

# 2018 Yearbook

Valley View Club 9701 IL Highway 82 Cambridge, IL 61238-9169

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# **Club Personnel and Phone Numbers**

Grounds / Greenskeeper	
Bryan Johnson	
Lounge Managers	
Tracie Coziahr/Paula Janson	
Pool Supervisor	
Rick Silversmet	
Clubhouse / Reservations	
Tracie Coziahr/Paula Janson	
Swim Shop	
Tracie Coziahr	
Club President	
Mike Taube	

# **Golfing Reminders and Notices**

- Due to course maintenance every Monday, excluding holidays, golfers start play on the back nine until noon. After completion of the back, you may proceed to the front, regardless of the time you finish.
- If rained out on Monday, that same rule will apply on Wednesday morning.
- Remember to register your golfing guests in the lounge before they play.
- It is your responsibility to personally sign up your guests or to call the lounge to inform them that you will be having guests playing.
- ALL GUESTS AND PUBLIC PLAYERS MUST sign the guest register when their greens fees are paid.
- Soft Spikes Only on the Golf Course.
- DO NOT start on # 10 unless you have checked to be sure that no one is playing <u>anywhere</u> on hole # 9.
- ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONSUMED ON THE CLUB'S GROUNDS MUST BE PURCHASED THROUGH THE LOUNGE.

Updates on course closings, event schedules and playing times will be posted in and around the lounge and will also be reported via email and Facebook whenever possible.

Please check the website at <u>www.valleyviewclub.org</u> or Valley View Club Facebook page <u>www.facebook.com/valleyview82</u> for daily club updates and information.



Please take the time to <u>READ THESE POSTINGS</u> <u>OR CALL AHEAD</u> to avoid confusion or conflicts.

2017 was historic in many ways for Valley View Club. We were able to make many significant improvements to the facilities with little member impact that will continue into 2018. The board of directors feels that it's important to continue to make improvements and strive to make Valley View a place of choice for our current and future members. I am always willing to listen to member suggestions on how to improve our club, so don't hesitate to contact me with ideas. I hope the 2018 golf season provides you with the recreation, social opportunities, and enjoyment we all work to provide.

~ Club President, Mike Taube ~

# Officers

Mike Taube	President
Lisa VanWatermeulen	1 <sup>st</sup> Vice-President
Shane Lindburg	2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice-President
Brian Neff	

# **Board of Directors**

Mike Taube	Lisa VanWatermeule
Shane Lindburg	Brian Neff
J.L. Doubet	Mike Lewis
Sue Stackhouse	Ryan Hanson
Adam Heald	Jeff DePorter

# Valley View Committees for 2018

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(First person listed chairs each committee

#### **Budget**

Mike Taube, Brian Neff, Lisa VanWatermeulen

<u>Campgrounds</u> Brian Neff, Mike Lewis, Jeff DePorter

# <u>Capital Improvements</u>

Mike Taube, Entire Board of Directors

# <u>Golf</u>

Sue Stackhouse, Shane Lindburg, Mike Lewis, Adam Heald, Jeff DePorter Non-Board Members: Terri Weinberg, Steve Klemmer, Denis Shenaut, Scott Efnor and Mark Becht

# Grounds & Lake

Shane Lindburg, Sue Stackhouse, Mike Lewis, Ryan Hanson, Adam Heald

#### **Insurance**

Ryan Hanson, J.L. Doubet

# Lounge/Cart Sheds

Brian Neff, Lisa VanWatermeulen, Jeff DePorter Non-Board Members: Tracie Coziahr and Paula Janson

Membership, Publicity and Yearbook Lisa VanWatermeulen, Sue Stackhouse, Mike Taube, Adam Heald

# Pool & Swim Shop

J.L. Doubet, Shane Lindburg, Ryan Hanson Non-Board Members: Rick Silversmet, Tracie Cozhiar

Auditor: Doug Irwin, CPA

# **One-Time Membership Fees**

Regardless of marital status, these are the initial fees to join Valley View Club. These can be paid all at once at the beginning of a new membership, or spread over 5 years according to the schedule below.

#### There Are Four Types Of Valley View Memberships:

Full Membership	\$750 payable at time of joining; full member immediately
Associate Membership	\$175 per year for 5 consecutive years – for a total of \$875
Junior 28 & Under	Anyone single or married, 28 years of age or under at time of joining, \$40 per year.
	Upon reaching the age of 29, the member then pays \$175 per year as an Associate
	Member until a total of \$875 is paid, at which time they are considered a full member.
	(Age is determined as of Jan. 1 of the year joining or renewing.)
Middle/High School	Any middle or high school student, who is a member in good standing of a local
	school, may obtain a special one-year membership for \$130. No Membership Fee.

	Annual Non-golfing Dues	(Pool/Clubhouse)
\$1210	Family	\$445
\$1160	Family (66 and over)	\$365
\$1055	Single	\$355
\$1015	Single (66 & over)	\$285
\$715	Junior (28 or younger)	\$405
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# <u>NEW Member Incentive Rates for 2018</u> <u>Annual Non-golfing Dues (Pool/Clubhouse)</u>

\$295 \$150

Annual	<b>Golfing Dues</b>	
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Family*	\$605	Family
Family 66 & Over*	\$580	Single
Single 29-65*	\$530	
Single 66 & Over*	\$510	
Junior 20-28*	\$450	
Middle/High School Student	\$130	

\*These are multi-year plans. See applicable Incentive Sheets on our website for details.

#### • ALL DUES AND FEES MUST BE PAID IN FULL BY MAY 1, 2018.

- A member's CLASSIFICATION IS DETERMINED by his/her age on JANUARY 1.
- Any single person UNDER the age of 23 on January 1 is entitled to full membership under his/her parents' membership, regardless of residence. On the date of marriage, he/she MUST have his/her own membership.
- Any married person is considered a Family status, regardless of whether his/her spouse plays golf.
- NON-GOLFING MEMBERS HAVE NO MEMBER GOLFING PRIVILEGES; they may pay greens fees and play as a guest or as a public play golfer.
- Only those holding full memberships are entitled to vote or hold office.

