Victor Hills Golf Association-2023

Visit us on-line at http://www.victorhills.com select the "Rates/Memberships", then "Member Updates & Info"

Welcome Members:

The officers and board members of the Victor Hill's Golf Association (VHGA) would like to welcome you to another year of golf at Victor Hills. VHGA serves as a focal point for member's activities. Membership in VHGA is available to all members of Victor Hills.

- While we do follow USGA rules of golf, VH does have local rules. Please ensure you review them.
- 2) The World Handicap System requires that you post your score on the same day as played. Please consider using the APP on your phone.
- 3) Payment of your VHGA dues should be mailed to Bob Phillips and include a remittance form. In order to be part of the GHIN system we must accurately report the number of members to the RDGA who then bills us. The rate increase is the result of the increase from the RDGA. Please do not combine your VHGA dues with league dues.

Payment of dues entitles VH Members to:

- 1) Maintain a USGA System Handicap Index.
- 2) Play in the Tuesday Night's Men's league or Thursday Night's Women's league.
- 3) Be eligible to play in the Men's Rochester District events or the Women's Rochester District events and the Ladies Lake Country events.
- 4) Play in the VHGA sponsored tournaments (list included in Calendar of Events).
- 5) Play in the Match Play Tournament
- 6) Play in the Club Championship.

The VHGA Board is looking for a few additional people. The time is minimal but we can use a few more folks to help run tournaments including the Club Championship. If you would like to be involved please contact one of the Board members.

VHGA Dues (include remittance form)

- -Checks should be made payable to VHGA.
- -Checks should be mailed to <u>Robert Phillips</u>, 6141 County Rd 41, Farmington, NY 14425

Officers and Board Members

- President -Donna Muto (585-301-1451)
- Vice President-Chris Trageser (585-248-5815)
- -Bob Phillips, Treasurer (585-230-5851)
- Secretary, Open

Board Members:

Mary Ellen Anderson, Steve Elder, John Mulac, Caleb Strong, Chris Trageser, Wendy Wright Rules Committee: Mary Ellen Anderson (585-248-5815), Steve Elder (585-924-2819), Chris Trageser (585-820-8489).

<u>Handicap Committee</u>: Mary Ellen Anderson and John Mulac

Member's League Contact Information Men's Tuesday Night Member's League:

-If you are interested in joining the Men's League, call Steve Elder 585-924-2819

Women's Thursday Night Member's League

-If you are interested in joining the Women's League, call Donna Muto at 585-301-1451.

Calendar of Events

- Sat, June 11th: VHGA 2 Person Best Ball
- Sat, July 9th: VHGA 3-2-1 Tournament
- Sat & Sun, August 27 & 28 Club Champ.

Sign up sheets will be on the VHGA bulletin board in the Member's Room. You must sign up and pay by the <u>Wednesday evening preceding</u> the tournament. A nominal fee is charged for the tournaments to help cover food and cash prizes.

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Men's RDGA

- -Details are posted on the VHGA bulletin board.
- -Note: The VHGA is looking for someone to become the RDGA representative.
- -Victor Hill's Acting Rep: Ralph Davis, 208-7057
- *RDGA events are also open to women.

 Visit the Rochester District Golf Association web site at http://www.rdga.org

Women's Rochester District (WRDGA)

- -Victor Hill's Rep: Wendy Wright, 585-729-6051.
- -A handicap index of 20.0 or less is required.

Women's Lake Country League Events

- -Eligibility is VHGA members including seniors
- -A handicap index of 36.0 or less is required.
- -Victor Hill Reps are Kathy Arieno (585-368-8375) and Donna Muto (585-301-1451).
- -Annual dues are \$25 and are due by May 15th
- -Remit checks payable to Donna Muto, 12 Larchwood Dr, Pittsford, NY 14534. Please include phone # and Handicap Index.
- -See the bulletin board for tournament dates. This year's events are at Wayne Hills, Victor Hills, Champion Hills, Highland, Ontario and Sodus Bay Heights.

The Member's Room

The Member's room is located in the clubhouse off of the hallway near the back door. It has a computer where you can enter your scores.

It also is the place where you would sign up for VHGA tournaments. There is a locked mailbox where you can leave your money for tournaments. There are envelopes there for your convenience.

Please ensure you both sign up and pay for tournaments as there may be different folks who take care of the money and who organize the tournament. Thanks.

Your Handicap

Your handicap index is a measure of your scoring capability. Calculation of your handicap index is in accordance with WHS Procedures and Standards. However, the accuracy depends upon you!

- -You must post all league and non-league scores, 9 and 18-hole rounds, played on <u>any</u> course that is considered "in season" when home or away (even Florida!).
- -New York "in season" is April 15-October 31st.
- -Your dues need to be paid to Robert Phillips by May 10th or your account will be made "inactive".
- -The maximum score that can be posted for a hole is "Net Double Bogey" (Par for the hole+2 strokes+ your handicap strokes for that hole).
- -<u>If you post "hole by hole"; the system will</u> <u>automatically adjust your score.</u>
- -All scores must be posted asap; preferably by the end of the day played.
- -When you cannot complete an 18 hole round; as long as you played 14 or more holes, you would record a score for handicap purposes by adding to the number of strokes played the total of par plus any handicap strokes that you would receive on the unplayed holes.
- -If you make a mistake in entering a score in the computer, simply make a note on the clipboard form on the computer desk.
- -Any questions? Contact either member of the Handicap Committee: Mary Ellen Anderson (585-248-5815) or John Mulac (585-524-7389).

If you are interested in becoming more involved in the VHGA please reach out to any of the current Board Members as shown on page 1 of this newsletter.