

NEWSLETTER

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Golf Course Etiquette

Cart Path Only Rule

- "Cart path only" is a rule that may be in effect at a golf course under certain circumstances such as weather or turf conditions and will be called at the direction of the Golf Course Superintendent. Golfers using motorized golf carts must keep those carts on the designated cart paths at all times when this rule is in effect, no exceptions! Driving your cart through rough and out into the fairway after a rain can leave ruts or otherwise damage the grass, which is why keeping off the turf is advised during these times.

Show up Early

- Most golf courses are very tight on their scheduling, that's why you are required to make a Tee Time and account for all guests in your party. Showing up late to your Tee Time could cause issues for other players who are scheduled for Tee Times, especially during peak play hours on the Weekends and Holidays.
- Strive to arrive at least 15-20 minutes prior to your Tee Time to allow adequate time for you to check in, pay for your round, purchase anything you might need from the pro shop or restaurant, obtain your assigned golf cart, go to your vehicle and load up your golf clubs and belongings, and head to the driving range to warm up with practice balls before heading the Tee #1 for your scheduled Tee Time.

Pace of Play

- Proper pace of play is 2 hours for a foursome playing 9 holes, and 4 hours for 18 holes. Play ready golf! Each group is responsible for maintaining the proper interval between yours and the group ahead of you.
- If your pace is slow and you are falling behind, you must step aside and let faster players through as soon as it is convenient. If you are unable to do so, you will be asked to pick up and skip the hole.
- Players continuing to cause slow play may be asked to discontinue their round. During heavy play hours, the Pro Shop may combine twosomes and singles to achieve maximum play. Singles or twosomes playing behind threesomes or foursomes must maintain their position on the course unless specifically invited to play thru.
- There is a 3-minute limit on finding a lost ball.





Pro Shop News



From the Desk of the LVGC General Manager/ Director of Operations

- LVGC Rules and Regulations - We were able to collaborate with our Golf Course Advisory Committee and put together an official Golf Course Rules and Regulations Document which was published and put into practice in February 2023. This document will serve as a valuable standard tool in providing regulatory guidance and compliance outlines expected at Lago Vista Golf Course. You can find this document on our website under Golf Course - Operating Procedures.
- Pro Shop Updates- The Golf Course Pro Shop received a new glass door entrance that was needed as a sound barrier from the restaurant and bar area, new security cameras for safety measures, and an overhaul on the landscaping and flower beds out front has taken place as well.
- Golf Club + Pickle Ball Rentals - If you didn't know, we offer Golf Club and Pickle Ball Rentals in our Pro Shop. We have both right and left handed rental Callaway club sets which are new and shiny amenities in which we offer. The rental rate for 18 holes is \$35.00 and \$20.00 for 9 holes. We currently have 2 pickle ball rental sets on hand that are provided in an easy to carry mesh backpack. The rental rate for the pickle ball set is \$5.00 each.
- Golf Club Grip Replacements Services - We have a great selection of golf club grips in stock, and if you don't see what you're looking for, we can order it for you! Most of our staff is trained on how to provide this service and always take pride in the precision of the installation process. The rate for golf grip replacements are just the cost of the grip if you purchase from us, the installation is FREE. Currently we carry Golf Pride, Karma, Lamkin, Super Stroke, Taki-Mac, Flat Cat, and Winn products.
- Merchandise + Accessories - We provide a wide variety of merchandise and accessories for both our golfing community and souvenirs for the general public. We carry both Men's and Women's apparel, shoes, hats, gloves, and golf accessories at reasonable prices. Currently we carry products from Adidas, Asics, Bridgestone, Callaway, Coby Stevens, Dist Rict Re-Tee's, Footjoy, Gloveit Apparel, Greg Norman, Larry Reed, Peter Millar, Pukka, Sport-tek, Srixon, Sun Mountain, Taylormade, Titleist, and Travis Mathew.

-Amanda Harkins

Staff Updates:

- We are almost fully staffed for the Pro Shop Crew!
 - 4 part-time in the Pro Shop.
 - 2 full-time and 4 part-time in the Cart Barn.
 - 14 volunteer Marshal's.
 - Still looking for 2 volunteer Marshal's, and 1 full-time candidate for the Pro Shop who would be able to provide golf lessons and serve as the on staff Golf Pro.

