The Philadelphia Cricket Club Founded 1854

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Wissahickon Course - 6025 West Valley Green Road Flourtown, PA 19031
Militia Hill Course - 405 Stenton Avenue Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462
St. Martins Course - 415 West Willow Grove Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19118

Welcome to America's first country club! Founded in 1854, the Philadelphia Cricket Club is proud of its sporting traditions and excited to share them with you. As the only club in America to have debuted new courses in each of the last three centuries, we strive to provide our members and guests with an experience which honors the culture and values of the game of golf. Whether you are enjoying our St. Martins course (constructed in 1895 and host of the 1907 and 1910 U.S. Opens); our award-winning Wissahickon course (designed by renowned golf architect and PCC member, AW Tillinghast, and opened in 1922); or the rolling landscape of Militia Hill (designed by Dana Fry and Dr. Michael Hurdzan and opened for play in 2002), we ask you to join our members in preserving our great institution by observing the following courtesies and customs:

<u>Attire</u>

Members and guests of the Philadelphia Cricket Club demonstrate their respect for the institution and one another by always dressing in appropriate golf attire. Men are to wear collared shirts, which must be always tucked in. Men's hats must be worn with the bills facing forward and must be removed when dining or drinking under cover. Women may wear collared shirts, sleeveless collared shirts, or collarless blouses with sleeves. Shorts must be Bermuda style in length for men and appropriately tasteful for women. Examples of inappropriate attire include cargo shorts, cargo pants, denim, warm-up suits, tee shirts, mock turtlenecks, flip-flops, Crocs, and any non-golf athletic attire. Women may wear yoga pants or leggings under a golf skirt/shorts. Visitors who need to change their shoes or attire in preparation for a round of golf (or after one) should do so in the locker room and not elsewhere.

Caddies

The Philadelphia Cricket Club has an accomplished group of caddies who add tremendous value to the experience. As such, our Wissahickon course is walking only, and carts will not be permitted in the absence of a documented medical condition (in advance), or for those age 65+. Our caddies are independent contractors who should be paid directly and in cash at the following rates: Senior Caddies (Red or Black Bib), \$60 base fee per bag plus gratuity (for a typical total fee of \$90-\$120 per bag depending on performance); Junior Caddies (Yellow Bib), \$40 base fee per bag plus gratuity (\$70-\$100 per bag); Forecaddie (any bib), \$30 base fee per person plus gratuity (\$40-\$60 per person in total). Cancellation of a caddie inside of 24 hours will incur a \$90/bag fee that will be paid to cancelled caddie. Unaccompanied players are required to use caddies on all courses. Accompanied visitors are required to use caddies on Wissahickon until 3pm.

Cellular Phones/Electronic Devices

Our club and courses are intended to be an oasis from the pace of today's busy world. As such, the use of devices that emit any noise is restricted to the locker rooms and parking lots. We understand that players may need to be reached in case of an emergency, and for that reason, silent use of devices is permitted anywhere on the property.

Pace of Play and Care for the Course

Our members regularly focus on the fact that the pace of play is critical to the enjoyment not only of their own rounds, but to the rounds of those who follow. As such, all members and guests are expected to complete their rounds in 4 hours and 15 minutes or less. Consideration for fellow players and respect for the course also dictates that all divots are replaced, all ball marks are repaired, and all bunkers are raked. Good stewards of our club ensure that the group behind them – and the generation behind them – can enjoy a memorable round at the Philadelphia Cricket Club.

The Philadelphia Cricket Club is a non-smoking facility and smoking is not permitted in any indoor area or on outdoor patios. Fees and pro shop purchases may be settled via credit card rather than interclub chargebacks.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions prior to your arrival. We look forward to helping make your day at The Cricket Club the best it can be!

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