

# WASHINGTON, DC SINGLES GOLF

Washington DC Chapter - American Singles Golf Association — February 2025

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO FILL OPEN GOLF DATES

ASGA Golfers-The new golf year is in sight! Here's our schedule. Many openings. **Brian** and **George** are looking for volunteers. Find an open date and schedule your event and one of your favorite courses. The schedule will be updated on the website. Check with Brian and George for details.





We're also working on the weekday schedule. **Ruth** is running that. For weekdays, right now you can volunteer for a week, then set up the golf a couple of weeks before.

### 2025 Weekend Schedule

Date	Location	Leader
Apr 5	Open	
Apr 12	Laytonsville	TDA
Apr 19	Open	
Apr 26	Links of Challedon	Brian Durkin
May 3	Open	
May 10	Open	
May 17	Open	
May 24	Open	

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If you can't see the number, You:

		
Have Cold	Have Headache	Need sleep
		
Need Water	Need to play more golf.	have low blood sugar

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### NATIONAL EVENT INFORMATION

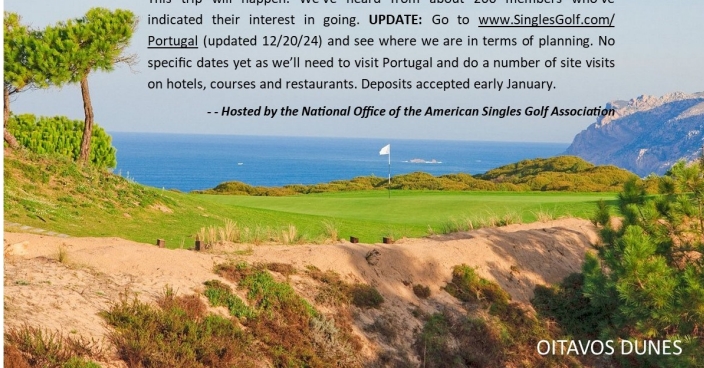
Events Open to All Members Nationwide

## We're Going to Portugal!

Tentative Time Period: September, 2025

This trip will happen. We've heard from about 200 members who've indicated their interest in going. **UPDATE:** Go to [www.SinglesGolf.com/Portugal](http://www.SinglesGolf.com/Portugal) (updated 12/20/24) and see where we are in terms of planning. No specific dates yet as we'll need to visit Portugal and do a number of site visits on hotels, courses and restaurants. Deposits accepted early January.

-- Hosted by the National Office of the American Singles Golf Association



### OUR CHAPTER INFORMATION

#### Regular Meeting Date

Variable (see [singlesgolfdc.com](http://singlesgolfdc.com))

#### Next Happy Hour Date & Location

TBD

Our Chapter Website: [www.singlesgolfdc.com](http://www.singlesgolfdc.com)

Our Chapter Hotline: 1-888-465-3628

(See next page for list of officers and board members.)

#### National Office

Office Hours: 9:00am to 2:00pm, M-F (Eastern)

National Office: 980-833-6450 or 1-888-GOLFMATE

Go to [www.SinglesGolf.com/MyAccount](http://www.SinglesGolf.com/MyAccount) to make changes to your address, phone, etc. To join or renew your dues, go to [www.SinglesGolf.com/join](http://www.SinglesGolf.com/join)

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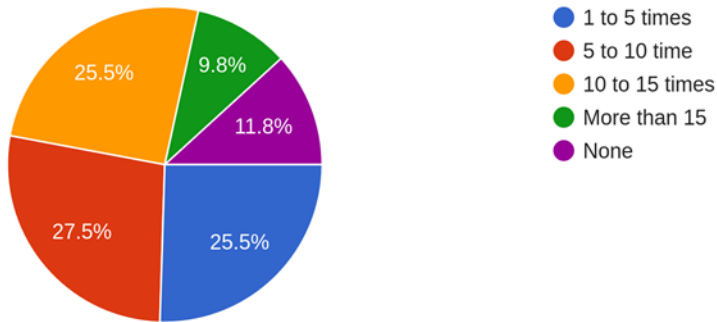
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May 31	Open	
Jun 7	Rocky Point	George Salmon
Jun 14	Open	
Jun 21	Open	
Jun 28	Open	
Jul 5	Penn National	Mark Hendrickson
Jul 12	Open	
Jul 19	Open	
Jul 26	Open	
Aug 2	Open	
Aug 9	Open	
Aug 16	Open	Marian Bock
Aug 23	Open	
Aug 30	Open	
Sep 6	Open	
Sep 13	Diamond Ridge	George Salmon
Sep 20	Open	
Sep 27	Stonewall	Ruth D'Alessandro
Oct 4	Open	
Oct 11	Open	
Oct 18	Open	
Oct 25	Open	
Nov 1	Open	



