

UPDATED COVID-19 POLICIES

March 27th, 2020

Polson Bay Golfers: At the time of this writing, COVID-19 has officially arrived in Lake County, this paired with the Governor's directive yesterday has led to the below changes in golf course operations. Please understand that our staff will be tasked with strictly enforcing the Governors directive and you are asked to do the same. Failure to do so on either of our parts will certainly result in closure of Polson Bay Golf Course.

The safety and well-being of our staff and you our neighbor and customer is our number one priority and for this reason we will be enacting the following measures and precautions, effective immediately:

Before Coming to the Golf Course:

- If you are sick or are feeling sick, do not come to the golf course. At the staff's discretion, we may refuse to serve you and that decision will be final.

Before Your Round of Golf:

- **The entire clubhouse is closed including the golf shop and driving range.**
- In accordance with the Governor's directive, we are promoting golf as a community outdoor recreation activity. As such, Polson Bay Golf Course will be open to foot traffic only.
 - **EXCEPTION-To ride individually in a private or rental golf cart, a person must produce a current Montana Handicap Parking Permit.**
- **Tee times intervals have been increased to 10 minutes. Do not approach the first tee until your established tee times.**
 - Tee times will be scheduled from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. throughout the Governors directive at 883-8230.
- **All green fees MUST be purchased online.**
 - **PAY ONLINE VIA WWW.POLSONBAYGOLF.COM**
 - **SCROLL DOWN AND CLICK ON THE ORANGE "PAY ANNUAL PASSES HERE" BUTTON**
 - **Please verify your purchase with the four digit transaction code to essential staff at the first tee.**

On the Golf Course:

- **Abiding by social distancing criteria in the Governor's directive is critical in our ability to offer golf as an outdoor recreational activity.**
 - **In many cases golf is an important component of a family's physical and mental health. We strongly encourage families to play golf together and we will strictly enforce non-familial groups to strictly abide by the Governor's directive on social distancing.**
- **ALL PLAY MUST ORIGINATE FROM THE FIRST TEE.**
- When on the putting green, **PLEASE LEAVE FLAGSTICK IN.** To combat reaching into the hole, measures have been taken to raise the bottom of the cup. Please take care to retrieve your golf ball without touching the cup liner or flagstick.
- Bunker rakes have been removed
- Please care for your own equipment and do not handle playing partner's equipment during the course of your round of golf.
- Absolutely expect to see essential golf course staff both maintaining our facility and enforcing compliance with the Governors directive as necessary.

After Your Round of Golf:

- We ask that you leave the facility as soon as possible after golf.
- Gatherings of more than four people post round are explicitly forbidden.

Sincerely,

The Leadership Team at Polson Bay Golf Course