



2010
GOLF GUIDE

*YOUR SOURCE FOR EVENTS,
TOURNAMENTS AND LEAGUES @
SAINT CLOUD CC.*

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Saint Cloud Country Club Tournament Booklet – 2010

The purpose of this booklet is to familiarize you with our golf operation and our tournaments. Please make sure to follow the tournament information listed on each tournament description regarding how and when you can sign up and what information will be required from you (handicaps, guest, etc). Dates, times and cost have been set for the year and have been posted in this booklet, however, please check with the golf shop upon signing up to verify nothing has changed. Also enclosed will be a calendar of events for the upcoming season, please contact golf shop as these dates may change throughout the season. Hopefully, this booklet will enable you take full advantage of your facilities and programs at Saint Cloud Country Club.

Threatening Weather

In case of threatening weather, Saint Cloud CC has an Electrical Storm Identification Device (E.S.I.D.), which will notify players to seek shelter. This warning will automatically sound when lightning strikes occur within five miles of our golf course. When there are no further strikes within fifteen, an all clear siren will sound, which indicates play may be resumed. The lightening alarm is a solid continuous tone and the all-clear indication is an intermittent hi-low tone.

Occasionally, there are instances that result in a delay of tee-times or in extreme cases, course closure. During these situations, the golf professional staff and grounds staff will assess the condition of the golf course and decide when it will be ready to play. We ask all members that own private carts to please call the golf shop and be careful when crossing the golf course during these situations. Every effort will be made to keep players informed of the situation and play will be resumed as soon as possible. When heavy rains occur or frost exists, it is recommended that players phone the Golf Shop before coming to the golf course.

Golf Staff

Craig Thomsen	Head Golf Professional	10 th Season
	Previous Clubs:	Wayzata Country Club, Medina Golf and Country Club, Apple Creek Country Club and Lomas Santa Fe Country Club
Luke Liebel	Assistant Golf Professional	4 th Season
	Previous Clubs:	Royal Poinciana Golf Club & Little Falls Golf Club
Ryan Moening	Assistant Golf Professional	10 th Season
Chelsie Allen	Golf Shop Assistant	3 rd Season
Mitchell Mackedanz	Assistant Golf Professional	1 st Season

**MEN'S OPENING STAG
MAY 5TH**

The men's opening stag is a great way to kick start the golf season and renew old acquaintances. Come on out with your group or call the golf shop and we will get you a game for the day.

Format: One Best Ball of Partners & Skins Game – Gross & Net & Closest to the Pins on all Par 3's

Entry Fee: \$15.00 per person –Includes game, skins game & Par 3's

Schedule: Tee-Times starting at 11:00am

Sign Up: Call to make a tee-time starting April 21st

Please make sure you call two-weeks prior to reserve your tee-time!

**PARENT-CHILD
JUNE 20TH**

With a variety of tees and flights for all the kids, this is a great way to spend Father's Day. We have a noon shotgun and lunch, which is included after golf. Now in its 3rd year, the parent-child tourney has become a staple on Father's Day at SCCC. Any combination: Father-Daughter or Mother-Son or Father-Son or Mother-Daughter – Grandparents w/grandchildren encouraged.

Format: Scramble with your child and a noon Shotgun

Includes: Golf, Prizes, Lunch and a tee gift included for each child

Cost: \$14.00 per adult and \$10.00 per child

Sign Up: Starting May 1st

SAINT CLOUD COUNTRY CLUB INVITATIONAL JULY 8TH – 10TH

The Saint Cloud Country Club Invitational is the premier event at your club. The event is a great way to show off your club. The tournament is Friday and Saturday combined Chicago points with your guest. Thursday is a practice round, while Friday and Saturday are the competition. Friday ends with a shoot-out of the day's leaders followed by a party and auction down by the pool. Make your plans early and sign up for this event, it is one you don't want to miss.

- Format:** Two rounds of combined Chicago Points
Includes: Golf for your guest, tee prize, Friday night dinner & Saturday afternoon hors de oeuvres, prizes, Skins Game (Friday and Saturday) and too much fun
Entry Fee: \$190.00 per player
Sign Up: Sign up will begin on May 1st - Please be prepared with your guest's information.

