



2025 BUFFALO RUN
MEN'S CLUB
INFORMATION
PACKET

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ASSOCIATED COSTS

MEN’S CLUB MEMBERSHIP... \$125.00

*INCLUDES - \$50 GHIN HANDICAP FEE

- \$65 ADMIN FEE (RANGE BALLS, TROPHIES, ETC.)

- \$10 PRIZE POOL USED FOR YEAR-END BISON CUP

TOURNAMENT FEES...

INDIVIDUAL STROKE & TEAM EVENTS **\$55.00/WALK**

*INCLUDES - \$35 GREENS FEE **\$73.50/RIDE**

- \$20 PRIZE POOL

- \$18.50 (OPTIONAL) CART FEE

(OPTIONAL) CASH SKINS GAME **\$10 CASH (STROKE PLAY)**

MEMBER/GUEST **\$224/WALK, \$261/RIDE**

INDIVIDUAL/TEAM MATCH PLAY PRIZE POOL **\$40.00/PLAYER**

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS (CC) **\$110/WALK, \$147.00/RIDE**

*(OPTIONAL) CASH SKINS GAME FOR CC **\$40 CASH (\$20 PER DAY)**

- **RULE OF 75** – IF YOUR AGE + CURRENT HANDICAP INDEX IS GREATER OR EQUAL TO 75.0, YOU HAVE THE OPTION OF MOVING FORWARD ONE TEE BOX. IF YOU ARE IN A OR B FLIGHT, YOU MAY MOVE UP TO THE WHITE TEES. IF YOU ARE IN C, D OR E FLIGHT, YOU MAY MOVE UP TO THE SILVER TEES. YOUR COURSE HANDICAP (CH) FOR THAT EVENT WILL REFLECT THE TEE BOX YOU CHOOSE TO PLAY. FOR EXAMPLE, IF A PLAYER HAS A CH OF 15 FROM THE WHITE TEES, THAT SAME PLAYER WILL HAVE A CH OF 11 FROM THE SILVER TEES.
- **ADDITION OF AN “E” FLIGHT** – ANY FLIGHTED EVENT WITH **OVER 68 REGISTERED PLAYERS** WILL HAVE A FIFTH FLIGHT, OR “E” FLIGHT. THE PURPOSE OF THIS CHANGE IS TO LESSEN THE HANDICAP CURVE, ALLOWING FOR TIGHTER HANDICAP RANGES THROUGHOUT EACH FLIGHT.

ADDITIONAL BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

- 10% OFF ALL IN-STOCK AND SPECIAL ORDER GOLF SHOP PURCHASES
- 25% OFF FOOD AT BISON GRILL (ALCOHOL EXCLUDED)



2025 MEN'S CLUB TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE (FOR TOURNAMENT FORMAT DETAILS, SEE PAGE 11)

DATE	TIME	EVENT
MARCH 19	6 – 8 P.M.	BRMC MEET AND GREET
APRIL 5	8 A.M. SG	TEAM EVENT #1 (ABCD 3-2-1)
APRIL 14		INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM MATCH PLAY BEGINS
APRIL 19	8 A.M. TT	INDIVIDUAL STROKE EVENT #1
MAY 3	8 A.M. SG	TEAM EVENT #2 (6-6-6)
MAY 17	7:30 A.M. TT	INDIVIDUAL STROKE EVENT #2
MAY 31	7:30 A.M. SG	TEAM EVENT #3 (HEAVEN/HELL)
JUNE 14	7:30 A.M. TT	INDIVIDUAL STROKE EVENT #3
JUNE 28-29	7:30 A.M. SG	BRMC MEMBER/GUEST
JULY 12	7:30 A.M. TT	INDIVIDUAL STROKE EVENT #4
JULY 26	7:30 A.M. TT	INDIVIDUAL STROKE EVENT #5
AUG 9	7:30 A.M. TT	INDIVIDUAL STROKE EVENT #6
AUG 23-24	7:30 A.M. TT	BRMC CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP
SEP 27-28	8 A.M. TT	BISON CUP TEAM EVENT
SEP 28	TBD	3-MAN SCRAMBLE (BONUS)
OCT 18	TBD	PAR 3 SHOOTOUT

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

REGISTRATION WILL OPEN ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2025 FOR THE CLUB
AND FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS.