## Here's the results of the survey of our membership

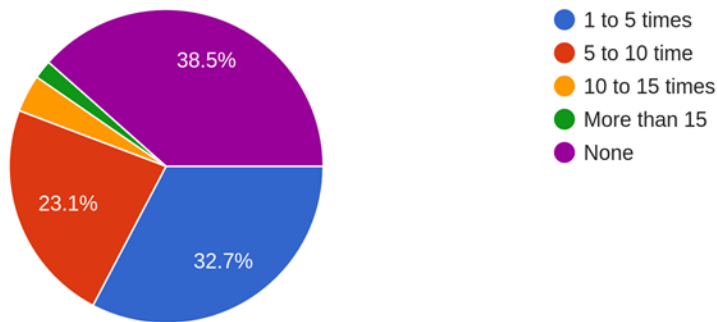
How often did you play in a local weekend event with the DC chapter in 2024?

51 responses



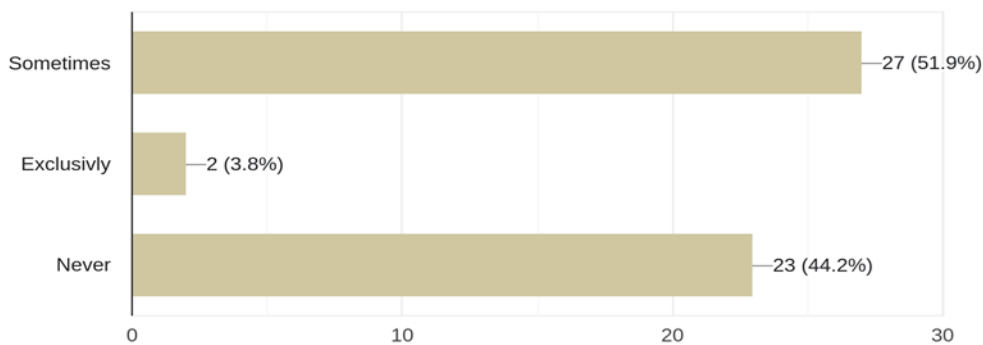
How often did you play in a local weekday event with the DC chapter in 2024?

52 responses



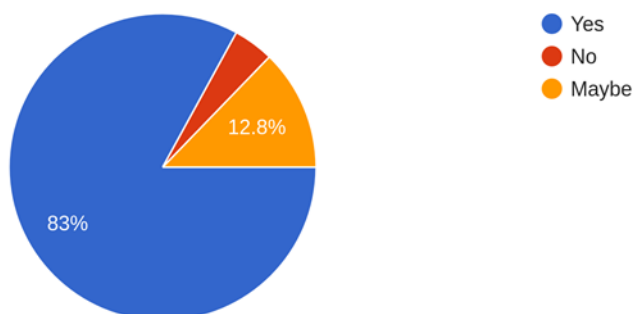
Do you play national ASGA events?

52 responses



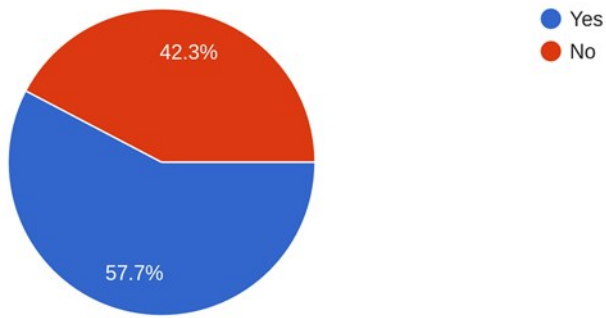
I am current in my ASGA membership and plan to play in local events in 2025.

47 responses



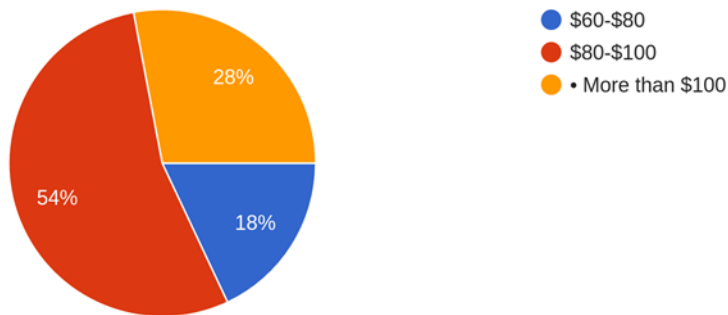
### Do you have a USGA handicap?

52 responses



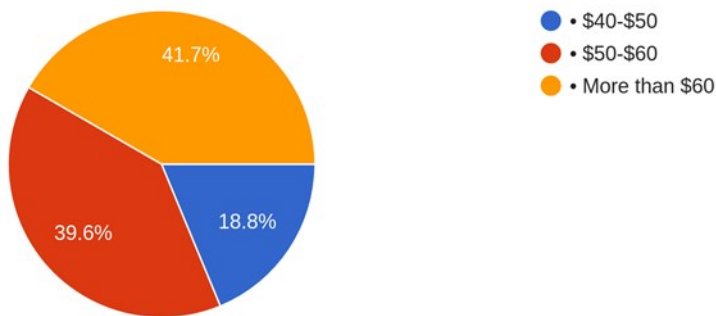
### What is the maximum amount you are willing to pay for weekend greens fees?

