Gowanie Golf Club combines a rich history beginning in 1910 as Riverview Golf Club it is one of the oldest private clubs in the district. It has since developed into 18 Holes now totaling 6340 yards that will present a challenge to golfers of every skill level.

Club members enjoy a relaxed atmosphere as they socialize, unwind and recharge with friends and family. Over the years the Club has focused on the needs of its members and the community it represents.

The Club is also a perfect setting to host wedding receptions, banquets, showers, business meetings, golf outings or special family celebrations. Look no further, Gowanie Golf Club offers a country club setting with expertly prepared cuisine by our professional Chef and his staff with service to match. We can assist in planning every detail of your event to insure success and satisfaction.

Members enjoy the camaraderie of fellow golfers in weekly league events, member tournaments through the season in addition to social events throughout the year. From the casual game after work or the challenge of your weekend foursome see what private club membership offers in course condition and availability. The Club Professional is available to assist with clothing, equipment and instructional needs of the entire family. A very successful Junior Golf program is available during the summer to bring the youngsters into the game.

Take this opportunity to become a member of Gowanie Golf Club. Embrace the great tradition of golf, and become part of its community building relationships and continuing this longstanding history going forward into the next century.

Call us soon to schedule a tour of the club.

Gowanie Golf Club
24770 S. River Road
Harrison Twp., MI 48045
(586) 468-1431   Ext. 227
Gowanie@comcast.net
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP PROCESS

1. Completely fill out both sides of the membership application form. **Be sure to note the type of membership you are interested in, (Golf or Social) and sign both sides of the form.**

2. Your driver’s license and social security numbers are required and must be verified for accuracy. This information is for our purposes only and is kept strictly confidential.

3. Sponsors are not required, but if you know any of our members, please make a note of their name under the sponsored by line. They will be contacted for verification.

4. **A valid credit card must be kept on file as a security deposit. The card will be used in the event that your member account becomes past due.**

5. Upon receipt and review of your candidate form, you will be notified of your acceptance to membership. An investigative consumer report may be obtained in consideration for membership.

6. An informal interview or briefing of club rules is required and you will be given your membership number and all pertinent information at this meeting. This is also the time to have all of your questions regarding club rules and policies addressed.

7. New member orientation sessions may be held by the board of directors and all new members will be required to attend one of the sessions. You will be notified of the dates and times and asked to make a reservation to attend. If you do not attend an orientation, you will be temporarily suspended from golfing until this requirement is met.

8. **IMPORTANT: Please note you are applying and accepting membership for a minimum of 1 year [twelve (12) consecutive months] and will be liable to G G Club, LLC for a minimum total of $3,934.00 for membership annual services, twelve (12) months of dues at $207 per month and food and beverage minimum of $150.00 for seven (7) months – April 1st through October 30th, plus any and all member charges incurred relative to your membership.**

9. Additional incentive, prepay the one (1) year contract in total and receive guest passes equivalent to one month of dues.
2016 MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM FEE SCHEDULE

Full Golf Membership
Full golf privileges for entire family including children up to age 25
Initiation Fee $2,000 * Waived with 1 year contract
Monthly Dues – Jan through Dec $207 For the 1st 12 months of membership
                                              $307 per month after the initial 12 month period
Minimum Obligation – Apr through Oct $150
Annual Services – Primary Member $400 (Non-Refundable mandatory annual fees: Mill River, Locker Room, GAM Dues & Maintenance)
                          Secondary Member $150

Social Membership
Annual Dues: $300 Jan-Dec
Includes clubhouse dining and twice per month golf privileges - tee times on weekends and/or holidays available after 11 am and not eligible for club tournaments.

Returning Member
Resigned from full golf membership within the past twelve (12) month period. Reinstatement fee of $1,500 required.

Golf Fees

MEMBER GUESTS FEE:
18 Holes $45 Weekdays --- $50 Weekends and Holidays
9 Holes $25 Weekdays --- $45 Weekends and Holidays

CART FEES: Mandatory Sat. Sun & Holidays until Noon
18 Holes $20 per person
9 Holes $15 per person
*Two carts per foursome and one cart per twosome, up-charge to ride alone
Bag Storage or Pull Cart Storage (optional) $100

Gowanie Amenities
- Club House and Banquet Facilities
  - Food Service available Tuesday through Sunday
  - Available for Member Events, Private Parties, Weddings and Special Occasions
- Fully Staffed Pro Shop for Golf Clothing and Equipment Needs
  - Full Time Golf Professional
  - Private and Group Instruction
  - Member Events, Leagues and Tournaments
  - Junior Golf Program
- Attended Men’s and Women’s Locker Rooms
  - Full Lockers, Shower Facilities, Lounge, Snack and Beverage Service
- 18 Hole Course with the best greens in the area!
- Short Game Range with Greenside Bunkers
- Electric Carts