- TEAM EVENT #1 (ABCD 3-2-1) (APRIL 5)
- INDIVIDUAL/TEAM MATCH PLAY (BEGINS APRIL 14)
- MEMBER/GUEST (JUNE 28-29)

***REGISTRATION FOR EVENTS NOT LISTED ABOVE WILL OPEN 2 WEEKS
PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED EVENT**



TOURNAMENT PAYOUTS

PAYOUTS FOR EVENTS ARE APPROXIMATELY 25% OF THE FIELD; BOTH IN TEAM EVENTS AND INDIVIDUAL STROKE EVENTS; NET AND GROSS. BRMC EVENT WINNINGS ARE PAID IN BUFFALO RUN GIFT CERTIFICATES.

EXAMPLE: INDIVIDUAL STROKE PAYOUT...

PLAYERS: 64

FLIGHTS: 4 (16 PLAYERS PER FLIGHT)

PAY OUT 4 PLACES PER FLIGHT (25% OF 16 PLAYERS)

1ST GROSS (30%)

1ST NET (30%)

2ND GROSS (20%)

2ND NET (20%)

*TIES MAY AFFECT PAYOUTS

2025 BISON CUP POINTS RACE

<u>Individual Stroke Points</u>	
<u>Net Rank</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	500
2	300
3	190
4	135
5	110
6	100
7	90
8	85
9	80
10	75
11	70
12	65
13	60
14	57
15	55
16	53

THROUGHOUT THE SEASON, MEN’S CLUB MEMBERS WILL EARN “BISON POINTS” FOR EACH EVENT THEY PARTICIPATE IN. FOR INDIVIDUAL EVENTS, BISON POINTS ARE AWARDED BASED ON THE NET STANDINGS PER FLIGHT (EVERY PLAYER WHO PARTICIPATES WILL RECEIVE BISON POINTS). PLAYERS WILL EARN 400 PARTICIPATION POINTS FOR PLAYING IN THE MEMBER-GUEST TEAM EVENT AND 200 POINTS FOR PLAYING IN EVERY OTHER TEAM EVENT, INCLUDING TWO-MAN MATCH PLAY. THE INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY AND CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS WILL BE MAJOR EVENTS, EARNING DOUBLE POINTS BASED ON STANDINGS/FINISHING POSITION.



BISON CUP TEAM EVENT

SATURDAY, SEPT. 27TH AND SUNDAY, SEPT. 28TH

8AM TEE TIMES START BOTH DAYS

NEW: THE 2025 BISON CUP TEAM EVENT WILL BE A RYDER CUP STYLE MATCH PLAY EVENT CONSISTING OF THE TOP 12 PLAYERS IN THE BISON CUP POINTS RACE STANDINGS FOLLOWING THE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP, THE 5 GROSS FLIGHT WINNERS FROM THE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP, AND THE 2025 INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY CHAMPION, FOR A TOTAL OF 18 PARTICIPANTS. IN THE EVENT THAT THE SAME PLAYER IS A FLIGHT WINNER AND MATCH PLAY CHAMPION, WE WILL GO TO THE 13TH PLACE BISON POINTS FINISHER, AND SO ON.

GARRETT AND JORDAN WILL ACT AS PLAYING TEAM CAPTAINS AND SELECT TEAMS OF 9 FROM THE 18 QUALIFYING PLAYERS. TEAMS WILL COMPETE OVER 2 DAYS, WITH SATURDAY BEING 2V2 NET BEST BALL, AND SUNDAY BEING SINGLES. THE TEAM WITH THE MOST POINTS AFTER SUNDAY'S MATCHES WILL BE THE 2025 BISON CUP CHAMPIONS.



TOURNAMENT SOFTWARE (GOLF GENIUS)

UPON REGISTERING FOR THE MEN'S CLUB, YOU WILL RECEIVE AN EMAIL TO CREATE A PROFILE ON GOLFGENIUS.COM, WHICH IS THE TOURNAMENT SOFTWARE USED FOR SCORING/POSTING TOURNAMENT RESULTS.

HOW TO CONFIRM YOUR REGISTRATION:

YOU WILL RECEIVE EMAILED INSTRUCTIONS TO CONFIRM YOUR REGISTRATION (AS SHOWN BELOW).