# **OTHER FEES**

#### **Annual Cart Lease Program**

(See page 10 for rules)One Seat\$4502-Seat (Family)\$700

#### **Yearly Driving Range Pass**

Family.....\$50 Single....\$35 Junior 19&Under...\$30

#### **Golf Cart Shed**

Yearly Fee \$320

#### Campgrounds

Yearly Fee \$350

#### **Cart Rental Per Person**

\$10 for 9 Holes

\$14 for 18 Holes

# Guest and Public Play GREENS FEES include cart unless otherwise noted

	Public Play	Public Play Senior 65+	Junior Rate Under 16	Guest Rate (Guest of Member)
9 Holes	\$25	\$15 M-F \$25 Weekends	\$8	\$15 No Cart \$20 with Cart Rental
18 Holes	\$35	\$20 M-F \$35 Weekends	\$15	\$25 No Cart \$30 with Cart Rental

#### No Public Play on Tuesdays until 9:00 a.m.

For guest play, member must either register your guest(s) personally, or call the Clubhouse to let them know that you have a guest coming. You are responsible for the guests' green fees, etc.

#### NEW! Winter Rate

November 1 – March 31, when the course is open \$20 for guests and public players, payable in clubhouse lounge or honor box

# **2018 GOLF CALENDAR**

- April 7 Spring Fling Open House 2 4 p.m.
- April 16 Men's League Captain's Meeting
- April 17 Orion Tuesday Evening League Begins
- April 30 Men's & Women's Spring Banquet Cocktails 6 p.m.; Dinner 6:30 p.m.
- May 2 Men's League Begins
- May 19 Men's 6-6-6 and Women's 6-6-6
- May 22 Tuesday Morning Men's League Begins
- May 28 Holiday Events Memorial Day
- June 2 Kruger Outing, 8:00 a.m. Shotgun Members are encouraged to play
- June 7 Women's League Begins
- June 7 Bombay Auction 7:00 p.m.
- June 9 Bob Hauman Golf Classic 9:30 a.m. Shotgun
- June 10 Bombay
- June 24 Orion Lion's Club Outing Members are encouraged to play
- June 30 2-Person Open Calcutta (Scramble Format with Auction)
- July 12-Person Open Calcutta (Scramble Format)
- July 4 Holiday Events Independence Day
- July 7 Roger Woodley Memorial, 8:00 a.m. Shotgun Members are encouraged to play
- July 14 Genesio's Outing
- July 20 Golf Stag
- July 21 Men's and Women's Club Championship 1<sup>st</sup> Round
- July 22 Men's and Women's Club Championship Final Round
- Aug 4 Ridgewood Booster Outing
- Aug 5 Women's Calcutta
- Aug 6Youth Tournament
- Aug 11 O'Leary Outing Members are encouraged to play
- Aug 16 Men's Calcutta Auction, 7:00 p.m.
- Aug 19 Men's Calcutta
- Sept 1 Mixed Luck of the Draw, 1:00 p.m.
- Sept 3 Holiday Events Labor Day
- Sept 6 SVEA Outing
- Sept 9 Rally for a Cure
- Sept 15 John Deere Outing, 7:30 a.m. Shotgun
- Sept 22 Mixed Best Shot
- Sept 30 Knockout Tournament
- Oct 7 Turkey Shoot
- Oct 13 Men's and Women's Fall Banquet Cocktails 6pm; Dinner 6:30 p.m.

Be sure to call or check the postings in the lounge to confirm dates/times of these events. SOME EVENTS THAT GET CANCELED WILL NOT BE RESCHEDULED. If this happens, all money, less any club expenses, WILL BE REFUNDED.

All golf outings will be posted around the clubhouse, on the website and on Facebook.

# **GOLF COURSE ETIQUETTE**

People using the golf course should do their part to make a round of golf at Valley View a pleasant experience for everyone. Here are some suggestions:

- 1. Prior to playing a stroke or making a practice swing, a player should ensure that no one is standing close by or in a position to be hit by a club, ball, or any other object, which may be moved by his swing.
- 2. No one should move, talk, or stand close to or directly behind the ball or hole when a player is making a stroke.
- 3. No player should hit a ball until the players in front are out of range.
- 4. The player who has the honor should be allowed to play before his opponent or competitor tees the ball.
- 5. A round for a foursome in a cart should take no longer than 2 hours for 9 holes, or 4-1/4 hours to play 18 holes. For the enjoyment of your round, as well as other members' enjoyment, help speed up the pace of play by practicing the following:
- Go directly to your or your cart partner's ball.
- When he/she has selected the proper club(s), proceed to your ball.
- Anticipate the club you may need and what you want to do while others are hitting.
- Be prompt when it is your turn.
- It's fine to be deliberate while over the ball; time is lost in the time between shots.
- 6. Players searching for a ball should signal the players behind to pass as soon it becomes apparent that the ball will not be easily found. They should not search for five minutes before doing so. They should not play until the passing players are out of range.
- 7. The time required to hole out around the green is a major cause of slow play. Study and clear the line of your putt while others are doing the same.
- 8. Be sociable but reserve your extended conversations for after golf.
- 9. When approaching the green, drive your cart to the side or rear of the green on the best path to the next tee. Never leave the golf cart or your bag in front of the green where you will have to go back to get it while the following players wait for you to get out of the way. Only members having a handicapped flag on their golf cart will be allowed to drive up near the green.
- 10. When the play of the hole has been completed, players should leave the green immediately and proceed to the next tee without delay. Scoring for that hole should be completed on the next tee.
- 11. If you are not keeping pace on the course, allow the players behind you to play through.

We don't want you to feel rushed, but please don't waste time. If you need more than one or two practice swings, we have areas for that purpose. The pace of your game will pick up if each player is mindful of what is going on and what is to happen next. Good manners make life more enjoyable and the same goes for golf.

