

Hunter Men's Club - 2011 Tournament Schedule

Bold Indicates Major Events

ABCD Best Three of Four Opening Day

Reschedule Saturday April 23

"Welcome New Members" - Tee Times Assigned - Sign Up By Wednesday April 20th

18 Hole Medal

Saturday April 30 or Sunday May 1

Play Either Day - Sign Up Day of the Tournament, Saturday & Sunday Afternoon Play Allowed (Min. 3 Members)

Yankees New York* vs. Red Sox Boston**

Saturday & Sunday May 14 & 15

Ryder Cup Format, Tee Times Assigned- Entry Fee \$10 - Sign Up By Wednesday May 11th

Two Day Entrants will receive Priority, however, Saturday or Sunday Play will be accommodated

*Yankees includes Mets/Giants/Jets/ Knicks – **Boston includes Patriots/Celtics

The George Hunter Memorial

Sunday May 29

18 Hole Medal, Entry Fee \$10, Tee Times Assigned, "T" Tournament, Sign Up By Wednesday May 25th

Senior NEPL Qualifier

Sunday June 5

A "T" Tournament-Tee Times Assigned – Entry Fee \$10, Sign Up By Wednesday June 1

Teams: Senior (4-Man, 50 & Over), Super Senior (2-Man, 60 & over), Legends (2-Man, 65 & Over)

Note: Over 60 May Play Down. Event will be played Monday June 27th @ Ailing New Haven,

\$20 Fee to play at Ailing must be paid at the Hunter Pro Shop by June 19.

Club Championship First Round

Sunday June 12

Match Play, "T" Tournament, Tee Times Assigned, Entry Fee \$10, Sign Up by Wednesday June 8th

Championship Flight Blue Tees, Maximum 64 Players, Four Flights, Ties will be resolved by Playoffs

Club Championship Second Round

TBD***

*** Matches can be played any day, any time between June 13th and July 8th, as determined by the participants.

If matches are not played by this date, tee times will be assigned by the Tournament Committee for July 9.

18-Hole Stableford

Saturday June 18 or Sunday June 19

Play Either Day, Sign Up Day of Tournament, Saturday & Sunday Afternoon Allowed (Min. 3 members)

NEPL Qualifier 27 Holes

Saturday June 18

"T" Tournament-Tee Times Assigned, Entry Fee \$10, Sign Up By Wednesday June 15

Event will be played Sunday July 24 & Monday July 25 @ Tashua Knolls, Trumbull

10 Players to be selected –Ties Playoff, \$20 Fee for Tashua Knolls to be paid at Hunter Pro Shop by July 4.

NEPL Senior Tournament @ Alling GC, New Haven

Saturday June 29

Firecracker Open

Saturday July 2, Sunday July 3, or Monday July 4

18-Hole Medal, Play Either Day, Sign up day of Tournament, Sat. & Sun. Afternoon play allowed (Min.3 members)

The Ace King Memorial

Saturday July 10 or Sunday July 11

18-Hole Medal, Play Either Day, "T" Tournament, Sign Up day of play, Afternoon play allowed (Min 3 Members)

Club Championship Semifinal Round

Saturday July 16

Club Championship Finals

Sunday July 17

No Consolation Matches, Club Champion will automatically qualify for the 2012 NEPL Team

MM Pick-your-own-Partner, Best Ball Team Gross & Net

Sunday July 17

Entry Fee \$10 Team – Tee Times Assigned, Sign Up by Tuesday July 12

NEPL 10-Man Team @ Tashua Knolls

Sunday July 24 & Monday July 25

NEPL All Net Walter Kane Qualifier

Sunday July 31

Entry Fee \$10, Tee Times Assigned, Sign Up by Wednesday July 27,

Event to be played at Triggs Memorial, Rhode Island on Monday, August 22

8 Players to be Selected – Ties resolved by Matching Cards,

\$20 Fee for Triggs to be paid at the Hunter Pro Shop by August 14th

Member Member Championship

Saturday August 6 & Sunday August 7

Entry Fee \$20 per team – Team Times Assigned – Sign Up by Tuesday August 24th

“T” Tournament, Saturday Shamble/Scramble, Sunday Best Ball Team

ABCD Shamble

Saturday August 13th

Entry Fee \$10, Tee Times Assigned, Sign Up by August 9th

City Championship

Saturday August 20 & Sunday August 21

This is not an HMC Event. It is sponsored run by the Golf Commission.

