

## TOURNAMENT DAY PROCEDURE for the COACH

Coaches and athletes should be aware that the tournament may last beyond the finish time due to many factors such as playoffs, weather, etc. They should clear their schedules so as to remain to the conclusion of the tournament if necessary. If for some unexpected reason you, the coach, has to leave before your team or golfer is finished it is suggested that you have your assistant or appoint a parent take charge of your team or golfer(s). This could be done by a school administrator.

1. **MAKE SURE EACH ONE OF YOUR GOLFERS HAS THE OHSAA Wanamaker App on their phone.**
2. Each scorecard has been printed with the golfer's name and school. If there is a substitution cross off the original name and write the name of the substitute on the card. Golfers will exchange cards on the first tee. **Please instruct your players how to keep the score card. See sample in Pro Shop.**
3. Substitutions may be made but the substitute must go into the position of the golfer replaced. Substitution forms are to be picked up from Jim Rolfes, Tournament Manager. Fill out the form and turn it in before the meeting.  
Please make sure that your team gets to their first tee on time. (10 minutes prior)
4. **Players will NOT come to the picnic shelter or pro shop between nines. Move on to the next tee.**
5. **Players must check their scorecard hole-by-hole before they sign and immediately turn it in to the official scorers in the pro shop.** You are responsible for making sure that the golfers on your team report their scores to the scorers at the Pro Shop as soon as they finish 18 holes **(USAGOLF Rules.6-6B p 31)**
6. **Don't leave until you are absolutely sure you won't be a District Qualifier or involved in a playoff.**
7. **If you do have a District qualifier(s) see Jim Rolfes for your information packet. Don't leave without it**
8. Please advise parents and followers that the OHSAA and the SWDAB have directed that spectators may rent a motorized cart. **All spectator carts must remain on the cart paths.** Carts may be parked on the cart path to watch play at a hole **Walking spectators must follow ½ hole behind on the course**
9. Coaches are to be available for rules situations or discipline problems regarding their team. You are to remain in the vicinity of the pro shop or restaurant or out on the course near your team. Coaches are not to play golf. One cart per head coach per school will be available. **Due to liability only the head coach and/or assistant coach is permitted to ride in the cart unless it becomes necessary to remove athletes from the course.**
10. Cell phone use of electronic device rules from OHSAA will be enforced.
11. **DISCUSS THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WITH YOUR GOLFERS:**
  - A. **THE "TOURNAMENT INFORMATION FOR THE ATHLETE: ( IN YOUR COACH'S PACKET)**  
**OTHER INFORMATION PAGES IN YOUR COACH'S PACKET**  
**OHSAA MEMOS: COACHING RULE, ELECTRONIC DEVICES, RANGE FINDERS.**
  - B. **NOTE: IN THE EVENT OF A DANGEROUS SITUATION SUCH AS THUNDER OR LIGHTNING, PLAYERS SHALL DISCONTINUE PLAY IMMEDIATELY. SEEK SHELTER AND NOT RESUME PLAY UNTIL A RESUMPTION OF PLAY HAS BEEN ORDERED. A PLAYER FAILING TO DO SO WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. COACHES MAY BE ASKED TO HELP CLEAR THE COURSE (RULES 6-8, 33-2d)**

**SHELTER SITES: COURSE SHELTERS, GREEN CART BARN, RESTAURANT, PRO SHOP, VEHICLES (bus, van)**

**STOP PLAY IMMEDIATELY: One prolonged note of siren or Three consecutive notes of siren repeated**

**Resume play: Two short notes siren, repeated**

**NEXT YEAR Division II Sectional date will be announced later by the OHSAA  
Division I Sectional Date will be announced later by the OHSAA**