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QUICK START GUIDE TO PLAYING TEAM GOLF

This guide will help you get started playing Team Golf, its deliberately broken into sections, relevant to specific categories of player. If you read this guide as designed, you shouldn't have too many questions (if any) through out the season.

The guide has three sections

- Information for everyone
- Information for Golflink Handicapped Golfers
- Information for Golfers without an official Golflink Handicap. (Open section)

INFORMATION FOR EVERYONE

- We strongly recommend booking in to play with the Golf Shop prior to all rounds.
- Each round lasts one week and is based on when your scorecard is returned. Each round starts at 1:01pm Friday (except round 1) and ends the following Friday at 1:00pm
- All players must register PRIOR to their round at the Golf Shop.
- Play as many 9-hole rounds through the week as you like, the more you play the better your team score will be. You will also be eligible to win an individual prize each time you play. However, only your BEST score will count for the Team.
- There are two locations where the weekly results are displayed. On the Team Golf noticeboard in the spike bar and on the club website. <https://www.bairnsdalegolf.com.au/golf/team-golf> These will both be updated no later than the Saturday after each round is completed.
- Each 9-hole round of Team Golf costs \$5 for members and \$27 for non-members.
- You MUST have someone to play with who is either in the Team Golf season or a member of Bairnsdale Golf Club. You can not play on your own or with a social golfer/green fee player.
- The Golf Shop will be open until 6:00pm each night, however in some circumstances you may need to present to the club office to register your game. If the Golf Shop is closed prior to 6:00, pop around to the office to collect a Team Golf Scorecard.

INFORMATION FOR GOLFLINK HANDICAP GOLFERS

- Each time you play, regardless of whether or not you are in a traditional club competition, you must play off your daily handicap (not the GA)
- You can play a Team Golf round as part of your typical club competition round.
- Your Golflink handicap is not adjusted by your Team Golf round (when playing outside of traditional club competition). Because your handicap won't adjust during rounds played outside of traditional competitions, you must play at least 6 x 18 hole traditional competitions, this avoids players retaining the same handicap for the entire season.

INFORMATION FOR SOCIAL GOLFERS (OPEN SECTION)

- Each time you play you will receive a Scorecard from the Golf Shop. Make sure you complete all the fields correctly and most importantly put both your full name and the person you played with (marker) on the top.
- Make sure you check and record your Handicap. Your handicap will change most weeks based on how you play the previous round, you can locate your handicap on the Team Golf noticeboard or club website, www.bairnsdalegolf.com.au

Player: _____ Hcp: _____		Date: _____
Marker: _____ Hcp: _____		Front 9
Team Name: _____		Back 9

HOLE	BLUE	BLUE INDEX	RED	RED INDEX	ACTUAL PAR	MY PAR	Player Score	Player Points	Marker Score	Marker Points
1	350	3	306	11	4					
2	322	8	277	9	4					
3	491	2	425	7	5					
4	134	12	125	17	3					
5	309	1	296	1	4					
6	414	14	404	4	4/5					
7	386	13	334	15	4					
8	157	6	119	5	3					
9	348	15	298	14	4					
OUT	2911		2584		35/36					

HOLE	BLUE	BLUE INDEX	RED	RED INDEX	ACTUAL PAR	MY PAR	Player Score	Player Points	Marker Score	Marker Points
10	319	7	277	18	4					
11	144	10	106	10	3					
12	403	9	369	3	4					
13	503	16	431	13	5					
14	351	5	261	12	4					
15	344	18	300	6	4					
16	415	17	395	16	4					
17	195	11	146	8	3					
18	448	4	357	2	5					
IN	3122		2642		36					
OUT	2911		2584		35/36					
TOT	6033		5226		71/72					

Signature: _____	Front 9	Back 9
Marker: _____		

Make certain both players sign the scorecard

- If you have a handicap of 50 or over, you can use a tee each time you hit the ball. This does not apply if you are in a bunker or water.
- The event played is called Stableford, essentially it's a points game where each hole you play attracts points based on how well you play it. The better you play the hole the more points you get. Stableford is a great game for beginners because when it becomes apparent you can not score any points on the hole you can pick up your ball. In Team Golf the maximum number of shots you can have on any one hole is 9. When you reach 9 shots, pick up your ball and score a "9" on your scorecard.
- If you do not know how to play Stableford, just keep track of your actual number of shots and the office will complete the points for you. We do encourage all players to learn Stableford points (It's really not difficult) and the office or golf shop will certainly assist with explanations.