# **AWGA PAYOUT PROCEDURES**

These payout guidelines may be different for tournaments and special games not limited to the Invitational, Member-Guest, or other special events.

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# Thursday League Play

- The AWGA 18-hole league play is scheduled from the first Thursday in March through the last Thursday in October.
- The Thursday "pot" game fee is \$5.00 per person.
- The number of handicap divisions (flights) depends on the number of women playing in the game that day. There will be about 4 8 players or teams per flight
- One third to one half of the field will be paid. Ties will split the winnings
- Some tournaments will have a card-off for ties. This will be specified on the rules sheet for the event.
- Gross and net winners will be paid unless it is a net only game or a special game, such as KP day or low putts.
- KP's will be included in league play periodically, funded by the AWGA budget. To be
  eligible to win KP's, ladies must be signed up to play during designated league tee times
  and appear on the Golf Genius tee sheet.

#### Payouts:

- Payout amounts for Thursday league play are decided by the golf shop with input from the Golf Chair.
- Winnings will be added to your credit book money.
- Certain game formats allow payout eligibility even if you did not play all 18 holes, such as: Nassau, F&T or other identified games.

#### **Birdies**:

- For non-team games, \$.50 of the Thursday pot fee goes to birdies.
- Birdie money is paid when a woman scores a gross birdie on any hole during a league game.
- Each flight will have a separate birdie pot. If no one in a flight makes a birdie, that money will be added to the general payout for that flight for the day.
- At least 9 holes must be played to receive birdie payouts.
- Birdies are paid in cash.

# **Arrowhead Golf Club Women's Club Championship**

This event is conducted by Arrowhead Golf Club (AGC) with the cooperation and endorsement of AWGA.

AWGA recommends the following procedures for the AGC Women's Club Championship:

- At least one third of the field will be paid.
- Gross and Net Champion of the field will receive a larger share of the winnings in equal payouts: Gross and Net payouts for all flights will be equal in amount and number paid.
- The number of divisions will be determined by the number of participants.
- All entry fee payments collected will be paid out in prize winnings.

#### **AWGA Hole-in-One Procedures**

#### Qualifications:

- Any woman who is currently a member of AWGA
- Hole-in-One must be at Arrowhead Golf Club
- Must be at least a twosome
- Must have played at least nine holes
- Must turn in a signed and attested score card
- Can be recognized from a temporary tee, but will not be recognized from a temporary green

#### **Process:**

- The individual making the hole-in-one should notify the golf shop.
- The individual making the HIO should also notify the current AWGA VP.
- AWGA VP will notify OGA and order a plaque for the hole-in-one board.

#### Recognition:

- Any member meeting the hole-in-one qualifications will be paid \$200.00.
- In addition to the monetary payout; AGC may provide the individual with a hole-in-one burger.
- OGA may acknowledge the achievement with an announcement and a certificate.
- A plaque will be added to the AWGA HIO board in the Members' Room.

#### **Hole-in-one Insurance Assessment**

- Members will be billed ten dollars (\$10.00) annually for hole-in-one insurance by AGC.
   This will be collected at the same time as AWGA dues and handicap fees.
- Should hole-in-one insurance reserves fall below the amount needed for payouts, a midyear assessment will take place.

# AWGA Chip-in Procedure

A chip-in occurs when the ball goes into the hole, after being struck with one legitimate golf stroke from off the green.

#### Qualifications:

- Be a member in good standing of the AWGA ladies club
- Chip-in must be made on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday or Sunday while playing 9 or 18 holes at Arrowhead golf course
- All officially sanctioned AWGA or AGC events are included
- You do not have to be in the league "pot" game to participate on identified days
- There must be at least one other AWGA member present

#### **Process:**

Upon completion of that round of golf, the golfer will write her name on the AWGA bulletin board under "chip-ins". Information should include name, date and hole number.

#### Payouts:

- Golfers will be paid for each chip-in during play on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays or Sundays.
- The timeframe for chip-ins will be from October 16 through October 15 of the following year.
- Chip-ins will be paid out once a year at the annual Closing Meeting, the last Thursday in October.
- The annual chip-in budget (currently \$450) will be divided by the total number of chip-ins for the year. That number will be rounded to the nearest quarter (\$00.25) to determine the value of each one. Each member will receive a cash amount for their total number of chip-ins.

Revised "Pot" fee Voted by Majority of AWGA Members: Effective March 1, 2024

#### **EC Guidelines for AWGA**

An EC score is the best gross score a golfer has on each hole of a golf course over a set amount of time. A golfer's final EC score combines their lowest scores on each hole showing what they would score if all of those scores were in the same round.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Be a member in good standing of the AWGA ladies club
- Play 9 or 18 postable holes on Thursday at Arrowhead starting on the first AWGA game day in March through the Thursday before closing day in October with a tee time between 7 am and 12:30 pm
- Scores from both days of Club Championship are also eligible
- Golfers do not have to be in the league "pot" game to participate
- There must at least one other AWGA member present
- Scores on holes with temporary greens cannot be used to improve EC score

#### **Process:**

After a golfer's first eligible **Thursday** round, they will circle their scores for each hole on their EC card. For all other eligible rounds, golfers will circle a lower score when hole is improved. Previous scores stay on the card and are not erased.

EC cards will be filed alphabetically by last name in a container in the pro shop. EC cards can also be kept at home or in a digital format. Golfers are responsible for updating EC cards after each Thursday AWGA postable score and both days of the Club Championship. Please update cards weekly.

#### Payouts:

- Winners will be announced at AWGA closing day luncheon.
- There will be gross and net winners. 75% of handicap on October 15th will be used to determine net winners.
- Flights will be divided equally based on handicap.