

Summit Senior Golf (SSGOA) Rain Policy

The Board of Directors for Summit Senior Golf (SSGOA) work on behalf of its members to provide all senior amateur golfers ages 50+ with a fun, organized and competitive golf experience. We cannot accomplish this mission without the full partnership and cooperation of local golf courses. SSGOA has worked with the majority of golf course owner / operators of our tournament venues to establish a formal tournament rain policy.

Effective for the 2025 season:

1. For the current season, Summit Senior Golf (SSGOA) will pay \$34-36 to the golf courses for everyone that tees off during any tournament. The remaining funds of the \$55 tournament entry fee per player goes directly toward the tournament prize fund for the tournament.
2. Summit Senior Golf expects play to continue during periods of rain as long as there are not dangerous conditions, and the course remains open for play with carts. If severe weather occurs but the delay appears to be short in duration, efforts will be made to complete the tournament as long as it does not interfere with afternoon leagues.
3. In the event of severe weather that causes play to stop and the course to close:
 - a. **If the rain out is a quota event, the next tournament will automatically be changed to a quota event.**
 - b. players that did not make the turn will receive an 18 hole credit from the golf course that will be good toward future use at the golf course where the rained out tournament had begun.
 - c. players that made the turn but did not finish their tournament round will receive a 9 hole credit from the golf course that will be good toward future use at the golf course where the rained out tournament had begun.
 - d. players that finish 18 holes are not entitled to and will not be issued any credit for golf.
 - e. The entire field must finish for the event to be official and prizes to be awarded.
 - f. Prize fund monies not awarded for a tournament cancelled due to a rain will be recorded by the SSGOA and utilized by the player as a credit toward a future tournament entry fee.
 - g. Cash skins monies collected at the first tee will be returned to players at the tournament that has been rained out or at the registration table for the next tournament.
4. The majority of golf courses stated that that they would keep records of monetary credits for each player instead of issuing paper rain checks. The SSGOA and golf course representative will decide on the status of each golfer as to who has completed 9 holes or 18 holes. An alphabetical list of players due money credits will be left at the course.
5. Money credits or paper rain checks for golf courses will expire at the end of the calendar year.
6. The rain policy summarized above is for SSGOA tournaments only. Each course has its own rain policy that is effective at all other times.