Branch River Conference Meet – May 10th, 2021

Play is governed by the USGA Rules of Golf. The WPGA Supplemental Rules on back of the official scorecard, and the following local conditions:
**TEES**: Men - White Tees
**FORMAT**: 9-Hole Stroke Play
**TIES**: First place tiebreaker will be determined by a scorecard playoff. (#1 Handicap Hole)
**COURSE MARKINGS**: Lines take precedence over stakes,
 Out of Bounds - White stakes and/or lines. #6, 7, 8, 9,10,15,16
 Edge of the pavement #10 (until line starts), 13.
**Any ball that lies on or across any public road is Out of Bounds, even if it lies playable on another part of the course. Any ball laying on the Private Property of one of the surrounding homes is
Out of Bounds.(i8, 12,16)** **Water Hazard** - Yellow stakes and/or lines. #3,4, 5, 12,13,14, 15, 16,17
 \* Lateral Water hazard - Red stakes and/or lines. #3, 4, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16,17
 \* Ground Under Repair - White painted circles. All ORNAMENTAL FLOWER BEDS are considered to
 be Ground Under Repair. All other mulch areas are to be played through the green.
**STONES IN BUNKERS** are considered to be movable obstructions (24-1 applies)
**DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES:** Are allowed per the local rule on the WPGA Hard card. Players may ONLY use devices that ONLY measure distance.
**CART PATH DROP ZONE #11:** An optional drop zone is located to the right of the putting green for relief from the cart path that runs adjacent to the lateral water hazard.
**FLOWERBED DROP ZONES #11:** The flower bed behind the #11 green is considered to be Ground Under Repair. Relief **MANDATORY** from this area. As an additional relief option players may use the closest DROP ZONE to where their ball lies, even if it may be closer to the hole.
**The area that converts to a water hazard behind the #12 green is considere1 to be a lateral water hazard during the play of #12. The yellow line stIll defines the lateral water hazard.
IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS CLOSE TO THE PUTTING GREEN**: Relief from interference by an immovable obstruction may be taken under Rule 24-2. In addition, if a ball lies off the putting green but not in a hazard and an immovable obstruction on or within two club-lengths of the putting green and within two club-lengths of the ball intervenes on the line of play between the ball and the hole, the player may take relief as follows:

 The ball must be lifted and dropped at the nearest point to where the ball lay that

 (a) Is not nearer the hole,

 (b) avoids intervention and

 (c) Is not in a hazard or on a putting green. The ball may be cleaned when lifted.

Relief under this Local Rule is also available if the player’s ball lies on the putting green and an
immovable obstruction within two club-lengths of the putting green intervenes on his line of putt.

The player may take relief as follows:

 The ball must be lifted and placed at the nearest point to where the ball lay that

 (a) is not nearer the hole,

 (b) avoids Intervention arid

 (c) is not ¡n a hazard. The ball may be cleaned when lifted.

**OTHER POLICIES**
\*\*The use or ringing of cell phones / PDA’s is prohibited. Please put your phones on silent or turn
them off Applies to players and caddies.