# **RULES REMINDERS AND NEW FOR 2018**

- 1. Due to course maintenance every Monday, excluding holidays, golfers start play on the back nine until noon. After completion of the back, you may proceed to the front, regardless of the time you finish.
- 2. We have decided to implement the USGA recommendation to play up and have fun. There will no longer be an age requirement for men to play from the gold tees. Five 18-hole rounds will be required to establish a gold handicap. Mark GOLD on your scorecard until your new handicap is established. No switching from gold back to white without committee approval.
- 3. If you, your caddie, your partner, or your equipment (or that of your opponent) accidentally move a ball or a ball marker on the putting green, there is no penalty and the ball should be replaced.
- 4. The use of measuring devices (range finders, GPS) is allowed in tournaments at Valley View. The exception to this rule will be the use of range finders that factor in slope.
- 5. The Bombay has changed format for 2018. Please refer to page 12.
- 6. Ladies League has changed format and is now on Thursday instead of Monday. Refer to page 14.

# LOCAL GOLF RULES AND CLARIFICATIONS

- 1. When winter rules are elected by the committee, they shall be applied as follows. A ball lying in its fairway may be lifted and cleaned, without penalty, and placed within six inches of where it originally lay, not nearer the hole.
- 2. When your ball is in or near trouble, such as a fence, boundary stake, or a tree from which you have no right for relief; play the ball as it lies.
- 3. TREES All trees are in play except for those that are marked by a ribbon. If such a tree interferes with a player's stance or his swing, the ball may be lifted, without penalty, and dropped in accordance with the procedure prescribed in Rule 24-2bi (immovable obstruction). The ball may be cleaned when lifted.
- 4. BEHIND #6 & #9 GREENS In the absence of a stake or flag line, the nearer edge of the service road is the boundary line and extends to the east side of cart path for #7 tee on the south and the east corner practice area stake on the north. The east side of the cart path by #7 tee is out of bounds.
- 5. FENCE LINES Out of bounds is always determined by sighting along the ground on the fairway side of the stakes and fence posts with no regard for the side of the stake on which the fencing is fastened.
- 6. The lake on #8 has been declared a LATERAL WATER HAZARD. In the absence of a line or stake, the margin of this hazard is the mowed line around it. A ball in the hazard has the following three options, all under one stroke penalty: A. re-tee. B. move back any distance on a line from where the ball last crossed the margin of the hazard to the pin. C. move out two club lengths from where the ball last crossed the margin of the hazard, not closer to the hole.
- 7. PLAY OF #8 Before putting on either #8 or #11, signal the following group to hit their tee shots. Anywhere "through the green" on hole #8 & #15, a ball which is embedded in its own pitch mark in the ground, except in loose sand, may be lifted without penalty, cleaned, and dropped as near as possible, to the spot where it lay but not nearer the hole.
- 8. USGA rules apply to anything not covered by local rules. The tournament and/or Rules Committee may rule on any situation and make necessary interpretations.
- 9. The lake on #11 has been declared a WATER HAZARD not a lateral hazard. Rules 26-2A&B apply. If your ball cannot be played out of the hazard, you may, under a 1-stroke penalty, drop your ball in the designated drop area. THE DROP AREA IS THE RED LADIES' TEE BLOCKS WHEREVER THEY HAPPEN TO BE LOCATED FOR HOLE #11. The hazard includes the fill-rock between the concrete blocks and the grass.
- 10. The tournament committee will set the course for the following tournaments: Bombay, Calcutta, Men's 6-6-6, Twoperson Calcutta, and Men's Club Championship.
- 11. The tournament committee will review all tournament schedules and have the right to forfeit matches and render decisions on rules of play.
- 12. The tournament committee reserves the right to review and adjust the handicap of any player at any time during the season.
- 13. No starting from 4th or 7th tees if all players have teed off on the 3rd or 6th holes.
- 14. No switching from #1 green to #5 tee if players are anywhere on #4.
- 15. The Grounds Committee may prohibit play on the course and/or use of golf carts due to weather conditions. Under tournament or league play, the tournament committee may assume this responsibility.
- 16. Dangerous Situations: When play is suspended for a dangerous situation and the players in a match are between the play of two holes or in the process of playing a hole, they shall discontinue play immediately and not resume play until the Committee has ordered a resumption of play. Players shall resume play after their last complete hole.
- 17. PLAY IS SUSPENDED WHEN THE HORN BLOWS! STOP PLAY IMMEDIATELY. The penalty for the breach of local rule #16 is DISQUALIFICATION. Practice areas shall be closed during suspension for a dangerous situation until the event committee has declared them open for use.
- 18. AERATION HOLES: If a ball comes to rest in an aeration hole, the player may, without penalty, lift the ball and clean it. Through the green the player shall drop the ball as near as possible to where it lay, but not nearer the hole. On the putting green, the player shall place the ball at the nearest spot but not nearer the hole, which avoids such situation.
- 19. BALL ON WRONG PUTTING GREEN: For the purpose of Rule 25-3. The putting greens of holes 1, 4, 6, and 9 include the apron surrounding the green.
- 20. No player can play in a money tournament or Club league unless they are out of high school or at least 18 years of age or older.

# GOLF CARTS

- 1. No one under 16 is permitted to drive golf carts unless riding with an adult 21 years or older.
- 2. Carts must remain on paths by all tees and greens where there is a cart path. At tees or greens where there is no cart path, carts should stay at least 50 feet from the tee or green.
- 3. Avoid driving on areas where we are losing sod.
- 4. Never drive on the west side of #8 green.
- 5. Never drive between roped-off areas and the tee or green.
- 6. No more than two players are permitted to play from a rental cart.

# **CART LEASE PROGRAM**

This program allows any member of Valley View to use one of the club's leased golf carts in our fleet any time you play golf at the club. Sign up in the lounge, or email <u>valleyview82@gmail.com</u> to register.