INVITATIONAL AGENDA Thursday, July 8th

- Optional Practice Round – Included
- Optional Pro Shop Game \$15.00 per player
- Better Ball of Partner & Skins Game
- Make your own tee times (Two Weeks Prior)

Friday, July 9th

- Registration will begin at 10:30am w/ Shotgun at 12:30pm
- Lunch on the patio included in entry fee
- Skins Game included in Entry – Gross and Net Daily
- Tournament Format: Quota Points
- Top Five Teams will compete in Shootout
- Pool Party with dinner to follow Shootout - All players and spouses are invited

Saturday, July 10th

- Shotgun at 9:30am w/ continental Breakfast prior to play
- Optional Pro Shop Game - \$15.00 per player
- Better Ball of Partner & Skins Game
- Pairings for Saturday will be according to Friday's scores
- Tournament Format: Quota Points
- Hors de oeuvres and Awards (With Spouses) will follow Play
- Enjoy the Event

You can start signing up for the event on May 1st!

MEN'S GUEST DAY AUGUST 19TH

Back by popular demand, after its initial appearance in 2001, this event has become a staple in our calendar for many years. This is a great way to showcase your golf club. Invite 3 guests to come out and play and stay for dinner following golf. The day will begin with a 1:00pm shotgun and end with dinner. The game will be 2 best balls of the foursome, so please invite guests with a USGA handicap.

- Format:** 2 best balls of the foursome
Includes: Golf, Prizes, Dinner & Closest to the pins on all par 3's & CARTS
Cost: \$195.00 per foursome (1 member & 3 guests)
Sign Up: Sign up beginning July 1st, by calling the golf shop or on foretees.

MEMBER-MEMBER SEPTEMBER 10TH & 11TH

Now in its fourth year, the member-member has something for everyone. The pairings party invites all members, whether you are playing or just going to be a spectator. Friday night each players' name will be drawn from a hat and will be paired with another member for Saturday's play. Both a men's and women's division will play this 6-6-6 tournament (6 holes four-ball, 6 holes foursome and 6 holes scramble). Each team will use their handicap for each format.

- *Each time a member has a hole-in-one, \$5 will be charged to each member to help fund this great event.*

Sign up early as this event will fill fast and be a great time.

- Format:** 6 holes – Best Ball, 6 holes – Scramble & 6 holes – Alternate Shot
Entry Fee: The hole-in-one fund will subsidize the event and its activities
Schedule: Friday Night Pairings Party @ 6:00pm – All members Invited
Saturday Golf – 9:30am shotgun
Sign Up: Sign up will begin August 1st by calling the golf shop or on foretees.

MEN'S CLOSING STAG SEPTEMBER 22ND

The men's closing stag is a great way to call the end to another golf season and maybe play with somebody you never had the chance to during the summer. Just because we call a closer doesn't mean it is the end of the golf season though. Come on out with your group or call the golf shop and we will get you a game for the day.

- Format:** One Best Ball of Partners & Skins Game – Gross & Net
Closest to the Pins on all Par 3's
Entry Fee: \$15.00 per person – covers your game and skins game
Schedule: 1:00pm Shotgun - *Please make sure you call two-weeks prior to reserve your tee time.*
Sign Up: Call to make a tee-assignment starting September 2nd

SENIOR GOLF EACH TUESDAY MORNING

Each Tuesday morning, the golf shop will check ID's for the men that play at 10:25am. All men over the age of 50 are invited to play weekly in this quota points event. The weekly cost of the event is \$3.00 with payouts to the top teams. Teams will be drawn that morning, so show up early and often. Players will be able to play either gold or white.

Cost: \$15.00 per player dues & \$3.00 per week

Includes: Entry fee into Senior Club Championship in August & Weekly payout of \$2.00 per player with \$1.00 per player will go into a kitty and pay for a year-end party

COUPLES GOLF 2010

A huge success in 2008 & 2009, couples golf will again be offered on Friday nights. Every other Friday night can now be enjoyed on the golf course with your spouse. A 5:30pm shotgun with happy hour hors d'oeuvres in the bar prior to golf, make sure you sign up for each of the listed dates below. Sign up as a group of 4 or we will find you a couple to play with (GREAT WAY TO MEET NEW COUPLES!). After golf enjoy a dinner upstairs and see which couple has won prizes.

