



APRIL EDITION 2026



The Season is here!

MEMBERSHIP CAP LIMIT ANNOUNCED AT VALLEY VIEW

Valley View is experiencing tremendous momentum, and thanks to the continued support of our members and the community, we are nearing our optimal membership capacity. Maintaining this balance allows us to preserve the level of access, service, and course conditions that make Valley View special.

Beginning **May 1**, the Club will introduce a **all Membership Classifications except the Out of Town Membership**. Prospective members who wish to join the affected categories will have the opportunity to enroll in our **Afternoon Membership**, pay the applicable fees, and enjoy those privileges while awaiting an opening in their preferred classification. As positions become available through resignations, candidates will be contacted in the order of application. The Club will maintain this list to ensure a fair and orderly process. This does not affect any current Members renewing their Memberships.

This is an exciting moment in Valley View's history. It has been nearly **30 years** since the Club last reached a level requiring a membership waitlist. It's a strong reflection of the value, atmosphere, and experience our members enjoy every day.

For more information or to begin the process, please contact the **Golf Shop**. We look forward to welcoming the next generation of Valley View members.

STUFF GOING ON IN APRIL...

- 3rd -GOOD FRIDAY (Recognized Holiday at VV)
-LADIES NCAA FINAL 4
- 4th -MENS NCAA FINAL 4
- 5th -HAPPY EASTER
-LADIES NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP
- 6th -MENS NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP
- 9th-12th -THE MASTERS
- 11th - FCHS Invite (2 pm) Course open in am.
- 25th -SPRING JAMBOREE (course closed)
- Individual Match Play Deadlines
- 27th -Individual Match Play begins

Spring Jamboree-26

GOLF SCRAMBLE, DAY OF FUN, LATE AFTERNOON CONCERT
A full day of fun to kick off the 2026 Valley View Season!
SATURDAY, APRIL 25...11 AM SHOTGUN START FOR GOLF

FORMAT

A 4 Person Net Scramble with a number of twists and turns along the way with bonuses and special extra games to potentially help your team score.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to Valley View Members looking to have fun and...each Membership can have up to one (1) guest play along for the Member's Price. If any spots remain starting on 4/20/26, the event will be open to all customers of Valley View Golf Club. **Join the Club as a new Member the day of or prior to the event, play in the event, and get the initiation fee back in the form of a VV Gift Card.**

PAIRINGS

You can sign up to play together (up to 4 players) or Individually. The Golf Shop Staff will pair up all players with groups of less than 4 players to even things up. This is a great way for existing and new Member's to meet new players and have a great time.

ENTRY DEADLINE AND MAX NUMBER OF PLAYERS

The entry deadline is Wednesday, April 22 at noon or the first 100 players to sign up.

EVENT FEE

The cost for a Valley View Member is \$40 and that Member can bring 1 guest at that same \$40 rate. All players pay the applicable cart fee based on their Membership (\$19 player). **Join the Club as a new Member the day of or prior to the event, play in the event, and get the initiation fee back in the form of a VV Gift Card.**

DINNER & CONCERT ONLY (No Golf) - \$25 (Based on availability)

DINNER

A great dinner buffet will be included after golf between the hours of 3:30 & 6:00. This will be included in your Golf Entry Fee.

ON COURSE GAMES

Our goal is to have a great day for all players and laugh a little along the way. We are going to throw in some other highly athletic/cerebral activities that will require all of your cognitive abilities to subtract some bonus strokes including...TENNIS, CORNHOLE, and more!

AFTER GOLF FESTIVITIES

After the Scramble, we will be having some fun festivities *for all in attendance* from the Patio Area. **LIVE FROM THE PATIO...** [Mellencougar](#) will be performing live from the Patio from 3 PM to 6 PM...worth the price of admission right there!

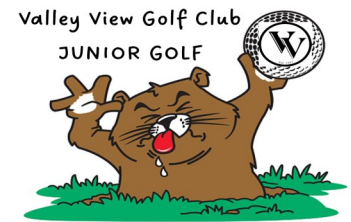
NOT PLAYING GOLF...Come for Dinner & Music by Mellencougar (Based on availability)

Only \$25 includes Dinner, [TBA](#), and you can even participate in the "After Golf Festivities" Games. (Sign up April 20 or after for non-golfers unless you are the guest of a golf participant. Golf participants can sign up a non-playing guest upon entry).





