

2019 - 2020 FDS WINTER TOUR

ALL EVENTS ARE 10:15 SHOTGUN START

<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Phone number</u>	<u>Format</u>
November 4	Cedarbrook	215-643-3560	Individual
November 11	Green Valley	610-828-3000	2 man better ball
November 18	Yardley	215-493-4531	Individual stableford
November 25	North Hills	215-576-9875	MB 4 Man Wacky Pins
December 2	Hershey's Mill	610-692-6592	2 man DR chapman
December 9	Talamore	215-646-8900	2 man scramble
December 16	North Hills	215-576-9875	Individual
December 23	Indian Springs	856-983-0222	2 man modified better ball
December 30	Bucks Club	215-343-0350	Individual
January 6	Paxon Hollow	610-353-0220	Individual
January 13	North Hills	215-576-9875	2 man better ball
January 20	Odessa National	302-464-1007	2 man modified better ball
January 27	Bensalem	215-956-9727	Individual
February 3	Bucks Club	215-343-0350	2 man scramble
February 10	Kimberton	610-933-8836	Individual
February 17	LuLu	215-884-5108	2 man better ball stableford
February 24	Bensalem	215-956-9727	Individual
March 2	Bucks Club	215-343-0350	Individual
March 9	Indian Springs	856-983-0222	Individual
March 16	Laurel Creek	856-778-1342	4 man/2 better ball of 4
March 23	LuLu	215-884-5108	Individual
March 30	Cedarbrook	215-643-3560	Championship

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ELIGIBILITY	Both professionals and amateurs are welcome. We will again have both an open and an amateur division. The amateur division will compete for net prizes. Amateurs are welcome to participate in both divisions. However they must pay separate entries, but only one walk/ride fee. Amateurs will receive gift certificates at the HOST club.
SIGNING UP EACH WEEK	MANDATORY - You may either email Jamie Shaffer at shaffer004@aol.com or call the host club.
STARTING TIMES	All events will be 10:15 shotgun starts. PLEASE let me or the host club know you are playing, SO THEY CAN BE APPROPRIATELY PREPARED! ALSO, be ON TIME or WE WILL START WITHOUT YOU.
FEES	CASH ONLY – no checks will be accepted.
REGISTRATION	\$70.00 - must be paid at the first event you play.
ENTRY FEE	OPEN DIVISION \$50.00 Individual - \$100.00 Team - \$5.00 per person of entry will go into a skins pool. In the event there are no skins, the skin money will go into that day's purse. Walk/ride fee of \$20.00 at each event. AMATEUR DIVISION \$50.00 Individual – \$100.00 Team - \$5.00 per person of entry will go into an optional skins pool. Walk/ride fee of \$20.00 at each event.
HANDICAPS	Amateurs will play with their USGA COURSE HANDICAPS – MAX HCP OF 16 If you do not have a handicap, one will be assigned to you.
BIRDIE RACE	ONLY FOR OPEN DIVISION PLAYERS The birdie race will pay a minimum of three places for the total number of birdies made for the year. Players will get credit for their own birdies in individual and better ball events. Players are responsible for notifying scorers of their birdie total at each event. No card – No birdies. Eagles and aces count as two birdies.
CONDUCT	Clubs hosting the FDS Winter Tour have been very generous and hospitable to host us. It is in our collective best interest to return this consideration with respect to the club, the golf course, and the members and staff. Your sportsmanlike behavior will ensure our continued welcome at these clubs.
CHAMPIONSHIP	To be eligible for the championship, you MUST have PAID entries in over 50% of the events that are played. You may prepay an entry (and not play) on or before the date of that particular event, and it will count toward your total for the championship.
RULES OF PLAY	“Winter Rules” – lift, clean and place within one club length, no closer to the hole, everywhere. The ball must remain in the same condition – i.e. rough stays in rough, fairway stays in fairway, ball in the water stays in the water (you can go no closer to the hole in more shallow water, but it must stay in the water)
INFORMATION	Call Jamie Shaffer at 215-915-3809 or email at shaffer004@aol.com , if you have any questions. The first person to email me the correct answer to the following question will receive a free entry. When FDS legend Miguel Biamon won his first Section Championship in 1988, he tapped in a 1' putt to win. There was a publication at the time called Sports Whirl Golf by Joe Masick. In the article about Miguel's win Joe described him making his final putt with this immortal phrase - “Mig is a _____!” If you're too young to know either Miguel or the answer, ask an old guy...yes this is very obscure, but it seemed pointless to ask something you could just google!