

Town of Watertown

The Golf Course At Crestbrook Park

2018 Fees and Information



**834 Northfield Road
Watertown, CT 06795
Pro Shop (860) 945-5249
Parks & Recreation Office (860) 945-5246
Info Line (860) 945-5272
www.crestbrookpark.com**

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CRESTBROOK PARK GENERAL INFORMATION

THE COURSE:

Crestbrook Park is located on a 236 acre facility and is Connecticut's third highest ranked municipal golf course (per Golf Digest, 1998). It was originally a 9 hole private golf club which the Town of Watertown purchased in 1975. In 1980 a second 9-hole was added. It is now an 18 hole golf course complete with a full service Pro Shop, a 5-acre practice facility, 2 practice greens and the Tee it FORWARD program.

RESTAURANT FACILITIES:

The Sunset Grille at Crestbrook is a restaurant and bar open to the public for lunches and dinners. Overlooking the pristine grounds and lake view at Crestbrook Park, it also has full banquet facilities and is available for golf outings and other memorable occasions. For more information call (860) 417-6688 or visit www.sunsetgrillect.com.



SWIMMING POOL:

The Crestbrook Park Swimming Pool is open during summer months only. The pool limit is 150 swimmers on a first-come, first served basis. The daily fee per person is \$4.00 for residents and \$ 10.00 for non-residents. Season memberships are available for residents.

Pool hours are:

Sunday - Saturday 11:00 am to 7:00 pm

MERRIMAN POND:

A 34 acre lake with boat launch available for fishing and boating. (Electric Motors only).

TENNIS COURTS:

Four public tennis courts are available. Residents wishing a court permit for a specific time and date may call the Parks & Recreation Department at (860) 945-5246. The daily fee is \$ 1.00 per court for 1 ½ hours.

CRESTBROOK PARK PAVILION:

The pavilion built by the Watertown Rotary Club is available for small group outings. There is a maximum of 75 persons per outing to reserve the Pavilion. Residents can apply effective January 1st, Non-Residents effective April 1. Applications are taken on a first come-first served basis. Call the Parks and Recreation Department at (860) 945-5246 for more information.

PARK INFORMATION:

The Park is open from 7:00 a.m. to dusk seven days a week. Please call the Parks and Recreation Department at (860) 945-5246 for more information.

**Watertown Info Line (recorded daily updates)
(860) 945-5272**

**DAILY HOURS OF
OPERATION**



DAILY*
7:00 am to Dusk
In season

*Please call Watertown Info-line 860-945-5272

GOLF SEASON

The regular season opens approximately
April 1st and closes on or about
December 15th, contingent upon course
condition and weather, as determined by
the Course Foreman and Golf Profes-
sional in concurrence with the Parks and
Recreation Director and Commission.

ABSOLUTELY NO DRINKING IN PARKING LOTS!!

2018 Holidays

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|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| New Year's Day | Monday, January 1, 2018 |
| Martin Luther King's Day | Monday, January 15, 2018 |
| Washington's Birthday/President's Day | Monday, February 19, 2018 |
| Good Friday | Friday, March 30, 2018 |
| Memorial Day | Monday, May 28, 2018 |
| Independence Day | Wednesday, July 4, 2018 |
| Labor Day | Monday, September 3, 2018 |
| Columbus Day | Monday, October 8, 2018 |
| Thanksgiving Day | Thursday, November 22, 2018 |
| Day After Thanksgiving | Friday, November 23, 2018 |
| Christmas Eve | Monday, December 24, 2018 |
| Christmas Day | Tuesday, December 25, 2018 |

As adopted by the Watertown Town Council.

All new on-line starting times coming soon.

Go to www.crestbrookpark.com for details.

Frequently Asked Questions

HOW DO I OBTAIN A SEASON PASS

All season pass holders must fill out a Golf Course at Crestbrook Season Golf Pass Application and have a photo ID taken.

Where?

This can be done at Watertown Parks & Recreation Department, 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, CT, Our regular business hours are from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily.

Do you take credit cards for payment?

We accept Master Card, Visa and Discover as well as Debit cards. Cash or check payable to the "Town of Watertown" are also taken. Returned checks are subject to a \$ 20.00 fee.

