



COVID-19 UPDATE

COVID - 19 PROTOCOLS

On behalf of our entire team at Brooklea Golf & CC we are pleased to share we are no open as of Saturday May 16, 2020. Although the club will be open, many aspects of our operation and service levels will be temporarily modified to be in line with the recommendations and guidelines put forth by our government and health authorities. With guidance from those authorities and the National Golf Course Owners Association, we have implemented many new protocols to ensure we can provide a safe environment for all members, guests and staff, which are adopted as additional rules of the club. These protocols are subject to change as the pandemic continues to unfold, and we hope that we will be in a position to gradually relax these procedures in the coming weeks and to return to a more normalized club experience. We at Brooklea are committed to making your golf experience with us as fun and safe as possible! On that note, we ask that you please review and observe the information set forth below to aid us in creating and maintaining a physically distant environment. Please remember, that anyone could unknowingly carry the Covid-19 virus, pass it along to others, and never be aware of it. If a staff member were to test positive, it would be nearly impossible for us to continue to keep the facility open, and those who have been in contact with said person(s) would need to quarantine and self isolate for 14 days.

GENERAL PROTOCOLS

- Social/Physical distance is of paramount priority always; please leave a minimum of at least 2 meters between yourself and anyone around you.
- Brooklea has increased signage throughout the club to inform and direct you of our onsite safety protocols.
- Upon arrival at the club you will be greeted by a team member of Brooklea Golf's Covid-19 protocols.
- Players, who have returned from travel outside of Canada within the last 14 days, will be asked to leave the property immediately as they must be in self-quarantine for 14 days.
- Please arrive with your own personal affects as needed (sanitizer (minimum 60% alcohol), sanitizing wipes, water etc.)
- All clubhouse seating facilities will be closed to all players.
- Washroom facilities will be available in the clubhouse locker rooms only (lockers closed for 2020 season). There will be no washrooms on course.



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TEE TIME PROTOCOLS

Tee times will only be available by calling ahead directly to our dedicated line at 705.527.4653 or by booking online (we are currently working on getting both member and public booking portals back onto our website). There will be NO WALK IN golf requests accepted at this time, this helps us better prepare for your safe arrival by being better able to monitor and manage the first tee. Below are some of the protocols in regards to tee time bookings.

- Walking is preferred and recommended.
- Tee times will be spaced 10 minutes apart.
- Power carts will be available on a first-come, first serve basis (Weather Dependent) and will not be available for reservation.
- Power carts are single rider only, unless you share the same household. (All carts will be thoroughly washed and sanitized before each use).
- When booking online please try to fill in all members/guests names in your group.
- Credit/Debit/Tap payments will be encouraged, but cash payments will still be accepted.
- Scorecards and pencils will be handed out by request only.
- Prepaid rounds will be non-refundable. We will offer rain checks in lieu.

ON COURSE MEASURES

To help minimize the potential spread of the virus, we have removed all touch points from the golf course and members/guests are asked to practice appropriate physical distancing at all times.

- To start the year the cups will be raised 1" out of the ground to minimize touch points (We are considering alternative methods). The pin is to NEVER be touched.
- The putting greens (both Driving Range and Golf Shop) will remain closed temporarily.
- The driving range will open Tuesday May 19, 2020 and will be modified in such a way that no one is in close contact with one and other. Practice tees will be spaced accordingly to provide ample physical distancing.
- Practice balls and baskets will be thoroughly cleaned and sanitized after each use.
- All tee markers, rakes, ball washers, towels; garbage's and recycling bins have been removed from the golf course.
- Continuous putting is encouraged to promote physical distancing while on the putting surface.
- Keep a minimum of two meters from you playing partners at all times. Golfers are not permitted to shake hands post round. Golfers caught disobeying any safety protocols will be requested to leave the facility immediately and banned to return while safety protocols being utilized.



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- There will be no beverage cart operations on course to start the season, but may be revisited as the season develops.
- Maintain the bunker areas by raking with your golf spikes and please be respectful of the next golfer.
- If you have to re hit another ball, please do not obtain it from another player.
- Please avoid touching each other's equipment.
- While walking down the fairway, conversation is encouraged but at the minimum required 2 meter distance.
- Please ensure you keep your 6 feet of distance throughout all facets of your round (While teeing off allow enough space and time for each golfer to hit their tee shot, retrieve their tee and to move well away from their fellow golfers before the next person is asked to play. After each person has hit their tee shot please leave the tee box one at a time allowing sufficient spacing)
- Keep no less than ½ hole between your group, the group ahead, and the group behind to avoid congestion on tees and around the greens.

POST ROUND MEASURES

- Please return your golf cart to the designated cart return area (Red Roped area) and remove any garbage and personal belongings (Garbage and recycling bins will be available to dispose of unwanted goods. Please consider taking it home with you to minimize other guests and our staff's exposure).
- There will be no gathering pre or post round in the parking lots.

OPERATIONAL PROTOCOLS

- One person in the bathroom at any given time
- All check in and payment transactions will either be done online, over the phone or completed outside in our temporary golf shop.



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OPERATIONAL PROTOCOLS (Continued...)

- Golfers are not to arrive at the golf course no more than 20 minutes prior to their scheduled tee time. Anyone that has arrived sooner will be asked to wait in their vehicles.
- Only one golfer is to check in with the Golf Shop at a time. Signs with 2 meter separation markers are posted to minimize close contact.
- Golfers are not to report to the starter until 1) their name is called over the PA system or 2) it is 5 minutes before their tee time.
- Golf Shop curb side ledge, payment units, door handles, and any other surfaces that could have human contact will be cleaned and sanitized repeatedly.
- Power carts/Pull carts will be washed and sanitized after each use. However it is encouraged that all guests please be proactive using their own sanitizing methods in addition to ours.
- Club storage lockers, member locker room lockers, sauna, lounge, and golf shop will be closed until further notice.
- Food and Beverage services will be minimal and limited to grab and go items as well as canned and bottled beverages.
- The perception of enforcing and carrying out these actions will be vital in sustaining a safe and enjoyable green space that we all can enjoy as we charter safely during these uncertain times.

MEMBER/GUEST EXPECTATIONS

We have put these measures in place (with guidance from the respected governments and health authorities) to be able to safely provide you with this great game of golf that we all enjoy. If you should choose not to follow the above procedures you will then be prohibited from playing at Brooklea. We have a duty to our staff, members and guests to strictly enforce all of above procedures to keep our team and you safe from this virus. By booking a tee time and playing golf you are agreeing to adhere to the conditions and expectations that are allowing us to open for you.

With that said, we should not be cavalier in thinking that golf courses can't or won't be shut down and it's why these measures should be taken with the utmost seriousness. We hope that each of you whether member or guests respects and abides by these protocols and helps in upholding the longstanding traditions that had made Brooklea Golf and CC one of our areas top courses for over 60 years.

We looking forward to welcoming all of our entire returning member and guests and all the new ones that decide to give it a go this year! Together we are stronger

- The Brooklea Team