



For a number of years, Sandra Murray served as SBWGA-18's AZ Golf Delegate. Sandra did a great job, and we thank her for her years of service. However, Sandra has moved from SaddleBrooke and is no longer a member of our league. Our board appointed me to serve as the new delegate, and I was more than happy to accept. If you have any questions or help with any issues you may have related to AZ Golf, please feel free to reach out to me.

AZ Golf has a great schedule this year! For those of you who like to travel, the Women's Championship events are being held at some beautiful courses around the state. The full schedule on the AZ Golf website. The 2026 events that have been most popular with our league in past years are:

- Women's Senior Amateur, being played at Camelback Golf Club September 8, 9 and 10
- Women's Partners Championship, being played at Torreon Golf Club (Show Low) October 17 and 18
- Women's Scotch Play, being played at Omni Tucson, November 21 and 22

For those of you who prefer to play close to home, AZ Golf has a new event, the Cloud Series, that you can play right here at SaddleBrooke! The Cloud Series is a fun and social way to play competitive golf on your own schedule. It's a two-person team challenge held monthly from February to May. You pick your playing partner and the Arizona golf course and tees to play. Compete against others throughout the state of Arizona using the Golf Genius platform to enter your scores. Once registration closes, a GGID will be emailed and allows you to enter your scores. Each month's format will alternate between a Four-Ball format and an Aggregate Score format. The monthly challenges are based on net scores.

This Series is open to all AZ GOLF members with an established Handicap Index. Players pick their teammate for each monthly challenge and are responsible for paying their own green fees for each challenge. You may only play the challenge once each month and you may only play on one team per month. It's not necessary for teams to play with other Cloud Series participants.

The winning team from each monthly challenge will receive a prize, and four players from the field will be randomly selected to receive an AZ GOLF prize.

SCHEDULE:

February:	Four-Ball, Playing Window 02-09 to 02/28, Registration 01/01 to 02/05
March:	Aggregate Score, Playing Window 03/09 to 03/28, Registration 02/01 to 03/05
April:	Four-Ball, Playing Window 04/06 to 04/25, Registration 03/01 to 04/02
May:	Aggregate Score, Playing Window 05/11 to 05/30, Registration 04/01 to 05/07

So, get your partner and sign up! Registration is on the AZ Golf website under Social Golf... it's easy and it's fun!

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2026 SBWGA-18 AZ Golf Delegate