

# 2023 Pease Challenge

A season long points race to determine a winner of the Pease Challenge. This 9 tournament series starts in May and winds up in November. Multiple playing formats, along with individual, two player, and four player team events. The better you, your partner, or team play, the more points you **accumulate**. The top five point earners at the end of the season win some great prizes, with the top prize being FREE GOLF outdoors Monday through Friday here at Pease Golf Course in 2024. Other top five prizes include a new set of irons, new driver, fairway wood or hybrid, and a few dozen golf balls. To be eligible to play in the 9 events, players must be 19 years of age or older as of January 1, 2023, and have a current GHIN Handicap here at Pease Golf Course.

Contact the Golf Shop at 603-433-1331, or email PGA Head Professional Tim Riese [T.Riese@peasedev.org](mailto:T.Riese@peasedev.org) or assistant golf professional Mike Jerram [M.Jerram@peasedev.org](mailto:M.Jerram@peasedev.org) for applications.

## Four-Player Team Scramble

The first event is a 4-Player Team Scramble scheduled for Sunday, May 7, **at** 9:00 a.m. **with a** shotgun start playing the Front Nine and Blue Course. The team scramble format is one of the most recognizable to players. All four players hit their tees shots on each hole, then select the best shot and all four players play from that point. This format is followed on each **hole** until the team holes out for one single team score **on** each hole. Entry fee includes **a** continental breakfast, warm up range balls before the round, individual closest to the pins, men's and women's long drives, longest putt holes, and team prizes. All players sign up individually, and the Golf Shop professional staff make up the 4-Player teams.

# The Memorial

Spend the morning this Memorial Day playing in the Two-Player Chapman on Sunday, May 28, with tee times starting at 10:00 a.m. All teams play the original 18 hole course in a Chapman style format. A Chapman is very close to an alternate shot, but with a little twist. Here is how the format will work. Both players tee off on each hole. Each player will hit their partner's 2nd shot from where their partner's ball lies. After both team players have played a second shot, the team will select the best ball to play, with both players alternating shots until the one ball is holed out for a single team score. Players sign up with in the Golf Shop and PGA Professional staff will make up the teams.

Continental breakfast provided before the round, as well as range balls for players to warm up. On course individual closest to the pin contests on all 5 par three holes, as well as a couple individual longest putt holes. Team prizes awarded for the low net team scores and one gross prize for the lowest gross score that is not a net team winner. Box lunch and cold beverage provided either at the turn or after the round.

## Member Member Best Ball Match Play

The first event where you pick your own partner, the Two Player Best Ball. Qualifying runs Monday, May 1, through Sunday, May 14. Teams will need to post one 18 hole score on the original 18 hole course to qualify. Once the qualifying ends teams will be put into divisions determined by the total team handicap and then seeded in flights of 8 teams. Once flights are set up and seeding determined, players start the head-to-head match play portion of the event. The first round of matches must be completed by end of day Sunday, June 4. Teams can set up tee times for their matches by contacting the Golf Shop. The Semi-Finals are scheduled for Saturday, June 25, with the Finals on Sunday, June 25. Teams may play their matches prior to these dates if both teams agree to the date and time.

## Four Player Team Best Ball

Signup individually and the Golf Shop will make up teams for the Four Player Team Best Ball. Event will have Gross and Net Team prizes, closest to the pin contests on all the par 3's, and long putt contest on one hole on the Front Nine and one hole on the Back Nine. Teams will be paired to have equal total team handicaps for the field of teams. Each player will play their own ball the enter round, with the low gross score and low net score from the four players being used for the team score. Tee times will start at 10:00 am on Sunday, June 11. Continental breakfast and box lunch included in the \$45 per player entry fee for Pease Season Pass Holders and \$70 for players that hold an active GHIN Handicap here at Pease. All players must be 19 years of age by January 1, 2023 and hold an active GHIN Handicap at Pease golf Course.

## 18 Hole Scotchie

The 18 Hole Scotchie is a Two-Player Team, one male & one female, scheduled for Friday, August 18, with tee times starting at 1:00 p.m. Players have the option to pick their own partner, or they can sign up in the Golf Shop on their own and staff will do their best to find you a partner. What is a Scotchie? Good question. Format goes like this;:- Both players tee off, men from the white tees women from the green, the team then selects one of those two shots and alternates hitting the one ball until a single ball is holed out for one team score. That process is followed on every hole, with no required amount of tee shots per player. The event is a net tournament, with tee team handicaps being the two individual handicaps of the players combined and divided by two. So, if there is a 15 handicap player and a 17 handicap player that would be  $15 + 17 = 32$   $32/2 = 16$ . That would be that team's handicap. Players will post their 18 hole score and the team handicap is subtracted. It is much less complicated then it sounds. On the course individual closest to the pin contests on all the par 3 holes, men's and women's long drive. Coffee and donuts available for all players before the round, along with range balls for quick warm up. After the golf, or during, players can pick up their box lunch.