Refunds

After August 1st of every year there will be no season pass refunds for any reason. Prior to August 1st, if a refund is requested, a written request must be submitted to the Watertown Parks and Recreation Commission for their approval. The reason for the request must be included. Refunds issued for medical reasons must have a doctor's note stating why the season pass holder can no longer resume season play. Medical refunds will be issued to the next golf season. Refunds will be prorated accordingly, also a \$15 fee for the Photo ID and a \$25 administrative fee will be charged.

Season Pass Replacement

Season pass photo ID **replacements** are \$ 15.00 and must be done at the Parks & Recreation office.

All season pass holders must report to the Pro-shop before golfing, present their photo ID card and pay a surcharge (see page 9 for rates) before reporting to the starter. Failure to present your photo ID card will result in paying full green fees.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!!

WWW.CRESTBROOKPARK.COM

**DAILY GREEN FEES
2018 SEASON
Includes Surcharge**

| <u>TYPE</u> | <u>Mon.-Thurs.</u> | | <u>Fri.-Sun.</u> | |
|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|
| | <u>WEEKDAYS*</u> | | <u>HOLIDAY</u> | |
| | <u>9</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>18</u> |
| | <u>Holes</u> | <u>Holes</u> | <u>Holes</u> | <u>Holes</u> |
| Resident Full | \$20.00 | \$35.00 | \$22.00 | \$37.00 |
| Resident Sr. | \$18.00 | \$34.00 | \$22.00 | \$37.00 |
| Resident Jr. | \$17.00 | \$31.00 | \$22.00 | \$37.00 |
| Non-Resident Full | \$22.00 | \$39.00 | \$24.00 | \$42.00 |
| Non-Resident Sr. | \$18.00 | \$34.00 | \$22.00 | \$42.00 |
| Non-Resident Jr. | \$17.00 | \$31.00 | \$22.00 | \$42.00 |

| | <u>9 Holes</u> | <u>18 Holes</u> |
|-----------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Season Membership Surcharge | \$ 3.00 | \$ 4.00 |

***Weekdays (Monday through Thursday) and Friday (Weekend) rates are in effect from the Friday before Memorial Day until the Tuesday after Labor Day.**

As approved by the Watertown Parks and Recreation Commission,
November 2, 2017 and the Watertown Town Council on
November 20, 2017.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING CRESTBROOK

**PRACTICE
RANGE**

The practice range is a grass tee area located near the pro shop and prices are charged per bucket.

Prices per bucket are:

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|--------|---------|
| Small | \$ 4.00 |
| Medium | \$ 5.50 |
| Large | \$ 7.00 |

**GOLF CART
RENTALS**

RATES

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| 9 HOLES | \$18.00 |
| 18 HOLES | 30.00 |

SINGLE GOLFERS

Monday through
Thursday, excluding holidays

Rates:

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| \$ 11.00 | 9 holes |
| \$ 18.00 | 18 holes |

SEASON PASS INFORMATION

2018 SEASON PASS PRICES

| | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Resident Full | \$ 825.00 |
| Resident Full-w/ surcharge | \$ 975.00 |
| Resident Senior | \$ 465.00 |
| Resident Senior-w/ surcharge | \$ 565.00 |
| Resident Junior | \$ 235.00 |
| Resident College Student | \$ 420.00 |
| Resident Family Golf Package | \$ 1,550.00 |

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|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Non-Resident Full | \$ 930.00 |
| Non-Resident Full-w/surcharge | \$ 1,075.00 |
| Non-Resident Senior | \$ 570.00 |
| Non-Resident Senior- w/surcharge | \$ 670.00 |
| Non-Resident Junior | \$ 235.00 |
| Non-Resident College Student | \$ 420.00 |
| Non-Resident Family Pkg. | \$ 2,100.00 |

2018 CORPORATE PASSES

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|-------------|------------|
| Singe Pass | \$ 950.00 |
| Two Passes | \$1,550.00 |
| Four Passes | \$2,900.00 |

"Surcharge Fees"
Or
Pay as you go - 9 holes \$3.00
18 holes \$4.00

1/2 Year passes available
Starting July 15, 2018

ALL SEASON MEMBERSHIPS EXPIRE ON DECEMBER 31ST.

*APPROVED WATERTOWN PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION 11/2/17
THE WATERTOWN TOWN COUNCIL ON 11/20/17.

