*Lockwood Folly Ladies Golf Association*

*OFFICERS – 2021-22*

**President**  Sheila Schreiber

**Vice President** Kim Murphy

**Secretary** Peggy McCoy

**Treasurer** Suzanne Horkey

**Past President** Mary Ward

**Committee Chairpersons**

**18- Hole League**  Susann Thompson

**9 - Hole League** Lynne Borden

**Charity Tournament** Trish Benardo and Gayle Todd

**Clinics** Sheila Schreiber

**Couples Golf/Travel** Alice Meng & Judy Antisell

**Fall Luncheon**  Renee Edwards

**Hope Harbor Tournament** Elene Busch

**Lady Birds Coordinator** Tammy Whisenant

**LGA Championship**  Susann Thompson and Kim Murphy

**LGA Match Play Tournament** Sharon VanDusen

**LGA Member/Guest Tournament** Laura Botto

**LGA Member - Member Tournament** Mary Ward and Ann Mary Keenan

**Mixers and Scrambles**  Kim Murphy

**Ringer Cards**  Patti Ayling

**LGA CALENDAR 2022**

**Feb. 14 – Valentine Mixer (10:00 shotgun) and dinner**

**Feb. 24 – Scramble (10:00 shotgun) and 8:30 breakfast meeting**

**March 28 – Match Play**

**Apr. 14 – Scramble (9:00 shotgun) and lunch meeting**

**May 4, 11, 18 and 19 – LGA Clinics**

**May 17 – 9 Hole Spring Fling**

**May 30 – Memorial Day Mixer and lunch**

**June 4- Member-Guest Tournament 9:00 shotgun**

**June 23 – Scramble (9:00 shotgun) and lunch meeting**

**Aug. 4 – Scramble (9:00 shotgun) and lunch meeting**

**Aug. 18 – Hope Harbor Tournament at Magnolia Greens**

**Aug. 25 – Lady Birds at Lockwood Folly. 9:00 shotgun**

**Sept. 5 – Labor Day Mixer (9:00 shotgun)**

**Sept. 20 and 22 – Member-Member Tournament**

**Sept. - Date to be determined for 9 Hole Pink Ball Tournament**

**Oct. 6 – Charity Tournament (9:00 shotgun)**

**Oct. 20 – Scramble (9:00 shotgun) and lunch meeting**

**Nov. 11 – Veterans’ Day Mixer (10:00 shotgun) and dinner**

**Nov. 17 – Fall Luncheon**

**Dec. 1 – Breakfast meeting and Scramble (10:00 shotgun)**

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|  |  | **2022 Ladybird Schedule of Tournaments** |
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| Oak Island |  |  | April 13 |  | $50  |  |  |
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| Bricklanding |  |  | May 10 |  | $40  |  |  |
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| Carolina National |  | May 19  |  | $49  |  |  |
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| Rivers Edge |  |  | June 7 |  | $48  |  |  |
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| Carolina Shores |  | June 14 |  | $34  |  |  |
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| St. James |  |  | July 18 |  | $46  |  |  |
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| Crow Creek |  |  | August 3 |  | $49  |  |  |
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| Sea Trail - Jones Course | August 15 |  | $45  |  |  |
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| Lockwood Folly |  | August 25 |  | $44  |  |  |
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| Meadowlands |  | September 9 |  | $43  |  |  |
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| The Lakes |  |  | September 14 | $36  |  |  |
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| The Cup at Magnolia Green | October 17 |  | $46  |  |  |
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**Golfing Courtesies**

These courtesies are to help all of us enjoy our game more. We all need to look out for each other.

1. Play only one ball from tee to green.
2. Keep up the pace of play. Let faster groups play through. Be aware and watchful of people in front of you and those behind you.
3. Plan on the perfect shot; if your perfect shot will hit into the group ahead, wait until they are out of range.
4. Play ready golf. If you are ready and the person who is next is not, go ahead and hit your shot.
5. Keep conversation to a whisper when another person is taking a shot.
6. Use rake in sand bunkers. Place rake in flat part of bunkers.
7. Repair fairway divots with cart sand and tap down with foot. Fill with enough sand to create a smooth, even surface.
8. Take cart to far end of green to speed exit from green and pace of play.
9. Repair ball marks on green. Use repair tool or pointed device. Lightly tap down with putter or foot.

