



# RULES AND REGULATIONS

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**Coosaw Creek Country Club (the Club) is a member owned and member governed facility. The Rules and Regulations of the Club are established in the Covenants, Bylaws and by the Club Board and General Manager. The Rules and Regulations both encourage use and access to the facilities but also describe the terms and conditions members and guests must abide while on any of the Club's property. Failure to follow these Rules and Regulations can result in fines, suspension or revocation of privileges to use some or all, of the facilities. These Rules and Regulations are intended to assure the safety, courtesy and respect for other members, guests and the staff who support our Club.**

### **GENERAL CLUB RULES**

1. Members are responsible for the conduct, appearance and behavior of all family members and guests. The Board of Directors, with member committee input, adopted these Rules and Regulations so that all of us can enjoy and benefit from the membership experience. The Club's General Manager is responsible to assure the Rules and Regulations established by the Board are the standards we follow in a shared social environment. Enforcement of these rules, if necessary, begins with the General Manager, followed by decisions of the Board for any applicable appeal.
2. Members whose conduct, appearance or behavior, whether dealing with employees, vendors, members, or contractors, is deemed by the General Manager to likely endanger the welfare, safety, harmony or reputation of the Club or otherwise is improper, is not tolerated and has consequences.
3. Violations of the Rules and Regulations should be timely reported to the General Manager, either on the spot or by email to the General Manager. Members are encouraged to call attention to or remind others about the standards stated in these Rules and Regulations, so long as any reminder is polite and not confrontational.
4. There is no tolerance for abusive, sexual, racial, defamatory or threatening conduct by members against each other or to guests or employees while using the Club's facilities. Those deemed to be in violation shall immediately exit the facilities, if asked to do so by the General Manager or the senior staff member present.
5. Members and guests shall not seek a "favor" or other action from an employee that is not openly and readily available to all members of the Club.
6. Any employee not rendering courteous or timely service shall be reported to the General Manager rather than attempting to reprimand an employee. However, it is permitted to politely ask the reason for a delay or status of a service request.
7. Minor violations may result in a monetary fine or verbal or written reprimand (a record will be placed in the member's file). For example but not limited to, \$50 fine for minor violations, \$150 for multiple violations or \$300 plus suspension of membership for 30 days for more serious offenses.
8. Multiple minor or all other offenses may include larger monetary fines that will be charged to the member's account, result in suspension and/or expulsion of the privileges of the member.
9. All members and or guests using the Club facilities do so by consenting to the Coosaw Creek Country Club Declaration of Covenants, Restrictions and Limitations, Rules and Regulations and Bylaws, including the NOTICE OF ARBITRATION contained therein.
10. During any suspension or expulsion, dues, fees and other charges shall continue to accrue to the member's account even during an appeal process and must be paid by the member when due.
11. A member subject to a disciplinary action by the General Manager may apply to the Board for an appeal under the process stated in the Bylaws, but any disciplinary action shall remain in effect during the appeal. See the Club's Bylaws regarding the specific process.
12. Firearms, knives or weapons of any kind are strictly prohibited on any part of the facilities.