SEASON PASS CATEGORIES

FULL - May play the course at anytime and any day the course is open for play. It is open to both male and female age 18 and over.

SENIOR - Open to both males and females who are age 62 or older. This pass restricts play to Monday through Fridays and Holidays and Weekends after 1:00 pm.

JUNIOR - Age 10 thru 17. May play the course when open for play Monday through Friday as long as they have left the 1st or 10th tee by 3:00 p.m. May play the course on weekends and holidays after 1:00 p.m. when accompanied by an adult. Birth certificate must be shown at the time of application. All golfers age 10 and under must be accompanied on the golf course by an adult at all times.

COLLEGE STUDENT - Open to full-time college students (12 or more credits). Proof of college status must be shown at time of application.

FAMILY - Family must have a minimum of one Adult Parent* and one child living in the same household, with a maximum of two adult parents residing at the same residence. An adult parent may play the golf course any time except when restricted. Children** ages 10-17 have the same privileges as a junior. Family members between the ages of 10-21, not married, living at home or in college are included in this package offering. No Exceptions. Proof required at time of registration.

**Adult Parent-Adult husband, wife, companion, or guardian-age 18 or older.*

***Includes up to two children. Third and fourth child will be \$125.00 per person, child five and each and every additional child after that will be at the regular Junior rate.*

CORPORATE PASSES

Must provide proof of corporation. Play restricted to Monday through Thursday and after 1:00 pm on all Fridays, weekends and Holidays when course is open for play. Anyone can use your corporate pass.

The Golf Course at Crestbrook Park will honor all Senior, College and Junior passes for all town sponsored tournaments.

Tee^{it}FORWARD

TEE IT FORWARD is a joint initiative between the **USGA** and **The PGA of America** that encourages players to play from a set of tees best suited to their driving distance. In addition to providing more enjoyment for golfers, teeing it forward also can be one of the most important steps that golfers take in improving pace of play.

A recent survey of **TEE IT FORWARD** participants found that:

- **56 percent played faster**
- **56 percent are likely to play golf more often**
- **83 percent hit more-lofted clubs into greens**
- **85 percent had more fun**
- **93 percent will TEE IT FORWARD again**

"We hope that you give it a try. You'll have more fun and your rounds will take less time to play." Jack Nicklaus

DONATIONS-CARE TO GIVE BACK?

Sponsorship is always welcome!!
For Tee Sponsorship contact the
Golf Pro at 860-945-5249
Benefits Crestbrook Park Men's Association Scholarships

Donations!!
Always needed; benches, flowers, flags, ball washers, plantings-consider
sponsoring an area, and SAND!
Contact Watertown Parks & Recreation at

NEW in 2018 for Tournaments

**Choose optional
8" Special Event Big Cups**

A fun alternative, easier and faster!

COURSE RULES

THE ONLY PEOPLE PERMITTED ON THE GOLF COURSE ARE EMPLOYEES AND PLAYERS. ALL PLAYERS MUST HAVE THEIR OWN GOLF BAG WITH AT LEAST FOUR (4) GOLF CLUBS, ONE OF WHICH IS A PUTTER, AND HAVE THE PROPER PAYMENT RECEIPT.

In addition to U.S.G.A. rules, each player is required to comply with the following:

1. Players who have not obtained a receipt in Pro-Shop (season pass holders or daily fee players), and are found on the golf course will be suspended up to 30 days.
2. Must tee off between tee markers, no more than two (2) club lengths behind markers.
3. Players who are abusive, disruptive, or fail to abide by any and all course or park rules are subject to a thirty (30) day suspension.
4. No alcoholic beverages are allowed on the course or parking lot except that which is purchased at the concession stand. There is a limit of one alcoholic beverage that can be purchased at the snack bar area and must be consumed in the same area. Individuals must be 21 years of age and proof must be presented.
5. Players must play course in order of holes (1 thru 9, and/or 10 thru 18)
6. Golf carts must be kept behind white line and on cart paths where available.
7. All players must report to the starter before going on the course. The starter has full control of both 1st and 10th tee, and may make up foursomes as needed.
8. Players must replace divots, smooth sand traps, and repair ball marks on greens.
9. Play shots only when players ahead are out of range. SHOUT the warning "FORE" if you are in danger of hitting anyone.
10. Allow faster players to play through. If there is an open fairway and hole in front of you, and if a group is waiting behind you, you should let them play through.
11. All players must wear golf shoes or sneakers. No ripple, athletic type (i.e., soccer or hard rubber baseball) boots, or work shoes allowed on course.
12. All players must follow dress code. Shirts must be worn at all times and they must have sleeves, no cut-offs, tank tops, halters, bathing suits, or short-shorts.
13. Golf pro will have the authority to refuse sale of daily ticket or season pass play if he feels Rules # 11 and # 12 are not followed.
14. While already on course, if Rules # 11 or # 12 are not followed, player may be suspended for up to 30 days.
15. Practice on the course or greens is prohibited.
16. Players looking for lost balls must drop another ball after 5 minutes and/or allow the next group to play through.
17. Warnings and immediate suspensions may be given to any course rule violator by the Director of Parks and Recreation, Golf Professional and/or Golf Foreman.
18. Suspended golfer may apply for hearing with Parks and Recreation Commission in writing within (5) days after receipt of formal suspension notice. The hearing will be held at the next commission meeting and a majority vote of those Commissioners making a quorum will decide on the appeal.
19. Due to insurance regulations, player must be eighteen (18) years of age to operate a golf cart, maximum two (2) golf bags per cart.
20. All Junior golfers under the age of 10 must be accompanied at all times by a golfer at least 18 years of age.

NOTE: The above rules and their enforcement are intended to help safeguard the golf course as well as to make Crestbrook Park a safe, fair, and pleasurable place to play golf. Players are reminded that Crestbrook is a PUBLIC GOLF COURSE and should be enjoyed by all, regardless of personal groups, age, sex, and playing ability.

**REMINDER TO OUR GUESTS
ABSOLUTELY NO DRINKING IN PARKING LOTS!!**

NO HARD LIQUOR ON COURSE.

Visit our website

www.crestbrookgolf.com



FREE ROUND OF GOLF FOR YOUR BIRTHDAY!

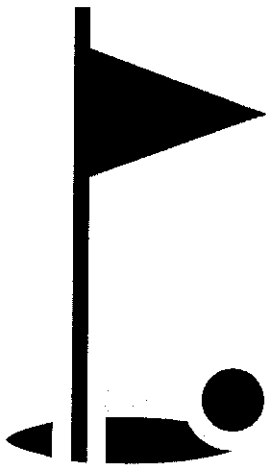
If you register with us, you will receive a free* green fee on your Birthday!

Valid up to one week prior and one week after your birthday.
Off-season birthdays will be assigned the date 6 months after.
(i.e. Jan 5 would be assigned to July 5).

Both proof of birthday and the invitation we emailed you are required to receive your Free* Round of Golf at the time of use.
There are no exceptions.

**This offer does not include surcharge or cart.*

All information is held in confidence and will only be used to provide you with this offer and other Crestbrook Park related offers.



**Additional specials
listed throughout
the year at
our website.**

www.crestbrookpark.com

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

1. Applications for having a tournament can be obtained online at www.crestbrookpark.com or at the Watertown Parks & Recreation Department, 61 Echo Lake Rd. Watertown, CT 860-945-5246.
2. A.) For reserved tournament a \$250 Security Deposit will be charged, \$50 non-refundable registration fee and a \$200 security deposit that will be held until course inspection is complete (This could be the following day in the event the tournament went into night time and could not be adequately checked. Any damage will be the responsibility of the Tournament Director.
B.) Ranger Fees: 1 Ranger for 75 to 100 golfers \$50, 2 Rangers for 101 plus @ \$50 per Ranger = \$100.
3. Tournament applications must be received by the Golf Professional or Parks & Recreation Director at least 30 days prior to tournament date.
4. For use of the catering facility at Sunset Grille at Crestbrook please contact the restaurant at 860-417- 6688.
5. **REQUIRED:** The Golf Pro must be notified 2 weeks in advance with an appropriate count of golfers. The exact final count is required 4 days in advance, reserved by credit card. All "NO SHOWS" must be paid for.
6. **EXCEPTIONS:** Historically sound tournaments will continue to make payment in full day of event and starting times will be at the discretion of the Park and Recreation Commission.
7. There is a \$ 5.00 per golfer fee, that must be spent in the Pro-Shop for tournament prizes.
8. Starting times that are reserved for your group must be followed.
9. Golf carts are given out on a first come, first served basis. There are no golf cart reservations.
10. **All players who are participating in the outing must follow all course rules. Outings have no special privileges or reduced fees.** All players will pay daily green fees as required. On Saturdays or Sundays no tournaments will begin before 11:30 am during peak season, unless approved by the Park and Recreation Commission. In consideration of the granting of this "Golf Outing Permit", the applicant agrees to be responsible for the supervision and conduct of all players in his/her group. Players assume responsibility and will be liable for any damages caused on Town of Watertown property.
11. Weekday Shotgun Starts will begin at 9:00 am or earlier. Except on Fridays after 12:30 p.m.
12. Only Tournaments guaranteeing **100 or more golfers paying in advance would be considered for "SHOTGUN START"**. Golfers of 100 or more must be approved by the Watertown Parks and Recreation Commission. Tournaments up to 100 can receive fast "in house" approval

