

2023 WWML 2-Man Scramble

Important Notes

Please record your team names and your scores clearly ... and please post your card in the club house immediately after play ... many thanks.

Depending on the number of participants, we will likely play on both the front and back 9s. It is important to note that if your assigned starting hole is on the back 9, be sure to stay on the back 9. For example, if you start on #16, when you complete #18, you move to #10. Your finishing hole will be #15.

Club staff will be on hand to direct activities if there are any questions.

Scramble Format

1. Players should play from the same tee box as used during weekly league play. I.e., If you shoot from the blues during weekly play, you'll hit from the blues for the tournament. Players who use the white tees during weekly league play may play from the whites.
2. Each golfer on the team hits a drive.
3. The results of the drives are compared. Which one is best? That ball is selected and marked, and the other golfers pick up their golf balls and move to the chosen ball's location.
4. The second strokes are played, and the process repeats: Select the best ball, move the other balls to that spot and play the third strokes. And so on, until the ball is holed and the team score is recorded.
5. Combined handicaps will be used for each two-person team.

Other Rules

1. Refer to USGA/R&A rules and Wildwinds Local Rules for questions regarding hazards, lost balls, etc.
2. When moving golf balls to the spot of the selected shot, the rest of the team must play from within one-club length of the original spot. That one-club length cannot be closer to the hole, and it can't improve the lie of the original ball. That is:
 - a) If the selected drive is in the first cut of rough, then the other members of the team cannot hit from the fairway even if the fairway is within one club-length.
 - b) Likewise, you can't move a ball onto the putting green when the selected ball is in the fringe.
 - c) For balls hit into a sand trap, the next shot must also be played from within the sand trap.
 - d) If the chosen ball (or all balls, as the case may be) enters a hazard, the next shot must be played from within one club-length of the resulting spot after taking whatever relief is afforded by the specific hazard. For example, if both balls enter a water hazard, the team selects one ball, and elects to drop two club-lengths from the point of entry (per USGA/R&A rules). The next shot may be taken from within one club-length of the dropped location, so long as the conditions for rules a-c (above) are met.
3. Order of play on every stroke is usually at the sole discretion of each scramble team. Just because Golfer X hit first off the tee doesn't mean Golfer X has to hit first on the second stroke, and so on. Likewise, your ball being selected as the best after a given stroke doesn't mean you have to hit first (or last) on the next stroke.