

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

BGC was created out of a deep respect for the traditions of the game in its purest form. The vision was about creating a magnificent golf course modeled after the American clubs in the early 20th century and its counterparts overseas. This was considered the "Golden Age" of golf course architecture. Many of the greatest course architects in the history of the game were all at work during this era, and a number of America's most famous layouts were created and continue to dominate the top golf club rankings. These clubs were built without fanfare focused on creating the most challenging and rewarding experiences for the golfer.

Boston Golf Club is a place where members can celebrate these values and enjoy a truly unique experience with excellence as a standard for golf course conditions, tournaments, and regular member play. Members and guests play with a prompt pace and enjoy the camaraderie of friends and fellow members in an unpretentious and casual atmosphere.

- BGC is a member-owned Club. The fundamental success of BGC comes from the quality of its membership. This process deliberately honors our unique culture and is by invitation only.
- The integrity of the golf course is carefully cultivated and managed to ensure its challenging and fair design is not compromised but enhanced.
- The Club has a strong caddie program. A round of golf spent walking is truly the best way to play and appreciate the beauty that surrounds our course.
- The setting is intimate and rustic with a limited kitchen, a small golf shop, a comfortable locker room, a large patio for relaxing after a round and an exceptional beverage service.
- The Club features an onsite cottage for members' use that accommodates a foursome and is accessible from downtown Boston in twenty minutes.
- Unlike a typical country club, BGC is also defined by what it does not have: No adjacent real estate development. No hotel. No swimming pool. No tennis courts. No white-table-cloth dining room. It is golf at its best.