13. Parking is permitted only in marked areas. The driving lanes in front of the clubhouse are for handicapped and special needs drop off and if available for very brief use (such as food pick up or paying a bill).
14. Proper etiquette should be observed at all times with no loud or excessive profanity.
15. Any commercial, fund raising or non-club prepared advertising or solicitation is prohibited unless approved by the General Manager.
16. Smoking or vaping is not permitted in the clubhouse. Please respect those near you when smoking on the patio or other outdoor areas.
17. Personal Golf Carts, motorized vehicles, rollerblading, skateboarding, bicycling or similar activities are prohibited on the golf course, practice range, putting greens, golf cart paths or inside the tennis, pickleball, pool or playground areas.
18. All operators of Club or private Golf Carts on the facilities must be at least 16 years of age and in possession of a valid driver's license.
19. Operation or parking of personal Golf Carts is limited to designated areas and such vehicles must display proof of the proper registration with the POA.
20. No member or family member residing with a member shall be hired, employed or act as a contractor with the Club, unless approved by the General Manager. The limited exception to this general hiring rule is not permitted for family members of the GM or the Board, unless voted on unanimously by the Board of Directors.
21. It is the general policy of the Club that the facilities of the Club should be open and used primarily for the social activities of members and their guests. Access to all facilities is limited to those business hours specified and published by the Club. However, the General Manager may make limited exceptions for non-member and member sponsored charitable, political, religious, weddings, social parties, or recognition of the life of a member, provided the charges and fees are paid at the standard rate.
22. The General Manager, Food and Beverage Manager or their designee may limit the size of dining or beverage groups or the type of seating arrangement of any group or individual at any time.
23. Any member, guest or contractor operating or using any Club or privately owned equipment or vehicle for sport, pleasure or profit including golf carts, clubs, tennis, pickle ball or swimming accessories does so at their own risk. By mere presence on the Club facility, an individual assumes and bears all such risks of death or injury to themselves or others. The Club will not be liable for damage from death or injury, accident or intentional use of such items or related actions, whether sold, authorized or unauthorized by the Club.
24. Animals of any type are prohibited inside the clubhouse and swimming areas of the Club, except for Registered Service Dogs. Bonafide Emotional Support animals and member or guest owned pets are allowed in outdoor common areas but not on the Golf Course. All such animals must be under the control and responsibility of the owner at all times. The waste of all animals authorized under this Rule shall be promptly picked up and discarded by the animal's owner in a sanitary manner. Dogs must be leashed at all times.
25. Performance by entertainers may be permitted on the Club Facilities but only with the prior permission of the Club Management.
26. No outside food may be served or consumed on Club property. All food must be purchased through the club unless approved by Club management or senior Club staff member.
27. Alcoholic beverages shall not be served or sold, nor permitted to be consumed, on the Club Facilities during hours prohibited by law. Alcoholic beverages shall not be sold or served to any person not permitted to purchase the same under the laws of the State of South Carolina. All alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages consumed or otherwise possessed on the Club Facilities must be sold and consumed at the Club unless special arrangements are made with the Club Management.
28. Self parking is permitted in areas identified as providing for the same. Self parking is not

- allowed in non-designated areas. No parking will be allowed on grassed areas. “No Parking” signs shall be observed at all times. Overflow parking will be made available when necessary.
29. All complaints, criticisms or suggestions of any kind relating to any of the operations of the Club must be in writing, signed and sent to the General Manager.
  30. Violations of any of these rules or conduct in a manner prejudicial to the best interest of the Club shall subject the person in violation to disciplinary action as provided herein.

## **PAYMENT AND DELINQUENCY POLICY**

**30 DAY RULE:** Once a member’s account has an unpaid balance for more than 30 days and a member has not requested review, clarification or disputed all or a portion of the amount overdue – the member’s privileges to charge through a member account are suspended. The member may use cash or a credit card to settle ongoing charges, fees or dues.

**60 DAY RULE:** Once a member’s account has an unpaid balance of 60 days or more, the member’s privileges to use the Club and all its facilities and grounds are suspended. Club privileges include but are not limited to the use of golf, pool, tennis/pickle, basketball and the dining facility. The suspension will remain in effect until the account is paid in full.

**90 DAY RULE AND/OR GREATER THAN \$5,000:** Once a member’s account has an unpaid balance of 90 or more days and/or a balance greater than \$5,000, the Club will take legal action which may result in a personal judgement or a lien against property for the member’s debt, including the Club’s legal fees. The member’s privileges will remain suspended. The Club may also turn off the convenience of the member’s gate pass decal.

### **LATE FEES & FINANCE CHARGES:**

The Club shall assess a monthly service charge of 1.5% of all delinquent dues, debts, charges and fees. The Club shall also assess a late payment penalty in the amount of \$29.00 per month.

### **CHARGING PRIVILEGES:**

If a member falls into charge denied status (as noted by the 30-day rule above) more than twice, the member’s charging privileges will be suspended. Member charge privileges may be reinstated only by the member setting up a monthly recurring payment through the member website. If the new charges are denied, charging privileges will again be suspended.