50 responses

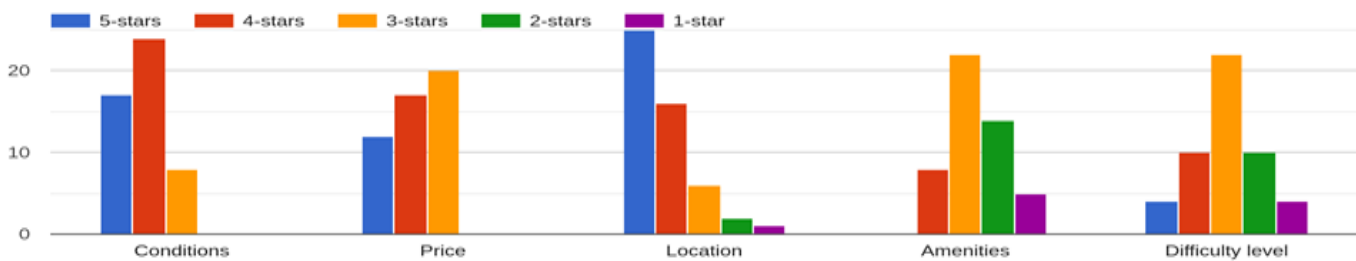


### What is the maximum amount you are willing to pay for weekday greens fees?

48 responses

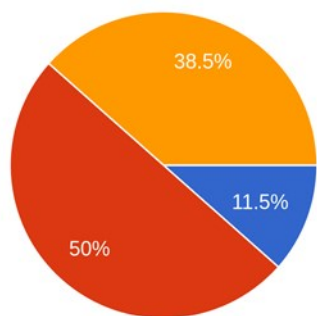


Rate the factors that are most important to you when playing an ASGA golf event. 5-stars being most important and 1-star being least important.



## How far are you willing to drive to play golf?

52 responses



- Less than 30 miles
- 30-40
- more than 40 miles

### What were your favorite three courses we played in 2024?

#### Briefly explain:

- woodlands, love the course and easy to get to, Myrtle beach courses, Stonewall. Unfortunately, I didn't play very much in 2024 as I started volunteering at Wolf Trap on Saturday nights and the couple times I did. I couldn't even finish the 18 holes even though they were horses in Virginia.
- Queenstown
- Unfortunately, I didn't get to play in 2024 but intend to do so in 2025.
- Stonewall, Myrtle Beach
- N/A
- Queenstown, Whiskey Creek, Myrtle Beach Like to play courses hard to get on myself
- Crosvines, Westfield, Links of Challidon
- Laurel Hill, Westfield, courses in Myrtle Beach
- Twin Lakes, HERNDON Centennial, Needwood
- Herndon Centennial, Twin Lakes, penderbrook
- Stonewall, Westfields, Queenstown
- Needwood, laytonsville & oak creek
- I dont know if you played them but my favorite are Bull Run, Stonewall, and Bristow Manor
- Blue Ridge Shadows. Raspberry falls.
- Rocky Point, The Woodlands, Whiskey Creek
- No opinion
- Courses in Virginia
- Blue Mash - good condition; Clustered Spires - great views when it doesn't rain; the course we play at George and Annette's outing because they are great hosts and the views are beautiful
- Rocky Point - dinner afterwards, Queenstown, Little Bennett
- Brambleton, Westfields, Raspberry
- Poolsville, Hampshire Greens, Westfield

- Raspberry Falls Would like to see Trump, Whiskey Creek added
- Penn National - 2 nice courses in great condition and somewhat challenging . Raspberry Falls - pricy but interesting layout. Needwood - nice public course
- Whiskey Creek, Stonewall, Blue Mash, great conditions, beautiful courses
- Stonewall - great course and value. Westfields - gives women Sr tee option, Queenstown - nice course, beautiful setting, I wish we played Musket Ridge but its gotten pricey.
- Whiskey Creek - Course condition and layout; Needwood - layout; Preserve at Eisenhower - Layout and Condition
- I didn't get to play but Whiskey Creek and Blue Mash rank high for me. Stoewall is great but I play there a lot. My only disappointment was Bull Run. I'm just happy to have the opportunity to play.
- Raspberry Falls, Needwood
- Whiskey Creek, beautiful and worth the price; Rattlewood, Woodlands
- Raspberry Falls and Whiskey Creek - always in good condition, challenging but not too hard. Rocky Point - pretty views/ great party. Penn National - always a blast.
- Stonewall. Raspberry Falls.
- Whiskey Creek, Maryland National, Kingsmill Resort-River Course
- I'm in the ASGA for the social events.
- Stonewall, Blue Ridge Shadows Laurel Hills. I did not play often in 2024 because I was selling my house and downsizing to a condo.
- played less than 3-out of town member
- Links at Challendon, Hampshire Greens, Laurel Hill
- Whiskey Creek (layout), Little Bennett (close to home), Queenstown Harbor (layout)Needwood,
- Northwest, landsdown