TOURNAMENT POLICY

Only two tournaments over 100 will be allowed per month. If two tournaments over the maximum of 100 players occur in the same month, they will not be allowed to play on the same day (i.e., one tournament on Tuesday, June 4th and one tournament on Tuesday, June 11th will not be allowed since they are both on a Tuesday).

TOURNAMENTS OF 45 PERSONS OR MORE: (INCLUDES SURCHARGE)

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|------------------|---------|
| Greens Fees | \$32.00 |
| Cart Fee** | \$15.00 |
| Total Per Person | \$47.00 |

**subject to availability of Town Leased golf carts.
(Season Ticket holders participating in tournaments are subject to paying tournament fees.)
Are subject to paying tournament fees.)

NEW!!!
Larger 8" tournament big cups
A great option for your tournament
-Speeds up play
-Your players will appreciate you.

WATERTOWN PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

Ivan Cyr
William Donston
Ken LaRosa
Christopher Martin
Pat Rinaldi
Donald Stepanek
Richard Sarandrea

The Watertown Parks and Recreation Commission meet the first Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at atertown Recreation

Watertown Parks and Recreation Department
61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown
The public is invited to attend.

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|-------------------------|--------------|--|
| PRO SHOP | 860.945.5249 | Jan Wivestad, PGA Professional wivestad@watertownct.org |
| PARKS & RECREATION | 860.945.5246 | Lisa L. Carew, Director carew@watertownct.org |
| GOLF COURSE MAINTENANCE | 860.945.5248 | Ray Marks, CBP Park Foreman marks@watertownct.org |

DIRECTIONS TO CRESTBROOK PARK GOLF COURSE

834 Northfield Road, Watertown, CT 06795

----- From Hartford/East -----

Take 84 West to Exit 20 and merge right onto Route 8 North.

Take Exit 37 (Route 262).

Take a left at the end of the exit - Route 262 for 1.6 miles.

At the very top of the hill turn right onto Buckingham Street - Route 262 for 1.4 miles.

Continue straight through intersection onto Fern Hill Road for 0.7 miles.

At the second stop sign take a right onto Northfield Road.

Crestbrook is ½ mile on the right.

----- From Danbury/West -----

Take 84 East to Exit 20 and merge left onto Route 8 North.

Take Exit 37 (Route 262).

Take a left at the end of the exit - Route 262 for 1.6 miles.

At the very top of the hill turn right onto Buckingham Street - Route 262 for 1.4 miles.

Continue straight through intersection onto Fern Hill Road for 0.7 miles.

At the second stop sign take a right onto Northfield Road.

Crestbrook is ½ mile on the right.

----- From Torrington/North -----

Take Route 8 South to exit 38 - Route 6.

Continue straight through the intersection onto Watertown Road - Route 6.

Proceed approx 3.4 miles up the hill to the second stop light.

Turn right onto Fern Hill Rd for 0.7 miles.

At the second stop sign take a right onto Northfield Rd.

Crestbrook Park is ½ mile on the right.

----- From Bridgeport/South -----

Route 8 North to exit 37.

Take Exit 37 (Watertown - Route 262).

Take a left at the end of the exit - Route 262 for 1.6 miles.

At the very top of the hill turn right onto Buckingham Street - Route 262 for 1.4 miles.

Continue straight through intersection onto Fern Hill Road for 0.7 miles.

At the second stop sign take a right onto Northfield Road.

Crestbrook is ½ mile on the right.