New Full Golf Members receive four (4) guest passes upon signing
Member Orientation Information

Business Office: (586) 468-1431    Fax: (586) 469-8059    Email: Gowanie@comcast.net    www.gowaniegolfclub.com

Administrative Assistant: Ext. 221    General Manager: Ext. 227
Business Manager/Acct Receivable: Ext. 222    Men’s Locker Room: Ext. 228
Golf Professional/Pro Shop: Ext. 223    Women’s Locker Room: Ext. 229
Chef Office: Ext. 226    Course Superintendent: Ext. 230
Accounts Payable: Ext. 221

DOLLARS & SENSE:

- General billing practices: all monthly charges are due and payable on the 25th of the following month. If payment is not made by the 30th a service charge of 1-1/2% per month shall be applied. Any balance over 60 days will result in suspension of charging privileges and/or club usage, and may result in a $200 reinstatement fee.
- Monthly Food & Beverage Minimum: Members are required to spend $150 per month from April 1st through October 30th for food and beverages (sales tax and gratuity are not included). You will be billed the variance less than $150.
- Gratuity Policy: An auto-gratuity of 18% is applied to all food and beverages purchased; if services are deserving, extra gratuity may be added accordingly. Shoe cleaning and polishing is available in the locker rooms with a suggested tip of $2 to $3 per pair.
- Annual Membership Fees: All golf memberships are subject to a mandatory annual fee of $400 (primary member – additional $150 for secondary member). The annual fee includes the Pro Shop Mill River Program, Locker Room Services, Golf Association of Michigan Dues, and Maintenance Fees.
- Golf Bag Storage is available through the Pro Shop at the cost of $100 per bag or pull cart per season.
- Children of Members: Age requirements – 16 or older to be in the locker rooms unattended by parents. Must have a valid driver’s license to drive golf carts. Dress code applies, denim jeans may be worn in the clubhouse, but not on the golf course.

DRESS CODE:

- Good judgment, good taste and cooperation are mandatory regarding proper attire at the club and on the course.
- Members must wear golf attire on the golf course. Shirts with sleeves and collars are acceptable and recommended. Shorts, if worn must be Bermuda and/or walking length with minimum inseams of 8” for men and 6” for women.
- No tee shirts, tank or tube tops, halter style shirts, swim or tennis attire, denim of any kind, spandex, sun suits, cut-offs, short-shorts, hiking, jogging or gym style shorts or garb are allowed on the premises at any time.
- **DENIM JEANS MAY BE WORN IN THE CLUBHOUSE ONLY – BUT NOT ON THE GOLF COURSE**
- Shirts designed to be “tucked-in” must be worn in this fashion.
- Hats must be worn in the “forward” position.
- Spikeless golf shoes are required for play on the golf course and practice areas.
- Please change shoes and clothing in the locker rooms, **not in the parking lot**. Advise your guests that day lockers are available for their use, and please make necessary arrangements for your guest prior to their arrival with the locker room attendants.
- As a member, you are responsible for your guests and their decorum while visiting the club. Please inform them of the dress code.

GENERAL INFORMATION: DINNER RESERVATIONS – (586) 468-1431 Ext. 229 Reservations are required to assist dining and kitchen staff. Please include dinner reservations when making tee times. This is especially important the last week of each month. All parties of 8 or more need to make a reservation. Contact the General Manager for assistance to arrange special occasions dining and entertaining arrangements.

Posting Scores: may be done in either locker room or the Pro Shop; hole-by-hole rather than total score is preferred to allow for the Handicap System to make adjustments.

Power Golf Carts: Carts are mandatory Saturday, Sunday and Holidays until Noon. Both pull carts and power carts are to be parked on cart paths or in the rough in the direction of the next tee. **All carts must be kept 30 feet from the greens and bunkers. Do not travel between bunkers, near the green or close to the tee boxes with any pull or power cart.**

COURSE ETIQUETTE: KEEP YOUR COURSE IN PRISTINE CONDITION BY PRACTICING THE FOLLOWING:

- Replace all divots and repair all ball marks (when you make one ball mark — fix at least three)
- Rake bunkers after exiting and always place the rake inside the bunker after use
- Pace of Play — you should be one shot behind the group in front of you. If you are behind please allow the group playing behind you to pass through. **A four (4) hour round is the norm.**

GOLF AND SOCIAL EVENTS: Refer to the monthly calendars and schedule of events. Join in as often as you can to meet your fellow members.

