



2019 Five Ponds Golf Association

Welcome to the Five Ponds Golf Association! The 5PGA has been revised to provide you with a full season schedule of amateur golf tournaments that we hope you will find both fun and competitive. We look forward to continuing the tradition of great golf and providing the best playing conditions throughout the season to our association members. “New for 2019” we have expanded the playing opportunities and updated the schedule to help spread out the matches to offer you the best opportunity to participate.

Our newest addition to the schedule is a 1 Day 5PGA Invitational that will take place in July! We offer 15 in-house tournaments exclusively for our association members, which is capped off with our year end Ryder Cup and Banquet. Also, you can enjoy our “Open” events at Five Ponds where you will receive a \$5.00 discount on entry fees for being a 5PGA Member.

All 5 Ponds Golf Association members may register to compete on one of our three Golf Association of Philadelphia (G.A.P.) teams. Five Ponds has had a history of great play in the GAP Matches and we look forward to having you join us in 2019!

We look forward to a great season!

5PGA Tournament & Rules Committee,

Anthony Bateman, Craig Boyk, Pete Carroll, Neil Gordon, Frank Puccio Sr, Brian Rothaus, & Michael Schoedler

Kevin Beirne, PGA Head Professional

Mike Attara, PGA General Manager

Daulton George, Assistant Golf Professional

Garret Urglavitch, Assistant Golf Professional



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Important Dates

<u>DATE</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Event</u>
March 23 rd	5PGA	Season OPENER Yellow Ball ABCD Flights
April 6 th /April 7 th	5PGA	President's Cup (Match Play Starts)
April 14 th	GAP/5PGA	GAP Match #1
April 28 th	GAP/5PGA	GAP Match #2
May 3 rd	5PGA	1 st Friday @ 4pm (9 holes, Various Formats)
May 5 th	GAP/5PGA	GAP Match #3
May 11 th /12 th	5PGA	Better Ball Partners (Match Play Starts)
June 1 st /2 nd	5PGA	Stroke Play Championship (36 Hole Stroke Play)
June 7 th	5PGA	1 st Friday @ 4pm (9 holes, Various Formats)
July 1 st	5PGA	Club Championship (Match Play Starts)
July 12 th /July 13 th	5PGA	1 st Annual 5PGA Invitational Tournament
August 2 nd	5PGA	1 st Friday @ 4pm (9 holes, Various Formats)
September 2 nd	5PGA	Patriot Day Golf (1 Day Stroke Play Event)
September 6 th	5PGA	1 st Friday @ 4pm (9 holes, Various Formats)
September 21 st /22 nd	5PGA	Senior Club Championship (36 Hole Stoke Play)
October 4 th	5PGA	1 st Friday @ 4pm (9 holes, Various Formats)
November 1 st	5PGA	1 st Friday @ 4pm (9 holes, Various Formats)
November 2 nd	5PGA	Closing Fall Ryder Cup* (Two team, 18 Hole Event)
November 17 th	Open	Turkey Tournament (Shot-Gun) 2 Person Scramble



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Individual Event Sign-Up and Qualifying (Valid for MOST Events)

- All events will be played from the WHITE Tees unless otherwise noted
- \$67 per Event includes Greens Fees & Cart..... Skins are optional
- **BOTH** Greens Fees of \$134 will be collected on the Day 1 for 2 Day Events (Non-Refundable). We hope this will eliminate golfers from “no showing” on Day 2.
- For 2 Day Events, Players will be paired for their second round based on their first round score.
- Players ages 55-64 qualify for our Senior Division and will play White Tees (Select Events)
- Players ages 65+ qualify for our Super Senior Division and will play the Green tees (Select Events)
- Club Championship Tee Boxes – Champ Flight Blue Tees, A Flight Blue/White Tees, B Flight White Tees
- Signup sheets will be posted in the golf shop and sent electronically for registration 30 days before the qualifying date or start date.
- Please call the Golf Shop to RSVP for the 1st Friday matches by the Wednesday of that week. Tee times will be set by Wednesday evening.
- Five Ponds G.A.P. Inter club team’s (3 teams of 12 Players).

(Please see 5PGA bulletin board in Pro Shop for all event details)



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2019 Schedule of Events:

- **1st Friday “Matches”**

1st Fridays each month @ 4pm starting **May 3rd** we will be hosting a 9-hole (various format) matches open to all Association Members. The skins game will be an additional \$10 per player.

- **Season Opener Yellow Ball Tournament**

In Yellow Ball, golfers play in groups of four, and play a best ball. Of the four golf balls the team members are playing, one of them is yellow. That yellow ball rotates among the team members, changing after each hole. For example, on the first hole Player A hits the yellow ball; on the second hole, Player B plays the yellow ball, and so on, rotating throughout the round.

At the completion of each hole, the score with the yellow ball and next lowest score are added together to create one team score. *One of those scores must be from the player who used the yellow ball.* The other score is the low score among the other three team members. Team with the lowest score for 18 hole's wins!

