

# Westminster National Golf Club

## Club MISGA Rep

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## Instructions for Signing Up for a MISGA Mixer

We use the MISGA Sign-Up System designed and maintained by Tom Rowlett

## How handicap strokes are calculated for MISGA double best ball events.

We use the USGA rules for double best ball events. First handicap indexes are converted to course handicaps based on the tee boxes being used. Then the course handicaps are adjusted for the differences in the course ratings for each tee and then the 90/95% adjustment is applied as appropriate.

## Rated Tees Used for MISGA Events

Tee Boxes	Course Rating	Course Slope	Yardage	Par
White (Men)	68.3	117	5,753	71
Gold (Men)	66.0	110	5,241	71
Red (Ladies)	67.5	115	4,881	72

## PGA & USGA "Tee It Forward" Initiative Information

Men play at the default white tees unless they qualify and request to play from the men's gold tees. Ladies compete from the ladies' red tees. Westminster National has a "rule 89" designation for its men's gold tees. To qualify, men must be aged 70 and have the combined age and course handicap of 89 or more. Visiting club players' lists must be annotated to show those men golfers who want to play from the mens' gold tees. Adjustments may be called in to the pro shop before the day of the event. No adjustments are made on the morning of the event. Visiting clubs are notified of the "rule 89" in the annual confirmation letter and in the two-week advance notice sent to each participating club.

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