

# 32<sup>ND</sup> MGA MIXED AMATEUR TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

NORTHFIELD GOLF CLUB, 707 PRAIRIE STREET, NORTHFIELD, MN 55057 WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY, JUNE 29-30, 2022



### **NOTICE TO COMPETITORS**

#### **RULES OF PLAY**

The Rules of Golf, the MGA Terms of Competition and all Local Rules established for the Championship govern play.

Players wishing to view the MGA Rules Card in advance may find it on the MGA web site – <a href="www.mngolf.org">www.mngolf.org</a> - under the Tournament & Rules Section. Also, Local Rules Sheets and Hole Location Sheets <a href="www.mngolf.org">will not</a> be provided at the starting tee. These are available electronically at the <a href="Championship website">Championship website</a>.

**ELECTRONIC SCORING:** The official method of scoring will be electronic by use of the **Golf Genius Mobile App.** Paper scorecards WILL NOT be provided to players for the purpose of scoring. Players should review the printed and video educational information posted on the Qualifying webpage to be prepared for this process. Also, players should make sure their mobile devices are fully charged prior to beginning play and to have charging cables for use between rounds.

To learn more about the Digital Scoring process, click **HERE**.

**DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES:** DMDs are permitted in MGA Championships but any functionality that measures more than distance must not be used.

PACE OF PLAY: The Pace of Play Policy posted on the MGA web site will be in effect and enforced.

## **TOURNAMENT FORMAT & INFORMATION**

**COURSE SETUP:** 

Championship – Men: *BLACK* (6,721 yards; 73.1/143); Women: *WHITE* (5,823 yards; 74.0/138).

Senior & Men: WHITE (5,823 yards; 69.0/135); Net Divisions – Women: GOLD (5,176 yards; 70.4/130).

For specific course information, click *here* to view the setup.

**DIVISIONS:** Championship Division – 36 holes, Gross stroke play

Net Division – 36 holes, Net stroke play

Senior Division – 36 holes, Gross & Net stroke play

**FORMAT:** Day One: Four-ball Stroke Play - From designated tee markers

Day Two: Chapman Stroke Play – Both partners play from each teeing ground, with each partner playing his or her partner's ball for the second shot. After the second shot, partners select the ball with

which they wish to score, and play that ball alternately to complete the hole.

**STARTING TIMES:** There will be no change in starting times other than by decision of the Committee. Starting times Wednesday will begin at 12:00 from #1 & 10. Starting times Thursday will be 8-10a off #1 & 10.

**NET COMPETITION SCORING:** Your handicap index as of **June 22**<sup>nd</sup> will be adjusted to the course you are playing to create your Course Handicap. In the Four-Ball competition (Day 1), all players will receive 85% of their course handicap. The second day, Modified Chapman stroke play, the player with the lower Course Handicap is allowed 60% of their Course Handicap. The player with the higher Course Handicap is allowed 40% of their Course Handicap. This is per World Handicap System recommendations.

**TROPHIES:** Trophies will be awarded to the Champions in each Division (Championship, Net, Senior – Gross, Senior – Net). In addition, Golf Shop credit will be awarded for top teams in all divisions based on the number of teams in each division.

**TIES:** In the event of tie for the Championship Division or Senior Division (Gross), there will be a hole-by-hole playoff on the course using the Modified Chapman format. Holes to be used will be determined at that time.

**PRESENTATION PARTY:** There will be lunch immediately following the conclusion of play on Wednesday.

**LODGING:** No lodging arrangements have been made.

# **NORTHFIELD GOLF CLUB INFORMATION**

**DIRECTIONS TO NORTHFIELD GOLF CLUB:** Click *here* for directions to Northfield GC.

**PRACTICE RANGE:** Range balls will be provided at no charge. NOTE: The range is located about .5 miles from the clubhouse.

**FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICE:** The Course will be open with food and beverage service prior to and during play on

Wednesday. The MGA will host lunch immediately following the conclusion of play on Thursday.

**DRESS CODE:** As stated in the entry form, the MGA dress code will be **strictly enforced**.

**FOOTWEAR POLICY:** Northfield prohibits the use of traditionally designed spikes. Penalty for breach: *Disqualification.* 

**CADDIES AND CARTS:** Caddies **ARE PERMITTED**. Carrying your own bag is permissible as is using a push cart (including motorized). Motorized carts, both riding and pull carts, are permissible; teams are responsible for this expense.

**ETIQUETTE:** Be sure to replace divots, smooth (with feet or club) disturbed areas in bunkers and fix all ball marks on greens.

**PRACTICE ROUNDS:** To schedule a practice round, contact the Pebble Creek Golf Shop – 763/200-4268.

The MGA thanks you for your participation and extends its best wishes for an enjoyable Championship!