### **SUSPENSION/REVOCAION OF MEMBERSHIP PRIVILEGES:**

In addition to pursuing any legal remedy the Club may elect to suspend and/or may revoke all or part of the individual’s membership privileges. Revocation of membership privileges for delinquency shall forfeit the member’s interest in any payment or return of any Equity purchase, initiation fee or deposit for any membership privilege, including any golf or other deposit or refund otherwise due from the Club to the member.

### **CLUB OBLIGATIONS:**

At no time in this entire program are a member’s OBLIGATIONS of membership suspended. Members are required to meet all Club dues, food and beverage minimum fees, etc. and adhere to all Club rules, notwithstanding privilege status.

## **MAILING ADDRESSES**

Each member shall be responsible for filing with the Membership Office in writing, the mailing address, personal information and any changes thereto to which the member wishes all notices and invoices of the Club be sent. A member shall be deemed to have received mailings from the Club ten days after they have been mailed to the address on file with the Membership Office.

## **MEMBER DUES BILLING**

In the Club's November newsletters each year, the Annual and Monthly Dues rates are published. It is noted that your current billing option will continue as it stands, whether it is Annual or Monthly for the following year, but at the new rate. Contact the Admin office if any changes are necessary regarding the billing, i.e., 'monthly to annual' or 'annual to monthly'. The deadline for accepting changes is November 25<sup>th</sup>. After that date, there will be a \$45.00 administrative change fee. NO changes will be accepted after January 1<sup>st</sup>. Your account will continue with the type of dues billing as the year before.

## **FOOD MINIMUM**

The Food and Beverage minimum was established to support the Clubhouse food/beverage operation and to promote an active Club community. The minimum is determined by the Club and is tracked on a quarterly basis by Member house charges at the restaurant, beverage cart and pool, excluding alcoholic beverages. Taxes and gratuities are not included in the minimum tracking, only the cost of the food. If your quarterly charges are under the established amount, the difference is charged as a Minimum at the end of the quarter.

## **FOOD MINIMUM SCHEDULE**

The membership has been divided into three (3) groups meeting their quarterly minimum each month. Your account number determines the group in which your account falls.

### **Accounts 30010 – 30439 and Accounts 70011 – 72999**

Quarter End Dates: January 31, April 30, July 31, October 31

### **Accounts 73000 – 74999**

Quarter End Dates: February 28, May 31, August 31, November 30

### **Accounts 75000 – 82000**

Quarter End Dates: March 31, June 30, September 30, December 31

## **CLUB SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES**

1. The Club provides a variety of social, cultural and recreational events in which all members are encouraged to participate.
2. The Club desires to encourage the use of the clubhouse facilities by members for private parties, dates and times may vary depending on current calendar and business levels of the club. Members are requested to make reservations with the appropriate Club personnel for available dates and arrangements.
3. Private parties are permitted on the Club Facilities with the prior approval of Club Management. The sponsor of the private party shall be responsible for any damage to the Club facilities and for the payment of any charges not paid by individuals attending the private party.
4. Special event functions may be scheduled from time to time at the discretion of the Club.

## **RESERVATIONS AND CANCELLATIONS**

1. Reservations may be required for some dining events. Members are asked to assist in maintaining required service levels by making reservations for dining prior to 4:00 p.m. on the day involved. Cancellations are requested 48 hours in advance. A cancellation fee may be assessed for late cancellations or failure to fulfill a reservation.
2. Reservations may be required for special activities of the Club and shall be taken on a first-come, first served basis by preregistering with the appropriate personnel.
3. Tables shall be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis for all functions held at the Club.
4. Reservations for dining shall be held for fifteen minutes after the reserved time.
5. Failure to cancel special event reservations may result in an applicable charge to the member's club account which shall be determined by the Club.
6. The dining and special event reservation policies shall be determined by the Club.
7. No member or committee shall plan or set dates for dining room activities without prior approval of the Club Management.