**In addition to the closest to the pin contest, would you like to see additional games? e.g. longest drive, straightest drive, team events, hole in one pool.**

- Team events
- No
- No
- Maybe team events and straightest drive, longest drive only certain people get to win all the time so that is an event I don't like and I don't like anything that everyone doesn't have an equal opportunity to win as we're only playing for fun,
- N/A
- Long Drive
- Closest to the pin is fine
- Closest to pin should be a voluntary pool if someone wants to participate.
- More team events: 6-6-6 or Round Robin. For individuals: Bingo Bango.
- Straightest drive, team events
- I would like to see some team events and maybe longest putt made on selected holes.
- no opinion
- Longest drive; maybe some of season-long competition
- If it's going to increase the price, then no.
- Raffle
- Indifferent
- I think there should only be one event per outing i.e. closest to pin, straightest drive, longest putt on a certain hole.
- CTP only - to give everyone a chance. Maybe fewest putts, but it's more for the EC to do. Team events only work if ALL players have VALID handicaps which is not true in ASGA, so it's a non-starter. The other contests listed would tend to go to the same few players which isn't right when everyone must contribute to the prize \$ pot.
- Indecisive. I think the organizers have enough to deal with without adding more responsibility.
- Possibly, but no hole in one pool
- occasional team events
- Sure. Longest putt. No need for HIO kitty. IMHO making HIO is reward in itself. And I have yet to get a drink from HIO recipient which is kind of a tradition (Been present twice)
- No opinion
- CTP contests should be optional rather than mandatory. For those who don't want to participate, they are forced to do so by the cost of the event.
- Team events would be fun
- hole in 1 pool

**What improvements would you like to see in our golf league?**

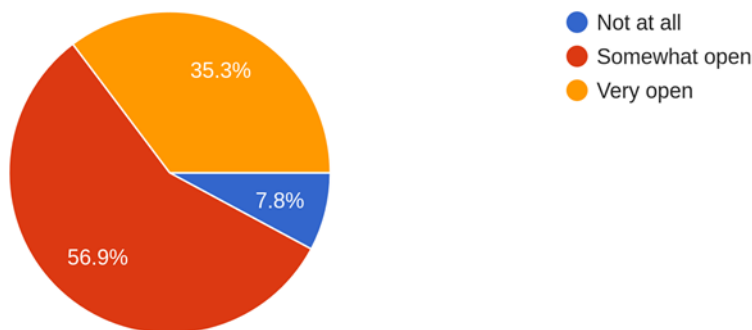
- I can't say that I have any suggestions for improvements, my issue is was having volunteered for Wolf trap on Saturday nights, which didn't allow me to play in many of the events on the weekend and most of the week day golf seems to fall on a Tuesday or Thursday and I play in leagues both of those days.  
FASTER PLAY

- Recruiting more people.
- N/A
- I didn't play with the DC chapter because i.prefer to play only 9 holes. I belonged to the Sarasota group until 2023 when I moved here. Initially played 18 holes but the last few years they formed a 9 hole group. I let my subscription lapse here and probably won't join the chapter again for this reason.
- More social events
- Faster play
- More events in Virginia
- I think all the events that I attended were handled very well and the EC all did a fabulous job. I do have reservations about signing up for weekend events that could be rained out and a required attendance in order to get a rain check.
- Eliminate raffle contribution requirement.
- Better coordination between weekday and weekend events to avoid playing the same course for both (weekday and weekend) within a relatively short time.
- Figure out ways to bring in your players. Mix - up teams more. Seems like couples always play together.
- To find ways to increase attendance.
- None
- Recruit younger members
- no recommendations. you all do a fine job
- Perhaps a mentor or buddy program to help recruit - not everyone is comfortable just showing up to play and not knowing anyone. I am thinking very low key- maybe a phone call and someone to know in one's foursome the first time out.
- Development of a marketing plan to make more golfers aware of the organization; using Zelle for payments to ECs; earlier weekend tee times (10am?)
- More social events.
- More social outings
- More members and more participation, more weekday, weekend golf leaders, more balance between Maryland and Virginia courses. Charlie and I made sure we had an equal number of MD, VA courses
- More players
- Players being ready to go on time.....not arriving 5 min before tee time. Sets a bad vibe for the round. Increased membership. That's a hard one.
- social events other than happy hours in VA
- Social chair and return to social events.
- More participation from people volunteering to host events and grow membership
- ECs keep any special requests private.
- \*Bring back the policy if someone requests to be paired with you, the EC should not do it without both parties consent. \* No married people that are not legally separated playing in weekend events especially if not communicated to the chapter.
- Not paying by and sending in checks. I love weekday golf because courses are not as crowded. I do realize that option is available more easily for the retirees in the group.
- Due to the cost of weekend golf in the area, I now prefer weekday events.
- More Maryland courses



