



Dalton Ranch Women's Golf Association 2015 Golf Season Invitation

*Another season of golf is about to begin at the beautiful and challenging Dalton Ranch Golf Club. You **do not** need to be a member of Dalton Ranch to join the **Dalton Ranch Women's Golf Association**. We invite you and your golfing friends to join our association.*

"The purpose of this organization shall be to promote golf friendship and good sportsmanship among golfers, all in accordance with the Rules of Golf, as adopted by the USGA." Dalton Ranch Women's Golf Association (DRWGA) By-laws

In addition, we offer fun, challenges, and a variety of games to encourage all levels of players. We welcome all levels of golfers and focus not just on our golf game, but on building lasting friendships with the women in our golf community.

Each week we will have a different game emphasizing getting to know each other as friends and as players. The variety of formats offer pairing like handicap players in some games, and at other times building teams of players with varying skills. In any of the games you will find the opportunity to increase your personal skill and knowledge of golf while having fun in the ladies golf community.

Most of the games will provide the opportunity to post your score toward your handicap. After 2014's successfully extended season, we will attempt to continue (weather permitting) offering more fun and diverse games.

*The **DRWGA** uses the game of golf to contribute to various community charities and needs throughout the year. The annual **Columbine Classic Golf Tournament**, is a highlight event and is always sold out. Donations raised from the **Columbine** and our **Holiday Luncheon** have contributed thousands of dollars back to our community.*

The 2015 DRWGA membership fee is \$50 and includes these benefits:

Ladies Day (Wednesdays during season) cost is \$35 for 18 holes plus \$15 if you want to use a cart, versus the regular \$95 fee for non-**DRWGA** members. This special pricing is available only on play dates with the **DRWGA**.

Prize money pay-outs are offered for the weekly winners in the form of Pro Shop purchase credit. Fun and varied optional side games are paid out weekly in cash to the winner.

The ability to choose to play in Team Play Competitions at area golf courses.

Instructional clinics are held throughout the season, both in a mini format (before regular play) and occasionally longer helpful sessions on rules or pace of play at other days and times. These are offered by our local professionals.

Two member business luncheon meetings are held during our season after regular play.

Lunch and socializing on the Dalton Terrace is an option each week after play.

Electronic membership directory and game/tournament schedule is provided to all members with updates during the season.

Our tee times are 9:00 am each Wednesday, with a shot gun start (golfers ready at 8:45) so everyone finishes together. When special mini clinics are offered, you will be notified. USGA handicaps are used. Our season opens in May and runs through October.

To join, please mail your \$50 annual dues check, payable to DRWGA, and your application, to our treasurer; Marge Meyer-Nugent, at 480 Horse Thief Lane, Durango, CO 81301- no later than April 15th.

There is anticipation and excitement about the improvements and renovations to the Dalton facilities, more golf programs, and the great new website, www.daltonranch.com We hope you'll join us. Please contact me with any questions. We look forward to having you be a part of **DRWGA**.

Sincerely,

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