Format: Each week a new game and format will be announced. From Scramble to Shamble to Best Ball to Alternate Shot, each week will be an exciting night of golf.

Cost: Each week the game is \$5 per couple for prizes

Dates:

May 29th	Opening Night of couples
June 11th	Couples bar be que to follow golf
June 25th	Couples bar be que to follow golf
July 23rd	Couples
August 13th	Couples Guest Golf – Bring another couple as your guest
August 21st	Night golf – 5:30pm shotgun in the light, dinner after and then night golf at 9:00pm. Come out and play at night.

Sign up in the golf shop or online @ foretees.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Jim & Bertie Fitzharris Championship – Sunday, June 27th

Mr. & Mrs. Club Championship

Format: Total score for the Mr. & Mrs. Team, with a gross winner and a net winner.

Includes: Dinner for two and prizes for the winners

Time: 1:00pm Shotgun

2009 Champion: Craig & LuAnne Johnson & Bryan & Crescent Hoffman

Senior Club Championship – Tuesday, August 3rd

Format: Individual stroke play for senior men over the age of 50. There are three divisions: 50-59, 60-69 and 70-79 and 80 and over. Both gross and net winners in each flight.

Cost: \$15.00 per player

Includes: Prizes and awards **Time:** Tee times starting @ 10:15am

2009 Champion: Jim Hurley (Gross) & John Ohman (Net)

Ladies' Club Championship – Tuesday, August 3rd & 8th

Format: Individual stroke play within your flight, 36 holes for the championship flight, 18 holes for all Net flights and a 9-Hole Net Championship in the afternoon. Awards dinner will follow.

Cost: Included in Ladies entry fee

2009 Champion: Kristina Carlin

Men's Club Championship – Saturday & Sunday, August 7th & 8th

Format: Individual stroke play within your flight, 36 holes for flights and 45 holes for the championship flight. Flights will be determined by handicap. All juniors must play in championship flight. Tee times will begin at 7:30am on Saturday and Sunday, with lunch on Sunday included in entry fee.

Cost: \$30.00 per player

Includes: Prizes and lunch on Sunday afternoon

2009 Champion: Nathan Hoefflin

Junior Club Championship – July 30th

Format: Individual stroke play within your assigned golf group. 9&18 hole groups. Tee times will be assigned and walkers are encouraged to sign up.

Cost: No fee for juniors to play in their championship.

2009 Champion: Logan Gross & Dannielle Torgerson

MEN'S LEAGUE RULES AND INFORMATION

As is the past the Club will be offering 3 leagues on Wednesday afternoon. Within each league, teams are placed by their team's average handicap in 1 of 2 flights. Each week, teams will play other teams within their flights with a best ball format and 4 points available for each match. This format will also allow each team within their flights to play every team in their flight. The number of byes and matches will be determined by number of teams within each league.

TIMES OF EACH LEAGUE:

Early 18-hole league	1:30pm – 2:15pm	<i>These times may vary depending on number of teams in each league.</i>
Late 18-hole league	2:30pm – 4:00pm	
Nine-hole league	4:50pm – 6:10pm	

League will begin on May 13th with the Men's Opening Stag on May 6th. Registration deadline will be April 29th and no entries will be taken after the 30th. Schedules will be sent out via e-mail, so we will need all players' e-mail addresses. Last year we had over 140 members in the three leagues on over 60 teams. Participation for these three leagues is at a premium, don't delay – sign up now. When you get your schedules, there will be some byes and some potential rain dates (2005 – 7 rain outs & 2007 no rain outs). Can somebody tell me how many and when they will be for 2009.

Foretees Schedules: Matches will be posted on www.Foretees.com/stcloudcc. All matches will be posted for the days play with any changes or subs for the matches for the entire season. If you have a 3-person team and know which 2 players will be playing, please inform golf shop of decision.

League Rules:

All the leagues are a better ball of partners or four-ball format. Each nine holes is worth 1 point and the total is worth 2 points for a total of 4 points possible in each match. (9-hole match is worth 4 points for the win and 2 points apiece for a tie.)

Fees:

The cost for the leagues this year will be again \$150 per team. These fees cover first and second half winners of the leagues and for the overall winners of the leagues. There will be no charge for Subs this year! We are in need of subs that would like to play and we encourage you to sign up.

