

# **OAKWOOD LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION**

Reviewed and Approved

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## **Article I - Name**

The name of the organization shall be the Oakwood Ladies Golf Association, hereinafter referred to as OLGA.

## **Article II - Purpose**

The purpose of OLGA shall be:

- Section 1.** To promote, encourage and advance women's golf in accordance with the rules adopted by the United States Golf Association (USGA), subject to Local Rules.
- Section 2.** To promote courtesy, sportsmanship, and fellowship through the game of golf.

## **Article III - Membership and Eligibility**

- Section 1.** Anyone eligible to purchase a membership at the Oakwood Golf Club, meeting the age requirements (40) of the IronOaks homeowners, shall be accepted into OLGA upon application and payment of dues. When membership reaches 300 the eligibility guidelines will be reviewed
- Section 2.** The maximum Handicap Index to be eligible for new membership is 37.5. An existing member whose index rises above 37.5 shall play to a maximum 37.5 Handicap Index.
- Section 3.** Regular members shall be 18-hole golfers who shall be eligible (when dues are current) to vote, hold office, and serve on committees in accordance with the Constitution and Bylaws.
- Section 4.** The fiscal year shall be January 1 through December 31.

## **Article IV - Membership Dues**

- Section 1.** Membership dues for the golf year shall become due and payable on date determined by Executive Board in accordance with AGA requirements.
- Section 2.** The Executive Board shall determine membership dues amount.
- Section 3.** Annual dues are not refunded for any reason.

## **Article V - Officers and Executive Board**

- Section 1.** The Executive Board shall consist of all elected officers and the following Chairs: Tournament, Pairings, Handicap, Rules/Parliamentarian and the AGA Representative.
- Section 2.** The Board shall conduct the business of OLGA subject to the Constitution, Bylaws and Standing Rules.
- Section 3.** The President, at her discretion, may have other non-voting members attend the Executive Board meetings.
- Section 4.** Two-thirds of the Executive Board, including at least two elected officers shall constitute a quorum.
- Section 5.** Elected officers shall be President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer.
- Section 6.** Elected officers shall not be eligible to hold the same Board position for more than two consecutive years with the exception of the Treasurer, who may serve four consecutive years.
- Section 7.** The term of office shall be from January 1 through December 31.

## **Article VI - Standing Committees**

- Section 1.** Standing Committee Chairs shall be appointed by the President and may include: Tournament, Pairings, Handicap, Rules/Parliamentarian, Social, New Member Orientation, Member/Guest, Awards, HIO/Birdies/Eagles, Publicity, Sunshine, AGA Representative, Team Play Captain, Reception, Directory, Photo/Historian, Webmaster, CAGD, PICO.
- Section 2.** Chairs of the Standing Committees shall keep the President informed of their activities.