

LVMGC TEAM PLAY APPLICATION FOR THE 2018 SEASON

(January to February with potential March and April play for playoffs)

Team Play is a great way to represent the Los Verdes Men's Club in Match Play competition against other Southern California golf clubs. Los Verdes fields two teams each year, one on Thursdays & one on Saturdays. Players may play for either or both teams.

Teams are placed into brackets of four. The season runs for six weeks, typically beginning on the second week of January, for 6 consecutive weeks, allowing for each club to play the other clubs both home and away. Sixteen players from each club team compete against sixteen players from the opposing club weekly. The winning team from each bracket then competes in single elimination rounds until a Southern California champion emerges.

Teams are comprised of more than 16 players to ensure sufficient player availability on any given week. Being on the team does not guarantee play beyond a single round as noted below.

1. Team Play Qualification

- a. The Weekend and Weekday Captain (or designees) will screen all applications for the basic SCGA qualification criteria (available on the SCGA handicap index website):
- b. A current index of 18.4 or better. Players with indices above 18.4 must play down to 18.4.
- c. A minimum of 20 rounds played during the calendar year. Members who do not have 20 rounds may be conditionally accepted, pending their compliance.
- d. Applicants who do not meet the SCGA criteria will be notified they are ineligible for Team Play and why.

2. Club Participation

- a. Priority for Team Play will be given to members who have accrued 5 or more participation points from October 1 of one year to September 30 of the following year.
- b. The Weekend and Weekday Captain (or designees) will use tournament lists provided by the Tournament Chair/Coordinators, Bus Trip Chair/Coordinator, and other event coordinators to help determine 1-5 points. Applicants may also be asked to provide information regarding the club activities they participated in.
- c. The following club activities will count toward participation points:
 - i. Weekend/Weekday Monthly Tournaments (1 point for each one played)
 - ii. Satellite Tournaments (1 point for each one participated in)
 - iii. Serving as any Tournament Captain or working check-in/scoring table (1 point)
 - iv. Bus Trips (1 point for each trip)
 - v. Team Play Captain (1 point)
 - vi. Team Play participant (1 point maximum for playing)
 - vii. South Bay Cup Competition/representation of LVMC in any other competition (1 point)
 - viii. Monthly General Meetings – dinner and program (1 point for each meeting)
 - ix. Putting Contest (1 point for each date)
 - x. PGA at Riviera Country Club marshalling, Los Verdes hole (1 point)
 - xi. Board Members (1 point)

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING AND RETURN TO THE APPROPRIATE CAPTAIN:

NAME: _____ GHIN# _____

INDICATE TEAM: THURSDAY (Ben Serns, Captain) SATURDAY (Glen Itow, Captain)