

**37th ANNUAL BARBECUE FESTIVAL GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
**LEXINGTON GOLF CLUB**  
**SATURDAY & SUNDAY OCTOBER 17 - 18, 2020**

**FORMAT:** 36 hole best ball stroke play championship. The tournament will be flighted after Saturday's round. The tournament will be based on both Saturday's and Sunday's round.

**TEES:** All players will play from the **BLUE** tee markers.

**TIES:** Ties for first place in the Championship Flight will be played off on hole #18 immediately following play on Sunday. All other ties will result in a splitting of the respective prize monies. For ties that result in a split leaving less than \$30.00 per certificate, a scorecard playoff on a randomly selected hole will occur.

**BUST OUT:** If a team shoots better than twice what they are behind plus 5, 6 or 7 (to be drawn if necessary) they will bust out of their flight and move up to the next flight. That team will be eligible to win prizes in that flight.

**RULES OF PLAY**

**USGA RULES OF GOLF APPLY EXCEPT WHERE AMENDED BY THE FOLLOWING LOCAL RULES.**

**PLAY PREFERRED LIES:**

Play preferred lies everywhere except penalty areas. The ball may be lifted, cleaned and placed within one club length of the original ball, no closer to the hole, and must stay in the same condition (fairway, rough, bunker) of the original ball.

**OUT OF BOUNDS:**

Defined by inside edge of paved roads and white stakes. When a ball crosses a boundary and comes to rest on another part of the golf course, the ball is still considered out of bounds. (Example: Hitting over the road on #13 and the ball coming to rest on #16. That ball is still out of bounds.) *When playing #16, the road is considered an obstruction – not a boundary.* Penalty for a ball out of bounds is stroke and distance.

**GROUND UNDER REPAIR:**

Ground under repair is marked by white paint. All areas that are under construction, newly sodded or sprigged, or are covered by straw are considered ground under repair. Tracks made by equipment are considered ground under repair.

**CART PATHS AND ROADS:**

All cart paths and state roads (maintenance) are considered obstructions. Areas immediately surrounding cart paths that are washed out or covered with rocks are to be considered part of the cart path.

**PENALTY AREAS AND BOUNDARIES:**

All penalty areas are marked by red lines and stakes.  
All boundaries are marked by white stakes, white lines or city streets.

**DROP AREAS:**

There is a drop circle on hole #4. Use it if you lose your ball in the penalty area on the right. One shot penalty.  
There is a drop circle on hole #6. Use it if you lose your ball behind the green. One shot penalty.  
There is a drop circle on hole #14. Use it if you lose your ball in the penalty area on the right. One shot penalty.  
There is a drop circle on hole #16. Use it if you lose your ball behind the green. One shot penalty.

**MULCH:**

Mulch areas are part of the golf course; regular rules apply.

**PACE OF PLAY:**

Completion of 18 holes should not exceed 4 hours and 15 minutes. Please keep pace with the group ahead.

**LOCAL RULES:**

Flagsticks should remain in the hole during play.  
A ball must come to rest in the hole to be considered holed out.  
The right side of the red line on #4 is a penalty area until the ball crosses the creek in front of the green.  
A ball that strikes the power line on #4 must be replayed.  
The left side of #5 is a penalty area. This line ends beside #7 green.  
The left side of #8 is a penalty area. This line ends at #4 tee.  
The right side of #16 is a penalty area. You **may not** play from the right of the red line.  
The entire left side of #17 is a penalty area. A ball **may not** be played if it is left of the top of the left creek bank.