Goal Updates:

- Cart barn has received new fans, heaters and misting system.
- We have contracted with a golf cart repair technician to keep up on the golf cart maintenance and repairs as needed.
- The storage shed has had an overhaul and is now clean and organized in preparations of a new range ball machine, which we are still trying to obtain.
- New outdoor lighting around the clubhouse has been added to ensure safety measure after dark, and the restaurant operator has added games and activities to the back patio.



Golf Course News



From the Desk of the LVGC Superintendent

Lago Vista Golf Course Updates Since January -

- The first round of aerification was completed on March 7th and 8th.
- Ball washers were removed from the course to be sent out for refurbishing, and will be reinstalled once they are repaired and returned.
- The restrooms and cart path on #14 were repaired from the damage that occurred last summer.
- Several areas along the cart path edges were filled in as safety precautions.
- Continuing efforts and collaboration with the GCAC and Golf Course Architect have been in full force for the Golf Course Master Plan with all possible renovation scenarios.
- The Superintendent has been working with The Public Works Director on planning efforts towards a potential CO (Certificate of Obligation) Bond that would be used for the Cities infrastructure concerning the effluent water system. These efforts have been at the top of the Cities priority list since the Golf Course irrigation system is used for a method of disbursal for the Cities effluent water.
- The GCM (Golf Course Maintenance) has been continuously working on the irrigation system repairs, as this is an ongoing process.

Lago Vista Golf Course Plans thru June -

- The second round of aerification will take place on Monday June 5th.
- The Golf Course tree trimming service provider will begin the tree trimming project sometime in July to ensure that Oak Wilt season is over and will not cause a threat to the already fragile trees located throughout the Golf Course property.
- Continuing efforts will commence with the GCAC and Golf Course Architect to come up with a finalized Master Plan to include potential renovation that would benefit not only the golf community, but the citizens as well by providing beneficial amenities for the public to enjoy.
- The superintendent will continue to work with the Public Works Director on planning efforts towards obtaining a potential CO bond for the effluent water system.
- GCM will continue to work on filling in unsafe areas along the cart path edges.

-Sean Vance

Staff Updates:

We are almost fully staffed on the maintenance team!

-5 full-time maintenance staff.

-1 part-time maintenance staff.

-Still looking for 1 full-time candidate to complete our current budgeted staff positions.



Calendar Events



Please check our website calendar for any additional Tournament or event information @www.lagovistagc.com!

- **4/16/2023 - Lago Vista Elementary School PTO Tournament**
- **04/18/2023 - WGA Eclectic Tournament (am)
- Capital Area Private & Parochial School (CAPPS) Tournament (pm)**
- **04/19/2023 - WGA Eclectic Tournament (am)
- Capital Area Private & Parochial (CAPPS) School Tournament (pm)**
- **05/02/2023 - Lago Vista High School Tournament**
- **05/05/2023 - Lion's Club Tournament (application & Info attached)**
- **05/14/2023 - USGA Jr. Tour & Little Linksters Tournament**
- **05/18/2023 - MGA Championship Tournament**
- **05/19/2023 - MGA Championship Tournament**
- **06/05/2023 - Golf Course Aerification**

Participant sign-ups and spectators are always welcome!





Lago Vista Elementary School
Parent Teacher Organization

LVES PTO 3rd Annual Spring
GOLF TOURNAMENT

Sunday, April 16th, 2023



Lago Vista
Golf Course

**Team Tickets/Sponsors:
lvespto.org/golf-tournament**

Date: Sunday, April 16th, 2023

Time: Shot gun start: 12:00pm.