Subs:

Substitute players are allowed, but only one of the two teammates may have a sub during a given week. All subs must have an established USGA handicap. Please check with the golf shop for possible substitutes.

Failing to Show:

If a team fails to show or find a sub, they will forfeit all 4 of the points. The team with 1 or both of their players must play a minimum of 10 holes to receive all 4 of the points. If only one player shows, he must play the other two opponents by himself. If a player shows up late, he may join the group on the next available tee and continue to play, losing all holes he missed. If you do not show or fail to find a sub a total of 3 times, you will not be allowed to play in the league the following year. **A team is not allowed to find two subs, a minimum of one team member must be present to play.**



Make Your Tee Times Online!

Here's How:

1. Go to the member's website at www.stcloudcountryclub.com
2. Then click on the link to ForeTees
3. Enter your "**Login**" (member # plus 0 for Men or member # plus 1 for Women)

Example: 1000 for Member or 1001 for Spouse

4. Enter you "**Password**" (your last name)
5. This takes you to the "**Tee Time System Announcement Page**"
** Important** (First time you use the system)

Go to "**Settings**" tab (below "**Member Tee Time Management**") Make sure your email address is entered and is correct.

To Make a Time:

1. Move your cursor to the "**Tee Times**" tab (below **Member Tee Time Management**)
2. Left click "**Make, Change or View Tee Times**" option
3. Left click day you want to play
4. Left click on the time you want to play

Junior Golf @ St. Cloud Country Club

Is this the year? Will it be this year that your kids beat you on the golf course for the first time? We in the golf department, hope so. The past few years the Junior Golf Program at Saint Cloud CC has increased in numbers. We have also noticed more families playing golf on Saturday and Sunday afternoons. It is now time to get your kids to sign up for another year in the junior program, continuing to grow and prosper as golfers or get them started for the first time in the game of a lifetime. Enclosed is a schedule of events, daily itinerary, registration form, volunteer schedule and a guideline to placing your child.

Each week, the juniors will be involved in a ½ hour group lesson, then be placed in groups to play their respective number of holes. The lessons will change each week and cover all aspects of the game. The lessons include: rules and etiquette, driver and woods, irons, chipping, pitching and putting. After the lesson, play will begin with a shotgun start and a volunteer will be assigned to each group. The junior golf league ends with a club championship and a pizza party for all the junior participants.

Our goal at SCCC, should be to build our Junior Golf Program into the best in Central Minnesota. We need your help in a couple of ways. First, sign your children up for the program and second, volunteer a few mornings to walk with a group. It is very important that we get your help with walking with the 4 & 9-hole groups. These are the only two leagues that need volunteers to walk. These leagues will take approximately 2½ hours of your morning. **We ask for your help in improving your Junior Golf Program.**

DATES FOR 2010

JUNE 17 TH	OPENING DAY	JULY 29 TH	JUNIOR CLUB CHAMP
JUNE 24 TH	JUNIOR GOLF	AUG 5 TH	JUNIOR GOLF – PIZZA PARTY
JULY 1 ST & 8 TH	NO JUNIOR GOLF	<u>* NEW FOR 2010 – ALL AGE GROUPS 4, 9 & 18 HOLE GROUPS WILL PLAYING CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP AND ARE INVITED TO PIZZA PARTY FOLLOWING GOLF ON AUG. 5TH</u>	
JULY 15 TH	JUNIOR GOLF		
JULY 22 ND	JUNIOR GOLF		

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR EACH THURSDAY:

7:45 – 8:15	Group Lesson w/ PGA Golf Staff 9-Holers
8:15 – 8:45	Group Lesson w/ PGA Golf Staff 4-Holers
8:45 – 9:15	Group Lesson w/ PGA Golf Staff 18-Holers

Golf will immediately follow their group lesson for all groups.

HOW TO PLACE YOUR JUNIORS IN THE PROPER GROUP:

4-Hole Group	Juniors just starting the game with some knowledge of the golf course. They will play the holes from the 150 or 200-yard marker and will play 4 holes on the specified side of the course.
9-Hole Group	Juniors with a strong grasp of the game of golf, but don't want to quite make the leap to 18 holes. They need a little endurance and a little more experience. All play will be from the gold tees for boys and red tees for girls. Must be able to play the course in two hours.
18-Hole Group	Juniors wanting to play competitive golf that can play in four hours. They will also get a chance to play with other area High School Juniors. All play will be from the white tees for boys and red tees for girls.

