

# Wildflower Golf Course

Your Annual  
OPENING Issue!

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## Tee Time Info

Tee times can be made at  
[wildflowergolfcourse.com/teetimes](http://wildflowergolfcourse.com/teetimes)

OR

By calling the pro shop at  
888-PLAYWILD  
(888-752-9945)



## Opening Date 2017

Wildflower will be opening  
Friday, April 7th at 9:00 a.m.

Come purchase your membership and check out  
our new merchandise!

Driving range and course open  
April 7th at 9:00 a.m. Carts allowed.

Enjoy our early spring rates—  
only \$40 for 18 holes w/cart!

## Friendly course maintenance reminders

*By following these four friendly maintenance tips, you will help preserve the condition of our course!*

Enter from the lowest side.  
Rake the area you played.  
Rake your footprints as you  
back out of the bunker.  
Return the rake to the bunker.

Start from the back and  
sides. Avoid lifting or  
twisting. Use your putter to  
lightly tap down. Fix all of  
your ball marks!

Replacing the divot is  
always the best option! If  
it cannot be replaced, do  
fill the divots, but don't  
overfill!

Stay on the cart paths when  
available. Remember the 90  
degree cart rule. At all times,  
avoid driving carts where it  
may damage the course.

**BUNKER RAKING**

**BALL MARK REPAIR**

**DIVOT REPAIR**

**GOLF CART USAGE**

# Men's League 2017

## JOIN NOW!

- 16 week Men's League, every Tuesday from May 2 – August 15. Rounds can be played anytime on Tuesday (depending on membership)
- Open to the public
- 9 holes will be counted for league (front/back nine will alternate throughout the summer)
- Both Gross & Net scoring every week
- 2-man teams
- A team must play at least 8 weeks out of the summer to qualify for end of the season awards
- Top 8 weekly scores for each team will be used for the end of season rankings
- Men's League Championship Tournament on Tuesday, August 15
  - 18 hole shotgun at 3:00pm (bonus 9 holes!)
    - Meal and awards banquet following
- League fee is \$60 per person, including a GHIN Handicap
- Weekly cash skins game (optional)
- Weekly drink and food specials
- Weekly hole contest prizes
- Weekly prizes for top teams

*Please email [golf@wildflowergolfcourse.com](mailto:golf@wildflowergolfcourse.com), stop by the pro-shop, or call 888-752-9945 to sign up your 2-man team!*

***Congratulations to our 2016 Men's League Champions!***

*Gross: Doug Schmoll & Bruce Hagen*

*Net: Paul Evenson & Mike Magnusson*

## The Masters

Green jackets, Magnolia Lane, pimento cheese sandwiches, Augusta National, 4 Days and 72 Holes...

Join us in celebrating the 81st Masters at Wildflower. We will have non-stop coverage of The Masters all weekend long.

No Masters party is complete without Azalea cocktails. We'll be serving these delicious drinks for \$5!

Wear green and receive 8.1% off pro-shop purchases!\*

Excludes clubs, balls and some shoes. Not valid on green fees, cart fees or memberships.



# Welcome, Matt!



*Matt McElveen joins us at Wildflower as PGA Professional Intern*

Matt McElveen is coming to us from Mississippi State University in Starkville, MS. Matt is pursuing a BBA Marketing Degree with a concentration in Professional Golf Management (PGM) and accounting. Matt has always enjoyed golf, but has a great interest in the business aspects of the golf industry. Matt's dream job is to work for a golf equipment corporation in the marketing department. Aside from golfing and school, you can find Matt cheering on his favorite teams—Southern Miss and Mississippi State, of course! Matt is looking forward to traveling up to Minnesota and meeting many new faces with hopes of building lifelong friendships. Fun facts: Matt & his best friend have the same birthday. He also attended the same high school as Britney Spears!

# Welcome, Sam!

*Sam Radenz joins us at Wildflower as Golf Management Intern*

Sam Radenz is coming to us from the University of Wisconsin, Stout in Menomonie, WI. Sam is pursuing a degree in Golf Enterprise Management (GEM). Sam played golf competitively during high school, and it was at that point he decided to pursue a future in the golf industry. According to Sam, he's "washed up now", but used to be a big hockey player... soccer, too! Sam enjoys fishing, hunting, golfing, and cheering on his hometown team, the Minnesota Wild. Sam is excited to move up to Detroit Lakes and meet new people and bring his excellent leadership skills to the Wildflower team!



## Important Dates



- Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup>—Easter, Course closed. Reopening Monday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 8 a.m.
- Tuesday, April 18<sup>th</sup>—JV Golf Meet, 1 p.m. shotgun. Tee times available from 8 a.m. – 9a.m.
- Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup>—JV Golf Meet, 9 a.m. shotgun. Tee times available at 2 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>—Men's League Begins!
- Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup>—JV Golf Meet, 1 p.m. shotgun. Tee times available from 8 a.m. – 9 a.m.
- Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>—Mother's Day, Moms golf free! *(See page 4 of newsletter)*
- Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup>—RRV Sr's, 9 a.m. shotgun. Tee times available at 2 p.m.

*Please note the above dates for course closures.  
When in doubt, please call the pro-shop to confirm, 888-752-9945.*

## Mother's Day – Sunday, May 14th

Treat mom to a wonderful Mother's Day Brunch on Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup> from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Adults - \$26, Children 10 – 15 - \$14, Children 4-9 - \$10, Children 3 and under are free!

The best part? You will leave happy and full, and mom won't have to do any of the cooking or dishes!

Reservations recommended. 218-847-7638

Moms golf for FREE\* at Wildflower Golf Course!

*\*Mom must be accompanied by one paying customer*



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