RESIGNATIONS: Thirty (30) days written notice is required to terminate your membership. All resignations are effective on the last day of the month following the thirty (30) day notice. Resigning members will be billed and held liable for all unpaid balances, including but not limited to, dues, fees, food/beverage, merchandise charges and minimum requirements, assessments levied, and any other amounts properly billed in accordance with membership.
Membership Application  

Please print or type:

Name:___________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Last   First   Middle Initial   Date of Birth

Spouse Name:____________________________________________________________________________________________________

Last   First   Middle Initial   Date of Birth

Address:_____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Street Address   Apt/Unit No.

City   State   Zip Code   Email

Home Phone:______________________________    Cell Phone:_____________________________   Fax:______________________________

Driver’s License No.______________________________________________________   Social Security No._____________________________________

Business or Employer Name:

____________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Street Address   Apt/Unit No.

City   State   Zip Code

Work Phone:______________________________    Alternate Phone:___________________________   Fax:______________________________

E-mail:_____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Preferred method of monthly mailings/correspondence: Home:_______    Business:_________   Email:__________

PLEASE LIST ALL CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 25 YEARS RESIDING WITH YOU:

Name                                                                   Date of Birth

Name                                                                   Date of Birth

Name                                                                   Date of Birth

Name                                                                   Date of Birth

Please list all other club memberships – past or present:

Club Name   Member Since   Club Name   Member Since

Club Name   Member Since   Club Name   Member Since

Gowanie Golf Club – Member Sponsors:  (Two signatures required)

Printed Name/Signature   Printed Name/Signature

Applicant Signatures  *TWO SIGNATURES ARE REQUIRED, 1 HERE AND 1 ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM

*Signature   Spouse/Significant Other
MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT FOR USE OF GOLF COURSE AND CLUB HOUSE FACILITIES

Agreement made this _____ day of ______________, 2016, by and between the undersigned (“Candidate) and G G Club, LLC (“Gowanie”), a Michigan Limited Liability Corporation.

I certify that the foregoing statements are complete and true. I do hereby authorize and give permission to G G Club, LLC to run a full investigation of my credit history including, but not limited to, obtaining a consumer credit report, and do further request that personal data be treated in a confidential manner. I understand that membership is subject to approval by G G Club, LLC.

I understand that the initiation/security fee, 12-months dues and minimum amount is non-refundable and constitutes a license to use the golf course and clubhouse facilities of Gowanie Golf Club/G G Club, LLC.

For and in consideration of a minimum one year (twelve consecutive calendar months) of active membership, monthly fees, and other charges to be assessed as set forth in the schedule of fees (attached to this Agreement as Exhibit A) and as shall be charged from time to time, Candidate shall have the right to use the golf course and clubhouse facilities located in Harrison Township, Michigan (“Facilities”) subject to the terms and conditions of this agreement, the By-Laws and Rules and Services.

Candidate agrees to conform to the rules and regulations of G G Club, LLC and in consideration of the granting an extension of credit by G G Club, LLC to Candidate, it is hereby agreed that Candidate will promptly pay any indebtedness owed to G G Club, LLC when due. Candidate hereby acknowledges responsibility for the monthly dues and charges for all fees, goods and services extended by G G Club, LLC, incurred on his/her behalf or on behalf of any one whose use of the Facilities is dependent upon or derived from his or her membership, including, but not limited to, the monthly dues obligation, food and beverage minimum requirements, merchandise and golf fees.

Candidate agrees that all rules, regulations and conditions of use promulgated by Gowanie concerning the use of the Facilities, are binding upon acceptance of Candidate into membership. Candidate hereby acknowledges receipt of a copy of the By-Laws containing “Club Rules and Services” of Gowanie; attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibits “B” and “C”. Candidate acknowledges that if Candidate or any of Candidate’s guests fails to abide by the rules and regulations now in existence or promulgated in the future by Gowanie, Candidate will automatically be subject to disciplinary action which may include, but is not limited to, the denial of the right to use the Facilities on a temporary or permanent basis.

Candidate acknowledges that membership may be terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other party and shall become effective on the last day of the month following said thirty (30) days written notice. A resigned member will be billed and held liable for any unpaid dues, fees, charges, minimum requirements, assessments, and any and all other proper account charges.

None of the rights, licenses, privileges or powers created or granted herein may be assigned, conveyed, or transferred by Candidate, in whole or in part, whether voluntarily, involuntarily, by operation of law or otherwise, and any such attempt to do so shall be null and void, and of no effect. If leave of absence is requested by the Candidate due to health reasons, economic hardship or relocation from the area due to employment, Candidate shall abide by the guidelines set forth in the By-Laws.