## How open are you to additional weekend overnight trips?

51 responses



## 7 Things That Irritate Women Golfers... And It's Not Men!

~*Golf Monthly*

Golf can be a frustrating game, but beyond the challenges of hitting a ball, there are plenty of other things that get under golfers' skin

BY [KATIE DAWKINS](#)

Throughout my years in the industry, I've been baffled by the number of irritations in the game. These frustrations come in many forms, yet most have simple fixes and can easily be avoided.

Here are the 7 most common complaints I hear from female golfers.

### WHERE IS WOMEN'S GOLF GEAR?

The number one groan is that the pro shop doesn't stock women's clothing. I want to point out that I do have some sympathy for the pros. Women often wait with bated breath for the sale rail to appear, without previously purchasing anything at full price. Understandably, this leaves the professionals scared to take a leap of faith to order in more stock next time.

It's fair to say that pros often play it too safe with the choice of colors and styles and a lack of dynamic designs means that women are less likely to splash out. Retail at clubs needs to shift and it's not just the pros that need to change their attitude. Creating events where women spend because it's a special occasion works, or asking women what they want. Loyalty begins with generous care for the customer.

### MAINTENANCE MOANS

Weekly greenkeeping maintenance often falls on a traditional ladies' day, for example Tuesday.

Of course, seasonal maintenance must happen and yes, Tuesday is likely to be a quieter day, but I'd love to see a rotation of days so it's fair for all. Or, perhaps with enough warning, women who usually play on that day, can arrange an away-day, or even move their usual game or competition to another day of the week. No warning is the problem. Working together to find a solution would be ideal and communication is vital.

### FORWARD TEE AFTERTHOUGHT

Not only are [forward tees](#) often totally inappropriately positioned, but so often they're uneven with markers aiming into the bushes! We know that not only are forward tees misplaced, they're often too far back, according to research by [Fiona Womack and Sharon Eales](#). When you next meet a female golfer in the car park and ask how her round was, if you have your head bitten off, remember that she's possibly just spent the round whacking her longest club to get to the longest holes three or four times, then having to get up and down to get 2 points. When you're a shorter hitter this game is exhausting, everyone gets cranky when they're tired!

### TOILET BREAK

The lack of toilets on a golf course is still a major concern for female golfers. It's not the lack of bushes and substantial shrubbery that worries us! Women who have their [periods](#) whilst playing, or

women who need regular pit stops, can be put off joining a club with limited facilities. It's not just toilets on the course that can be overlooked. I've been to many women's changing rooms that feel more broom cupboard and usually lack the basics such as a hairdryer or shower curtain. experts.

### PLAYGROUND TACTICS

I don't know what it is about golf clubs that causes many female members to get on their high horse and become so malicious - stamping authority to make themselves feel important. It's forever baffled me how people can be so fickle within this sport. Often going out of their way to make new golfers or [high handicappers](#) feel embarrassed or inferior. There is simply no need for it, yet I've taught women who are regularly reduced to tears and literally bullied within their sections.

[Finding the right club](#) and ultimately your tribe is so important in this game. No golf club should stand for behaviours that mirror those of our school days. Gossip is fun, but not when it's at the expense of the feelings of others. Finding out why that member is difficult or aggressive is so important also.

None of us know what's going on in the life of others until we take the time to find out. Getting to know somebody and showing you care can totally transform them.

### OVERZEALOUS ENCOURAGEMENT

Be careful what you wish for because as much as the diehard negative vampire can be a drain on your game, the over enthusiastic clapping and "What a fantastic shot!" can be positively exhausting according to

some. Applause as your ball soars out of bounds might have been meant as means of encouragement, but frankly, it is not helpful. This level of comment can come from any playing partner, and while it's great to be positive, just be aware that silence is sometimes golden after a lost ball incident.

### HEALTHY FOOD

Whether it's [pro shop snacks](#) or salads on the menu, if you're trying to eat 'clean' you're often out of luck at a golf club. Healthy porridge on the breakfast menu, bananas in the pro shop or at the halfway house are often in short supply. No wonder women opt to share soup and sandwiches! Fatty options in large portions don't appeal to many women. Rethinking what's on offer at the club needs input from your membership and often outsourcing help from a local nutritionist within that discussion is a great way to give the food on offer a healthy makeover.

There are many irritants in this game and so many would assume that it's the comments and actions of male golfers that get up women's noses the most. Wrong! So many of the women I coach love playing golf with men and find them to be super encouraging and supportive. So, if any of these points have struck a chord, be that person who makes change happen and rather than complain, try finding a

solution and working together with the club and the female membership. Collaboration is always stronger and often the future of your club will be much brighter as a result of your actions.

