



Cohasset Golf Club - Frequently Asked Questions - Golf

What golf privileges does my Social Membership entitle me to?

There are two segments to the golf season – ‘In-Season’ (May 1 – September 30) and ‘Off-Season’ (October 1 – April 30). Social Members are permitted to play two times per month In-Season with play commencing after 12:30. During this period, you may bring up to three guests on one of your two visits provided it occurs Monday – Thursday. All In-Season play is subject to a Green Fee. Off-Season allows Social Members unlimited rounds of golf with no Green Fee. Play on weekends must commence after 12:30. During this period you may bring one guest with you on each outing.

How do I go about using the Practice range and Short Game facilities?

*Practice Range and Short Game Area privileges are included in your dues. Spouses and children of members who are under a **Single membership** and do not have family golf privileges or children who do not have child golf privileges do not have short game area privileges (unless they check in and pay a fee for each use). Please keep in mind that golfers should wear attire suited for the golf course while practicing. We ask that you please check in with the Golf Shop during each visit.*

Am I permitted to play club tournaments as a Social Member?

A majority of club events are limited to those members with an Unrestricted Golf Privilege. However, Social Members are able and encouraged to play in the following tournaments: Opening Day, Columbus Day Gangsome, Lions & Legends, and selected Mixed Tournaments (a \$35 Tournament Fee applies to each event). Additionally, Social Members are permitted to sign up for all One-Day Member-Guest tournaments two weeks prior to the event date. There is often space available and play does not count towards your monthly In-Season total. You may sign up for the October Member Guest as soon as the entry is posted.

When can I bring my junior golfer to play?

Junior golfers of Social Members may also have access to the course at the times listed above. We recommend that you accompany your junior golfers when at the facility. Proficient junior players may attempt to qualify for our Junior Interclub Team. We also ask that you accompany your junior golfers when they are using the practice facilities.

How does the Instruction Program at the club work?

Our professional staff consisting of Head Professional – Bryan Kienke and First Assistant – Nick Arthurs and Assistant Professionals are all eager to help you improve your game. Lessons can be arranged in person, over the phone, or through e-mail. We are also happy to customize your needs and encourage family lessons or small group lessons (this works great with both spouse groups and junior groups).

Can you help our family with our golf equipment needs?

Our staff is happy to help fulfill all of your golfing needs. The Golf Shop features a full assortment of equipment, apparel, and accessories. All equipment is competitively priced as we openly match prices with competitors. While there are many options to purchase your golf needs, we would like the opportunity to earn your business and hope to be at the top of your considerations. All golf equipment is custom fit to your specifications at no extra charge to you. Demo equipment is available for use and we encourage you to attend our Annual Demo Day event May 20th.

Are cell phones permitted?

Cell phones are permitted in the Parking Lot and Locker Room areas. While you may feel free to have your phone with you on the golf course or at the practice facilities in case of an emergency, we ask that you please keep it set to vibrate as not to disturb others.

Who can I contact if I have more specific questions?

Our entire Golf Staff is here to provide you the best service possible and help you feel at home when using the club. We encourage you to seek out a member of our professional staff with any questions you may have. We're also here to help introduce you to other members as well so you can begin developing lasting relationships. The staff can be reached by phone at 383-9890 x 13 or by e-mail at GolfShop@cohassetgc.org

Cohasset Golf Club - Frequently Asked Questions - Tennis

What are your hours of operation?

The courts are open for play at 7am and the lights turn off at 10pm.

Do you have to book court time in advance?

No. We operate on a first come first serve basis. However you may call the pro shop for our daily programming to make sure a court will be available.

What is the fee for paddle tennis and when are the courts available?

Paddle Tennis is a relatively new amenity at the club and is mainly a winter sport. There is no extra fee. This is included in your dues. A family membership has this privilege included for the entire family. To reserve court time please register on yourcourts.com.

In the winter months the courts will be available for play from 9:00 AM to 10:00 PM, seven days a week.

***Apparel / Footwear:** Sneakers or tennis shoes are required. Do not wear footwear that could damage the court surface. Dress warm! Gloves, winter hat and multiple layers are always recommended during cold weather.*

What is your dress code? Is it all whites?

We have a dress code but it's not all white. proper tennis attire must be worn and tennis shoes only.

Do you offer lessons?

Yes. We offer private lessons and group lessons for all levels of play.

Do you sell and string rackets?

Yes our pro shop offers all basic tennis needs. From rackets to stringing as well as clothing.

Are guests allowed?

Yes you may have as many guests as you'd like. We have an 8\$ fee per guest.

Are there limitations on the amount of tennis you are allowed to play as a social member?

No. You may play as often as you would like. No limitations.

Are guests allowed to take tennis lessons?

No

Cohasset Golf Club - Frequently Asked Questions - House

What time does the 1894 grille open for lunch?

11:00 Sundays

11:30 Tue-Sat

Do I TIP my server in the Dining Rooms?

Cohasset Golf Club pays a higher hourly rate. There is no club policy on tipping and while we do not discourage you or encourage you, if you find you have had a wonderful day or evening and exceptional service feel free to add under Server Appreciation on your Check

Can I get lunch/food all day?

Yes, we do not close for lunch.

What are the hours for Sunday dinner?

