Children's Hospital
- Bravo Greater Des Moines
- Community Foundation of Greater Des Moines
- Mercy Medical Center
- United Way of Central Iowa
- Variety - The Children's Charity