### About Our Members

(THIS REPORT RAN 02/19/2025)

#### Happy Birthday to these members:

Sandra Brunken - 03/10  
 Randy Herron - 02/11  
 Kathie Hiatt - 03/11  
 Ellie Hochman - 02/20  
 Carol Koenig - 03/13  
 Robin Mason - 02/22  
 Alicia McCarthy - 02/07  
 Karen Nicely - 02/14  
 Lori Ryan - 02/28  
 David Sheets - 03/09  
 Todd Sheffer - 02/14  
 Pamela Skiff - 02/25  
 Elizebeth Veghte - 02/16  
 Charles Walters - 03/05

#### These members are up for renewal:

(date shown is last day of membership)

Mary Beth Harney - 02/28/2025  
 Nancy Mitchell - 02/28/2025  
 Marcia Sanford - 02/28/2025  
 Todd Sheffer - 02/28/2025  
 James Vollmers - 02/28/2025  
 Anne Woodward - 02/28/2025

#### These members recently renewed:

John McCririe

Joseph Trincellito  
 Shirley Zaetz

#### These members did not renew their membership:

(date shown is date membership expired)

Janice Crawford - 01/31/2025  
 Carol Duvall - 01/31/2025  
 Robert Lovas - 12/31/2024  
 Heather Rosenker - 12/31/2024

To renew your dues today, go to [Singles-Golf.com/renew](http://Singles-Golf.com/renew) If you wish to renew over the phone, call 980-833-6450, M-F, 9-2 Eastern Time.

**Our chapter currently has 83 members.**



**"If it wasn't for the 19th hole I would have quit this game a long time ago."**

## ASGA-DC Communications

Share your content!

Did you take some awesome pictures at an event? Share them by sending to BJ Barger, [bjbarger@verizon.net](mailto:bjbarger@verizon.net).

Our website is [www.singlesgolfdc.com](http://www.singlesgolfdc.com). Our social and golf schedule are published on the website and updated frequently. Check the list below for National websites.

Have you joined our Facebook group? ASGA/DC Singles Golf? It's the best way to get the latest news, recaps and pictures from ASGA-DC events.

Like us, friend us, find out what's happening with ASGA-DC!

### Save these links and phone number for easy access to information about local and national ASGA events:

ASGA-DC Chapter:	<a href="http://www.singlesgolfdc.com">http://www.singlesgolfdc.com</a>
ASGA-DC Chapter Events:	<a href="http://www.singlesgolfdc.com/2021-schedule">http://www.singlesgolfdc.com/2021-schedule</a>
ASGA-DC Facebook	ASGA/DC Singles Golf
ASGA-National:	<a href="http://www.singlesgolf.com">http://www.singlesgolf.com</a>
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ASGA Chapter Rosters:	<a href="http://www.singlesgolf.com/roster.php">http://www.singlesgolf.com/roster.php</a>
ASGA Member Account Info:	<a href="http://www.singlesgolf.com">http://www.singlesgolf.com</a> (click on "My Account")



*Your chapter newsletter follows after the following pages . . .*

**ASGA Annual Dues are \$99.00. Do you want LOWER DUES?**

# **HOW WOULD YOU LIKE ONE YEAR OF FREE DUES?**

You likely joined the American Singles Golf Association because you wanted to meet more singles and play more golf. We can't help you with your golf swing, however, we're on a mission to grow your chapter's membership. ***Golf season is upon us . . . are you onboard to grow your chapter or are you satisfied with your current membership level?***

## ***Here's the plan:***

- 1) on the following page, you'll see a revised "***Single? Play Golf?***" sign. It now has five (5) tear-off tabs instead of eight (8).
- 2) You write-in your identification (either your member number or first initial + last name) on each of the tabs. Use scissors to cut the tabs apart.
- 3) You print as many signs as you wish, keep them in the front seat of your car along with some push pins and post them ***anywhere you're permitted*** to post, e.g. golf shop bulletin boards, golf shop restrooms, driving ranges, stores, etc. ***If you would like ASGA National to print five (5) yellow signs for you, please let us know by emailing Irene@SinglesGolf.com or calling 980-833-6450 from 9am-1:45pm, M-F, Eastern.***
- 4) For every three (3) people who join using your name or ID on the yellow sign, you'll receive 12-months of ASGA membership. Note: your name or member number, as the referrer, must be submitted **with** the new member's application. No exceptions. No retroactivity. Please do not add your own name to an application form. It must be completed only the by the member currently joining and completing the application.
- 5) New members can join over the phone, at our website (SinglesGolf.com/join), fax, etc., however, **they MUST use your member number or name at the time of joining as the person who referred the new member. Again, no exceptions to this policy.**
- 6) ASGA National will keep track of how many new members you get credit for and will automatically add 12-months to your membership. Please, no slanting of these rules

**Be a Hero in Your Chapter.  
Get the signs printed and get them hanging!  
*(and remind others to participate)***

# SINGLE? PLAY GOLF?



## The Washington DC Chapter of the American Singles Golf Association WANTS YOU!

We're 2,500 members in 50 cities and we're ALL ABOUT HAVING FUN! So if you're single (i.e. divorced, widowed, legally separated or never married) and enjoy meeting others through the game of golf, you're invited to inquire about joining by calling the American Singles Golf Association at 1-888-465-3628 (1-TRIPLE-EIGHT-GOLFMATE) or visit [SinglesGolf.com](http://SinglesGolf.com).