If any term, covenant, condition or provision of this Agreement is held by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, the remainder of the provisions herein shall remain in full force and effect, and shall in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated thereby.

This Agreement sets forth the entire understanding and agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes any and all other agreements, representations and warranties, either oral or written of the parties hereto. Unless previously terminated, membership shall automatically renew on the 1 year anniversary date of membership or (January 1 for Social Members) of each successive year.

This Agreement shall only be binding upon Gowanie and Candidate when signed by Candidate and an authorized representative of Gowanie Golf Club.

This Agreement is being executed and delivered in the State of Michigan and shall be governed by and construed and enforced under the laws of the State of Michigan.

*All fees are subject to change without notice. Candidate is responsible for payment of all charges incurred by him/her, their spouse, children, stepchildren and any and all persons so authorized under said membership including guests during the term of membership.

Candidate agrees to allow G G Club, LLC to charge any outstanding, late or past due balance to the charge card on file. Candidate agrees to waive the right of his/her insurance company to subrogate against G G Club, LLC in the event Candidate’s personal property is damaged, lost or stolen on the premises of G G Club, LLC. G G Club, LLC accepts NO responsibility or liability for lost, stolen or damages personal property of Candidate.

Candidate expressly agrees that G G Club, LLC shall not be liable for any damages arising from personal or other injuries sustained by Candidate or his or her guests. By execution of this Agreement, Candidate assumes full responsibility for any of such injuries or damages which may occur to the Candidate or his or her guests in, on, or about the Facilities. Candidate does hereby fully and forever release, indemnify and discharge G G Club, LLC, its members, officers, directors and employees from any and all claims demands, damages, rights of action or causes of action present or future, whether the same be known or unknown, anticipated, or unanticipated, resulting from or arising out of the use or intended use of the Facilities by Candidate or his or her guests.

Jan, 2016

GOWANIE GOLF CLUB
G G CLUB, LLC

BY:____________________________________________
Its: Authorized Representative

Candidate signature

Spouse/Significant Other of Candidate signature
GOWANIE GOLF CLUB
MEMBERSHIP 2016
1 YEAR COMMITMENT AGREEMENT

Name: ____________________________________________ Member Number: ____________

*Period of twelve (12) consecutive month’s commitment

Beginning Date: ______day of _______________ 2016 Ending Date: ______day of ___________2017

Sponsoring Member: ____________________________ Member Number: ____________

**Full Golf Membership**

Golf privileges - include spouse, and *children (*up to age 25)

- Monthly Dues – *Twelve (12) consecutive months $207 1st year, $307 subsequent years
- Minimum Obligation – Apr through Oct $150
- **Annual Services – Primary Member $400
- Secondary Member (spouse, Significant Other $150

**Mandatory annual services include: Mill River, Locker Room, GAM Dues - non-refundable

New Full Golf members receive four (4) guest passes upon signing

- Payment of first the month’s dues and annual service fees ($700 Primary Member, $850 with Secondary member) required to establish membership
- Obligated to pay all dues, fees and minimums for a period twelve (12) consecutive months.
- Commitment expires at the end of twelve (12) month period and membership will then continue as Full Golf membership on a month to month basis with all other terms and obligations remaining the same, or as may be amended by G G Club, LLC.
- Membership may be cancelled and become null and void upon 30 day notice of resignation submitted in writing to the Business Office by the member; said member will remain liable and responsible to pay all dues, and charges contained within the twelve (12) month commitment period. Further, membership may be terminated by G G Club, LLC for non-payment and/or arrears in excess of 45 days together with any and all monies due for all time remaining under the 1 year commitment contract.
- Members are billed monthly; payments must arrive in the business office by the 25th of the month to avoid interest penalty and late fees.
- I understand, agree and accept the above stated terms of membership for a minimum of 1 year (twelve (12) consecutive months) and agree that I will be liable to G G Club, LLC for a minimum total of $3,934.00 for membership annual services, including, but not limited to, twelve (12) months of dues at $207 per month and food and beverage minimum of $150.00 for seven (7) months – April 1st through October 30th, plus any and all charges I incur relative to said membership, either by myself or those individuals so authorized under the terms of my membership. I further understand that any amount outstanding and unpaid of the minimum amount stated above may be applied to my credit card on file in the event either I or anyone so authorized under my membership defaults under the terms of this agreement.

_________________________________________________ ____________________________
Signature Date

_________________________________________________ ____________________________
Sponsoring Member Signature Date