## **GRATUITIES**

1. For the convenience of all members, a gratuity percentage, as determined by the Club, shall be added to all dining receipts. A member may add to the gratuity percentage by signing the ticket invoice and including the amount of the additional gratuity the member deems appropriate. Cash tipping is permitted at all times.
2. In the Fall, it is customary to send a notice from the Club providing an opportunity for members to contribute to a voluntary Holiday Fund for all Club employees, along with a suggested contribution added to each member's bill. This Holiday Fund provides the membership with an opportunity to show appreciation to Club employees during the holiday season. Club management shall be responsible for the distribution of these funds.

## **CHILDREN**

Children under twelve years of age are permitted to use the Club Facilities only if accompanied or supervised by an adult. Parents are responsible to make sure children are well behaved and in proper dress attire at all times while at the Club.

## **ATTIRE**

### **DRESS CODE FOR COOSAW CREEK COUNTRY CLUB**

The standards of the dress code are important to the Club and have been established to compliment the overall experience of the club for all members. Club management and staff reserve the right to determine when attire does not meet the dress code and may refuse entrance or services to members and their guests. Members are responsible to inform their guests of the dress code and ensuring that their guests are in compliance with all Club policies.

### **DRESS CODE FOR DINING ROOM, LOUNGE AND SPECIAL EVENTS:**

Shorts and quality denim is allowed in the clubhouse as long as they are not ripped, torn or frayed.

Men are required to wear a collared shirt. No hats allowed in the dining room. Hats are allowed in the lounge area ONLY. No t-shirts, bathing suits, sweatpants, hoodies, athletic wear (including tank tops, athletic pants and athletic shorts). No household slippers.

Allowed for women are dresses, skirts, slacks, golf shorts and blouses. No t-shirts, bathing suits, fishnet tops, sweatpants, athletic wear (including tank tops, athletic pants, athletic shorts, leggings). Leggings are allowed if worn under a skirt/skort or shorts. No household slippers.

### **DRESS CODE FOR COOSAW CREEK GOLFERS:**

#### **Men Allowed:**

- Shirts with collars and sleeves.
- Mock turtleneck shirts
- Shirts are preferred to be tucked whenever possible
- Slacks or golf shorts. Shorts up to four inches above the knee

#### **Men Not Allowed:**

- Denim/jeans
- Tank tops, T-shirts, fishnet tops (jerseys)
- Cut offs, swim/bathing suits
- Sweatpants, athletic workout wear

#### **Women Allowed:**

- Golf Shirts (Sleeveless shirts must have a collar/mock collar)
- Golf Dresses, skirts/skorts, slacks, and golf shorts (minimum four inches above the knee). Leggings only if they are worn under a skirt, shorts or skort.

**Women Not Allowed:**

- Denim/jeans
- Tank tops, T-shirts, fishnet tops (jerseys) mid-drift tops
- Swim/bathing suits
- Cut-offs
- Sweatpants, athletic workout wear
- Leggings unless worn under skirt, shorts or skort.

**Shoes:**

- Soft spike golf shoes, golf sandals, or flat soled tennis/golf shoes are required.
- Hard spike golf shoes and beach flip flops are not allowed.

## **GUEST PRIVILEGES**

Guest privileges may be extended under the rules and regulations established by the Club from time to time. Although it is the intention of the Club to accommodate guests without inconveniences to the members, Club Management reserves the right to limit the number of guests that accompany a member on any given day. Club Management shall establish from time to time the rate of the daily guest fees, charges and the rules and regulations for use of the club Facilities by guests. Guest privileges may be denied, withdrawn or revoked at any time for reasons considered sufficient by the Club Management in its sole and absolute discretion.

The sponsoring member shall be responsible for the conduct of their guests while at the club. If the manner, deportment or appearance of any guest is deemed to be unsatisfactory, the sponsoring member shall, at the request of the Club Management, cause such guest to leave the club facilities.

## **RESIGNATION, SUSPENSION AND EXPULSION OF MEMBERSHIP PRIVILEGES**

1. Notwithstanding any other provisions, a non-resident member who resigns, is suspended or expelled shall be liable for all charges, dues, and fees owed to the Club.
2. Notwithstanding any other provisions, a lot or homeowner subject to the Covenants, Restrictions, and Limitations, shall remain liable for all charges, dues, and fees owed to the Club, whether resigned, suspended or expelled from Club privileges and facilities.