- **Presidents Cup -100% Handicap Net Match Play**

(Blind Draw to determine seeding) Minimum 16 players, Max 32

Match Play will Begin April 6th/7th

*1st Match Deadline 4/28 * 2nd Match Deadline 5/12 3rd Match Deadline 6/2*

Championship Match Played by June 16th

- **Better Ball of Partners Championship –**

100% Handicap Net Match Play Event

(Prior Year Winner's #1 Seed, Blind Draw to determine remaining seeding) 16 Team

Minimum, 32 Team Max**

*1st Match Deadline 5/26 * 2nd Match Deadline 6/9 3rd Match Deadline 6/23*

Championship Match 7/7



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- **Five Ponds Stroke Play Championship**

June 1st, 2nd

100 % handicap event

The Stroke Play Championship will be a two-day event with Gross and Net division winners. Over the two days, competitors play 36 holes of stroke play. On Saturday, players may play with fellow competitors at any time. However, for Sunday's round they will be paired based on their first round score. *****BOTH Greens Fees of \$134 will be collected on the Day 1 for 2 Day Events (Non-Refundable). We hope this will eliminate golfers from "no showing" on Day 2.*****

- **1st Annual 5PGA Invitational - Saturday July 13th**

The 1st Annual Invitational Tournament will serve as our marquee event for 5PGA members. It provides them with the opportunity to showcase our club with pride and invites our guests to take part in a day full of fun and great camaraderie. Come early Saturday morning to watch the British Open! Check-In will be 11:30am, Lunch will begin around Noon, followed by a 2:00pm shotgun start. Format will be Better Ball of Partners. Flights will be contingent on entries. 80% of USGA Course Handicap (White Tees) will be given. Gross and Net Winners will be awarded. Entry Fee will include Greens Fees, Cart, Driving Range, Tee Gift, Proximity Prizes, BBQ Lunch before golf, Buffet Dinner and Awards Ceremony. Entry Fee will be \$300 per team.

- **Club Championship – Gross Match Play**

(Seeding contingent on # of entries) Bracket Set By July 1st

Championship Flight - "A" Flight – "B" Flight

1st Match Deadline 7/21 * 2nd Match Deadline 8/4 3rd Match Deadline 8/18

27-hole Final Match to be played on September 8th

- **Patriot Golf Day Stroke Play Event**

Monday, September 3rd

18 Hole Stroke Play Event

Gross Division

Net Division

Five Ponds teams up with the "Folds of Honor Foundation" to help the families of fallen soldiers. A portion of the proceeds from this day will be donated to this charity. With



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the use of our Gallus Golf App, competitors may play at any time throughout the day (with an attested scorecard) and keep hole by hole score on the app. Players will have the ability to track a “Live Leaderboard” and will know the results by the end of the day.

- **Senior Club Championship Stroke Play Event**

September 22rd & 23rd

2 Day- 36 Hole Event

Senior - Ages 55 to 64 (White Tees)

Super Senior - Ages 65+ (Green Tees)

On Saturday players may play with fellow competitors anytime, however for Sunday's round Players will be paired based on their first round score. *****BOTH Greens Fees of \$134 will be collected on the Day 1 for 2 Day Events (Non-Refundable). We hope this will eliminate golfers from “no showing” on Day 2.*****

- **Closing Ryder Cup & 5PGA Awards Banquet**

Saturday November 2nd

We are keeping the tradition going at Five Ponds to host our Ryder Cup Event. Nothing better than a team competition to get the competitiveness and comradery out of us! It has been an event that everyone looks forward to at the end of the season. Split into two teams, The Ryder Cup will be an 18-hole event with (3) 6 Hole Matches with 3 Different. The formats will be comprised of Better Ball of Partners, Scramble and Modified Alternate shots.

- **Turkey Tournament**

Sunday November 17th 10:00am Shotgun

2 Person Teams, 18-Hole Scramble, 10:00AM Shot-Gun, Potential for multiple flights (contingent on entries)

Prizes: First Place teams awarded Turkeys as prizes (frozen, not live) Closest to the Pin on all par-3's, Long Drives (Men and Women) Pies and other Turkey-Day fixings awarded for other prizes



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- Annual Entry Fee: \$150 Includes-
- Eligible for GAP Matches
 - USGA Handicap index
 - Golf Association of Philadelphia Membership
 - 14 Five Ponds Golf Association Events
 - 1 Day 5PGA Invitational (July 13th)
 - Exclusive Driving Range Plans for 5PGA Members Only
 - \$5 Discount on any "Open" Tournaments
 - 1st Friday "Matches"
 - 10% off Five Ponds logoed apparel

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ GHIN # _____ (Handicap form)

Email: _____

I am interested in playing for the Five Ponds Golf Club GAP team. If so, please let us know your availability and preferences and we will be in contact.

1. I can commit to the following GAP matches (Please check):

- April 14th
- April 28th
- May 5th
- All 3 matches
- List me as a substitute

2. I prefer playing at Five Ponds- _____ Away- _____ No Preference- _____
(We will do our best to accommodate to everyone, but cannot guarantee it.)



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2019 Five Ponds Handicap Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ GHIN # _____

E-Mail: _____

Birth Date: _____

*Please note. By purchasing this service from Five Ponds Golf Club, you are granted handicapping services ONLY. To play in the Golf Association of Philadelphia events, you must be a member of our 5 Ponds Golf Association. Memberships available for \$150 (including handicap)

I am interested in becoming a member of
the 5 Ponds Golf Association.

Initial Setup for new members will be done by the Five Pond's Golf Club Handicap Chairmen via this application. Subsequently, all members will be responsible for posting their own scores at the Club/Online. A computer is available for your convenience in the Golf Shop.

STAFF: Attach duplicate receipt to this Signup form. **Active in GHIN for 2019** _____