



## **2020 MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**



***YOUR SUMMER PLAYGROUND***

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# INTRODUCTION



Thank you for your interest in becoming a Member at the Golden Golf Club. As a Member of the Golden Golf Club (GGC) you will enjoy one of British Columbia's finest golf courses. In addition, the Club's friendly, relaxed, and small town vibe will allow you to feel comfortable and enjoy yourself on each visit.

## OUR MISSION

The mission of the Golden Golf Club is to provide a valued golf and recreational experience in harmony with nature in a financially sustainable manner.

## OUR VISION

Our vision is to be a unique mountain Golf Club dedicated to welcoming Members, Guests, green stewardship and promoting the growth of golf within our community in a financially sustainable manner.

In 2012 and 2014, the GGC was voted BC's #1 Hidden Gem. Over the years, the Club has been fortunate to win various other awards/distinctions and to host many Provincial Championships. Most recently we won the Kicking Horse Country Chamber of Commerce 2019 Tourism and Hospitality Excellence Award. Our golf course is very playable for all skill levels with each hole in its own beautiful and serene setting.

Our Membership options and benefits are designed to fit every lifestyle. For assistance in identifying which Membership option works best for you, please contact;

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# BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP



## All Initiated Members receive the following benefits;

- Unlimited play subject to availability and chosen Membership Category
- Preferred rates for Guests of 15% off rack rate
- Access to annual services at a preferred rate: Club Storage, Power Cart Passes, Driving Range Passes, Mini-Golf Course, etc.
- Member – Guest Voucher Program. Green Fee Rounds for Guests at \$45 + GST
  - Playing Member receive six rounds
  - Limited Play Member receive four rounds
  - Weekday Play Member receive three rounds
  - Playing Member Aged 25-30 receive three rounds
  - Playing Member Aged 19-24 receive three rounds
- Discounts on daily Power Cart rentals, Driving Range usage, and Mini-Golf
- 20% discount on personal Soft Goods purchases in the Pro Shop
- 10% discount on personal Food purchases in the Restaurant
- Access to Member only events
- Account charging privileges
- Eligible for the Club's Member Referral/Recruitment Program
- Membership to Golf Canada and their Handicap System
- Preferred rates in Club's Open Tournaments
- Voting Rights and Board of Director eligibility
- Access to Members only section of our website ([www.golfgolden.com](http://www.golfgolden.com))
- Reciprocal rates with regional courses

# BECOMING A MEMBER



Becoming a Member at the Golden Golf Club has never been easier and more affordable. Our Initiation Fee and Annual Playing Dues are the only two costs required to become an active Member. The Club makes joining as comfortable as possible with payment plan options available both for the Initiation Fee and for the Annual Playing Dues.

<b>2020 Membership Fee Schedule</b>		
<b>Initiation Fee</b>	<i>\$525.00</i>	Five Year Payment Plan = <i>\$105.00 per year</i>
<b>Membership Category</b>	<b>2020 Rates</b>	<b>Eight Month Payment Plan (January to August)</b>
<b>Playing Member</b> <i>(Seven days a week)</i>	<i>\$1,531.01</i>	<i>\$204.75</i>
<b>Limited Play Member</b> <i>(Monday to Thursday, after 1pm on weekends)</i>	<i>\$1,206.56</i>	<i>\$160.65</i>
<b>Weekday Play Member</b> <i>(Monday to Thursday)</i>	<i>\$990.26</i>	<i>\$132.30</i>
<b>Playing Member Aged 25-30</b> <i>(Seven days a week)</i>	<i>\$1,216.02</i>	<i>\$162.75</i>
<b>Playing Member Aged 19-24</b> <i>(Seven days a week)</i>	<i>\$999.72</i>	<i>\$133.35</i>
<b>Student Member</b> <i>(Seven days a week)</i>	<i>\$397.95</i>	<i>NA</i>
<b>Junior Member</b> <i>(Seven days a week)</i>	<i>\$99.75</i>	<i>NA</i>
<b>TAXES INCLUDED IN ABOVE RATES</b>		

# MEMBERSHIP FAQ'S



**Q: Do I need a Share to become a Member?**

*No, the Golden Golf Club is a Non-Profit Society which does not issue Shares.*

**Q: Is there a Food and Beverage minimum in the Restaurant? Pro Shop?**

*There is no Food and Beverage minimum in the Restaurant. In 2017, the Club resumed control of our F&B operation and we appreciate our Members continued support of this important service center for our Club. Also, there is no minimum spend in the Pro Shop.*

**Q: What happens if I cannot play one season due to an injury or an unforeseen circumstance?**

*Simply inform the Administration Office and you will be transferred to the Non-Play Membership category which is \$190.49 in 2020. There are no fees associated with returning to your previously held Membership Category if the Non-Play Membership was paid annually.*

**Q: Are there other payment plan options or is just the eight month option available?**

*We do offer payment plans for four, five, six, and seven months as well. For additional information on these options, please contact our Director of Operations or Office/Financial Manager.*

**Q: What other options does the Club offer if Membership is not chosen?**

*Starting in late 2019 we began offering the #GolfGolden Points Program. This program is designed to fit every lifestyle. We also offer discounted Green Fee promotions through Alberta Days, Foot-Joy Wednesdays, Titleist Thursdays, and daily Twilight rates.*

**Q: How much does it cost for Club Storage, Driving Range Pass, or a Season Cart Pass?**

*Club Storage is \$115.05, Driving Range Pass is \$176.21, and an annual Power Cart Pass is \$478.50. We also have a combo Club Storage and Driving Range Pass available for \$249.95. Taxes are included in the previously mentioned prices and Junior rates are also available.*

**Q: Does the Club host a lot of corporate or outside tournaments?**

*The Club does not host a lot corporate or outside tournaments in comparison to other Clubs. We do host a lot of smaller groups of 12-24 players which have minor impact on a Member's 1<sup>st</sup> tee access. In 2018, the Club proudly hosted the BC Ladies Amateur.*

**Q: Is League Play only open to Members?**

*No, all League Play is open to Guests as well. For the Competitive Ladies League (Tuesday) and the Men's League (Wednesday) we do require a Golf Canada Handicap for Non-Members participants.*

**Q: Are lessons and custom fitting available?**

*Currently, we have two PGA of Canada Professionals on staff who can assist with lessons and custom fitting. We have a Flightscope system which is also available for lessons and custom fitting. Also, we host numerous major manufacturers throughout the season for Custom Fit and Demo Days.*

**Q: How long is the golf season?**

*Generally, we open the golf course around the third week in April, weather permitting. Our last day for golf is Thanksgiving Monday each year.*

**Q: When are the following year's Membership Fees decided?**

*The Club holds a Special General Meeting at the end of October to approve the following fiscal year's budget, which includes the Membership Fees.*

**Q: Who runs the Golden Golf Club?**

*The Club is governed by the Board of Directors (six Members) and managed by the Management Team which consists of the Director of Operations, Office/Financial Manager, and the Head Superintendent.*