## GENERAL POOL RULES

The facility has a community pool featuring a junior Olympic size salt-water pool with six lanes, a kiddie splash pad, cabana area and numerous chairs, tables, umbrellas and lounges for member use. The pool is staffed with lifeguards from Memorial Day weekend until Labor Day weekend. The pool is available for open swim (at your own risk) the rest of the year.

1. Members must register their guests when entering the pool area and are responsible for the payment of any appropriate charges. Failure to register your guests may result in suspension of pool privileges. A pool guest consist of anyone that does not live in your household.
2. Use of the pool facilities at the Club at any time is at the swimmer's own risk.
3. Swimming is permitted only during published and/or posted open hours of the pool.
4. Children under twelve years of age are permitted to use the pool facilities only if accompanied and supervised by an adult.
5. Children must be three years of age and potty trained to use the main pool. Children wearing diapers are not permitted in the main pool unless they are wearing appropriate swim diapers.
6. Outside food and drinks are not permitted in the pool area. Food and beverages purchased from the Club are permitted in designated areas of the pool. Glass objects, drinking glasses and sharp objects are not permitted in the pool area.
7. All swimmers must wear bona fide swimming attire. Cut-offs, dungarees, thongs, and speedos are not considered appropriate swim wear.
8. Running, ball playing and noisy or hazardous activity are prohibited in the pool area. Pushing, dunking and dangerous games are prohibited.
9. Snorkeling equipment, other than a mask, shall not be used in the pool except as part of an organized course of instruction.
10. Radios may only be used at a low volume or with earphones.
11. All persons using pool furniture are required to cover the furniture with a towel when using suntan lotions. The use of these lotions may stain or damage the furniture.
12. All persons using the Pool area shall cooperate in keeping the area clean by properly disposing of towels, cans, cigarettes, trash etc.
13. Smoking is permitted only in designated sections of the pool area.
14. Private parties may be held in the pool area only with the prior approval of the Club Management.
15. Flotation devices are permitted for non-swimming children up to the age of five years. Any non-swimming children must be accompanied in the water by their parent or adult guardian. Small toys such as balls, water guns, rings, etc. may be permitted, depending on the number of persons in the pool and the manner in which the toys are used. Tire inner tubes are prohibited.
16. The throwing of balls, Frisbees, wet clothes, etc. is prohibited at all times.
17. Shirts are required when outside the pool area.
18. Persons who leave the pool area for over thirty minutes must relinquish lounges and chairs by removing all towels and personal belongings. Saving of chairs for persons absent from the pool area is prohibited.
19. Dogs and other pets, with the exception of seeing-eye dogs, are not permitted in the pool enclosure area.
20. The pool staff has full authority to enforce these rules and any infractions shall be reported to the Club General Manager.

## GENERAL PLAYGROUND RULES

A mulch filled area equipped with swings, slides and other playground equipment is available and located next to the pool pavilion.

1. For safety any child under 12 years old must be supervised by an adult.
2. Playground closes at Dusk.

## GENERAL POND RULES

Coosaw Creek's beautiful ponds have been stocked with fish – but beware of snakes, alligators, and other wildlife. Fish caught in course ponds are for “catch and release” and not for consumption.

1. Do not discard trash, litter or contaminated foreign materials or liquids into the ponds. The ponds are part of a larger lowcountry wooded wetland area.
2. Fishing is allowed only from bank and only in designated areas. These areas have been selected to ensure that people fishing are not in the normal flight of golf balls and that ponds can be approached without crossing the course or using the cart paths. They are located:
  - a. Behind the playground – approach from McChune Court
  - b. Hole 15 – approach from Arthur Hills Circle
  - c. Hole 16 – approach from Club Course Drive
  - d. Hole 17 – approach from power line break

## GENERAL GOLF RULES

The Coosaw Creek Community boasts a 18-hole, Par 71 Arthur Hills Championship Golf Course. The course winds through beautiful lowcountry wooded wetlands surrounded by community homes. From March - October, the Pro Shop is open Tuesday - Sunday from 7:00a.m. to 7:00p.m. From November - February, the Pro Shop is open Tuesday - Sunday from 7:00a.m. to 5:00p.m.