- \$450 annually for all single membership types (one seat)
  \*A married member may qualify for the single enrollment status in the Cart Lease Program if their spouse doesn't golf or participate in <u>any</u> club functions. They will be allowed to register as a single for this program. A fee will not be charged for a **Member's Guest** riding, and not playing.
- \$700 annually for all family membership types (2 seat)
  \*ANY MEMBER WITHOUT HIS/HER OWN GOLF CART WHO ISN'T REGISTERED IN THE CART LEASE PROGRAM AND IS PLAYING GOLF, WILL PAY THE PUBLISHED CART RENTAL FEE WHEN RIDING WITH ANOTHER PLAYER IN ANY *LEASED* CART.

# **CARE OF THE COURSE**

Valley View Club's golf course is one of the most well maintained courses in the area. Our greens are the best for miles around. Hot and humid summers can be extremely stressful to bent grass, and thus we all must make every effort to care for the course, as well as being tolerant of all necessary maintenance practices. Of great importance are the verification and top-dressing programs, which go on throughout the year, with concentrated efforts being made in the spring and fall. The final consideration to successfully maintaining bent grass is the cooling of the grass during the summer months (this cooling is accomplished by "misting" or syringing the grass only enough to wet the leaves of the grass). This misting will be required from two to four times each day between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. during hot weather. This procedure will only interrupt play for two or three minutes at a time. Since we do not delay opening the course to complete maintenance operations, players approaching a green that is being mowed should wait until the mowing is completed before hitting onto the green.

# Please help maintain the course by observing the following:

- 1. Repair all ball marks on the green. A fresh ball mark takes a player 5 seconds to repair and will completely heal in 24 hours. A 1-hour old ball mark left unrepaired requires 15 days to heal. Always look for your ball mark and fix it, plus one or two others.
- 2. Please replace all divots.
- 3. Enter sand filled bunkers from the closest point to the ball or the lowest point and always rake the bunker carefully to fill up and smooth over all holes and footprints. Leave the bunker in better condition than you found it.
- 4. Players should ensure that when putting down clubs or flagstick, no damage is done to the putting green. Do not damage the hole by either standing too close to it or by mishandling the flagstick. Players should not use their putters to remove their ball from the hole.
- 5. Never discard or lay a cigarette or cigar on the putting surface. Please dispose of them in ashtrays, or make sure they are totally extinguished and dispose of them in trash receptacles.
- 6. In taking practice swings, especially on the tee blocks, please repair your divots.
- 7. Please follow the directional signs indicating where golf carts should be driven.
- 8. Place all trash in containers provided.

# **REGISTRATION**

- 1. All golfers must register in the Clubhouse Lounge prior to play.
- 2. All golfers must have their own set of at least 5 clubs in order to register to play.

# **GOLF ATTIRE**

- 1. Proper golf attire is required of all members and their guests at all times. Shirts with collars and sleeves, T-shirts, slacks, jeans, and golf shorts are considered appropriate for men. Dresses, skirts, slacks, jeans, golf shorts, blouses, and T-shirts are considered appropriate for women.
- 2. Shirts are to be worn at all times on the golf course and practice areas.
- 3. No bathing suits will be permitted on the golf course or practice areas.
- 4. Golfers are not allowed to wear golf shoes with metal spikes.

#### **GUESTS**

- 1. Guests, not necessarily accompanied by, but sponsored by a member, may play after registration and payment of appropriate fees. The sponsor must notify the Clubhouse Lounge of the names of the sponsored guests prior to their arrival.
- 2. Out of town guests (more than 50 miles from Valley View) may be invited as guests anytime the course is open for play.
- 3. Guests of any Member who live less than 50 miles from Valley View, may only golf as a guest ONCE in the same calendar month.
- 4. Guests must attach a guest tag to their golf bags.
- 5. Members are responsible for the conduct and attire of their guests and are requested to properly instruct their guests prior to their arrival at the club.

# PUBLIC PLAY

Public play is limited to twice per month. This will be enforced for any non-member or inactive member who resides within a 50-mile radius of Valley View Club.

#### **FOURSOMES AND FIVESOMES**

- 1. Foursomes are recommended for weekends and holidays.
- 2. Groups of less than foursomes have no right of way on the golf course.
- 3. Twosomes and threesomes may play on weekends and holidays if space is available; however, they are encouraged to combine with others to form a foursome so the course can accommodate more players on crowded days. Twosomes and threesomes should not exert any pressure on the groups ahead.
- 4. Fivesomes are permitted to play on weekends and holidays; however, they have no true status, and must let any following group play through if there is an open hole ahead.
- 5. No groups larger than fivesomes are permitted from March 15 October 15. The exception to this regulation would be a group playing alternate shot events where two players are playing one ball or special events where the course is closed.

#### **PRACTICE AREAS**

- 1. Players should practice their technique in areas designated for practice, including the driving range and putting green. Please stay between the markers on the driving range. When playing a round on the course, playing a shot over again or playing more than one ball is permitted only when it doesn't slow down play.
- 2. Range ball pass for the year: Family \$50, Single \$35, Junior 19 & Under \$30

#### **HOLIDAY EVENTS**

Anyone wishing to participate in the events will place \$1 in an "honest box" located next to the first tee. Awards will be given for the longest drive, closest to the pin, longest putt made, etc., at the committee's option for the first nine holes played by each player. The course is open for play and is not restricted to only those playing in the events. All players should start from tee #1.

#### **CLUB TOURNAMENTS**

The following is a listing and brief description of the tournaments held by Valley View Club. For more detailed information and rules for the tournament, consult the **Tournament Rules Book** in the lounge. Individual rules sheets will be available for each tournament when the sign up has begun.

