

**RICHTER PARK MEN'S CLUB  
MEMBERSHIP TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

Membership in the Richter Park Men's Club is granted through payment of annual dues, the rates for membership shall be determined by the Board of the Richter Park Men's Club. **MEMBERSHIP RATES WILL NOT BE PRO-RATED REGARDLESS OF WHEN RECEIVED.**

Full Membership provides the Member a GHIN number with access to GHIN, eligibility to participate in all tournaments except those with additional fees such as the Member-Member, Member-Guest and Club Championship. Greens and cart fees are NOT included.

Associate Membership provides the Member a GHIN number with access to GHIN and eligibility to participate in the Member-Member and Member-Guest tournaments.

New Under 30 membership provides the same benefits as a full memberships to new members under the age of 30. The member must be under 30 years of age at the time of application even if during the season, they will reach their 30<sup>th</sup> birthday. **New members are defined as those not on the RPMC GHIN roster and do not include those that joined at some time during their eligibility and then allowed their membership to lapse.**

**Membership Term:** Once activated on GHIN, Membership will remain active until the following year on March 31<sup>st</sup>. Memberships received after November 1<sup>st</sup> will be considered paid for the following season. As an example, if membership dues are paid on November 10, 2015, the member will be active on GHIN through 3/31/2017.

**Tournament Sign Up:** Participation in scheduled tournaments will be solicited through event announcements via email beginning 21 days prior to the event and closing 9 days prior to the event. Sign up can be completed on the RPMC website.

**Tournament Withdrawal:** If circumstances arise that prevent your participation in a tournament in which you have signed up, your withdrawal should be directed as soon as possible to the tournament coordinator and/or the RPMC email address: [richterparkmensclub@gmail.com](mailto:richterparkmensclub@gmail.com)

**Tournament Results:** All tournament results are subject to review and affirmation by the Tournament chairperson.

**No Show Policy:** Should a member sign up for a tournament and not show up to play without notice to the tournament coordinator, the member may be banned from future event participation at the discretion of the Board. Additionally, if the Richter Park Golf Course charges the club for the tee time, the member shall be responsible for reimbursement of these charges to the Men's Club. This policy shall not apply to tournaments cancelled due to inclement weather or other circumstances.

**Handicap Requirements:** New members without an established handicap may be restricted from participation in events.

Annual Membership Dues are payable prior to July 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Tie Breaker Procedures:**

- Match Play: Ties will be broken by sudden death extra holes with play beginning on the same hole as the match began unless otherwise determined by the starter

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- Stroke Play: Ties for first place will be broken by a match of scorecards according to the played format (team or individual) as follows:
  - Last 9 holes – the lowest score over holes 10-18 regardless of the first hole played
  - Last 6 holes – the lowest score over holes 13-18
  - Last 3 holes – the lowest score over holes 16-18
  - 18<sup>th</sup> Hole – the lowest score on hole 18
  - By hole handicap – the lowest score on the #1 handicap hole (6<sup>th</sup> hole) then continuing in ascending hole handicap order