2010 Schedule of Events

Month	Day	Event	Time	
April	20	Tues	Women's Opening Social Event	6pm
	24	Sat	St Johns Invitational Round 1	1pm
May	4	Tues	Women's Golf Opener	5:15pm Shotgun
	5	Wed	Men's Opening Stag	Tee Times
	11	Tues	All Women's Leagues Begin	
	11	Tues	9-Hole & Match Play - 9&18 Hole	
	12	Wed	Men's Leagues Begin	
	20	Thur	St. Cloud CC High School Invite	9am & 1:30pm Shotgun
	24	Mon	Aerify?	All Day
	28	Fri	Couples Golf	5:30pm Shotgun
	31	Mon	Memorial Day	
June	10	Tues	Women's 9-Hole Guest Day	9:00am Shotgun
	11	Fri	Couples Golf	5:30pm Shotgun
	14	Mon	Husky Sportacular	Noon Shotgun
	17	Thur	Junior Golf Begins	7:00am-9:40am
	20	Sun	Parent-Junior Tourney	Noon Shotgun
	21	Mon	Special Olympics	1:00pm Shotgun
	24	Thur	Junior Golf	7:00am-9:40am
	25	Fri	Couples Golf	5:30pm Shotgun
	27	Sun	Fitzharris Cup Mr. & Mrs. & Mixed Team Championship	1:00pm Shotgun
	28	Mon	MWGA Team Mid Champ	9am Shotgun
	28	Mon	Junior Optimist	2:30pm Shotgun
July	1	Thur	NO Junior Golf	
	4	Sun	Independence Day	Open Golf
	5	Mon	Titleist/FootJoy Proscratch	Noon Shotgun
	8	Thur	NO Junior Golf	
	8	Thur	Invitational Practice Round	12:00pm - Tee Times
	9	Fri	Invitational First Round	12:30pm Shotgun
	10	Sat	Invitational Second Round	9:30am Shotgun
	12	Mon	Youth For Christ	1:00pm Shotgun
	15	Thur	Junior Golf	7:00am-9:40am
	15	Thur	Golf for the Cause	4:30pm Shotgun
	22	Thur	Junior Golf	7:00am-9:40am
	23	Fri	Couples Golf	5:30pm Shotgun
	26	Mon	Builder's and Contractors	1:00pm Shotgun
29	Thur	Junior Golf Championship	7:00am-10:00am Tee Times	

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Month	Day	Event	Time	
August	3	Tues	Senior Club Championship	10:15am Tee Times
	5	Thur	Junior Golf - Pizza Party	7:00am - Pizza @ 11am
	7	Sat	Men's Club Championship	AM Tee Times
	8	Sat	Women's Club Championship	AM & PM Tee Times
	8	Sun	Men's Club Championship	AM Tee Times
	9	Mon	Junior PGA Tour	9:30am Shotgun
	12	Thur	18-Hole Women's Guest Day	9:00am Shotgun
	13	Fri	Couples Guest Golf	5:30pm Shotgun
	19	Thur	Men's Guest Day	1:00pm Shotgun
	23	Mon	Aerify????	All Day
	27	Fri	Couples Golf - Nite Golf	5:30 & 9pm Shotguns
	31	Tues	Queen of the Hill	4:00pm Shotgun
	31	Tues	Women's Fun Night	4:30pm Shotgun
	Sept	7	Tues	Ladies Fall Begins
6		Mon	Labor Day Holiday	Open Golf
7		Tues	Grandma's Tourney	9:00am Shotgun
10		Fri	Member-Member Pairings Party	6:30pm Party
11		Sat	Member-Member Tournament	9:30am Shotgun
13		Mon	Grocer's on the Green	11:00am
22		Wed	Men's Closing Stag	Tee Times
26		Sun	SCSU College Invite - Mens	Afternoon Tee Times
27		Mon	SCSU College Invite - Mens	Morning Tee Times
28		Tues	Women's Final and Awards	
Oct	4	Sun	SCSU College Invite - Womens	Afternoon Tee Times
	5	Mon	SCSU College Invite - Womens	Morning Tee Times