CLICK "CONFIRM REGISTRATION," THEN CREATE A PERMANENT PASSWORD. YOU WILL THEN BE LOGGED INTO OUR SYSTEM WHERE YOU CAN ACCESS TOURNAMENT RESULTS AND LEAGUE INFORMATION.

AFTER REGISTERING FOR GOLF GENIUS, YOU WILL RECEIVE TOURNAMENT INVITATIONS. PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU LOSE ACCESS TO THIS EMAIL SO THAT WE CAN UPDATE YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION.

We are excited about using Golf Genius Software to help manage Bart's League. I have registered you on the league portal so that you can register for rounds, view tee sheets, tournament results, standings and more.

You can click on the button below to complete your registration. If you have a problem with the link or do not wish to access the site at this time, you can visit GolfGenius.com and sign in with your email address and the password that has been assigned to you. Sign in with bart+1463@golfgenius.com and the password **7976**

After signing in, you will be able to create a permanent password.

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Thank you.



NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH THE USGA RULES OF GOLF (FOUND AT WWW.USGA.ORG OR AVAILABLE VIA CELL PHONE APP). HARD COPIES MAY ALSO BE AVAILABLE IN THE GOLF SHOP.

FOR EACH MEN'S CLUB EVENT, YOU WILL BE PROVIDED WITH A "NOTICE TO COMPETITORS." THIS DOCUMENT WILL OUTLINE ANY LOCAL RULES IN PLAY FOR THE SPECIFIC EVENT OR ANY CHANGES TO THE RULES OF GOLF THAT WILL BE IMPLEMENTED FOR THAT EVENT. A SAMPLE NOTICE TO COMPETITORS CAN BE FOUND BELOW.

18-HOLE INDIVIDUAL STROKE

This information supplements the USGA Rules of Golf.

FORMAT: The format is 18-Hole Net & Gross Individual Stroke Play

TEES: All players will play from the following tee boxes based on their current GHIN handicap; **EXCEPTION, see RULE OF 75.** The field will be divided equally to determine Flight designations.

A & B FLIGHTS = BLUE TEES C & D FLIGHTS = WHITE TEES

Rule of 75: If your age + current handicap index is greater or equal to 75, you have the option of moving forward ONE Tee Box. If you are in A or B flight, you may move up to the **White Tees**. If you are in C or D flight, you may move up to the **Silver Tees**. Your Course Handicap for this event will reflect the tee box you choose to play.

SCORING: Competitors will exchange scorecards prior to teeing off with a member in your pairing group. You are responsible for keeping the score of your competitor. Two signatures are needed (scorer and attester) before any scorecard is turned in.

HANDICAPS: Players will compete at 100% of their current GHIN Handicap which is locked in on the Thursday before the event.

LOCAL RULES:

- Consult with your playing group to determine GUR. On the course, in the General Area.
- Players are allowed free relief from any sprinkler heads that are within 2 club lengths from green and ball lies within 2 club lengths from the green that interferes with the players lie, swing, stance or line of approach to the hole. (For example hole #2 and hole #4).
- Relief is permitted for balls that lie in aeration holes, in the general area. Mark; lift, clean, and Drop as close to the original spot. Continue procedure until ball lies free of an aeration hole. If after 2 drops the ball lies in an aeration hole, the ball may be placed on the spot in which it touched the ground in a non-aeration hole after the 2nd drop.
- Out of bounds are marked by white stakes, boundary fences, and black silt fences.
- Music "is" permitted during BRMC events. However, all players in a foursome group must be in agreement before music can be played.



GHIN HANDICAPS & POSTING OF SCORES

NEW IN 2025!

THE BRMC WILL BE USING 12-MONTH, LOW HANDICAP INDEX RATHER THAN CURRENT INDEX FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS IN 2025:

- INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM MATCH PLAY
- MEMBER GUEST
- CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

WHAT IS A LOW INDEX?

THE LOW HANDICAP INDEX REPRESENTS THE DEMONSTRATED ABILITY OF A PLAYER OVER THE 365-DAY PERIOD PRECEDING THE DAY ON WHICH THE MOST RECENT SCORE IN THEIR SCORING RECORD WAS PLAYED AND PROVIDES A REFERENCE POINT AGAINST WHICH THE CURRENT HANDICAP INDEX CAN BE COMPARED.

WE WILL POST MEN'S CLUB EVENT SCORES TO GHIN, YOU DO NOT HAVE TO POST THEM YOURSELF.

