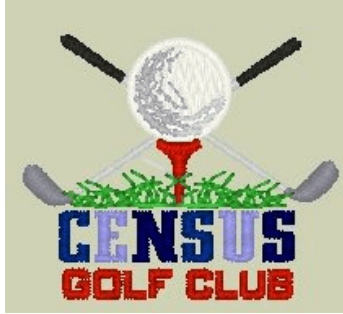


2011
Census Golf Club
Information and Registration





2011 CENSUS GOLF CLUB

<http://cww.census.gov/cbwra/golf/cqc.html>

(Intranet)

<http://www.jacksclubhouse.com/cqc.html>

(Internet)

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LAST YEAR'S RESULTS

Golfer of the Year	Don Dalzell
Director's Cup	Don Dalzell
Four-Ball Tournament	Joe Keehan/Bo Wachter
Two-person League Champs	Cathy Ayoob/ Sreenivas Gogulapati
Men's Club Championship	Jack Leidich
Women's Club Championship	Cathy Ayoob

The Census Golf Club is part of the Census Bureau Welfare and Recreation Association (CBWRA, <http://cww.census.gov/cbwra/>). The CBWRA was organized in 1950 to promote the health and well-being of employees and to provide athletic, social and other events and programs of an entertaining or educational nature.

The Census Golf Club Committee looks forward to another enjoyable golf season and hopes for continued support from the Census golf community. We're excited once again about offering golf outings, tournaments, league, and other golf-related opportunities.

By filling out and returning the 2011 registration form, we can be sure that you receive announcements and information pertaining to golf at the Census Bureau. Participants in Census Golf Club events must be members of the Census Golf Club and the CBWRA.

REGISTRATION

You must register with the Census Golf Club (CGC) in order to participate in any CGC sponsored activity. The registration form can be found on the CGC website:

<http://cww.census.gov/cbwra/golf/cgc.html> (Intranet)

<http://www.jacksclubhouse.com/cgc.html> (Internet)

- Participants **must** register and pay the annual \$7.00 registration fee. One-time guests may participate in one outing for a nominal fee of \$2 without paying the \$7 registration fee.
- The CGC will continue its subscription and use of the GolfNet Handicap Network. Please see the handicap information in this flyer. The Handicap Committee is very pleased with the success of this system and has noted that the access of GolfNet via the Maryland State Golf Association's "My Golf Life" web site provides outstanding access to handicap and other golf-related services. Annual member cost for this on-line service is just \$6.

- Participants of the CGC may purchase their membership in the CBWRA through their division administrative office or through CGC registration.

USGA and CGC Status

The CGC is an official United States Golf Association (USGA) Club Member. If you play in a tournament that wishes to verify CGC status, our club is listed in USGA's Yearbook and can also be found on USGA's "Authorized Golf Club" search page at: <http://www.usga.org/HDCPClubLic/search.asp?Auth=Y>

Our Census Golf Club official USGA handicaps can be found by signing in at [My Golf Life – GolfNet](#).

The CGC adheres to USGA rules in its competitions and abides by the USGA's conforming equipment guidelines for golf clubs and balls.

GOLFER OF THE YEAR

The CGC recognizes one member each year as the Golfer of the Year. This award was first awarded in 1993 and identifies the member who exhibits regular participation, sustained ability, and superior performance in the events of the golf year. The Golfer of the Year, as determined by the GOTY point system developed by the Competition subcommittee, will be presented at the awards ceremony at the last outing of the season.

CENSUS GOLF CLUB WEBSITES

The CGC has a presence on both the Census Bureau's Intranet as well as the Internet. The CGC's Intranet site is: <http://cww.census.gov/cbwra/golf/cgc.html>
An external Internet site is also provided so that information can be accessed outside the Census network. That site is: <http://www.jacksclubhouse.com/cgc.html>

The web page features all CGC related activities including schedules and results of the monthly outings and weekly league, USGA handicaps, CGC history and past champions, a picture gallery, novice golf information, public golf announcements for the Washington metropolitan local area, and more.

ANNUAL GOLF WEEKEND TRIP

For well over a decade, the Census Golf Club has coordinated a weekend golf trip sometime during late May to late June. It's a time to travel (within driving distance) for a 2-night, 3-round golf escape. If you have questions or are interested this year, please contact Kim DePhillip by COB April 1--Kimberly.Marie.Dephilip@census.gov, 301-763-3975. Current plans are for the weekend of June 24-26 with travel to the Charlottesville, VA area.