# Meet MORE Singles! Play MORE Golf!



### TEAR OFF A TAB BELOW

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# IN ADDITION, WE CAN SEND YOU FREE BUSINESS CARDS!

As you have seen from the previous two (2) pages of this newsletter, ASGA National is committed to seeing your chapter grow. We believe by asking each individual member for help, your chapter will grow its membership.

Besides using just the yellow signs to gain more members in your local chapter, **upon request** we will also provide you with ASGA business cards as shown below. More can be sent to you if needed, but we'll start out by sending you 25 business cards that you can give to anyone you believe might be a potential member. Are you out and about and see someone wearing a golf shirt or hat? **Start a conversation:** tell them you're a part of a local club for singles who play golf and simply ask **"are you single?"** Even if they aren't, chances are they know a golfer who is. Give them a card that's pre-filled with you name (or member #) and contact info.

**Remember, you get free dues for referring 3 new folks who join!**

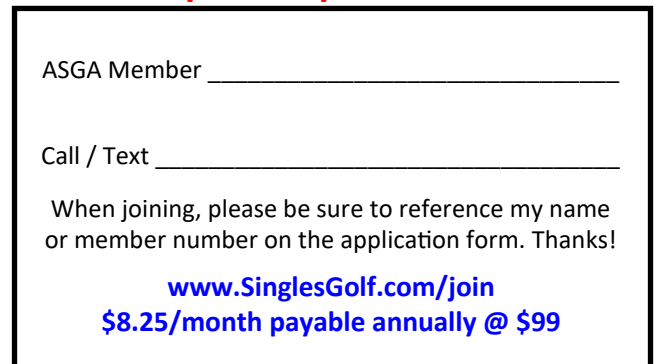
Below shows how your business card appears. They don't come to you automatically, you'll have to order them. E-mail [Irene@SinglesGolf](mailto:Irene@SinglesGolf) or call 980-833-6450 (9am—1:30pm, Mon-Fri, Eastern) for your free 25 cards.

**- - Tom Alsop**  
**President and Founder**  
**American Singles Golf Association**

**25 Business Cards Will Be Mailed to You Upon Request!**



Front side of business card



Back side of business card



# GET READY TO TEE OFF

## FOR MORE FUN - FELLOWSHIP - FAIRWAYS!

### 4 WAYS TO JOIN / PAY

- ◆ Call / Zelle: 1-980-833-6450
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APPLICATION TO  JOIN ASGA  RENEW MY MEMBERSHIP

**Note:** Meeting locations may vary. Upon joining, you will receive a monthly newsletter telling you about monthly meetings, outings, etc. If you have any questions, contact your local chapter leader or call 1-888-GOLFMATE or 980-833-6450. **Please complete information box at right.**

MONTH & DAY BORN _____
YOUR USGA HANDICAP® _____ or
AVERAGE GOLF SCORE _____

Dues are **\$99.00** for 12 months) or **\$198.00 for 24 months** (includes free ASGA logo'd shirt when joining for two years!). Best rate per year is **\$297** with our "buy 3 years, get 4th free + shirt" plan. Credit card users: JOIN BY PHONE: **980-833-6450** or FAX COMPLETED FORM to **980-225-0231**. Your membership kit will be mailed upon receipt of payment. **Free shipping if ASGA shirt is ordered with this application.**

**PRINT CLEARLY - THE INFO BELOW SHOWS HOW IT WILL APPEAR ON YOUR CHAPTER'S ROSTER. (\*\*SEE OPT-OUT CLAUSE BELOW)**

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US? \_\_\_\_\_ CHAPTER YOU ARE JOINING OR RENEWING IN: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL ADDR: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ WORK/CELL (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ EMPL. BY \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) AVAILABLE FOR WEEKDAY GOLF ( ) WILLING TO VOLUNTEER FOR CHAPTER

**NOTE: ASGA DOES NOT CONDUCT BACKGROUND CHECKS ON APPLICANTS FOR MEMBERSHIP NOR MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION. Golf can be a dangerous sport. Accidents can occur by you or another party striking a golf ball, by a golf cart turning over, or simply falling down steps. PLEASE TAKE ADEQUATE PRECAUTION when playing in ASGA events. Chapters and individuals running golf tournaments are not professionals but are volunteers, and therefore, you must assume additional responsibility for your own safety. Please abide by the safety rules posted inside your golf cart, at the golf course, as well as the official website of the United States Golf Association ([www.USGA.org](http://www.USGA.org)). If you have a safety concern, you must immediately bring it to the attention of the person(s) running an event, your chapter president or golf course management personnel.**

**NOTICE** - View these terms online at [www.SinglesGolf.com/Legal-Stuff](http://www.SinglesGolf.com/Legal-Stuff)

ASGA does not conduct background checks on applicants for membership or current members.

