

TTCC RULES -2021

Course

- Superintendent will decide when and if course is open or closed. (June '98)
- One spring night a year, the course is closed for a "clean-up" night.
All members are encouraged to volunteer their time to ready the course and clubhouse for the upcoming golf season.
- Tees – Red, White, Blue, Yellow
- No children around ponds without an adult.
- No shirt – No play. (June '06)
- Footwear is required. (March '18)
- No glass bottles on the course. (April '09)
- No carts between sand traps and greens.
- All golf starts on #1.
- No more than 4-somes.
Exceptions: Ladies day (all day) and Men's day (all day). Rule suspended after Labor Day.
4-somes have right of way.
- Out-of-bounds area:
No. 3 – white stakes to the West; No. 4, 6, 7 – road is out of bounds; No. 5 – stakes to the East and road are out of bounds.
- Fountains, yardage markers, water faucets, etc. are not natural hazards and ball may be moved 1 club length, not nearer the hole, without penalty.
- Practice greens are open to all members when the course is open.

Golf Etiquette

- Lost ball: Time limit for searching is 5 min.
- On par 3 tees, divots shall be filled with the provided sand/seed mix and tee will be removed from the turf.
- On par 4, par 5 tees and in the fairway, divots will be replaced and firmly stepped down.
- Ball marks on greens will be repaired.
- All footprints and holes made by the golfer in sand traps will be raked. Rakes should remain in the bunker.
- Players will not hit until players in front are out of range.

- Players will try to maintain an acceptable pace of play.
- Faster groups will be allowed to play through.
- Reserved times:
 - Tuesday: Ladies have right of way. On the last Tuesday of May, June, July, August at 5pm the course is closed for Ladies Birthday Golf.
 - Thursday: Men only 3:00 on.
 - Friday: Adults only after 4pm
 - Sunday: Sunday is Family Day – please know that play may be slower.
Respect the play of all and use your best golf etiquette. (Oct '20)

Green Fees

- Failure to pay green fees will result in the manager reporting offender to the police. (May '97)
- After Labor Day, non-members are allowed to pay green fees. (Aug '96)

Carts

- No washing of carts in front of the building. Move to the East of the building on the down slope. There is a cement pad by the maintenance shed where they can be washed also.
- Cart use by minors: Cart driving limited to people 14 years old with a valid drivers permit. 2 children per cart. If caught breaking rules – 2 warnings – then privileges will be revoked for remainder of year.
- Cart Barn Rental: Space belongs to member in good standing.
- The Club does not carry insurance on member's carts or personal property. (Jan '04)

Cart Etiquette

- Carts will stay on paths by the tees. If there is not a path, carts should be kept at least 15' from the tee.
- Carts will stay on paths by greens and will remain on path through the next tee. Carts will stay at least 30' from all greens. Example: Carts on hole #1 will, when approaching the green, get on and remain on the path until after hitting tee shot on #2.
- The 90 degree rule will be followed at all times unless cart restrictions (such as path only) are on due to course restrictions.
- Carts will stay on paths around clubhouse and off clubhouse yard.
- Only one cart per 2-some and two carts per 4-some are allowed.
- Carts are not allowed between the 2nd pond and green on hole #8.

Dues

- Dues must be paid prior to playing golf in the spring. (Nov '09)
Payment plans are available for all membership dues. Please see the Club Manager for details. (Oct '20)
- If a member has not joined by May 1, and paid all dues, fees, taxes, etc. by the end of the month, the lock will be cut and all contents and cart will be put in the parking lot. (May '07)
- Dues are non-refundable.
- Student Membership
Student is required to carry a valid student ID and be 23 years old or younger.

Club House

- Hours: (After course is closed): Winter Hours – Wed 11:00-CL; Thurs 3:00-CL; Fri 4:00-CL
(After course is open): March: Mon – Fri 11:00-CL; Sat/Sun 9:00-CL. Weather permitting.
April: Mon-Fri 10:00-CL; Sat/Sun 9:00-CL. Weather permitting.
May: Mon-Fri 9:00-CL; Sat/Sun 8:00- CL. Weather permitting.
June-Aug: Mon-Sun 8:00-CL
Sept: Mon-Sun 9:00-CL
Oct: Mon-Fri 10:00-CL; Sat/Sun 9:00-CL. Weather permitting.
Nov: Course closed: Mon-Tues 10:00 – 2:00; Wed-Fri 10-CL;
Sat/Sun -Weather permitting (Oct '20)
- Permission from Board must be sought, before any memorials are changed or anything is discarded or thrown out. (September 2008)
- A \$50.00 surcharge will be charged on all returned checks. Manager will take to small claims if necessary. (Oct '20)
- Board meetings are the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 5:30pm.
- Annual Meeting is on the 3rd Wednesday in November. (Nov '09)
- Handicaps are kept in the binder near the South door. All players are encouraged to keep track of their scores by entering them in the book. Some tournaments require that a player has a handicap, so make sure to keep yours up to date.

Behavior in the clubhouse policy (July '07)

- “Any person, who causes physical damage to the property of the club, or abuses the privileges of the club, shall be subject to dismissal. The Board reserves the right to revoke a membership, after review by the Board for any and all violations.”
- “Any inappropriate language or abusive behavior by any club member toward any employee of the Tama-Toledo Country Club will not be tolerated. This will result in disciplinary action toward the offending member by the Board of Directors.” (July '09)
- “The staff will be advised to ask the offending person to leave the property, and/or may call the police to remove them”.
- “After the first incident of inappropriate behavior by a club member, the member will be asked to leave the club property and cannot come back on club property, until the member appears before

the Board at the next meeting to plead their case. The Board may determine the severity of the incident. A second offense of inappropriate behavior by a member will result in loss of membership for the rest of the year. There will be NO refund of dues or fees paid to the club for the remainder of the season. A request for future membership will have to be brought before the Board for consideration. The Tama-Toledo Country Club Board of directors will determine the severity of any and all incidents.”

Tournaments

Any tournament that requires a “closed course” that is a non-club sponsored event shall pay a \$15.00 pp fee to the club with a minimum charge of \$360.00 per tournament, per half day. At least 36 players are required to have the course “closed”.

Friday Night Adult Golf

Members may bring a guest at \$10.00 green fees per person, plus tax. Must be accompanied by a member. The players must also pay the Friday night golf entry. This is for play during the Friday night tournament and does not extend to play after the tournament play is completed. (Oct '20)