BY-LAWS

CGC By-Laws, including sub-committee definition/structure and our appeal process, are available on the CGC website.

HANDICAPS

As a USGA Member Club, the CGC will once again offer and provide USGA Handicapping Services to our members.

In 2007, after 25+ years of keeping scores and calculating handicaps for our members, the CGC Committee implemented use of the GolfNet Handicap Network, a widely-recognized service utilized by hundreds of golf clubs throughout most states in the U.S. and foreign countries. GolfNet is the authorized vendor providing handicap service to the Maryland State Golf Association and other golf associations throughout the country (<http://mymsga.golfnet.com/default.aspx>).

This service allows clubs and their members to directly post their scores and receive instant handicap information through their internet browser. The CGC Handicap Committee will still govern the process, as GolfNet administrators, and will produce official handicaps on the 1st and 15th day of each month during the official golf season. As required by the USGA, the CGC and the Handicap Committee will continue to follow all USGA Handicap procedures. Peer review, through the GolfNet network, allows for Census Golf Club members and all GolfNet subscribers to view your score history and official USGA Handicap.

No golfer should maintain multiple USGA handicaps. If you maintain your official USGA handicap at another USGA club, you should NOT sign-up for the Census Handicap service. If the Census Golf Club is the only USGA golf club you wish to join, you are required to sign-up for the GolfNet handicap service to participate in the outings and tournaments. (Novice Program golfers should consult the Novice Committee or their mentor for handicap advice).

The Census Golf Club pays for the GolfNet service based on the number of golfers who have signed-up for the service by the end of May each year. At the end of May we will remove inactive and unregistered golfers from our handicap roster (we won't lose historical data). **Therefore, it is important that you register/renew your 2011 membership no later than May 13** to ensure you have access to your current handicap and maintain your ability to post new scores.

As a member of a USGA club, you are responsible for posting acceptable rounds of golf to the GolfNet system. Don't know what an acceptable round is? There is guidance posted on websites (USGA, GolfNet, and Census Golf Club) and members of the Handicap Committee can answer your questions. The Committee is responsible for governing the basic premise of the USGA Handicap System: that every player will try to make the best score he can at each hole in every round played, regardless of where the round is played, and that he will post every acceptable round for peer review.

The outings appearing on a page later in this flyer and labeled as "2011 Census Golf Outings" are the only Census Golf Club activities where your scores are posted by the Handicap Committee.

GOLF LEAGUE

The Census two-person golf league plays on Wednesday afternoons at Enterprise Golf Course. The 2011 season is scheduled to start on Wednesday, April 27. Participants in the golf league will be scheduled to play every week (excluding three open weeks for make-up matches) of the season.

There are a limited number of open spots in the golf league for the upcoming season. If you are interested in signing up for the league (sign up as a two-person team is preferred), are interested in being on the sub list for the upcoming season, or have general questions about the golf league, please contact Jeff Sisson (763-2082).

Attention Last Year's Golf League Members ...

CGC Committee and Handicap Committee individuals have run analyses on league score posting and the GolfNet/USGA recorded score postings. League Members are reminded that they must post consecutive weekly golf scores to their GolfNet account. Guidance on reporting of consecutive 9-hole golf rounds is available on USGA's website and or ask any CGC Handicap Committee member. Over 20 regular golfers who played more than 6 weeks of golf league play posted no scores in their GolfNet handicap records during the spring and summer months of 2010. Please post all scores according to USGA Handicap guidelines.

FOUR-BALL TOURNAMENT

The Four-Ball Tournament is a popular event. It is an elimination style tournament where teams of two golfers compete in a better-ball match play format. An entry fee of \$30.00 per team is charged to cover prizes. This tournament is perfect for those golfers who are unable to commit to a whole season of weekly league play yet still want to compete in a team match play format. Sign-ups for this event close at NOON on April 8th - see the attached flyer (or the CGC website) for further details and registration information. Tournament participants must be registered members of the Census Golf Club.

DIRECTOR'S CUP

The Director's Cup is an individual match play tournament. An entry fee of \$15.00 will be charged to cover prizes. Sign-ups for this event close at NOON on May 6th - see the attached flyer (or the CGC website) for further details and registration information. Tournament participants must be registered members of the Census Golf Club.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENTS

The CGC Club Championship for both men and women is a scratch (no handicap) tournament. The tournament format is match play. This single elimination competition is limited to 32 players. If more than 32 people sign up, the 32 players with the lowest handicap indexes as of the sign-up deadline will compete. There is no entry fee for this event. Tournament participants must be registered members of the Census Golf Club.