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COMING THIS SUMMER AT VALLEY VIEW GOLF CLUB

VVGC Summer Junior Golf Program

Starting the first week of June, we will start the Valley View Junior Golf Program. Our Golf Staff will be having group instructional clinics as well as course play times throughout the summer. Tuesday evenings will be reserved for play times with Wednesday mornings reserved for group instruction from our Golf Staff. The cost is \$100 for the summer for children in Valley View Golf Club Family Memberships. The cost is \$200 for children whose parents or grandparents are Individual Members of VV. The cost is \$250 for children of non-members.

The fee will include all instruction and course play time, a nice Valley View Junior Program Memento at the end of the year, occasional snacks and other fun things for the Summer

This program is for juniors 12 & under. For kids 13-16, we will offer discounted individual lesson rates.

Our program will be based on the ADM Model (American Development Model) recommended by the PGA of America that promotes far more than just golf. If you wish to research that a bit more, feel free...we will have a bit more detailed info on times and dates. We may not meet every week with both play times and instruction, but will meet most weeks during the summer and possibly into the fall as well.

We are sure that some of our kids will go onto play competitive golf, but our main goal is to provide a lifetime of fun through golf and aid in development of our youth both in and out of golf as well.

REGISTRATION START TIMES

This is a popular program, so the following application restrictions apply for filling the limited spots available for our summer program. Sign Ups must be accompanied by payment using the following date/time restrictions.

- CHILDREN WITHIN VALLEY VIEW FAMILY GOLF MEMBERSHIPS (\$100/junior) - **Tuesday, April 7th (7 am or after)**
- NON-MEMBER CHILDREN OR GRANDCHILDREN OF ANY VALLEY VIEW SINGLE MEMBER CLASSIFICATION (\$200/junior) - **Wednesday, April 8th (7 am or after)**
- CHILDREN OF NON-MEMBER CUSTOMERS (\$250/junior) - **Tuesday, April 14th (7 am or after)**

A FEW JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP REMINDERS

It is a great thing to have a healthy group of Junior Golfers at Valley View. We have more Junior Memberships at Valley View currently than ever before and will soon cap that number as the number of spots left on the course diminish. For those NEW MEMBERS currently on our Junior Membership roster and their parents, a few reminders concerning your Membership...

- Tee Times are pretty important to make sure you can get on the course at Valley View.
 1. Weekday evenings will become more and more busy as the weather improves. We are extremely busy and want everyone to have a spot on the course. You can book online or call in to make a time. If booking as a single, it is likely you will be paired with another individual or group. You can show up without a tee time, but can't be guaranteed a sport on the course. We will always make every effort to get you out.
 2. On weekends and holidays, your Membership is not valid until 2 pm or after. You are welcome to play prior to 2 pm, but will be charged the full regular rate for golf.
 3. Making a tee time for 4 pm means you should all be here 10 to 15 minutes prior to 4 pm to check in. A 4 pm tee time means your first Player is hitting their first shot at 4 pm or before. Please arrive plenty early to get checked in and get to the tee on time.
 4. You have to have a valid Driver's License to rent and/or operate a golf cart.
- Pace of Play...We simply want everyone to keep up with the group in front and play each 9 in 2 hours or less if the course crowd dictates as such. Our current crop of juniors is doing a great job of that so far! We try and get everyone to keep pace...letting groups play through can work if the course is not crowded, but can back things up even more on very busy days. Our Golf Shop staff is happy to help with any questions you may have.
- **NO STOPPING AT THE TURN IF PLAYING 18 HOLES!** This is a rule that many of our adults need to brush up on. You can get a "TO GO" snack and beverage, but must take it with you if you are going to the back 9. You may not stop and sit down and then head back out later. This can cause major course traffic jams.

THANKS FOR HELPING OUT, AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THE COURSE FOR A GREAT SEASON!



Welcome our Teams

With the Spring season comes the IHSAA Boys Golf Season. As most of you know, with our affiliation with the City of New Albany we host the Floyd Central and New Albany High School Teams as well as the Highland Hills Middle School Boys and Girls Teams. With the multiple match and practice times, please be patient as some of our evenings are helping in preparing our younger players in the great sport of golf. Although we can't accommodate everyone, our coaches are working on juggling on and of course practice times and match times for the kids

Floyd Central will be hosting their Invitational here on Saturday, April 11th with some of Indiana's better golf programs teeing it up in a shotgun start in the afternoon.