**Golf Safety Warning:** Golf can be a hazardous sport. Accidents may occur, including being struck by a golf ball, golf cart accidents, or falls. Please exercise caution when participating in ASGA events. Chapters and individuals organizing events are volunteers, not professionals. You are responsible for your own safety. Follow all posted safety rules, including those on the golf cart, at the golf course, and as outlined by the United States Golf Association ([www.USGA.org](http://www.USGA.org)). If you have a safety concern, promptly inform event organizers, your chapter president, or golf course management personnel.

**RELEASE FROM LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK** - By participating in activities organized or sponsored by ASGA, Inc. (d/b/a American Singles Golf Association), its chapters, or affiliates in the United States and Canada, you agree to the following:

- **Release of Liability:** You, the undersigned ("Releasor"), on behalf of yourself, heirs, distributees, guardians, and legal representatives, release and indemnify ASGA, its directors, officers, employees, agents, affiliates ("Releasees"), from all claims, including those related to personal injury, death, property loss, or damage. This release applies to both known and unknown claims, except in cases of gross or willful negligence.
- **Assumption of Risk:** You acknowledge that golf and related activities inherently involve risks, including health-related risks. By participating, you voluntarily accept these risks, including potential injury, death, and property damage.
- **Legal Consequences:** You confirm you have read this release, understand its implications, and agree that it will be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by your state of residence. If any portion of this release is deemed invalid, the remainder will remain in effect.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS** - Membership in ASGA is effective upon receipt of dues and remains valid for the selected membership period, subject to these terms:

- **Eligibility:** You must be 21 or older and single (defined as never married, divorced, legally separated, or widowed); and by joining, you accept the terms of the Release from Liability and Assumption of Risk above.
- **Non-Refundable Dues:** Membership dues are non-refundable and subject to change.
- **Use of Information:** Membership lists, emails, and other provided data are ASGA property and are for ASGA purposes only. Your information may be shared with other members and on [www.SinglesGolf.com](http://www.SinglesGolf.com), unless you request otherwise.
- **Opt-Out Clause:** You may opt out of sharing specific personal information by emailing to [info@SinglesGolf.com](mailto:info@SinglesGolf.com) the information you wish to have excluded from your chapter roster. ASGA is not liable for inadvertent publication of opt-out information.

**PRIVACY POLICY** - See [www.SinglesGolf.com/privacy](http://www.SinglesGolf.com/privacy) for details.

**DISPUTES** - All disputes concerning membership terms or conditions are governed by the laws of North Carolina. Legal proceedings must be filed in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina.

**AGREEMENT TO POLICIES** - By submitting this application and payment, you agree to abide by ASGA's national and local chapter policies and bylaws, as outlined at: [www.SinglesGolf.com/policy](http://www.SinglesGolf.com/policy) and [www.SinglesGolf.com/bylaws](http://www.SinglesGolf.com/bylaws), as well as at local chapter websites or newsletters.

**JOIN FOR 2 YEARS - GET A FREE GOLF SHIRT!**

**JOIN FOR 3 YEARS - GET 4TH YEAR + SHIRT FREE!**

\* **Note:** Credit/Debit cards carry a 3% processing fee. Zelle now accepted, no fee.

- DUES - 24 Months - \$198** (includes free ASGA logo'd shirt - Most Popular!)
- DUES (Join for 3 years, 4th year free - \$297** (incl. free shirt - best value)
- DUES - 12 Months + ASGA logo'd golf shirt - \$129** (includes shipping)
- DUES - 12 Months - \$99**

If a shirt is included, indicate ( ) Male ( ) Female Size: \_\_\_\_\_

REFERRED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Check Paid To "ASGA, Inc." Enclosed\*\* **TOTAL \$** \_\_\_\_\_

\* **Please charge my major credit/debit card indicated below:**

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_ 3/4 digit \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE REQUIRED!** By signing below, I agree to the Terms, Condition and Release ("Legal Stuff") as set forth at left and, if appropriate, authorize payment by my credit/debit card shown above.

Signature **X** \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Pay by Credit Card: Call 980-833-6450** 9-2 Eastern Time, M-F  
**To Pay by ZELLE (no fee), use Zelle ID: 980-833-6450**  
Or Fax App Form to: 980-225-0231 or Scan & Email to [Info@SinglesGolf.com](mailto:Info@SinglesGolf.com)

**Or mail application to ASGA, P. O. Box 848, Pineville, NC 28134**

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