

# **Member Benefits**

2023 Calendar of Events

### **OUR VISION:**

Established in 1929, the Calgary Ladies Golf Association is a not-for-profit organization representing more than 4000 women and junior golfers from 35 member clubs in Calgary and surrounding area.

"The CLGA exists to foster participation and excellence in ladies golf while spreading passion for the game"

We are committed to continued delivery of best in class tournaments and events that contribute to growing the game by providing golfers of all ages and abilities the opportunity to compete at their highest desired level or enhance their recreational enjoyment of the game.

As a CLGA member, you are invited to sign up for the CLGA amateur competitions and events, skills development and hospitality leagues. The variety of programming offered encapsulates the unprecedented opportunity members experience through organized city-wide programming not found anywhere else in Canada.

## THE YEAR AHEAD IN GOLF: 2023 SEASON CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

Rileys Best Ball Ladies Classic The 2023 season kicks off in March with early registration in the longest running best ball tournament in North America, the 37th Riley's Best Ball Ladies Classic<sub>TM</sub>. The lowest combined indexes of two-member teams from the same club constitute 48 teams that are separated into a championship, first and second flight competition. All teams are guaranteed two games in a double knock out series. A and B side finals in each flight are played and celebrated on Championship Sunday in June hosted at Canyon Meadows.

**CHAMPS** Players that are interested in meeting like-minded golfers who prefer a moderate level of competition sprinkled with a heavy dose of camaraderie may find the **City Hospitality and Match Play Section** (CHAMPS) most appealing.

The CHAMPS league is an interclub team match play event that is a round-robin schedule of games between participating clubs. The event features two A players and two B players from each club competing against four players from another club with similar playing abilities. Following golf, the focus turns to fun where players share their experience of the day over lunch. Friendships formed, good golf and 'rather forget' incidents are shared in a wind up tournament hosted at a different club each year in September.

**Medalist Series** The **Medalist** is a series of 5 one-day tournaments that brings together seasoned competitors who relish both personal challenge and team competition and spirit. Eligibility requires competitors to carry a handicap factor of 12 or less. Each tournament has a 24-player field divided in to 6 teams of four players competing against each other in a 2 best net format. At season end, individual performances are recognized and rewarded after cumulative statistics for most fairways, greens in regulation and up and downs are tallied. The highest honors are bestowed to the players with lowest scoring averages for the series.

Calgary Ladies Closed City Amateur The City Ladies Amateur is considered to be the marquee tournament of the CLGA season and is open to any member who carries an official Golf Canada handicap factor. The competition is a flighted, 54-hole, 3-day, sanctioned stroke play event. The field is comprised of 96 women and juniors assigned to approximately 8 flights. The City Ladies Amateur and Runner up champion and crowned based on lowest total 3-day gross scores.



Calgary Ladies Closed Senior Amateur The City Senior Ladies Amateur is a flighted 36 hole, 2day, sanctioned stroke play event. It is open to senior ladies over the age of 50. Awards are based on two aged groups; City Senior Amateur 50-64 and City Super Senior Amateur 65+. Both champions are crowned based on their 2-day cumulative gross scores. The field is comprised of 96 members who carry an official Golf Canada handicap factor from 0-44.

Calgary Junior Girls Open Amateur The City Junior Girls Amateur is a flighted, 2-day, stroke play event open to both CLGA members and non-members 18 years of age and under. The event is being featured on the Maple Leaf Tour in Carstairs for the second year. The Development Camp and 9-hole tournament for new to the game junior golfers is being held at Golfuture YYC - no handicap required.

The **Tournament of Champions** brings together CLGA member club champions from private and public clubs with an exclusive invitation to one final head-to-head competition. The 18-hole event rewards both a gross and net "champion of the club champions".

#### 2023 CLGA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Riley's Best Ball Ladies Classic Registration March, Matches May/June

Championship June 27, Canyon Meadows

Register at your home course April/May **CHAMPS** City Hospitality Wind Up September 11, Turner Valley GC and Match Play Section

Medalist Series May through September, Springbank Links, Canyon

Meadows, Silver Springs, Sirocco, Winston

**Calgary Ladies Closed City Amateur** June 19, 20 & 21, Pinebrook Golf Club

Calgary Junior Girls Open City Amateur July 17-18, Carstairs Golf Club

Calgary Junior Girls Development Camp July 13, Golfuture YYC

& 9-Hole tournament

Calgary Ladies Closed Senior Amateur July 31 & August 1, Willow Park Golf Club

**Tournament of Champions** September 19, Country Hills Golf Club

> **DETAILS and REGISTRATION** for all TOURNAMENTS AND EVENTS and the CLGA NEWSLETTER can be found at:

www.calgaryladiesgolf.ca



#### **CLGA MEMBER CLUBS**

**Bearspaw Golf Club Calgary Golf & Country Club Canal at Delacour Canyon Meadows Golf & Country Club Carnmoney Golf Club Carstairs Golf Club Cochrane Golf Club Cottonwood Golf & Country Club Country Hills Golf Club Earl Grey Golf Club Elbow Springs Golf Club Glencoe Golf & Country Club** The Hamptons Golf Club **Heritage Pointe Highwood Golf** Inglewood Golf & Curling Club Lakeside Golf Club Lynx Ridge Golf Club Maple Ridge **Mickelson National Pinebrook Golf and Country Club Priddis Greens Redwood Meadows Golf and Country Club** River's Edge Golf Club

Shaganappi Ladies Golf Club
Silver Springs Golf Club
Sirocco Golf Club
Strathmore Golf Club
Springbank Links Golf Club
Turner Valley Golf Club
Valley Ridge Golf Club
Willow Park Golf & Country Club
Wintergreen Golf and Country Club

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