1. The Rules of Golf as adopted by the U.S.G.A. together with the Rules of Etiquette as adopted by the U.S.G.A. shall be the rules of the Club, except where in conflict with local rules or with any of the rules cited herein.
2. “Cutting-in” is not permitted at any time. All players must register with the Pro Shop and the starter. Under no circumstances are players permitted to start play from residences.
3. Practice is not allowed on the golf course. Practice shall be limited to the driving range, practice putting green and other designated practice areas.
4. If a group of players fails to keep their place on the course and loses more than one clear hole on the players ahead, the group must allow the following group to play through. The same shall apply where play is stopped to search for a lost ball in which case no more than three (3) minutes may be used to search for lost balls. If a group falls out of position they will be asked to regain their position on the golf course as quickly as possible. If a group is warned twice regarding pace of play, the group will be required to skip as many holes as necessary to regain their position on the course. Any group that Fall out of place a third time will be asked to discontinue play and reimbursement for fees will not be granted.
5. All players who stop after playing nine holes for any reason must occupy the next tee before the following players arrive at the tee or they shall lose their position on the golf course.
6. Enter and leave bunkers at the nearest level point to the green. Smooth sand over with a rake

- upon leaving.
7. Repair all ball marks on the green.
  8. Replace all divots with sand mix provided on carts.
  9. The sale of used or “found” golf balls is not allowed on the course at any time.
  10. Golf rangers may be on duty to help regulate play and enforce golf cart regulations. The golf rangers have full authority on the golf course to enforce all rules and speed of play.
  11. Each player must have his or her own set of golf clubs.
  12. Appropriate golf attire is required for all players on the golf course and practice facilities. All players shall be required to wear proper attire at all times. Members are expected to insure that their guests and family members adhere to such rules.
  13. During daylight savings hour all golfers must take a cart before 1:00 pm on Saturdays and Sundays. Non daylight savings hour all golfers must take a cart before 12:00 pm on Saturdays and Sundays.
  14. During certain days or Holidays when the Club or Pro Shop is closed, the golf course may be open for members to play, when the pin flags are in the greens the course is open, when pin flags are pulled, the golf course is CLOSED.
  15. If lightning is in the area, all play shall cease.
  16. The Club may close the golf course to play whenever the grounds could be damaged by play, too dangerous for play or for maintenance purposes.
  17. Personal golf carts, motorized vehicles, bicycling, skateboarding and rollerblading are not permitted on the golf course or golf cart paths. Jogging, recreational walking and pet walking is allowed on the golf cart paths only during non-business hours (before 7:00 am and after dusk).

This dress code shall be mandatory for all players (please see dress code for golf under Attire on page 8). Improperly dressed golfers shall be asked to change before playing. If you are in doubt concerning your attire, please check with the Pro Shop before starting play. Any misuse or disregard of these rules may cause privileges to be reviewed or suspended.

### **HOURS OF PLAY**

The hours of play and Pro Shop hours shall be posted in the Pro Shop. The golf course Superintendent is authorized to determine when the golf course is fit for play. The golf course Superintendent’s decisions shall be final. In the absence of the golf course Superintendent, the Golf Professional on shall make this decision.

### **GOLF STARTING TIMES**

1. All players must have a starting time reserved through the Pro Shop. The staff shall assign the starting time depending on availability.
2. Starting times may be made in person, on the website, or by phone during Pro Shop hours.
3. The group captain must give his or her name and membership number and the names of his or her group at the time of reservation.
4. Starting time changes must be approved by the Pro Shop.
5. Players who fail to cancel their starting time one hour prior to their scheduled starting time may be charged a fee determined by the Club from time to time.
6. Groups of five or more players shall only be permitted on the golf course with the permission of the Pro Shop.
7. Please notify the Pro Shop of any cancellation as soon as possible. No Shows may result in applicable charges being applied.