- **CBS** Men's and Women's CBS tournaments will be separate again this year. Two player teams. An 18-hole round of match-play tournament using handicaps applied by subtracting the lowest handicap of the foursome from the other three in the group (the low handicap player plays scratch).
- **6-6-6** Men's and Women's 2 player teams. 50% of the combined handicap is counted. 6 holes of Best Ball, 6 holes of Alternate Shot, and 6 holes of Best Shot.
- **Club Championship** Men's and Women's. Players electing to not play in the championship flights are divided into flights by their handicaps. Championship flights are 36 holes; all other flights are 18 holes. Winners based on total score; no handicap applied.
- **Bombay** Teams of two men and two women, OR three men and one woman. All handicaps applied. Winners based on total team score. Three scores out of four are counted for each hole, with high score thrown out.
- **Women's Calcutta** Four woman teams. All handicap applied. Winners based on total team score. Three scores out of four are counted for each hole, with high score thrown out.
- Men's Calcutta Four man teams. All handicap applied. Winners based on total team score.
- **Mixed Luck of the Draw -** Combination of men and women for each team, paired by handicap using an A, B, C & D flight player. Three scores out of four are counted each hole for an overall team score.
- **Two Person (Open) Calcutta -** Two person teams. Scramble (best ball) format both days, with an auction being held after day one. Winners based on low team total for both days with a maximum improvement of seven shots for day two. Auction money and players' pool money will be paid.
- **Men's and Women's Handicap Championship** 18-hole rounds of match-play tournament using handicaps applied by subtracting the lowest handicap of the foursome from the other three in the group (the low handicap player plays scratch).

Turkey Shoot - 4 or 5 person groups (make your own). Individual prizes paid out in frozen turkeys.

#### **PLAYING TIMES**

# Revisions to course closings and playing times, at the discretion of the Board, will be announced via email and Facebook.

<u>Monday</u>	Due to course maintenance every Monday, excluding holidays, golfers start play on the back
	nine until noon. After completion of the back, you may proceed to the front, regardless of the
	time you finish.
<u>Tuesday</u>	One Nine will be closed for Men's Morning League from 9 a.m 11:30 a.m. No public play
	until 9:00 a.m.
<b>Wednesday</b>	One Nine will be closed after 5 p.m. for Men's League.
Thursday	Ladies' League Day, Course will not be closed.
Friday	Open Day
<b>Saturday</b>	See Golf Calendar for Scheduled Activities and Events
Sunday	See Golf Calendar for Scheduled Activities and Events

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DAY	BY THEMSELVES	WITH AN ADULT (16 AND OLDER)
Monday	9:00 a.m. to 4 p.m.	All Day
Tuesday	All Day (On the side opposite MEN'S AM LEAGUE 9-11:30 AM.)	All Day (On the side opposite MEN'S AM LEAGUE 9-11:30 AM.)
Wednesday	All Day On the side opposite men's league, after 5:00 p.m.	All Day On the side opposite men's league, after 5:00 p.m.
Thursday	All Day	All Day
Friday	Daylight to 4 p.m.	All Day
Saturday	After 4 p.m. (Check for Events)	All Day (Check for Events)
Sunday & Holidays	After 4 p.m. (Check for Events)	All Day (Check for Events)

Beginning times are times that youth golfers may start a round from the 1st (or 10th, when only the back side is open) tee. Ending times are the times youth players should be off the course. **Be sure to consult the calendar** for weekend events and activities.

#### WOMEN'S 2018 SCHEDULE

April 30
June 7
October 13

Spring Banquet - 6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 6:30 p.m. Dinner Women's League begins - 5:45 p.m. (alternating front and back nines) Fall Banquet - 6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 6:30 p.m. Dinner

# WOMEN'S LEAGUE\*

- Women's League will play on Thursdays. Teams may play anytime between 8:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. We will alternate front and back nines each week. The course will not be closed for league play. In the event of rain or heat cancellation, league will be played the following week and an extra week will be added at the end of the schedule.
- Each team plays with it's own team members. Teams will be playing against another team, but not together. There will be a different format played each week in addition to the usual scoring for prize money.
- Teams are played with 4 members with the total of the best 3 net scores being used as a team score. In the case of a tie, the 4<sup>th</sup> players' scores will be used to break the tie. If one team has 4 players and the other team has 3 players, the team with 4 players wins the tied match. If, after counting the 4<sup>th</sup> score the match is still tied, the result is a tie. You must have two team members present; otherwise, your team forfeits the match. A KAT score of net 45 will be used for the third score when a team has only 2 members' scores to post.
- Each team must turn in a scorecard that is signed by two team members. Cards that are not signed properly will result in an automatic disqualification.
- League Fees are \$40.00 per person and must be paid in full by the Spring Banquet. This fee includes League dues, handicap fee, the Spring and Fall Banquets with dinners, prizes, women's Club Championship entry, and Handicap Tournament entry. No entry fee or portion thereof will be refunded for any reason.

\* This is a new day and format for 2018! Please review; call the clubhouse with any questions.

#### **MEN'S LEAGUE**

April 30	Spring Banquet - 6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 6:30 p.m. Dinner
May 2	Men's League begins - 5:30 p.m. (alternating front and back nines)
October 13	Fall Banquet - 6:00 p.m. Cocktails, 6:30 p.m. Dinner

- League Fees are \$45 per person. This entry fee includes League dues, the Spring and Fall Banquets with dinners, Club Championship entry, and Handicap Tournament entry, and handicap fee. No entry fee or portion thereof will be refunded for any reason.
- The sponsor fee is \$10 per team. All fees are to be paid in full by the Spring Banquet.
- No team may have more than four members with starting handicaps of eight or less to begin the season. Each team should have a minimum of six members and have their rosters listed by May 1. Prior to this date, those club members who are not yet selected by a team and who wish to participate in league play will be assigned to a team by the league chairman to those teams having the least number of players. There may be no changes in team composition whatsoever after June 1st without the chairman's approval.
- Starting time for matches will be on Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. and Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. The rainout day for Wednesday league will be on Thursday at 5:30 p.m. and no rainout makeup for Tuesday league. The 9 holes being used for league will be closed at 5:00 p.m. to all, except those participating in golf league. No exceptions will be permitted. A shotgun start will be used with the starting tees being assigned by the league chairman. Any player who is not at his assigned tee at the start is considered absent and cannot compete. A team may use 4 players each week with the best 3 net scores being used. In case of a tie, the 4th player's score will be used to break the tie. If still tied, the match will be recorded as a tie. Two players from each team participating should line up against 2 players from the opposing team for that week. If a team has only 2 players, a KAT score of net 45 can be used. If a team does not have at least 2 players ready by the starting time, they automatically forfeit the match.