To sign up for the men's tournament, notify Dave Adams via e-mail (David.E.Adams@census.gov) or by phone (763-4113).

To sign up for the women's tournament, contact Kim DePhillip via e-mail (Kimberly.Marie.Dephilip@census.gov) or by phone (763-3975).

All entries must be received by cob April 29th.

Pairings and byes (if needed) will be randomly selected and posted on the CGC websites. The tournament will run throughout the summer with final match to be completed before the last outing of the year.

All matches are played using summer rules (play the ball as it lies). Players arrange matches on their own and if they can't agree on a course to play the default is Enterprise Golf Course (blue tees for men and red tees for women).



COMMITMENT TO PLAY ... Club Tournaments and Competitions

Many of our club events require commitment throughout the golf season. The Census Golf Committee asks that members assess their ability to adhere to league and tournament schedules.

Attention to all intending to join multiple-day competition events such as Golf League, 4-Ball, Director's Cup, Women and Men's Championships ...

Do Not Sign Up for these events unless you can ensure your availability to play golf across the busy schedules we all have. The Census Golf League and the Tournament Brackets provide specific guidelines for match deadlines and require schedule coordination with your opponent.

You should be able to be free for golf a majority of the days in any given week (to include availability of annual leave and/or AWS days) and have no large or multiple planned extended outages, vacations, business trips during the months of April-September. There is a downstream effect to delays early in the schedule that affect future opponents as well as the club completing our competitions on time.

Emergencies and extenuating circumstances requiring schedule and tournament remedies will be discussed by the CGC Officers and CGC Competition Committee in order to keep the tournaments on schedule.



NOVICE PROGRAM

The Novice Program provides playing opportunities with other novices and also experienced golfers (“mentors”). Regular playing helps build self-confidence on the course. We plan to offer novice play at two nearby executive golf courses perfect for beginners. We schedule regular playing opportunities once a week after-work from the end of May to the end of August.

Henson Creek Golf Course

http://www.pgparcs.com/Things_To_Do/Sports/Golf/Henson_Creek_Golf_Course.htm

Paint Branch Golf Complex

http://www.pgparcs.com/Things_To_Do/Sports/Golf/Paint_Branch_Golf_Complex.htm

You can find the “Novice Group Informational Flyer” on the on the CGC website. There will be a novice organizational meeting Thursday, April 21st (location/time to be announced) for those interested in learning more about the program and to ask questions. The registration form also is available on the website and is due Friday, May 13, 2011.

Experienced golfers are welcome to participate as mentors; we are always in desperate need of mentors. If you are interested in becoming a mentor, then please check the box on the registration form or contact Dan Vacca (daniel.a.vacca@census.gov). You can volunteer as much or as little as you want--one time during the season is a big help.

DRESS CODE

The CGC requests that members abide by the dress code at all golf courses where we hold our outings, league, and tournaments. Restrictions may include a shirt with a collar and sleeves and no jeans or cut-offs. Unless otherwise notified, metal spikes are not allowed.

GOLFING DISCOUNTS

The Census Golf Club will continue to share information on discounts and savings to its club members. The following are such opportunities.

The 2011 TeeTime Golf Pass offers savings of \$10-\$50 each time you use the pass. You can order the pass via the CGC website and the club will receive a nominal percentage of the sale. More information is available by following the TeeTime Golf Pass link on the CGC website.

Another discount opportunity is through Maryland and Virginia Golf Associations:

The Virginia State Golf Association offers a free VIP card at:
<http://www.vsga.org/contentindex.asp?ID=2>

The MSGA has partnered with over 250 golf courses in Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, and Ohio. There is an annual membership fee to join - the brochure can be found at: <http://www.msga.org/>

PROFESSIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENTS in our area

See the information below if you would like ticket and spectator information - or sign-up to be a volunteer at an event!

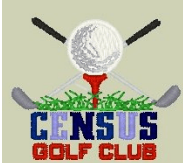
Nationwide Tour - "Melwood Prince George's County Open"
University of Maryland Golf Course (College Park, MD)
June 2-5
Website: <http://www.pgatour.com/tournaments/h093/>

U.S. Open Championship
Congressional County Club (Bethesda, MD)
June 13-19
Website: http://www.usopen.com/en_US/index.html

PGA Tour and The Tiger Woods Foundation - AT&T National
Aronimink Golf Club (Philadelphia, PA)
June 28-July 3
Website: <http://www.attnational.org/home/default.sps>

USE OF MEASURING DEVICES

The Census Golf Club allows the use of yardage measuring devices for all events as long as the use of the device does not delay play.