IMPORTANT:

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EVERY BUFFALO RUN MEN'S CLUB MEMBER TO POST SCORES PLAYED OUTSIDE OF THE MEN'S CLUB.

TO HELP FACILITATE THIS, AS A BRMC MEMBER, YOU WILL RECEIVE A BI-WEEKLY REPORT EMAIL FROM GHIN. THIS REPORT WILL HAVE EVERY SCORE POSTED FOR EVERY BRMC MEMBER WHO GETS THEIR GHIN THROUGH BUFFALO RUN. THE PURPOSE OF THIS REPORT IS FOR TRANSPARENCY OF ALL ROUNDS PLAYED DURING AND OUTSIDE OF BRMC COMPETITION.



2025 BUFFALO RUN MEMBER-GUEST

(*MEMBERS ARE ALLOWED TO PAIR WITH EACH OTHER)

COST BREAKDOWN PER PERSON:

SAT & SUN GREENS FEES	\$70
*CART FEES SAT AND SUN (OPTIONAL)	\$37
PRIZE POOL (GOLF)	\$60
SATURDAY FOOD	\$20
SUNDAY FOOD	\$30
WELCOME GIFT	\$25
ADDITIONAL PRIZE FUND	\$10
SERVICE FEE (TIPS FOR SERVERS)	\$9

- \$20/\$20/\$20 PAYOUTS – DAY 1, DAY 2, HORSERACE

TOTAL (PER PLAYER) -	SAT & SUN WALK	\$224
	SAT & SUN RIDE	\$261

AGENDA:

FRIDAY **OPTIONAL SKINS GAME/PRACTICE ROUND (ALL DAY EVENT)**
PUTTING CONTEST QUALIFIER (ALL DAY EVENT)

SATURDAY: **630 – 715 PUTTING CONTEST QUALIFIER**
7:30 AM SHOTGUN
TEAM BEST BALL (STABLEFORD, ONE TEAM SCORE)
\$20 OPTIONAL SKINS PER PLAYER (\$10/10 NET/GROSS)

1:30 PM – PUTTING CONTEST FINALS
BONUS - WINNING TEAM WILL EACH WIN A BRAND NEW CALLAWAY PUTTER

SUNDAY: **7:30 AM SHOTGUN**
AGGREGATE (STABLEFORD, BOTH SCORES COUNT)
\$40 OPTIONAL SKINS PER TEAM (\$20/20 NET/GROSS.)



1:30 (APPROXIMATELY) BAR-B-QUE BUFFET

2:00 PM (APPROXIMATELY) HORSERACE

BONUS-RUNNER UP TEAM WILL EACH RECEIVE A SET OF CALLAWAY WEDGES (52,56,60)

BONUS-MEMBER GUEST CHAMPIONS WILL EACH RECEIVE A CALLAWAY ELYTE DRIVER

2025 BRMC INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY

TO PARTICIPATE IN THE INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY, YOU MUST HAVE HAD AN ESTABLISHED GHIN IN 2024!

INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY ENTRY FEE = \$40 (GOES TO PRIZE POOL)

- ❖ GREENS FEES PER MATCH: \$35 (CART FEE ADDITIONAL).
- ❖ CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH GREENS FEES COMPED.
 - ROUND 1 WILL BEGIN MONDAY, APRIL 14

REGISTRATION:

- REGISTRATION OPENS MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3
- **REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS SUNDAY, APRIL 6**
- BASED ON FULL FIELD = 64 PLAYERS
- YOU ARE GUARANTEED IN THE EVENT ONCE 4, 8, 16, 32, 64 PLAYERS HAVE PAID.
 - PLAYERS #1-3 ARE WAITLISTED UNTIL PLAYER #4 PAYS. PLAYERS # 5-7 ARE WAITLISTED UNTIL PLAYER 8 PAYS. AND SO ON.