- A team competing with a player whose dues are not paid in full will also forfeit the match. Any player starting play must finish the round and turn in his score under penalty of the loss of the match by the team, except in emergencies. The league chairman or a person designated by him will determine if matches should be played or suspended after a maximum delay of 45 minutes. If unplayable conditions persist, matches will be postponed until Thursday and all scores from the regularly scheduled date will be void. In case of rain or darkness on Thursday, all matches will be permanently canceled. IN CASE OF LIGHTNING and the horn blows, ALL PLAY IS SUSPENDED IMMEDIATELY NO EXCEPTIONS.
- Only the nine holes being used by league will be closed. We will alternate nines weekly.
- Players must have a handicap or play from scratch. A player must have five 18-hole rounds posted to establish a league handicap. We will use half a player's 18-hole handicap for league play. Hole-by-hole scores will be kept on the same card. ALL SCORECARDS MUST BE SIGNED BY A PLAYER FROM BOTH TEAMS. The scorekeeper will post all gross and net scores on league score sheets and turn in their scorecards to the league chairman. USGA rules will govern all play except for local golf and ground rules. Both teams face a forfeit if all scores are not signed for, attested and turned in.
- Ties will be considered as half a win and half a loss. If two opposing teams both fail to have the required minimum number of players (2), each team will be charged with a loss. Team net scores will be the total of the three scores used per team per week.
- **PRIZE DISTRIBUTION** (Season TEAM prizes) 1st Place-\$250 and sponsor trophies - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place-\$150 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place -\$100

# MEN'S LEAGUE PLAYOFFS

- A three-week, elimination playoff will be held on successive Wednesdays immediately following the last Wednesday of league play. Eight teams will make the playoffs; four division winners and four wild-card teams. The wild-card teams will be the non-divisional winners with the best win-loss record. In case of a tie, the team with the lowest net average makes the playoffs. If there is still a tie, then a coin toss by the league chairman or his designate will decide the winner. To be eligible for the playoffs, a team may not have forfeited more than three times and a player must have posted four league scores to be eligible to compete in the playoffs.
- The same format used during the regular season will be used for the playoffs including the STARTING TIME of 5:00 p.m. In case of inclement weather, all scores will be canceled and the match will start fresh on Thursday. In case of rain on Thursday, the match will be played on the following Wednesday and so on until all matches are completed. Tie matches will be decided by the 4<sup>th</sup> player's score. If a tie still remains, the last six holes score with appropriate handicap, the last three holes with appropriate handicap, and finally the ninth hole with appropriate handicap will be used to break the tie. If a tie still remains, the winning team will be decided by the low team net average for the year.

# LAKE RULES

- 1. NO SWIMMING ALLOWED.
- 2. Boating limited to row boats, canoes, sailboats, & paddle boats.
- 3. Electric trolling motors only.
- 4. Every boat must conform to State Safety Regulations for life jackets.
- 5. An adult must supervise children, in a boat, who are under 12 years of age.
- 6. No live minnows allowed for fish bait.
- 7. Fish limits according to state game laws.
- 8. Any boat left at the lake must be padlocked as a safety precaution from children.
- 9. NO CAMPING ALLOWED in lake area.
- 10. Ice fishing & ice-skating are prohibited.
- 11. Trash must be disposed of in containers provided.
- 12. No fishing in cove on #11.
- 13. NO hunting or firearms allowed on premises.

# VALLEY VIEW POOL RENTAL

Valley View swimming pool may be rented to *members only* for private parties under the following conditions:

- 1. The member renting the pool must be present at the party. Rental hours may be from 10:00 am 12:00 pm and 7:00 pm 11:00 pm.
- 2. All non-members who swim during the regular hours will be charged the regular fee for swimming. (Example: if the party is scheduled for 7:00 pm until 11:00 pm and a guest to the party comes out to swim before the party begins, they will be expected to pay the daily swimming fee.) Any non-member guests may swim at the party regardless of whether they have been out during the current month.
- 3. The same swimming rules and regulations that are enforced during normal swimming hours will apply to all parties. No flotation devices will be allowed.
- 4. No food allowed on the pool deck.
- 5. The lifeguard has the authority to close the pool if deemed necessary.
- 6. Any member wanting to rent the pool outside the regular business hours will need to submit a pool rental form at least two weeks prior to rental. The number of guests expected will need to be known in order to schedule the appropriate number of lifeguards. You may cancel the party (before the party begins) due to the weather conditions and receive a full refund. If the party has begun and the weather turns bad, you will be expected to pay a portion of the rental fee. The pool may be rented for \$50 payable to Valley View Club when submitting a pool rental form.

# POOL OPERATIONS

Please call the clubhouse with any questions concerning the pool at 937-3938.

