

Dominion Cup 2022

Teams | Dominion Black & Dominion Gold

Note that playing in the previous Dominion Cup DOES NOT automatically guarantee you a spot on your team.

Team Composition:

- Two (2) non-playing captains *Captain and Assistant Captain
- A minimum of one (1) professional staff member and never more than two (2) professional staff members
- A maximum of thirty-three (33) full golf members
Each year the teams will start out with a 24-player cap. Teams will be expanded equally as both teams have players interested & qualified until we reach a maximum of 34 players on each team (plus the two (2) non-playing Captains for each team).

Captains:

- The Tournament Chairperson (The highest-ranking PGA Professional Staff Member) selects Captains each year. The Tournament Chairperson may, and should consult the active captains to obtain their nominations for their successors.
- The Captain of each team will select their non-playing assistant captain the week following Open Qualifying *Captains will also serve on the Rules Committee.
- Each captain will assign a player from their team to act as a playing assistant *captains privileges are in effect prior to the first match teeing off each day and after that players match is completed each day.
- Professional Staff Members are granted captains privileges prior to the start of the first match each day and after their match is completed each day *Professional staff will also serve on the Rules Committee prior to and following their match each day.

Team Assignments:

- You must be in, and maintain, good standing with the club to be eligible.
- If you have previously played for a team OR once assigned a team, then that is the team you will be qualifying for in all future Dominion Cups.
- New members and/or members new to Dominion Cup must submit their interest in playing.
 - Team assignments will be the discretion of the acting Tournament Chairperson. The Tournament Chairperson may consult with the Active Captains. We will do our best to assign players to specific teams when requested BUT the teams must remain relatively even concerning handicaps and quantity of players eligible to qualify for each team.

The professional staff and the current active Captains must approve requests to switch teams. Any player approved to switch teams will have to sit out 1 year from the Dominion Cup. This player is then committed to qualify for their new team for a minimum of 3 years following the transfer.

Members serving as a "last minute" fill in are exempt from transfer restrictions (pending approval) IF the year they served as a fill in was their first year participating in The Dominion Cup.

Qualifying

Note the Tournament Chairperson has the ability to modify all aspects of Dominion Cup Exemptions, and Open Qualifying between years BUT will hold true to this document once published to the membership

Exempt from Qualifying 2022:

The Tournament Chairperson will retain the right to modify qualification exemptions from year to year but must announce any changes prior to start of the first major club tournament that may affect any new qualifications for the following years Dominion Cup.

- Previous years Non-Playing Captains
- The Professional Staff assigned to each team *Selected by Tournament Chairperson
- Previous years MVP for each team
- Previous years Club Champions - Men's Gross & Net | Senior Men's Gross & Net
- Previous years Match Play Group Play Winners
- Previous years Member-Member Flight Winners
- Previous years Match Play Consolation Bracket Winner
- Previous years Top 12 on the MGA point list
- Previous years Top 20 Club Event Participation Point List
 - Award for those members who are actively participating in all club related golf events (Renaissance Excluded). Members earn points for playing in tournaments, Sundowners, and other club-hosted events. Ties on this point list will be determined by finishing positions in the various events.

Captains Picks & Professional Assignments:

- Each year the Active Captains have four (4) Captains Picks to fill out their rosters as they see fit. Captains Picks are required to come from their respective team members interested in playing that are not exempt from and/or failed to qualify for their team.
- Each year the Tournament Chairperson will have a maximum of two (2) assignments per team. These spots are to add new club members who did not have the opportunity to qualify and/or earn qualification exemptions. These team assignments may come from, but are not required to come from, the list of members who attempted to qualify through open qualifying.
- Unused Chairperson Assignments will transfer into additional Captains Picks.

Players exempt from qualifying must commit to the event prior to the start of open qualifying. Captains will submit their picks the week following open qualifying. The Tournament Chairperson will make his/her assignments (or grant additional Captains Picks) following the submittal Captains Picks.

Open Qualifying:

Open Qualifying will be a period of two (2) weeks in which players will have the opportunity to submit their scores. The aggregate total, of the three (3) lowest NET scores, will determine those players that qualify. Any ties will be settle by the lowest single qualifying round turned in. Amount of qualification spots will vary each year based on players exempt from qualification and/or the final determined team size.

- Play as many rounds as you wish. Your lowest three (3) NET scores count towards qualifying.
- MUST play with a minimum of two (2) other members/professional staff *they must sign your scorecard. Turn your scorecard into the golf shop.
- YOU MUST HOLE OUT ALL PUTTS in an official qualifying round

You must be assigned to a team BEFORE posting any qualifying rounds. Qualifying Handicaps will be locked on Day 1 of Open Qualifying.

Format, Handicaps & Tees

Format | Fifty-four (54) hole team play:

Day 1 - Fourball * full handicaps played in equity (The lowest course handicap in the pairing will play as a zero and the other players will be adjusted the same)

Day 2 - Foursome * team handicap will be USGA chapman formula (60% of low + 40% of the high) played in equity (The lowest team handicap in the pairing will go to a zero and the other team will adjust)

Day 3 - Singles * full handicaps played in equity (The lowest course handicap between the 2 players in each match will go to zero and the opponent will adjust)

Tees & Handicaps:

Tees and Handicaps will be locked one (1) week prior to the Opening Ceremonies

- Players will have the option to select their tee box BUT may only move one set, forward or backward, from the tee box in which the majority of their scores are posted.
- The exception will be the green tees - for any player to be approved to play the green tees the majority of their scores MUST be posted from the green tees.

Schedule of Events Overview

Thursday

- OPENING CEREMONIES 5:00pm – 8:00pm
COAT & TIE EVENT for CAPTAINS, PLAYERS & SPOUSES ONLY *Plated Dinner

Friday

- Matches start*Tee Times 8:10am
Post Round – All on individual teams or players

Saturday

- Matches start*Tee Times 8:10am
Players Gathering for Sundays Singles Matches** VERY light appetizers served

Sunday

- Matches start*Tee Times 8:10am
Closing Ceremonies ***CHAMPAIGN TOAST & SPEECHES
Light appetizers served
Losing Team WILL Serve Champaign to the Winning Team