## **GOLF REGISTRATION**

1. All members and guests shall register in the Pro Shop before beginning play.
2. Failure to check in and register ten minutes prior to a reserved starting time may cause cancellation or set back.
3. Players late for their starting time may lose their right to the starting time and shall begin play only at the discretion of the starter.

## **GOLF PRACTICE FACILITY**

Coosaw Creek Country Club features various practice areas within the proximity of the Clubhouse. The practice facility includes a driving range, chipping green, practice sand bunker, putting green and teaching area.

1. The practice facilities are open during normal golf course operating hours as posted in the Pro Shop. The Pro Shop will post the times in which the practice areas (including the driving range, chipping green, practice sand bunker, putting green & teaching area) will be closed for regularly scheduled maintenance.
2. Range balls are for use on the driving range. Range balls shall not be used on the golf course. Range balls are the property of Coosaw Creek Country Club and shall not be removed from the Clubhouse or driving range area. Anyone found in violation of this rule is subject to a fine from the Club.
3. Golf carts are not permitted on any tee area. Parking of golf carts is allowed in designated areas only.
4. Balls must be hit from designated areas. No hitting is permitted from the rough or sides of the driving range.
5. Proper golf attire, consistent with that acceptable for the golf course as noted under "General Golf Rules", is required at all times on the driving range.
6. Hand bag ball shaggers are not permitted.
7. Teaching is provided exclusively by the Country Club Professional Golf Staff.

## **GOLF CART RULES**

1. The use of golf carts is mandatory on weekends until 1:00 pm during daylight savings time and until 12:00 pm standard time.
2. Club golf carts are the ONLY carts allowed on the golf course at any time.
3. Golf carts shall not be used by a member or guest on the Club Facilities without proper assignment and registration in the Pro Shop.
4. Each operator of a golf cart must be at least sixteen years of age and have a valid automobile driver's license.
5. Only two persons and two sets of golf clubs are permitted per golf cart.
6. Obey all golf cart traffic signs.
7. Always use golf cart paths where posted. Use the ninety-degree rule when in effect and cross fairways only at right angles. Players are required to remain on golf cart paths, without exception, on Par 3 holes.
8. Except on golf cart paths, do not drive a golf cart within thirty feet of a green, a tee or a bunker.
9. Golf carts shall not be driven through a hazard.
10. Use care to avoid soft or wet areas on fairways, particularly after rains. Golf carts should be driven in the rough wherever possible.
11. GPS system must be ON and remain ON while using golf carts.

12. The operation of a golf cart is at the sole risk of the operator. Cost of repair to a golf cart which is damaged by a member shall be charged to the member or, in the case of damage by a guest, to the sponsoring member. Members using golf cart shall be held fully responsible for any and all damages, including damages to the golf cart, that are caused by the misuse of the golf cart by the members or their guests, and the members shall reimburse the Club and/or any operator of the Club for any and all damages the Club may sustain by reason of misuse.
13. The member using a golf cart accepts and assumes all responsibility for liability connected with operation of the golf cart. The member also expressly indemnifies and agrees to hold harmless the Club and its officers, directors, employees, affiliates, representatives and agents, from any and all damages, whether direct or consequential, arising from or related to the member's use and operation of the golf cart.
14. "Course Closed" or "Hole Closed" signs are to be adhered to without exception.
15. Private golf carts shall not be permitted on the golf course at any time and should be parked in the designated "Cart Parking" area while on Club property.
16. The above rules are applicable to all cart usage, including those where a handicap flag or a handicap setting has been entered into the GPS system.
17. Violations of the golf cart rules may result in loss of playing privileges, fines or suspension.

### **HANDICAPS**

1. Handicaps are computed under the supervision of the Golf Professional in accordance with the current World Handicap System.
2. All members and guests with a U.S.G.A. approved handicap may participate in Club tournaments. All handicaps submitted may be reviewed by the Golf Professional.
3. To establish a handicap, a member must have turned in a minimum of five scores. Members are responsible for turning in all their scores on a daily basis. Any member failing to turn in a score shall result in a score being posted that is equal to their lowest score on record. The Pro Shop shall assist any members needing help with the posting procedures.
4. Accurate records are to be kept of scores turned in and recorded for all full rounds played. The Golf Professional shall determine if there are violations by members in turning in their scores.