FORMAT:

- SINGLE ELIMINATION, NET MATCH PLAY
- 100% OF YOUR LOW INDEX WILL BE USED TO DETERMINE YOUR COURSE HANDICAP
- PLAYERS WILL DESIGNATE BLUE/WHITE TEE BOX AT REGISTRATION
 - PLAYING HANDICAPS WILL REFLECT CHOSEN TEE BOX
- THE ROUND 1 BRACKET WILL BE SEEDED BY RANDOM DRAW
- PLAY MUST CONTINUE AFTER 18 HOLES IF THE MATCH IS TIED IN SUDDEN DEATH FASHION TO DETERMINE THE WINNER AND ADVANCING; HANDICAPS RESET ON THE FIRST PLAYOFF HOLE

ROUND PLAY DEADLINES:

- ROUND OF 64 – APRIL 14 – MAY 4



- ROUND OF 32 – MAY 5- JUNE 1
- ROUND OF 16 – JUNE 2- JUNE 22
- ELITE 8 – JUNE 23- JULY 13
- FINAL FOUR – JULY 14 – AUG 3
- MATCH PLAY FINAL – AUG 4 – AUG 22

2025 BRMC TWO-MAN MATCH PLAY

MATCH PLAY ENTRY FEE = \$40 (GOES TO PRIZE POOL)

- ❖ TWILIGHT RATES (CART FEE ADDITIONAL) CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH GREENS FEES COMPED.

ROUND OF 16 PLAY:

- THE ROUND OF 16 BRACKET WILL BE SEEDED BY RANDOM DRAW.
- THE ROUND OF 16 AND BEYOND ARE ALL SINGLE ELIMINATION TEAM BEST BALL NET MATCH PLAY.
- PLAYERS WILL DESIGNATE BLUE/WHITE TEE BOX AT REGISTRATION
 - PLAYING HANDICAPS WILL REFLECT CHOSEN TEE BOX
- 100% OF YOUR LOW INDEX WILL BE USED TO DETERMINE YOUR COURSE HANDICAP
- HANDICAP STROKES WILL BE WHEELED OFF THE LOW PLAYER.
- PLAY MUST CONTINUE AFTER 18 HOLES IF THE MATCH IS TIED IN SUDDEN DEATH FASHION TO DETERMINE THE WINNER AND ADVANCING PLAYER; HANDICAPS RESET ON THE FIRST PLAYOFF HOLE.

ROUND PLAY DEADLINES:

- ROUND OF 16 – APRIL 14 – MAY 4
- ELITE 8 – MAY 5 – JUNE 1
- FINAL 4 – JUNE 2- JUNE 22
- MATCH PLAY FINAL – JUNE 23- JULY 13

***** THE COMMITTEE WILL MAKE A RULING IF A MATCH IS NOT COMPLETED DURING THE GIVEN ROUND PERIOD. IF A SINGLE PLAYER IS DETERMINED TO BE AT FAULT, THAT PLAYER WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. IF BOTH PLAYERS ARE EQUALLY AT FAULT, THE MATCH RESULT WILL BE DETERMINED BY A COIN FLIP.**



TEAM EVENT FORMAT DETAILS

3-2-1 NET BEST BALL

ALL PLAYERS WILL PLAY THEIR OWN BALL THROUGHOUT THE ROUND. THE NUMBER OF BEST BALL SCORES PER HOLE WILL DEPEND ON THE DESIGNATED PAR OF EACH GOLF HOLE. PAR 5'S WILL TAKE THE BEST (3) NET SCORES, PAR 4'S WILL TAKE THE BEST (2) NET SCORES & PAR 3'S WILL TAKE THE BEST (1) NET SCORE AS THE TEAM SCORE/S.

TWO-MAN 6-6-6

TEAMS WILL PLAY (3) DIFFERENT FORMATS DURING THEIR ROUND. THE FIRST SIX HOLES (1-6) WILL BE BEST BALL, THE 2ND SIX HOLES (7-12) WILL BE PLAYED IN SCOTCH (ALTERNATE SHOT) FORMAT, & THE LAST SIX HOLES (13-18) WILL BE PLAYED IN STRAIGHT SCRAMBLE FORMAT.

HEAVEN AND HELL

ALL PLAYERS WILL TEE OFF FROM THE RED TEE BOXES ON ODD HOLES & BLACK TEE BOXES ON EVEN HOLES. IN ADDITION TO ALTERNATING TEE BOXES, THE PIN (HOLE) LOCATIONS WILL ALTERNATE FROM EASY ON ODD HOLES TO EXTREMELY DIFFICULT ON EVEN HOLES. THE TEAM PLAY FORMAT IS AN 18-HOLE, 2-MAN, NET BEST BALL.