



## **GMAA Best Ball Tournament Format**

Teams of 4 golfers.

In the Best Ball tournament each team member tees off on every hole. After the initial tee shots, the team selects the best shot out of their teammates and then each team member plays their next shot from that spot. This continues throughout the rest of the shots on the hole including putting. One score per team is recorded.

Each player is allowed to place the ball within one club length of the spot of the best shot, but not nearer to the hole.

If the ball you choose to play is in a hazard (sand, water, etc.) you cannot drop the ball outside of the hazard even if relief is within one club length away, without incurring the regular one stroke penalty (as per GMAA Golf rules).

In addition, the one-club length rule cannot be used to allow a player to place their ball on the green.

Putts need to be placed within 3 inches of the best shot (not closer to the hole).  
Once the first ball

Each member of the team must use his/her tee shot once. No Mulligans are allowed.

The Best Ball Team with the lowest cumulative score after 18 holes will win the Best Ball Tournament.