

# 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Brose/Ryder Cup Memorial Tournament

## Information and Rules

Thank you for participating in this year's Brose/Ryder Cup Memorial Tournament! With 2020 bringing on many challenges we are glad that we could still have this tournament and are extremely grateful for your participation!

This event was put in place to honor Brad "Brose" Ambrose and to raise funds for his son's (Ryder) future education as Ryder was only 1 when Brose passed away. In addition, this tournament funds 2 scholarships to graduating HS Seniors (one girl and one boy).

Since we are trying to do all the right things to follow all the current pandemic guidelines, we wanted to get some information down on paper for all teams:

- When arrive at Dakota Creek on Saturday September 12<sup>th</sup> (Shotgun tee time start is 1:00 PM so please be there early enough to gather your team and head to your hole) please follow the guidelines below:
  - Have a mask with you and have it on when checking in, getting your cart, purchasing anything from the clubhouse
  - Do your best to practice social distancing and not gather in large groups
  - You will be advised what hole you are starting on and will be asked to head up there around 12:50 or sooner to be ready to go at 1:00
  
- There will be a table set up with the following items
  - **A Bag** for each team to pick up with
    - Scissors
    - 3 Foot String (explained below)
    - Power Ball for your team (explained below)
    - A few other items (like a few extra golf balls)
  
  - **50/50 Tickets**. These tickets will be 10 for \$5.00 and will already be separated into strips of 10. This table will not be manned, so you will take as many strips as you'd like to purchase and put your money in the jar on the table. The other half of the ticket will be in a container for the drawing prior to the start
    - At 1:00 Rick will draw the winning number and post it at the #1 tee box. When you get to hole 1 check the ticket against yours – if you are the winner then contact Rick.
  
  - **Donation Jar** – This is a jar where you can make any extra donations/contributions you would like to the scholarship funds that are generated from this tournament (Both for Brose's son Ryder as well as for graduating HS Seniors)

### Specific Rules for Brose/Ryder Cup Memorial Tournament:

- This is a 4 person best ball tournament. For those not familiar with best ball – all 4 players will tee off and then they will determine which shot was the best of the 4 and all hit from that “best” spot and continue on through the round this way.
- Each team must use a minimum of 3 drives per person. Note at the bottom of the scoresheet whose drive you used for each hole
- We are NOT using a left hand club on #2 or the old wooden 3 Wood on #17 as we have in the past.
  - However, #2 will be a closest to pin hole and #17 is still the hole for the long drive competition.
  - There is a long drive competition for both men and women.
- You are allowed the following as a **TEAM** throughout your round of golf:
  - **4 Mulligans** – You can use these at any point throughout the round to retake a shot if all 4 shots are deemed no good and you want to take another whack at it
  - **4 Grenades** – The concept here is to take the golf ball from where it lies and lob it towards the pin (most of the time this is used when a team is just short of the green). You CANNOT use a grenade on the green. This does not count as an additional stroke and the lob motion would look like a hook shot in basketball (arm out to side and ball travels over your head towards its destination)
- **3 Foot string** – You will be given a 3-foot string with scissors. This can be used throughout your round to extend a shot, or to move a ball to a better lie. As you use this you will cut off amount used and dispose of it. Once the string is gone, you play your best ball where it lies. Use of the string does NOT cost you an additional stroke
- **Power Ball** – The object is to not lose this ball during the round. The catch is for each hole you rotate through who uses it for every shot on that hole. Example: on your first hole Player A uses it throughout the hole, then give is to player B for the second hole and so on. If you still have this at the end of the round turn it in to Rick and a drawing will be held for a prize of those teams who still have it at the end.
- As a team if you reach double par (so 6 on a par 3, 8 on a par 4, 10 on a par 5), pick your ball up and write down that double par score and move on to the next hole
- Have fun!! Reminder that after your round your welcome to head to Rudy Ambrose’s house for burgers and handing out of prizes, etc. Address is 539 G Street in Blaine
- Note website that has been set up for this as well: [www.broserydercup.com](http://www.broserydercup.com)