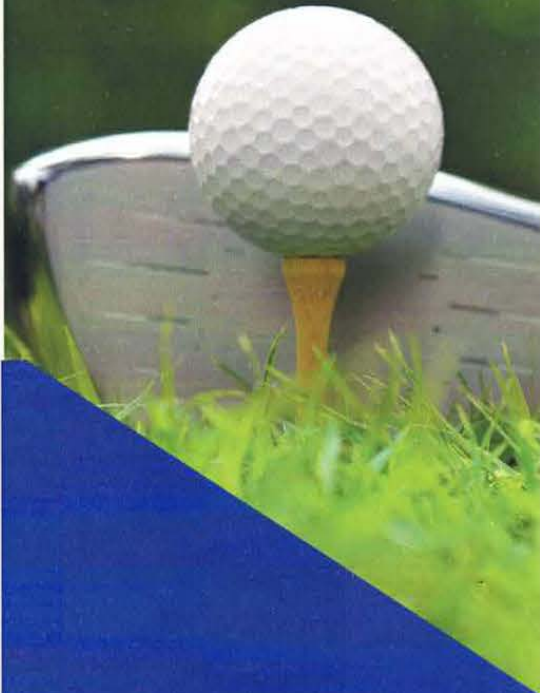
**Registration table will open at 10:30! Arrive early to get registered and warmed up! If you didn't already purchase individual Mulligans or your teams Tiger Drive online, you are also able to do so at check in. We will also have more tickets available for Raffle Prizes!*

- Mulligans (4 max per person) and Tiger Drive Purchases (200 yard advantage on the longest par 5!) will be available at registration online and also in person when checking in.
- Cash Prizes for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams
- Prizes for Closest to the Pin, Longest Drive – Ladies and Longest Drive – Men's
- 1 Raffle ticket per player for our raffle prize giveaways. There is also an opportunity to purchase more raffle tickets to increase your odds of winning the prize you want!

**Address: Lago Vista Golf Course
4616 Rimrock Dr. #6142, Lago Vista, TX 78645**

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May 5, 2023
Lago Vista Golf Course
Lago Vista, TX 78645



LagoLionsClub.org

PLAY

Roar Like a Lion

All proceeds from YOUR play benefit the charitable organizations supported by the Lions Club of Lago Vista

Last Date to Enter: April 28, 2023

Registration: 8:30 AM

Shotgun Start: 10:00 AM

\$75 Lago Vista Golf Club Members

\$90 Non Lago Vista Golf Club members

Chance to win a new golf cart on hole #18



Golf cart donated by:

GOLF CART
ZONE

Door Prizes and Awards for:
Longest Drive -men/women
Closest to the Line- men/women
Putting Contest
Tiger Drive
Helicopter Drop

For more information:

Dave Williams, Golf-Tournament Chair
dawwil@me.com/832-696-4444

Scan the QR code for sign-up forms

or visit the Lago Vista Golf Course Pro Shop

4616 Rimrock Drive

512-267-1170





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Entry Form

For additional information visit our website: lagolionsclub.org

Lago Vista Golf Course - Scramble Format

Registration begins at 10:00 am

\$75 for Lago Vista Golf Club Members

\$90 for non Golf Club Members

Includes Green Fee & Cart

\$5.00 Mulligans - (2) per player maximum
(Pay for mulligans at club the day of event)

Includes: Drawing for Door Prizes, Raffle and
Goodie Bags

Dinner provided by World Famous
Lago Vista Lions BBQ Team

Guests and non-golfers may join us for dinner.

Cost is \$15 per plate.

List number of guests attending _____
(Pay at the time of registration)

4 Players per team-limited to 32 teams

Team Prizes - Based on number of team entries

Individual prizes for:

Longest & Straightest Drive - Men & Women

Closest to Pin - Front Nine & Back Nine

Putting Contest*Helicopter Drop*Tiger Drive

Hole-in-One - New Golf Cart and \$10,000 Cash
Golf Cart donated by: Golf Cart Zone-Austin, TX.

**Make Checks Payable to: Lago Vista Lions
Club Amount enclosed \$ _____**



Scan the code
for all the online forms

**ENTRY FORM WITHOUT
CORRECT ACCOMPANYING
FEES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

Team Registration

Team Leader contact w/Handicap	Email	Need Cart	<input type="checkbox"/>
Address, City, Zip	Phone	Have Cart	<input type="checkbox"/>

Player 2 (Name and Handicap)	Email	Need Cart	Have Cart	Allow Passenger
Player 3 (Name and Handicap)				
Player 4 (Name and Handicap)				

Individual Player Registration

Name w/Handicap	Email	Need Cart	<input type="checkbox"/>
Address, City, Zip	Phone	Have Cart	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Allow Passenger	<input type="checkbox"/>

Submit entries to: Lago Vista Golf Course Pro Shop
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