



GOLFScore CLUB

Social Golf Group Setup Guide

A beginner's step-by-step guide to starting a group that sticks around

Most social golf groups start the same way — a few mates decide to make it regular, someone volunteers to organize it, and it runs fine for a couple of outings on pure enthusiasm alone. The groups that actually last have one thing in common: the admin work stops depending on one person's memory. Work through this a step at a time, in the app, before moving to the next.

Step 1 — Decide what “regular” actually means

Before you open the app, agree on the shape of it — weekly, monthly, or a rotating handful of dates through the season. A group with a standing date survives a lot of individual no-shows; a group that meets “whenever” rarely survives its first busy month.

Do this now: Agree on your group's regular cadence with whoever you're organizing this with.

Step 2 — Create your Club

In GolfScore Club, go to My GolfScore, the Created tab, and open “Social Club & Away-Day Tools” — that's where Club lives. Tap “Club”, then “+ New Club”. (It's called Club rather than Group on purpose — Group is already used for the playing groups inside a round.) The name and logo matter more here than the course — that's what makes it recognisably yours. A home course is optional; just the course name, slope and rating is enough for now if you add one. That's a sensible default for every event you create under this Club.

Do this now: Create your Club and set its name and logo, plus a home course if you want one.

Step 3 — Build your player roster once

The Club itself doesn't hold a player list — your roster lives on your account, once, and every event you create (under this Club or otherwise) pulls from it. Go to Roster, and either add players one at a time, or grab the free Roster CSV Upload Template from Free Extras and bulk-import the lot.

Do this now: Get your regular players into your Roster, once.

Step 4 — Create your first event under the Club

Back on your Club's page, once it's saved, tap “+ New Event under this club” instead of the normal “Setup New Event” button — it pre-fills your home course (if you set one) and your whole Roster automatically. Pick your format — Stableford's the default most groups land on, since it's forgiving of one bad hole and keeps a wide handicap spread competitive right to the last green.

Do this now: Create your first event under your new Club.

Step 5 — Want variety without changing your whole format? Layer a side game

If your group wants something different without abandoning Stableford entirely, you don't need a new format — under Setup's Games section, Nassau, Vegas and Bingo Bango Bongo can all run as an

optional bonus game on top of your main scoring. It's a per-round toggle, so turn it on for the weeks you want it.

Do this now: Try turning on a side game, or skip this one for now to keep it simple.

Step 6 — Make joining frictionless for the person who almost didn't come

Once your event's created, you'll land on a one-time confirmation screen with your Event Link and a QR code — that's your entire ask for a new or occasional player. No app to download, no account needed just to join and score.

Do this now: Copy the link or download the QR code and send it to your group.

***Note:** This screen doesn't reappear later — there's no button in Admin Panel to bring it back, so save or share it straight away.*

Step 7 — Let the history build itself

That's it for setup. Next time your group plays, come back to this same Club and tap “+ New Event under this club” again — same pre-filled course, same Roster, nothing rebuilt from scratch. Every event you run under it stays attached, so over a season you'll have real history behind your group.

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