### **GOLF COURSE ETIQUETTE**

Persons using the golf facilities at Coosaw Creek should do their part to make a round of Golf at the Club a pleasant experience for everyone. Here are some suggestions:

1. Do not waste time. Anticipate the club or clubs you may need and go directly to your ball. Always be near your ball to play promptly when it is your turn. If a player is delayed in making his shot, it would be courteous for such player to indicate to another player to play which should not be deemed playing out of turn.
2. The time required to hole out on and around the green is a chief cause of slow play. Study and clear the line of your putt while others are doing the same. Be ready to putt when it is your turn.
3. When approaching a green, park your golf cart on the cart path on the best direct line to the next tee. This can save about one-half hour per round. Never leave the golf cart in front of the green where you shall have to go back to get it, while the following players wait for you to get out of the way.
4. When play of a hole is completed, leave the green promptly and proceed to the next tee without delay. Do the scoring for the completed hole while the others in your group are playing from the next tee.
5. If you are not holding your place on the course (see General Golf Rules #4) allow the players behind to play through. Do the same if you stop to search for a lost ball.
6. The golf rangers shall report slow play and all breaches of golf etiquette to the Golf Professional.
7. Please respect your neighbors, restrooms are located on hole #5 and #14.

## **GENERAL TENNIS/PICKLEBALL RULES**

There are two regulation Plexi pave lighted tennis courts available to members and two pickleball courts. The tennis/pickle courts are open until 10:00pm.

1. Tennis/pickle courts are strictly reserved for tennis by Club members.
2. Tennis/pickle play is on a first come, first served basis.
3. The rules of tennis of the U.S.T.A. shall apply at all times, except when in conflict with the local rules or with any of the rules herein.
4. When demand warrants, court reservations and player registration may be required as posted. Otherwise, use of the courts is on a first come, first served basis.
5. Singles may each play on a court for an hour and doubles may play on a court for an hour and a half, unless no one is waiting.
6. No outside lessons are permitted on Club courts other than with the Club sanctioned tennis Pro unless approved by the Club General Manager.
7. Proper tennis attire is required at all times. Shoes & Shirts are required. Colors are permitted, but tee shirts with graphic designs, undershirts, fishnet shirts, cut-offs, bermudas, jams, blue jeans, bathing suits, gym shorts are prohibited. Proper shoes that will not mark or damage surface are required.
8. Proper tennis etiquette should be observed at all times. Excessive noise, racquet throwing or profanity will not be permitted at any time. Trash and other litter must not be left on the courts.
9. Use of the tennis/pickle courts shall at all times be subject to the control of the Club General Manager. The General Manager shall determine the suitability of the tennis courts for play. Courts will be closed when necessary for maintenance operations or when dictated by safety considerations or by reason of adverse weather conditions as determined by the General Manager.

## **GENERAL MULTI-FUNCTION COURT RULES**

There is a versa court, sport tile surface with multiple activities available to members. The court is a multi-function surface that can be used on a first come first served basis.

1. Equipment for use on the Multi-Function Court may be available to sign-out in the Pro Shop.
2. Appropriate Shoes & Shirts must be worn at all times.
3. Proper etiquette should be observed at all times. Excessive noise or profanity will not be permitted at any time. Trash and other litter must not be left on the courts.
4. If other members are waiting to use the court, please limit your use of an activity to one hour.

These guidelines are established to ensure a positive experience for all Members and guests who use the facilities. Enforcement is the responsibility of *all* members and staff of the Club. A polite reminder is usually sufficient, but should it become necessary to report any violation please call the Pro Shop or the General Manager.

We hope you enjoy these excellent facilities your Club has to offer. If you have any questions or comments regarding these guidelines or your experience, please feel free to contact the General Manager directly at: 843-767- 9000, Ext. 208.

Thank you,

Club Board of Directors,