



## 2019 Tournament Schedule and Details

### **New Year's Shootout**

**January 12<sup>th</sup>**

Traditionally, this tournament was referred to as the Frostbite Open, but has been renamed this year. The format will be Better Ball of Partners on our Par 3 Cross Country Course, and teams will be created by a blind draw once the field is set. We hope you can join us for an afternoon of fun, camaraderie and fellowship to get the New Year started off well here at OC!

### **The Masters Tournament**

**April 13<sup>th</sup>**

Prior to play, contestants will purchase their player from the Masters field. Each player will be assigned a dollar value based on their position on the leaderboard and world rankings. Each contestant will play his/her own ball and the net score will be added to your Masters player's score to come up with your team score. Hors d'oeuvres and cocktails will be served following play. Invited guests are welcome to join us for this event.

### **One Day Member-Guest**

**April 26<sup>th</sup> - September 27<sup>th</sup>**

Because of their popularity over the past few years, we will host two One Day Member-Guest events, with each taking place on a Friday afternoon. Lunch will be available prior to teeing off. You can sign up with one or three guests. If you sign up with one guest, we will pair you with another twosome. The format for each event will be a Team Shamble, counting one best gross ball and one best net ball within each group. This is a great way to do some business on the course, or simply bring out three friends to enjoy a day at Old Chatham.

### **The Hogan**

**May 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>**

Named after our Club Mascot and friend, The Hogan is our Spring Member-Guest. This contest is a very social and competitive event. The format is played as Match Play and consists of five 9-Hole matches. Each team plays against other teams within their flight, then teams with the highest point total from each flight go to a Shootout, where an Alternate Shot Format determines the winner. The event begins on Friday with an optional practice round and a Par 3 Contest in the afternoon. Following play on Saturday, we have a Cocktail Reception for participants and spouses. Following play on Sunday, teams that did not qualify for the Shootout are encouraged to watch and cheer for their flight. There could not be a better way to start the season.



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### **The Chatham Cup**

**May 31<sup>st</sup>-June 1<sup>st</sup>**

The Chatham Cup has been played since 2004, and has consistently been one of our favorite events. This Member-Member is played over two days with two different formats. Day One is a Better Ball of Partners, and Day Two is a Modified Alternate Shot. On Friday following play, we host a Stag Cocktail Party for participants. In late May/early June, the course is in great condition, and we hope that you will be able to join us for one of the Club's best events of the year.

### **Club Championship**

**September 13<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>**

This classic test of golf is played over a weekend in late summer/early fall. Our Gross Championship is played over three days from the Black Tee. Both our Net & Senior Club Championship are two-day events. It is a beautiful time of year and every great Club hosts such an event. The opportunity to become the Club Champion at Old Chatham is something special.

### **The Swon**

**September 17<sup>th</sup>**

This event is by invitation only, and members that participated this year will have the first opportunity to participate in next year's event. Once you earn the invitation to represent either Team Hogan or Team Blue, you will remain on that team as long as you choose to participate. There will be 18 Holes of Competition (9 Holes of Better Ball of Partners, 9 Holes of Modified Alternate Shot). The final element to the Competition is a chip-off from the back patio. Points are awarded for each match, and the team with the most points wins the tournament.

### **The Paul J. Rizzo Invitational**

**October 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>**

Named after the Club's first and only Chairman Paul J. Rizzo, this Fall Invitational is true in its nature. We will again be allowing teams to also be comprised of two members. We host this event as a Better Ball of Partners for two days in the fall. After play, we toast the game, the Club and each other over a bit of food and share great stories. Playing golf in North Carolina in the fall might be some of the best in the country so choose a partner and join us for this fantastic weekend.

### **Fall Member-Member**

**November 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Our final event of the year is to celebrate the culmination of a great golfing year at Old Chatham. All members sign up individually, and Friday night we have a Dinner & Pairings Party in the Grill Room. Teams are selected by way of a snake draft. The format is One Best Ball on the Par 5's, Two Best Balls on the Par 4's and Three Best Balls on the Par 3's. The lowest team score is the winner.