Once all the teams are in the Golf Shop staff will post the scores and the winners. Number of team prizes given out are determined by the number of

teams ~~that~~ participate~~ing~~. The more players the more teams will receive team prizes. It's a fun day of golf, food, and friends.

## 2023 Pease Club Championship

The 2023 Pease Club Championship is an individual stroke and match play tournament. Players will need to post one 18 hole round between Monday, June 19, and Sunday, July 2, to qualify. Divisions include Men's, Women's and Seniors gross championship divisions along with men's and women's net championship divisions. Player's handicap will determine which division they will be qualifying for, but all players have the option to play in the gross championship division. Player's qualifying score will determine what number seed they are within the proper division. The division play will be head-to-head, ~~and~~ hole-by-hole match play. Divisions will be up to 16 players, and no less ~~than~~ 8. If there are not enough players to fill a division, the higher seeded players will get a bye until the other matches are completed. The 1st round of matches must be completed by end of day Sunday, July 16, and the second round must be completed by end of day Sunday, July 30. Players will be making their own tee times at the Golf Shop for the first and second rounds of play. Tee times will be set for both the Semi Final and Final rounds scheduled for Saturday, August 12, and Sunday, August 13. It is mid-season, but **you will** want to spend a little extra time chipping and putting to get ready for this one!

## Fourth of July Flag Tourney

Just a fun way to enjoy a round of golf without a whole lot of pressure, but there are still Pease Challenge Points on the line. The Flag Tournament is scheduled for, you guessed it, Tuesday, July 4th. Players make their own tee time anytime from the first tee time, at 6:00 a.m., to 1:00 p.m. on July 4th. When players register in the Golf Shop before the round they will give the staff their current GHIN handicap. Players head out to play and will pick up their American flag on the 10th tee. Once a player hits par plus their posted handicap they place their flag where that shot lands. So, if you have an 18 handicap you take  $71 + 18 = 89$ , and when the 89th shot lands that is where you put your flag. That 89th shot may be on the 16th green, or the on the 2nd fairway. That's right. If you have finished 18 holes and have not reached your total number you keep playing until you reach your total score. The more fun you are having on the course, odds are the farther you will stretch out where you plant your flag.



## Two-Player Scramble

Getting near the end of the season long points race. The Two-Player Scramble is scheduled for Sunday, September 24, with tee times starting at 10:00 am. Players can sign up as a two player team, and book their tee time with the Golf Shop when they sign up. The scramble format has both players teeing off each hole then selecting the best shot. Once the team chooses that best shot both players will hit again from that spot. This format is continued until a ball is holed out for a single team score. Same format is followed on each hole. This format also requires that two tee shots from each player must be used during the 18 hole event. That leaves 14 tee shots with no requirements and a chance to keep the team in the hunt. With all events range balls are available before the round, coffee & donuts available, snacks at the turn, individual closest to the pin contests, long drive holes, and team prizes. If you need to make some points to move up the Pease Challenge leaderboard you can't pass on this one.

## GoldBall 4-Player Team Scramble

If you only play in one event this year here at Pease, this is the one to sign up for. The GoldBall Scramble is scheduled for Sunday, October 8, with a 9:00 a.m. shotgun playing the 18 hole course. The GoldBall is two formats combined for one team score. First the GoldBall;- Each player will be designated certain golf holes, and when playing those holes they must use the GoldBall! That player's GoldBall score, maximum of double bogey, is then combined with the other three players' scramble score. So four players on the team will hit their tee shots, go to the best tee shot and each of the four will play the next shot from that spot. That format continues until a single team ball is holed out. That gives the three player team a score, and the one player with the GoldBall a score, add them up for one team score. All the teams are given three GoldBalls at the beginning of the round. Any GoldBalls returned at the end of the round will be deducted from the teams' total score. Just remember, when it is a player's turn to play the GoldBall, they must play the GoldBall given to them. This tournament kicks off with a buffet breakfast, with an omelette station, and range balls to get warmed up. It is October already. On the course individual closest to the pin contest, long drive holes, longest putt holes, and team prizes. The event wraps up with a Turkey dinner while staff tallies up the scores. A full day of good food, some fun golf, and those trying to win the grand Pease Challenge prize.



## Fall Shootout

The season ends like it started with a 9 Hole Fall Shootout format scheduled for Sunday, October 29, first **tee time** is 10:00 a.m. This unique format pairs all 10 competitors together off the first tee. The one player with the highest score on the hole is eliminated until there is only one player remaining on hole number 9. If there are ties of high score on any hole those players will enter into a sudden death challenge. The challenges include a putt off, chip off, bunker shot or pitch shot with the player farthest from the hole after all players take their shot being eliminated. The divisions are determined by **player's** handicaps, and the last four players earn Pease Challenge Points. Signup early for this one if you are on top of the Pease Challenge leader board because it is a limited field.

Come play some fun golf, enjoy the great food from Grill 28, meet some new playing partners, or get the fit bit set and work the round into your 10,000 **daily** steps **day**. Walk or ride, burn some calories during your **r**ound, before you start adding calories after the round.

**Signup today! Hope to see you out there playing in the Pease Challenge this season.**