1894 Grille Room Hours are 5:00-8:30 for dinner.

How do I make a reservation for Dinner?

You can call the club at extension 14 for reservations or contact Myranda at extension 17 or Myranda@cohassetgc.org. You may also make reservations on the club website on the Dining & Social page. For club events reservations you may call Shelagh at extension 16 or email sflaherty@cohassetgc.org. But feel free to let any of the staff members know and we can write it in our reservations book for you.

What is the cancellation policy for signing up for Club events?

The clubhouse management staff will attempt to confirm reservations for special events. However, it is the responsibility of the member to cancel his/her reservation 48 hours prior to the event, or otherwise incur a charge in the amount of the original reservation.

What is the dress code for the dining rooms?

The dress code for our dining rooms is smart, casual attire. Members and their guests may wear dress jeans in the grille room, on the deck, and in those areas necessary to access the grille room and deck. Jeans will not be permitted on the golf course, tennis facility or the practice range. Gentlemen are requested to remove their hats when seated in all dining areas

What are the hours for takeout?

No takeout is permitted Friday-Sunday between 6 and 8 pm.

What is the reservation policy for dinner?

Reservations are highly recommended in order to preserve punctual service and in order to help with staffing and preparation.

Cohasset Golf Club - Frequently Asked Questions - Golf Course

Is there ever a day that we can tee off before 7 am.

Yes - the golf course is available for early morning play on Friday mornings starting on hole 10. Play as early as you would like off of hole 10 and please don't make the turn to the first hole before 7am. The first hole is also open at 6:30 am on Sundays in June-August.

How often are the greens mowed and what height are they mowed?

The greens are mowed at least six days a week at a height of .120. This mowing frequency and height along with rolling help us maintain our target green speed of 9.5 to 10.5 on the stimp meter.

Should I replace my divot after taking a shot?

Yes - you should always replace your divot after all shots. The replaced divot may or may not survive depending on the amount of water it receives but it will fill the hole temporarily for the following players. If the divot dies the green department staff will remove it and fill it with a mixture of sand and seed.

What is the protocol if I am waiting to hit a shot and a green department staff member is on my line?

For the safety of the employee a shot should never be taken with anyone in your line unless he/she acknowledges your presence and waves you on to proceed. Their safety comes first!

How often are the hole locations moved and who decides where they go?

In season the holes are moved everyday. The holes are moved to not only provide putting variety but also to spread wear evenly around the putting surface. The location is decided on by assessing numerous

variables but the primary consideration is the health of the surface. The type of play expected on that day, wear/stress on the surface, slope of the surface, prior and future locations, etc. are also taken into consideration when a hole is move.

Why are there goats on the golf course?

The goats are rented from a company called Goatscaping. They help us control difficult weeds in our native areas around the golf course. The goats favor weeds such as poison ivy, blackberry vines and small tree suckers. With the use of goats we have been able to reduce our herbicide use in these areas by almost 50%. The goats are friendly but the fence is electric!

How close should we drive our carts to the green?

There are two cedar stakes on either side of the fairway approximately 30 yards from the green indicating that carts should not proceed any closer to the putting surface. At this point you should pull your cart to the appropriate side and proceed to the next tee. At no time should carts drive to the right of the first green, left of the second green, left of the 13th green or to the right of the 16th green.

Cohasset Golf Club - Frequently Asked Questions – Business Office

What are the monthly food minimums?

Monthly minimums for Socials & Regulars are \$150 per family \$115 for Single and Junior Members \$80 per family & \$35 for Single. The dining minimum, are in effect from April – December for the 2018 season.

Last names beginning with A-G your minimum will be from the 11th of the month to the 10th of the following month.

Last names beginning with H-O your minimum will be from the 21st of the month to the 20th of the following month.

Last names beginning with P-Z your minimum will begin on the 1st day of the month through the last day of month.

You may check your food minimum balance on the website under My Statement or by calling the business office.

How do I access the club website?

Access our website at www.cohassetgc.org . Your user name will be your 4 digit member number. Your password is your last name all in lower case letters. Spouse's username is the 4 digit member number + - 1 (example 0555-1). Password is last name all in lower case letters.

Once logged on to our website click through each tab for information about the club. Click on the Calendar for events or registration. Click on My Statements to view your current statement, Make A Payment, check your current activity or check on your monthly minimum. You may pay your balance due by credit card or ACH. If you have any problems logging on please feel free to contact the business office.

When is my monthly statement due?

Payments are due on the 20th of the month. If making a payment with a business check, please be sure that your member name and member number are on the check. Log onto www.cohassetgc.org and click on Make A Payment. You may make a payment by credit card or ACH.

If you would like to set up your payment to Auto Deduction please call the business office. Your balance due would be deducted from your bank account every 20th of the month.

You may also drop a check off in the business office (Mondays - Fridays from 8 am - 4 pm) or in the outside mailbox by the sports entry doors (right front).

If I have a question regarding charges on my statement who do I call?

Any questions regarding privileges or dining charges please feel free to call the business office 781-383-9890 ext. 10. Any questions regarding golf and/or tennis purchases, please call the golf 781-383-9890 ext. 13 or tennis Pro Shop 781-383-9890 ext. 18.