Floyd Central High School



Highland Hills Middle School

PLEASE MAKE NOTE...

Greens Aeration Monday & Tuesday, May 4th & 5th

Very limited play available each day with only 9 holes available. (18 Hole rounds will be the same nine holes twice)

Kelly's Corner **GCSAA**

The Spring is rolling in and the grass is growing. We are seeing great results from our project eradicating the poa annua grass from the greens with near 100% elimination. If there is a downside, it will affect the collars which were built using an older greens mix during the 2014 renovation. With last fall's powerseeding, we should start seeing some improvements as the temps get warmer.

We also have high hopes for the bermuda coming back stronger this season after the issues in the Midwest last Spring. That question will be answered getting closer to summer. The rye grass overseed is doing well but will start to die out as the temps get hot later as the bermuda takes over.

In the mean time, please keep the carts away from the greens, rake the bunkers when you use them, and fix your ball mark and one other on the greens!

Coming in May...

Couples Golf & Wednesday Scrambles begin

As the Summer sneaks closer, it's almost time to start Couples Golf and the Wednesday Evening Golf Scrambles.

COUPLES GOLF

This year, we are going to go back to our "Wheel of Fore Tunes" Couples format with the 4 Couple Teams playing the "Alternate Shot/Scramble" format EVERY OTHER FRIDAY, and having a tee time block with Special rates for Couples Tee Times on the other Fridays. We will have more information coming by email in the middle of April on the 2026 Couples Schedule, pricing, amenities, and the schedule of bands performing at the Patio on Friday Evenings.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SCRAMBLES

(Open to all Male & Female Members and Public Players with established USGA Handicaps)...STARTING 5/13

Here are some specifics...

- The scrambles will shotgun start promptly at 5:45 pm on Wednesday evenings.
- **You may call in on the day of the event (call ins 5:15 or before only) or show up by 5:30 pm to sign up, but if you aren't in line at the Golf Shop to pay the golf & entry fee by 5:30 pm, you will be taken out of the event.**
- Only the first 60 players to sign up using the above parameters will be allowed to play. We are trying to avoid no-shows which had been a problem in the past. As you arrive, we will get your handicap info if not on file and get you in the computer for team formation. The computer will divide the field into A/B/C/D players and draw one player from each category to form each team. The carts will be set up with starting hole assignments to get the players together in their teams.
- All male players aged 59 & under will tee off on green tees and those 60 and over will tee off from the White tees. Ladies will tee off from the Red tees. There will be no tee shot minimum this year.
- *The cost for the event will be appropriate cart & green fee plus \$10 cash for the prize fund. We will pay prizes back in cash to the winning teams and \$2 of the entry will go towards Individual Closest to the Pins on the 2 par 3s. The number of teams paid will be based on the number of players entered. Any ties for team prizes will be broken by a team "Chip Off".*

There will be food and drink specials upstairs after the round.

Free Handicaps for Juniors



The Indiana Golf Association and USGA are providing free handicaps for kids 17 & under. This is a simple way to get more juniors engaged in the game while helping them track their progress and feel more connected to golf. Establishing a handicap early gives juniors a better understanding of their game, builds confidence, and allows them to compete on a more level playing field with their peers.

Stop by the Golf Shop to set it up. The Shop Staff will need...

Name, date of birth and email address (will need parent email address if under the

April 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 Good Friday NCAA LADIES FINAL 4	4 NCAA MEN'S FINAL 4
5 NCAA LADIES BBALL CHAMPIONSHIP 	6 NCAA MEN'S BBALL CHAMPIONSHIP	7	8 FCHS JV Match-4:30	9 	10 	11 FCHS Invitational-2 pm Morning tee times available off of holes 1 & 10. 
12 	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 FCHS Match-5 pm	21 HHMS March-5 pm	22 Spring Jamboree Sign Up Deadline	23	24	25 SPRING JAMBOREE Individual Gross & Net Match Play Deadlines- NOON
26	27 NAHS JV Match-4 pm Start Individual Match Play events	28 HHMS March-5 pm	29	30		