Entry Information will be posted in the Pro Shop and our Web Site when made available.

NEPL All Net @ Triggs GC in Rhode Island

Monday August 22

Ryder Cup “Red vs Blue”

Saturday September 3 & Sunday September 4

Match Play, Entry Fee \$10, Tee Times Assigned, 2-Day Entrants receive Priority, Single Day Play will be accommodated from an “Alternates List”. Saturday Modified Alternate Shot /Scramble, Sunday Best Ball- Two Nine Hole Matches

The Freedom Cup – Red/White/Blue Tees

Sunday September 11

18-Hole Medal, Sign Up Day Of, Sunday Afternoon Play will be Accommodated

The President’s Cup

Sunday September 19

18 Hole Medal, All Net, “T” Tournament , Entry Fee \$10, Tee Times Assigned, Sign Up by Tuesday September 21

Hunter vs Traditions

Saturday September 24 & Sunday September 25

Member Member Stableford –Annual Meeting & Picnic

Sunday October 2

Pick Your Own Partner, Team Stableford - Shotgun Start, Entry Fee \$10 (includes picnic), Sign Up By Sept 28

ABCD Bob Ramino Scramble

Sunday October 9

Over the Brook Contest & Supers Revenge, Entry Fee \$10, Tee times Assigned, Sign Up by October 5

2011 Rules Highlights

- Please note when we play the ball “Up”, you cannot improve a condition (i.e. Rough to Fairway)
- Please note below the definition of a “Closely Mown Area”.
- When in doubt, play two balls and report to the Committee

25-1. Abnormal Ground Conditions

■ **a. Interference** - Interference by an *abnormal ground condition* occurs when a ball lies in or touches the condition or when the condition interferes with the player's *stance* or the area of his intended swing. If the player's ball lies on the *putting green*, interference also occurs if an *abnormal ground condition* on the *putting green* intervenes on his *line of putt*. Otherwise, intervention on the *line of play* is not, of itself, interference under this Rule.

■ **b. Relief** - Except when the ball is in a *water hazard* or a *lateral water hazard*, a player may take relief from interference by an *abnormal ground condition* as follows:

(i) Through the Green: If the ball lies *through the green*, the player must lift the ball and drop it, without penalty, within one club-length of and not nearer the *hole* than the *nearest point of relief*. The *nearest point of relief* must not be in a *hazard* or on a *putting green*. When the ball is dropped within one club-length of the *nearest point of relief*, the ball must first strike a part of the *course* at a spot that avoids interference by the condition and is not in a *hazard* and not on a *putting green*

■ **c. Ball in Abnormal Ground Condition Not Found** - It is a question of fact whether a ball that has not been found after having been struck toward an *abnormal ground condition* is in such a condition. In order to apply this Rule, it must be known or virtually certain that the ball is in the *abnormal ground condition*. In the absence of such knowledge or certainty, the player must proceed under Rule 27-1.

If it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found is in an *abnormal ground condition*, the player may take relief under this Rule. If he elects to do so, the spot where the ball last crossed the outermost limits of the *abnormal ground condition* must be determined and, for the purpose of applying this Rule, the ball is deemed to lie at this spot and the player must proceed as follows:

(i) Through the Green: If the ball last crossed the outermost limits of the *abnormal ground condition* at a spot *through the green*, the player may *substitute* another ball, without penalty, and take relief as prescribed in Rule 25-1b(i).

Please Note: On the putting green, a ball that comes to rest in or on an aeration hole may be placed at the nearest spot not nearer the hole that avoids the situation.

Through the Green is defined as a closely mown area. This would include fairway and rough where a mower is utilized. If in doubt play (1) the ball as it lies or (2) play two balls and notify your group prior. You must report to the Committee immediately at the end of your round who will then determine the proper score.

Additional Rules:

- If a Player fails show for an assigned Tee Time without prior notification to the Pro Shop or Tournament Chairperson, he will not be eligible for the next two (2) club events.
- Playing Conditions will be Posted on the Starter's Shack prior to play. It is the Players responsibility to know the playing conditions; when in doubt play USGA Rules.
- Rules sheets will be provided for all Majors and events with assigned Tee Times.

Prepared by the 2011 Tournament Committee