 10. Be careful not to step in another’s line of putt when on the green.

 11. Be aware of your shadow, clubs, markers, etc. when on the green.

 Keep these items out of the line of another’s putt.

 12. First player to hole out should position herself to replace flagstick once play

 of the hole is complete.

**Lockwood Folly Ladies’ Golf Association**

**Events and Activities**

**(Revised March 2022)**

The Lockwood Folly Ladies’ Golf Association (LFLGA) provides the following activities to encourage and support golf for LFCCI members. Specific questions concerning the activities can be directed to the Committee Chairs or Officers of LFLGA.

The nominal yearly association dues are the primary source of income to support the association, as well as fund a small portion of these activities. To participate in golf events, you must be a member in good standing of the LFLGA and have an established USGA handicap. Where appropriate, handicaps will be capped as stated in the LGA /By-Laws Article VI, Section 3.

18 - Hole Weekly Golf League

(Tuesday/Thursday)

All members of the LFLGA are invited to participate in the 18 - hole league which plays on Tuesday and Thursday. Tuesday is a non-competitive day of play with tee times available in the morning and early afternoon. Thursday morning and afternoon play include a “game” day event.

Please contact the 18-hole committee chairperson for more information or to schedule a tee time.

9 - Hole Weekly Golf League

(Tuesday)

All members of the LFLGA are invited to participate in the 9 - hole league which plays on Tuesday afternoons. The group is especially popular with those who are beginners or who have been away from the game for a while.

Please contact the 9-hole committee chairperson for more information or to schedule a tee time.

Ringers

All LFLGA players are encouraged to participate in the yearly ringer event. A ringer card is made out each December and continues until the end of October the following year. Each paid member of the Ladies Golf Association, who has an established handicap, will have a ringer card. Scores used for ringers are the gross scores from official lady’s day play (currently Tuesdays and Thursdays). After play, each member is responsible to circle the lowest score for each hole on the ringer card. It is not necessary to erase previously circled numbers. Prizes are awarded by flights at the November luncheon. Players can designate their ringer card for the 9 - hole league, only to compete for the 9 - hole ringer tournament. Players are also reminded to indicate green or red tees on their ringer cards.

Clinics

Yearly clinics are sponsored by the LFLGA for members. These clinics are provided by the Club Pro for a small fee. The topics include sand shots, pitching, chipping, woods, and course management.

Tournaments

The LFLGA sponsors four member tournaments each year. The spring tournaments are the Match Play, LGA Championship, and the Member - Guest. The Match Play is a progressive tournament starting in Feb/March and completing (play) by the end of April. The LGA Championship is a two - day event, followed on the second day by snacks and drinks for participants. The Member/Guest Tournament includes a cocktail party, a round of stroke play, and a luncheon following the round. This is a much-anticipated event with friends and family arriving to enjoy a weekend of golf and friendship.

The fall tournament is the Member - Member. Members will pair up to play two rounds of golf. Members seeking partners can sign up for pairing by the coordinators. This tournament replaces regular Tuesday/Thursday 18 - hole rounds.

Mixers

The following Mixers are run by the LFLGA: Valentine’s Day, Memorial Day, Labor Day, and Veteran’s Day. The golf format is a four-person team event, usually a scramble or shamble. Each Mixer is financially self - supporting. Dinner follows the Mixer at the Clubhouse. It is a fun, social event for players of all levels with an established USGA handicap and a great way to meet others. Family member house guests are only allowed if space is available.

Meetings/Golf Events

Golf events are held in conjunction with the bimonthly meetings of the LFLGA on regular Thursday league days in February, April, June, August, October, and December. In February and December, the golf event is a shot - gun start. The LFLGA business/ breakfast meeting is held in the Pool house prior to the golf event. In the other months, the golf events have a shotgun start, and the meeting and lunch (buy or bring - your - own) is held afterward. All golf events will be awarded prizes from the LGA. Bag tips must be paid by participants.

