

Eclectic Tournament 2017

Opening day will be here before you know it. If you have registered to play with the RHWGC for the 2017 season, hopefully, you have made the decision as to whether you will participate in the Eclectic Tournament and have already paid. REMEMBER: Your scores do not count toward the Eclectic Tournament until the fees are paid. You must have paid the \$5 fee for each tee in which you wish to participate.

The eclectic is a snapshot of the entire season for each golfer participating in the Eclectic Tournament. It is the lowest score on each hole for the season. Judy Pierce and Sharon Turner will keep the scores for the Hills and Lakes Courses. Golfers pay \$5 to participate in each course and each set of tees for the entire season. Judy is notified when a golfer pays their fee/fees for the eclectic for the Hills, the Lakes, or the Hills and Lakes; and if the golfer has paid for the Red tees, the Combo tees, or Red and Combo tees. Again, scores will not be included in the Eclectic until the Eclectic Chair is notified a golfer's fees have been paid.

Before teeing off, each player needs to verify her tee box on the printed scorecard and write Eclectic or EC by her name and circle the tee she is playing or write "Red" or "Combo". After each round, it is important for each golfer to go over her scorecard to make sure the scores on each hole are correct. If a player is disqualified, the scores will not be recorded in the Eclectic records.

Last year, the board decided a golfer had to complete all 18 holes to have those scores count in the Eclectic Tournament. After living with this decision for 2016 and talking with some of the ladies, I explained to the board if a golfer plays nine holes and is not DQ'd, those scores should be counted just as a golfer may enter nine holes, either front nine or back nine in GHIN. For 2017, if a golfer completes either the front nine or the back nine, those scores will be recorded if the golfer is not DQ'd or picks up the ball. The ball must still be played into the hole.

Not all games can be posted where the ball is picked up; not played into the hole. Those rounds will not be included in the Eclectic Tournament.

About once a month the eclectic results are sent out through Email and a hard copy is posted in the Ladies Lounge on the bulletin board. Feel free to contact Judy or Sharon if you have any questions. Judy: jupierce@att.net Sharon: sharonT929@yahoo.com

Eclectic Guidelines for RHWGC 2017

The Hills and Lakes Course Eclectic Tournament results will be based on the following elements:

- 1. Rounds played on regular play days; not to include special tournaments, as example: Intra-Tournament, D'Hawk, Member-Guest.**

- 2. If a golfer completes either the front nine or the back nine, those scores will be recorded if the golfer is not DQ'd or picks up the ball. The ball must be played into the hole.**
- 3. November 1 handicap published by USGA GHIN system.**
- 4. Handicap rules are according to Red Hawk Women's Golf Report that requires a maximum handicap index of 40.4. This gives a 43-course handicap for the Lakes and 42-course handicap for the Hills.**
- 5. The final net score will be determined by using the golfer's course handicap.**
- 6. Flights will be created at the end of the season according to handicaps.**
- 7. If there are ties at the end of the season, the prize for those places will be split with the winners.**
- 8. 1/3 of the field payouts will be used.**