#### **Pool Rules & Regulations**

- 1. No preschool children are to be left in either pool area without a parent or guardian. Babysitters must be sixteen years of age.
- 2. The pool will be open 12-6pm daily with lifeguards on duty from Memorial Day to Labor Day. There will be no lifeguard on duty from 10am-12pm and from 6pm-8pm, this time is for members only 18 years and over. Minor children must be accompanied by a member 18 years or older during these time. From August 15-Labor Day, the pool will be open daily for members from 10am-3pm with no lifeguard on duty for ages 18 and older, and open from 3pm-6pm with a lifeguard on duty. We will have signs posted around the pool area. On Memorial Day, Fourth of July, & Labor Day, pool will open at 10am. Any special times other than these (e.g. early spring & late fall while school is in session) will be posted.
- 3. Sponsored guest fees within 50-mile area \$5.00 per person & allowed TWO visits per month.
- 4. Sponsored guest fees outside 50 miles -- \$5.00 per person no limit on visits.
- 5. Members are responsible for seeing that the fees of the guests are taken care of before entrance. Members are subject to discipline by the club for guests' non-payment of fees.
- 6. Public Swimming: Cost \$5.00 Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday.
- 7. Mothers or guardians in the pool area & dressed for supervision only no charge. Lifeguards are NOT responsible for wading pool supervision.
- 8. No pets in pool area.
- 9. No smoking in pool area. (Inside fence and bathhouse)
- 10. Both members and guests must register before going into pool.
- 11. No paper, food, candy, shoes, etc. are to be taken into pool area.
- 12. Bathhouse restrooms are for SWIMMERS ONLY.
- 13. STATE LAW REQUIRES that all who swim take a nude shower. Our pool is a pool, not a bathtub.
- 14. NO LATE NIGHT SWIMMING UNLESS APPROVED BY POOL MANAGER!
- 15. No cutoffs or tee shirts in pool. Long hair must be tied back or a swim cap worn when in pool.
- 16. Call ahead to make sure the pool is open if you're coming to swim later in the day or after inclement weather.

# **SWIMMING LESSONS**

Members and non-members welcome. Tots ages 3–5 <u>must</u> be accompanied by an adult. Cost per session is \$30 for members and \$40 for non-members for a two-week session (payable first day of lessons). Lessons run Monday – Friday and are held at Valley View Club. For registration, call or text Lana Stahl McDonough at 309-945-6587.

<u>Session #1</u> June 11 – June 22		<u>Session #2</u> June 25 – July 6 (No Lessons on July 4)	
Advanced Swimmer	9:00-9:40	Intermediate	9:00-9:40
Intermediate	9:45-10:25	Adv. Beginners	9:45-10:25
Adv. Beginners	10:30-11:10	Beginners	10:30-11:10
Beginners	11:10-11:55	TOTS	11:15-11:55

Swimming lessons are taught by Lana Stahl McDonough and Certified Water Safety Instructors.

#### WATER YOGA

Water yoga classes will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 6-7pm, and Thursday mornings from 11am-12pm. Sunday classes may be held depending on interest from participants. Classes start on **June 5<sup>th</sup>** and end on **August 30<sup>st</sup>**. Costs are \$5 per class for all participants and non-members will pay a one-time fee of \$10. Call Linda Lindburg at 309-945-7496 or email <u>lmb339@gmail.com</u> for more information.

# **CLUBHOUSE RULES**

#### **Club Room Rental**

Valley View's Club Room can be rented to hold receptions, dinners, showers, special parties, and other social activities.

#### Members and *immediate* family members rates:

- \$50 for 75 People or less (children included); \$100 DAMAGE DEPOSIT REQUIRED
- \$100 for OVER 75 People; \$200 DAMAGE DEPOSIT REQUIRED
- \$50.00 CLEANUP DEPOSIT REQUIRED, Regardless of Number of People
- \$50 BARTENDER FEE during winter hours Oct. 15-Apr. 15 if you want a bartender on duty

#### Non-members and inactive member rates:

- \$150 for 75 People or Less (children included); \$150 DAMAGE DEPOSIT REQUIRED
- \$250 for OVER 75 People; \$250 DAMAGE DEPOSIT REQUIRED
- \$50.00 CLEANUP DEPOSIT REQUIRED, Regardless of Number of People
- \$50 BARTENDER FEE during winter hours Oct. 15-Apr. 15 if you want a bartender on duty

#### 1. Liquor for any activity held at the club must be purchased through the lounge.

- 2. Scheduled all-member activities have precedence over individual or non-member reservations.
- 3. Anyone making a reservation must notify the clubhouse reservation chairperson at 309-937-3938 to discuss any special arrangements that may be required.
- 4. Garbage **MUST** be put into the designated area.
- 5. A deduction from deposit will be made if Clubhouse is not cleaned and left in same condition as when it was rented.
- 6. All scheduled activities must be cleared with the Lounge Committee.
- 7. No reservations will be permitted on Holidays from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend.
- 8. Bathing suits cannot be worn in club rooms or clubhouse bathrooms. Shirts will be worn at all times in club room.
- 9. All children 12 years of age and under must be supervised.
- 10. Acceptable chaperones shall be required at all teenage scheduled activities.
- \*\* Members and Non-members are expected to clean and leave the facility as it was found tables & chairs put away and set up as they were before the rental. Club committees are expected to clean up after club functions.