2011 Census Golf Outings

Friday May 13	Cameron Hills Golf Links King George, VA http://www.cameronhills.com/index.html	1:30 PM Shotgun 4-Person Captain's Choice
Monday June 13	Compass Pointe Golf Courses Pasadena, MD http://www.compasspointegolf.com/index.php	1:30 PM Shotgun 4-Person 2-Net Best Balls
Monday August 8	Renditions Davidsonville, MD http://www.renditionsgolf.com/	2:00 PM Shotgun 4-Person 1-Net Best Ball
Monday October 3	Swan Point Issue, MD www.swanpointgolf.com/	9:00 AM Shotgun 4-Person Points

CENSUS GOLF CLUB 2011 FOUR-BALL MATCH PLAY TOURNAMENT

Entries for the **Four-Ball Match Play Tournament** will be accepted **UNTIL** April 8th, 2011 at 12:00 p.m. The pairings sheet will be sent via e-mail to participants and posted to web.

Date: The tournament will start April 11, 2011. Matches to be played by posted date.

Place: Matches may be played at any agreed course. If agreement cannot be reached, the match will be played at Enterprise Golf Course. Tee preference is up to each player.

Format: The format for this tournament is team better-ball using 100% handicaps. Once you have calculated your course handicap from the appropriate tees, subtract the high from the low and then the lowest handicap person plays at scratch handicap while the other players use the difference in handicap.

Reminder: The player competing from the higher course rated tees will receive additional strokes equal to the difference between the two course ratings.

Schedule: If one team is at the course at the agreed time and the other team has not arrived, first arrival WILL wait 30 minutes then tee off and win as many holes as played before arrival of second team.

Time Frame: Matches can be played ahead of schedule and players should make every effort to complete their matches as early as possible since this will aid in the scheduling of matches around vacation plans (bracket schedule allows for two weeks for each round to be completed).

Cost: The entry fee is \$30 per team.

Prizes: Winners will receive about 40%, 2nd place about 30%, 3rd and 4th will share about 30% of the prize money.

Rules: Summer Rules only! Play the ball as it lies. USGA governs all other play except where modified by local rules. Tiebreaker rules can be found on the CGC website on the "Tournament Brackets" page or by clicking [here](#). Please be sure to print and retain a copy for your matches.

Contact: Jack Leidich via e-mail John.C.Leidich@census.gov to sign up

Entrants must be registered 2011 Census Golf Club Members. Please use Census Golf Club Registration Form to sign-up.

MONEY MUST BE PAID BEFORE TOURNAMENT BEGINS

CENSUS GOLF CLUB 2011 DIRECTOR'S CUP TOURNAMENT

Entries for the **Director's Cup** will be accepted **UNTIL** May 6th, 2011 at 12:00 p.m. The pairings sheet will be sent via e-mail to participants and posted to web.

- Date:** The tournament will start May 9, 2011. Matches to be played by posted date.
- Place:** Matches may be played at any agreed course. If agreement cannot be reached, the match will be played at Enterprise Golf Course. Tee preference is up to each player.
- Format:** The tournament format is match play using 100% handicap.
- Schedule:** If one team is at the course at the agreed time and the other team has not arrived, first arrival WILL wait 30 minutes then tee off and win as many holes as played before arrival of second person.
- Time Frame:** Matches can be played ahead of schedule and players should make every effort to complete their matches as early as possible since this will aid in the scheduling of matches around vacation plans
- Cost:** The entry fee is \$15 per person.
- Prizes:** The winner will receive 30%, 2nd place 20%, 3rd and 4th will share 20%, and 5th thru 8th places will share 30% of the prize money.
- Rules:** Summer Rules only! Play the ball as it lies. USGA governs all other play except where modified by local rules. Tiebreaker rules can be found on the CGC website on the "Tournament Brackets" page or by clicking [here](#). Please be sure to print and retain a copy for your matches.
- Contact:** Jack Leidich via e-mail John.C.Leidich@census.gov to sign up
- Entrants must be registered 2011 Census Golf Club Members. Please use Census Golf Club Registration Form to sign-up.

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