# **Chelsea Changes**

## Starting January 1, 2025

We are making the changes to the tee time system to better utilize the golf courses. We have gotten to the point where we have more golfers than tee times available. During our busy season (November thru April), we have 2,000 or so players per month placed on the overflow list when requesting tee times. Monday, Wednesday and Friday are our 3 busiest days of the week and the most difficult days to get a tee time. Therefore, we are making the following changes.

#### Chelsea requests:

We have changed the process to request linked tee times (more than one tee time) You will be required to have 4-players in the first request before the system will allow you to fill in the second tee time in your request and so on. This will be done for 2 reasons. First, it will make the captain making the request more responsible to fill the groups with foursomes and potentially reduce the number of tee times used for that request. Second, it will not allow the captain the ability to fill in the 3-somes with "high" point players or guests after the placement of tee times. If you have 6-players you will have to request a 4-some and a 2-some.

If you are only requesting one tee time, you will still be able to make a request for a 2-some or 3-some.

Chelsea places tee times in the following order after the reservation system has ranked the tee time requests.

First - All groups with registered Chelsea PebbleCreek Residents.

Second - All groups with Chelsea PebbleCreek Residents and Guests (This will include residents that have yet to be registered into Chelsea).

## 9-Hole play

We have designated tee times at twilight time for 9-hole play and these times start at 1:30 daily. You may request these times by changing your request from 18 holes to 9 holes on Chelsea when making a request. We currently have 9-hole, back nine tee times available on weekends for the first hour of the day and many 9-holers have taken advantage of these times. We will extend our 9-hole play on Sundays at one course and will rotate that course every week. Sunday is the busiest 9-hole day of the week so we will extend the times (both front and back) to the amount of tee times necessary to satisfy the 9-hole request for that day. Again, to get these times make sure you change the holes to 9 from 18. We cannot do this every

weekday as our maintenance crews need time to get work done in the mornings. (Mowing, fertilizing, etc.) We will allow 1 course on Monday, Wednesday and Friday for back nine play. We feel this will provide adequate times to fill the 9-holers requests to play. **These changes will go into effect January 1, 2025 and only be in effect during our prime season, November through April.** 

We will also expect players that reserve an 18-hole tee times to pay for 18 holes. Some players are requesting 18-holes times and telling the golf shop that they want to just play 9 holes. This will no longer be allowed.

#### **10-play Punch cards**

We will keep the 10 play punch but only use this card for home owners within the same household. We will not allow the use of these cards for guest play. These cards will expire at the end of each calendar year

## Penalty for abusing the Chelsea Tee Time System

If you abuse the use of the tee times we will add penalty points to you and your group as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> offense for abusing Chelsea with space holders or fictitious names – Warning

2<sup>nd</sup> offense 5 point penalty for the whole group for the 11 day Chelsea window

3<sup>rd</sup> offense 5 point penalty for the whole group for 2 Chelsea window cycles

4<sup>th</sup> offense, taken out of Chelsea for 30 days