



Greenore Golf Club

Membership Policy Document



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The purpose of this document is to outline the basic guidelines and criteria for the development and running of membership for future reference.

Election of Membership (as per our Constitution)

The election of all members shall be in the hands of the Management Committee.

Each application for Membership shall be proposed and seconded in writing by two Members of the club, one of whom must be a member of the Management Committee. The election of new members shall be by secret ballot, one negative in 4 to exclude, but the election of a new member will not be ratified until arrangements satisfactory to the Management Committee for the payment of all entrance fees, subscriptions, levies and Golf Ireland poll tax fees have been made.

Upon such election the new member shall be so notified in writing by the Secretary of the Club and shall be furnished with a copy of the full constitution.

The names & addresses of persons proposed for membership shall be displayed on the club notice board for at least one week and an interval of not less than two weeks shall elapse between nomination and election.

Further details relating to Membership see the Constitution.

Club membership & corresponding fee is from the period of January to December. All subscriptions **must be** paid or entered a structured payment plan before the end of March for that year.



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Membership Categories

As per the constitution, Management Committee have the discretion to close membership and categories as they feel necessary. Below is a summary of the current categories with a brief description and costs for this coming year. Please note these costs can change from year to year.



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Full Male/Female	7 Day Membership.
Full Male/Female Special Discount	Discount applied were both partners are members.
Full Male / Female Reduced	25 years a member, having reached the age of the OAP rate of 70 (AGM 2016) - CLOSED (AGM 2018) . Step Up Program for next 4 years for existing members.
Five Day Male/Female	Mon to Friday playing rights only. No vote at AGM unless invited to do so. Before upgrade to full membership they must have been a 5-Day Member for at least 2 years or alternatively have paid any entrance fee.
Intermediate	For members who are in the age bracket of 23 – 29 years up to the 1st of January . These members also have the opportunity of applying under article 19 to remain at Comp. Juvenile on a year on year basis if they fulfil the requirement of still being in full time education and approved by the Management Committee. Presently when existing members reach 23 we write to inform them that they are being regarded, but can apply to remain under article 19.) Intermediate have no full rights as Full Member. (i.e. no vote at AGM).
Competitive Junior Male / Female	Junior who reaches the age of 18 by 1st January in any year until they reach the age of 23 by 1st January. Further details see 'Juvenile Section T&C's -16th Nov 2015. Note: If family have more than one Comp. Junior they will be charged at 50% for every additional Comp. Junior.
Junior	Child who reaches age of 9 years on January 1st in that year may apply. Management Committee have right to consider applications under this age.
Junior 1st Year M/F	Reduced fee to encourage juniors to play golf & join club. Hours, days & conditions under which juniors members shall be permitted to play on the course is laid down by Management Committee from time to time.
Junior Sibling Special Rate M/F	Reduced fees for families.
Junior Family Male/Female	Reduced fees for families.
Family	Open for new applications but must have siblings.
Pavilion	Entitled to use Clubhouse facilities only. Note: Members who wish to take 'year out' for personal reasons and do not want to break membership can apply for Pavilion membership. This is at the discretion of Council and each member must apply for regrade in writing. Any member who breaks membership is subject for joining fee should they re apply.
Special Honorary over 80	25 years unbroken service as a member and over 80 years of age.
Exemption A	For members seeking reduction in membership based on medical grounds only . This is subject to written application & proof. Member would be entitled to 10 x rounds of casual golf which is monitored. For 1 year only & your handicap is suspended.
Oversea's	Golfers residing outside of Ireland, using the Club for no more than a total of 8 weeks in any calendar year, occasional golf only, not eligible to win the 3 Major prizes (Captains, Presidents or Golfer of the Year). No entry fee as they are member of another club. No voting rights. Not entitled to notices of or to attend general meetings unless invited to do so.
Country	Written proof that you are a member of another club and living 60KM's from GGC. They cannot win the 3 Major prizes (Captains, Presidents or Centenary). No vote at AGM.



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- Member's subscription falls due on January 1st each year and **must be paid by end of March**.
- Any voucher won in a competition will be retained until such time payment has been made for membership or if a member has entered a structured payment plan. Winning vouchers can be used towards membership payments for the following year only.
- Please note if a member wishes to change category or regrade, they must submit their application into Management Committee in writing before the end of February for the coming year.

Membership Prices for 2022

Below is a summary of the subscription fees for 2022. As noted and agreed at recent AGM, these will and can change from year to year.

Category	€	Step Up (over 4 years)	Junior Levy	Ins.	PrePay	Total €
Full Male/Female	€820		€5	€25	€100	€950
Full Male/Female Special Discount	€765		€5	€25	€100	€895
Full Male / Female Reduced	€620	€50	€5	€25	€100	€800
Five Day Male/Female	€625		€5	€25	€100	€755
Intermediate	€550			€25	€50	€625
Competitive Junior Male / Female	€240			€25		€265
Junior Male / Female	€60			€25		€85
Junior 1st Year M/F	€40			€25		€65
Junior Sibling Special Rate M/F	€30			€25		€55
Junior Family Male/Female	€20			€25		€45
Family	€1,095		€5	€25	€100	€1,225
Pavilion	€100		€5		€50	€155
Special Honorary over 80	€100		€5	€25	€100	€230
Exemption A	1/2 Sub			€25		
Oversea's	€350		€5	€25		€380
Country	€500				OPTIONAL	€500



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Payment Methods

The following payment methods are on offer to all members.

- Upfront on receipt of invoice – Cash, EFT, cheque or via ClubNet App.
- Direct Debit (via finance house but @ 4% interest)
- Structured payments only by pre agreed & proven Standing Order via the bank or financial institute.

Note: Adhoc payments at the bar will be no longer accepted.

If a member wishes to avail of any of the above they must contact the office before end of January to ensure this is in place before the end of February at the latest.

As per our Constitution if a member fails to make payment, fails to contact the office seeking exemption and or regrade by the 31st of March, **their membership and membership card will be suspended.**

If a member fails to pay their subscription or have not entered a formal structured payment plan by the 30th of April, they will **cease to be a member.** A re-join will be subject to Management Committee decision and may incur a joining fee.

These actions will be strictly invoked by Management Committee.

15 Month Deal with no Joining Fee

The Membership or Sales & Marketing team under the ratification of Management Committee may create a '**15 month deal**' to attract new members to the club. These are typically once off offers for the coming year. This campaign will be posted via local press, website and or social media.



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Joining Fee

Until further notice by Management Committee a 'Joining Fee' still exists. This fee is applicable to new 'Full' & '5 Day' members but at the discretion of the Management Committee.

New Member Applications (Mid-Year)

When a new member joins the club after the season commences (after March to end of June) the full subscription fee, joining fee and payment structure must be applied.

When a new member joins the club from July to end of September for that year a fixed 60% charge for the required category will be applied. E.g. €820 for Full membership, therefore fee for this period of €490 with all relating tariffs and levies applied.

There is to be no Pro Rata rates being applied to subscriptions.

Referral payments

There are no longer any referral promotions to members introducing or bringing in new members into the club.

Change Control:

Version 1, Membership Convenor 2018 – Joe Molloy Jnr. 18th August 2018.

Version 2, Membership Convenor 2019 – Joe Molloy Jnr. 9th January 2019.

Version 3, Membership Convenor 2021 – Martin O'Brien, 26th October 2021.

Version 4, Honorary Secretary – Joe Molloy Jnr., 19th April 2022.