# **CAMPGROUND RULES & REGULATIONS**

- 1. Camping permitted only in established areas.
- Pavilion rental for social activities shall be available to members for \$25 for parties or groups of 25–75 people. Over 75 people: \$100. Non-members fee shall be \$40 for up to 40 people; \$100 for 40–100 people; \$250 over 100 people.
- 3. Reservations need to be made with the Campgrounds chairman.
- 4. A fee of \$350 for season-long campers will be charged. Each campsite pays for electricity consumed in addition to the above fee. There will also be a \$100 storage fee to store campers over the winter months.
- 5. Member campers who tent camp a day or two at a time (non-permanent) will be charged either \$2 per day or \$15 for the season.
- 6. MEMBER & GUEST FEES: All guests must be sponsored by a member. That member will be responsible for those guests and their fees. Member and Guest fees will be \$17 per night per camping unit. Guest privileges include camping and fishing, and are limited to 14 days per year.
- 7. Campsites must be cleaned daily and waste deposited in containers provided. Please maintain a clean campsite.
- 8. All pets must be kept on a leash with maximum length of ten feet.
- 9. Firearms, fireworks and pellet type guns are prohibited at all times. All wildlife, flora and fauna are to be protected.
- 10. Fires are permissible in designated areas.
- 11. Quiet is requested after 11pm.
- 12. No trenching or digging in campgrounds or picnic areas.
- 13. Picnickers will abide by camping rules where applicable.
- 14. Campground is to be entered only from highway entrance. LAKE ROAD IS NOT TO BE USED.
- 15. Trailers over eight feet wide are not allowed.
- 16. Campgrounds open April 15 and close October 15.
- 17. All sewage lines must be unhooked by October 15.
- 18. Only a community garden in one designated area is acceptable.
- 19. All work of any kind done to campground, bathhouse, or pavilion must be approved by the campground committee before the work is started.
- 20. NO hunting allowed in campground area.
- 21. As of 1996, storage sheds must be approved by a member of the campground committee before they are built. Maximum size of a storage shed should not exceed 8' X 12'.
- 22. Parking is permitted on the grass only on the perimeter of the campground. No vehicles are allowed to drive on the grass unless parking or removing a camper. You may drive to camper to unload groceries, etc., then park on the perimeter.
- 23. New full time campers must receive approval of a campsite selection by a member of the campground committee.
- 24. Only playground equipment furnished by Valley View will be permitted.
- 25. No mini bikes or motorbikes in the campground except on the roadway, and only driven by licensed drivers.
- 26. No washers or dryers will be allowed in a camper or shed.
- 27. Any changes, additions, alterations, or other actions to your campground site must be approved by the campground committee or Valley View Board of Directors.
- 28. No permanent golf cart storage is permitted at the campgrounds.
- 29. If golf carts are temporarily parked overnight by a member's camping space, the keys must be removed to prevent vandalism of the cart or course.

# **GOLF CART SHEDS**

The Board of Directors, through their representative, controls the assignment and occupancy of the cart sheds. Once a member has been assigned to a cart shed, it means that only the member has the privilege of using that shed for his or her golf cart. The member does not have the right to give the use of the shed to a friend without first obtaining permission.

A list of cart sheds and occupants will be kept by the lounge staff.

Members wishing to rent a shed should submit their names to the lounge. As a vacancy occurs, it will be filled by the first name on the list. All cart sheds must be equipped with a lock supplied by the occupant.

#### Refrigerators are not allowed in any cart sheds.

#### **CART SHED HANDICAP PARKING**

A parking spot has been added east of the gas barrel, adjacent to the maintenance shed for member use. Board approval must be obtained for use of this spot.

#### **HANDICAPS**

The yearly handicap fee is \$15.00.

The \$15 is for an 18-hole handicap for both men and women.

Handicapping, based on course rating and slope rating, is the equalizer among golfers of different abilities. We use a handicapping system that is based on the USGA handicap system, which is simple and thorough enough, to give you a fair handicap.

#### YOU ARE REQUIRED TO TURN IN A SIGNED SCORECARD WITH YOUR MEMBER NUMBER FOR EACH ROUND YOU PLAY.

There will be NO posting sheet for you to post a score. Once scorecards are turned in, the lounge employees will post scores. **Each card must have at least 2 players and 2 signatures on it.** Please write first and last names on the cards as well as your member number (your member number is located on the handicap posting sheet to the left of your name). Also, please write the current handicap of the players on the card. Completed scorecards should be turned in to the appropriate boxes located on the scorecard table in the lounge.

# **POST ALL SCORES – INCLUDING 9-HOLE ROUNDS**

The handicap software will put two 9-hole rounds together to make one full 18 hole round for handicap purposes. The 9-hole rounds do NOT have to be consecutive.

We will be posting nine-hole rounds as well as 18-hole rounds (2 signatures are still required). Place the cards in the appropriate box on the scorecard table in the lounge (white box for white tees, blue box for blue tees).

#### HOW TO ADJUST YOUR SCORECARD FOR HANDICAP CALCULATION

Depending on your course handicap, you can only take a maximum number of strokes on any given hole. If your score on any hole is over that set maximum, then you must "adjust" that hole's score to reflect the maximum number of strokes you are allowed. Use the chart below to determine your maximum score per hole.

<b>1</b>	<u>Maximum score on any Hole</u> double bogie (2 over par)
10 - 19 20 - 29	
30 — 39 40 & higher	

#### **PLEASE**

~Take the time to read through this yearbook and review it with all members of your family. ~ As members, we accept the responsibility of understanding and abiding by the rules, regulations and conditions set forth in this booklet, and helping the club to enforce them.

#### **ENJOY AND SUPPORT YOUR CLUB!**

Take part in the breakfasts and events on **Memorial Day, the Fourth of July, and Labor Day!** Look for the signup sheet in the lounge for the steak fry after both the **Bombay and Calcutta tournaments.** 

# **Reminders**

- ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONSUMED ON THE CLUB'S GROUNDS *MUST BE PURCHASED THROUGH THE LOUNGE*!
- Dates and times listed in this yearbook are subject to change. Please check in or call the lounge to confirm times and dates for any events.
- All guests and public players are required to sign a guest register at the time their greens fees are paid.
- Members are limited to hosting the same local players as guests (less than 50 miles from Valley View) only ONCE in the same calendar month.
- Check the Valley View web site at <u>http://www.valleyviewclub.org</u> or Valley View Facebook page at <u>www.facebook.com/valleyview82</u> for all updates.
- Pari-mutuel payouts for Calcutta will be paid out beginning the Thursday following the tournament.

 The pool will be open to the public on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.
 Before coming to swim later in the day or after inclement weather, be sure to call to make sure that the pool is open.

Attention: there is no parking down by the maintenance building with the exception of the handicapped parking noted above.

Due to course maintenance every Monday, excluding holidays, golfers start play on the back nine until noon. After completion of the back, you may proceed to the front, regardless of the time you finish.

\*Monthly installments must be made by deadlines in order to utilize the course and facilities when play resumes in the spring. If your membership is not paid in full by May 1st, 2018, you will not be allowed to play at the Club or in any events until full payment has been received. Any member not paid in full by May 1st shall be charged a \$25 late fee per installment that has not been received.\*