

31st MGA NET CHAMPIONSHIPS
The Preserve at Grand View Lodge
September 6, 2023



Local Rules and Information Sheet

RULES OF PLAY: The USGA Rules of Golf, MGA Rules of Play and Information Sheet, Notice to Competitors, Entry Blank and the following local rules govern all play. NOTE: Disregard any and all local rules printed on the local scorecard.

TEES: All males will play from the **WHITE TEES** with an option to move to the **GOLD TEES**. All females will play from the **RED TEES**.

FORMAT - TEAM: 18 holes Tuesday and Wednesday Best Ball Net Stableford Points of squad A and squad B added together for each hole. The team with the greatest number of Stableford Points at the conclusion of play will be the champion. **INDIVIDUAL:** 18 holes Tuesday and Wednesday Best Ball Net Stableford Points. The individual with the greatest number of Stableford Points at the conclusion of play will be the champion.

STABLEFORD POINT SYSTEM: (Based on Net Scores) Gross scores will be inputted into your phone for scoring purposes.	BOGIE	1 Point
	PAR	2 Points
	BIRDIE	3 Points
	EAGLE or HOLE IN ONE	4 Points
	ALBATROS	5 Points
	TRIPLE EAGLE or BETTER	6 Points

PLAYOFF: Any ties for prizes, including for the Championships, will be decided by matching cards using the USGA recommended procedure found in the Official Guide to the Rules of Golf book 5A(6)d. Handicap strokes will be applied during the playoff as they were assigned during the competition. Round 2 stableford points will be used first, beginning with the last 18, last 9, last 6, last 3 holes and finally the 18th hole (#9 Woods). Holes 10-18 are considered the last 9 (it doesn't matter what hole play started). In the event there remains a tie after Round 2 stableford points are used, Round 1 stableford points will be used. After both round points are used and we are still deadlocked, the championship will end in a tie.

GROUND UNDER REPAIR: Defined by white lines.

ONE-BALL RULE: is **NOT** in effect for this championship.

PROHIBITION TO PRACTICE PUTTING: Is **NOT** in effect for this Championship.

OUT OF BOUNDS: There are no boundaries on this course.

PENALTY AREAS: Penalty Areas are defined by stakes and/or lines. Including all areas of dense trees, brush or long grass are to be played as a red penalty area and the edge of the penalty area is the mow (cut) line between the rough and long grass even when not marked.

NO PLAY ZONES: There are environmentally sensitive areas found on holes #4, 5, 6, & 13. Play from these areas is prohibited by the Rules of Golf. Penalty for breach of rule: **Two Strokes**.

PACE OF PLAY: MGA Pace of Play Policy made available to all players will be in effect.

ELECTRONIC MEASURING DEVICES: The use of rangefinders and GPS is ALLOWED – to measure distance only.

RULES COMMITTEE: Doug Hoffmann, Chair, any MGA Committee Member.

Wednesday Starting Times

Wednesday starting times will be available on Tuesday evening or by visiting the MGA website at www.mngolf.org
Email and text will be sent to players.

RULES QUESTIONS

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