Brunswick Ladybirds

The Lockwood Folly Ladies Golf Association is a member of the Ladybirds League. The league consists of twelve (12) clubs: Brick Landing, Carolina Shores, Carolina National, Crow Creek, (the) Lakes, Lockwood Folly, Magnolia Greens, Meadowlands/Farmstead, Oak Island, River’s Edge, Sea Trail, and St. James. The league season runs from March to November each year with twelve (12) tournaments including a Ladybird Cup Tournament. Course costs are set at the beginning of the season. Each member club can send ten (10) players to the regular tournament and eight (8) players to the Cup Tournament. Each player must have a USGA Index of 40. The league provides a great way to meet other golfers in the area and play outside courses at reduced prices.

Social/Charity Events

The LFLGA hosts a fall luncheon in November. At this end of season celebration, awards and prizes are presented based on the results of the current year’s tournaments and league play. This luncheon is open to all members, Lockwood Folly residents, and guests.

Each year the LFLGA sponsors a major fundraiser which always features an invitational golf tournament with luncheon. The designated charity and the tournament format are determined by the event chairperson. Since 1997 close to $500,000 has been raised for breast cancer and ovarian cancer research, autism programs, Hospice, Alzheimer’s research, and other cancer research. The Breast Cancer Research Foundation, Duke Cancer Institute, UNC Health Foundation, and Lower Cape Fear Hospice Foundation have been the major beneficiaries.

**Lockwood Folly Ladies’ Golf Association**

**CONSTITUTION AND BY - LAWS**

***Last revision: 01/05/2022***

**CONSTITUTION**

ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this organization shall be Lockwood Folly Ladies’ Golf Association.

ARTICLE II OBJECT

The object of this Association is the promotion of good fellowship and sportsmanship among its members in playing golf tournaments conducted in accordance with rules of the United States Golf Association except as modified by the local rules of the course.

ARTICLE III MEMBERSHIP

Section 1

Any female who is over eighteen years of age and is a member of Lockwood Folly Country Club, Inc., in good standing, is eligible for membership.

Section 2

A woman becomes a member of the Ladies’ Golf Association upon her payment of the specified annual dues to the Association treasurer.

Section 3

Each member shall abide by all conditions of the Constitution and By - Laws and abide by all decisions which the Executive Board is authorized to make.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

Officers of the Association shall be in good standing and consist of President, Vice - President, Secretary, and Treasurer. They shall be elected by the Association members. The Executive Board shall consist of the four officers and the immediate past president. They shall abide by Article III of the Constitution.

ARTICLE V ELECTIONS

Section 1

The LGA yearly election of officers for the Executive Board shall be conducted by the Nominating Committee, which shall be appointed by the President and the Board. Thirty (30) days prior to the last regularly scheduled Fall meeting, the Nominating Committee shall notify the membership of the upcoming election and that anyone wishing to serve as an officer should so inform the Committee. Anyone wishing to run for office, must have been an LGA member in good standing for one year and have an established handicap. It is preferable that candidates for President have previous board experience. In the event that there is more than one candidate for any office, an election by secret ballot shall be held at the last regularly scheduled Fall meeting. Each LGA member in good standing shall receive a ballot at the meeting. Any member in good standing who is unable to attend the meeting may request a ballot in advance and submit it to the Nominating Committee prior to the meeting. If there is only one candidate for each office, the Nominating Committee may submit a slate that will be voted on as a whole by voice vote. The winners will be announced prior to the Fall Luncheon, and the officers will be presented at the Fall Luncheon.

Section 2

The Nominating Committee shall be appointed by the President and the Executive Board. It shall be the responsibility of the Nominating Committee to present the slate of officers at the last regularly scheduled Fall meeting, at which time the election shall take place.

Section 3

Officers shall assume office on December 1st. The fiscal year will run from December 1st to the following December 1st. Annual dues shall be payable on or before January 1st.

ARTICLE VI MEETINGS

Section 1

The Association shall hold one general meeting of all members approximately every other month. The time and place of each meeting shall be determined by the Executive Board.

Section 2

Special meetings of the Association may be called by the President and/or Executive Board.

ARTICLE VII AMENDMENTS

Section 1

The Constitution may be altered or amended at any regular or special meeting held in conformity with the Constitution by a two - thirds (2/3) vote, a quorum being present, with the proposed change having been read at a previous meeting and posted on the bulletin board.

Section 2

At any bi-monthly or special meeting, the number of members present, shall constitute a quorum.

BY - LAWS

ARTICLE I DUES

Annual dues will be established at the first Executive Board meeting of the season.

ARTICLE II OFFICERS

Section 1

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association and Executive Board and in general performs duties of her office. She shall be the official spokeswoman of the Association. She shall report recommendations of the Executive Board to the membership. The President will be an ex-officio member of all committees. The President shall fill all vacancies occurring during the term of office, with the approval of the Executive Board.

Section 2

The Vice - President shall perform all duties of the President in her absence.

Section 3

The Secretary shall keep records of all Association and Executive Board meetings and prepare all Association correspondence as needed.

Section 4

The Treasurer shall collect and keep all monies of the Association and disburse them as directed by the Executive Board. She shall keep the accounts in books belonging to the Association, which shall be at all times open to the inspection of the Executive Board, to whom reports in writing shall be made of all money received and paid out and the amount of funds on hand. She shall make a report of the financial condition of the Association at each regular meeting. She shall keep a complete and current list of all members.

Section 5

The four officers shall be elected for a term of one year. They may succeed themselves, with no limit in terms.

ARTICLE III EXECUTIVE BOARD

Section 1

The Executive Board shall consist of the four elected officers. The immediate Past President is a member in a non-voting, advisory capacity.

Section 2

Management of the Association shall be by the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall transact such business as is brought to its attention.

Section 3

Meetings of the Executive Board will be held at any time on the call of the President.

ARTICLE IV COMMITTEES

Section 1

The President will appoint such standing committees as necessary for the Association.

Section 2

Committee Chairmen shall be appointed for one year and shall be eligible to succeed themselves.

Section 3

All outgoing officers and committee chairmen shall turn over all records to their successors. An audit of the Association account books shall be requested by November 1 of each year.

ARTICLE V ORDER OF BUSINESS

All meetings shall be governed by Robert’s Rules of Order. The order of business shall be: The President shall call the meeting to order; reading of the minutes; report of treasurer; committee reports; unfinished and new business; and adjournment.

ARTICLE VI COMPETITION

Section 1

Weekly League Play

The LGA Weekly League Play requires:

a) Paid-up membership in the Lockwood Folly Ladies Golf Association. Guest(s) may participate, if there is room.

 b) 18-hole league - Current USGA handicap

 9-hole league - Handicap may be established during league play.

Section 2

Tournaments

The following events are considered LGA sponsored tournaments.

Member – Guest

Member – Member

a) Participation requires a paid-up membership in the Lockwood Folly Ladies Golf Association with the exception of the Club Championship.

 b) All participants must have a current USGA handicap for 18 holes.

 c) Only amateurs as defined by the USGA rules are eligible for prizes/trophy awards.

Club Championship

 a) The Club Championship is under the direction of the golf professional.

 b) All amateur women golfers, 18 years or older, who are LFCCI members in good standing may participate in the Club Championship.

 c) An entry fee may be required for any individual who is a member of LFCCI, but not a member of LFLGA.

 d) All participants must have a current USGA handicap for 18 holes.

 e) Only amateurs as defined by USGA rules are eligible for prizes/trophy awards.

Section 3

Unless otherwise stated, all LGA sponsored tournaments, weekly league play, scrambles, and mixers will have the women’s maximum playing handicap set at 44 for the red tees and at 38 for the green tees, and the men’s maximum playing handicap set at 36.

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The By - Laws may be altered or amended at any regular or special meeting held in conformity with the Constitution by a two - thirds (2/3) vote, a quorum being present, and the proposed change having been read at a previous meeting and posted on the bulletin board.