# 8<sup>TH</sup> MGA MID-PLAYERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

Brackett's Crossing Country Club, Lakeville, MN Tuesday-Thursday, June 17-19, 2014



Qualifying Fee: \$80; Exempt Fee: \$130 Entries Accepted: Monday, March 3, 2014 Entry Deadline: Monday, May 5, 2014

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### Eligibility

Entries are open to amateur golfers who are: (1) currently Associate Members of the MGA at the club from which they are playing, (2) whose club is a current member club of the MGA, (3) whose USGA Handicap Index for 18 holes does not exceed 6.4 at the time of entry, and (4) must be at least 30 years of age as of June 17, 2014. All entries are subject to approval or rejection at any time by the MGA Tournament Committee.

#### Exempt Players

Refer to the Exemption List on the following page for a list of exempt players.

#### Sectional Qualifying

Players entered in the Championship, except exempt players, will play 18 holes of stroke play in Sectional Qualifying. The 24 players who qualify in the Sectional Qualifying will join the exempt players for a total of 32 players at the Championship. Any ties for qualifying spots or alternate spots will be played off immediately, hole by hole, until the final qualifiers and alternates are determined at each site. A contestant may enter only once and attempt to qualify only one day, at one site. The MGA reserves the right to cancel a Sectional Qualifier if no competition exists at the close of entries.

#### Championship Format

The Championship format is 18 holes, match play.

#### Entry Fee

Players attempting to qualify will pay a **\$80 fee.** All successful qualifiers will pay an additional **\$50** Championship fee. All exempt players will pay the full **\$130 fee.** 

#### Entry Deadline

Players are encouraged to enter MGA events online through the MGA website – <u>www.mngolf.org</u>. Entry forms will not be accepted before Monday, March 3, 2014, but must arrive no later than Monday, May 5, 2014, at the office of the Minnesota Golf Association, Inc., 6550 York Avenue South, Suite 211, Edina, MN 55435. Entry fee must accompany entry form. **A separate check or money** 

order must accompany each MGA championship entry. Late or incomplete entries are not acceptable and will be returned. Entries submitted by telephone, e-mail or fax are not acceptable. Time limit for entries means time of receipt at MGA (not time of postmark). Entries with insufficient funds will be considered incomplete and will be withdrawn. The entrant is responsible for any fee incurred by the MGA for NSF checks and must pay such fees before entry in further MGA events is allowed.

#### Carts and Caddies

You are encouraged to bring your own caddie if you wish to do so. During both stages of the Championship, carrying your bag is permissible, as is the use of a pull cart (including motorized) but motorized riding carts are prohibited.

#### Practice Rounds

Practice rounds may be available for a fee at the discretion of the Host Facility.

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### EXEMPT PLAYERS

- A. 2013 MGA Mid-Players' Champion (#1 seed) Troy Johnson, Rush Creek GC
- B. 2013 MGA Men's Player Point List The 6 highest ranking players to enter from the 2013 Men's Regular Points list, excluding the Defending Champion (refer to list below).
- C. Host Club Exemption (1; #32 seed)



### 2013 MGA PLAYER POINTS LIST

Sammy Schmitz, Valleywood GC Trent Peterson, Valleywood GC Jon Dutoit, Chaska TC Ben Welle, Meadows GC Sam Matthew, Midland Hills CC Jordan Hawkinson, StoneRidge GC Dominic Kieffer, Somerby GC Andy Jacobson, Eagle Creek GC Robert Bell, U OF M GC Jesse Bull, Golden Valley G&CC Genki Hirayama, U OF M GC Troy Johnson, Rush Creek GC Josh Blackman, Mankato GC Dylan Gergen, Town & Country Cluk Matt Schneider, Pokegama GC Jesse Polk, Hastings CC JT Johnson, Keller GC Andrew Paulson, U OF M GC Dylan Baker, Windsong Farm Dan Bidle, Virginia GC Datlon Charboneau, Sundance GC Jesse Larson, LeSueur CC Taylor Sundbom, Enger Park GC Jon Trasamar, Riverside T&cc Tyler McMorrow, St. Cloud CC David Steingart, Edina CC Geoff Klein, LeSueur CC Topher Baron, Loggers Trail GC	753.8 696.7 418.8 327.5 313.8 302.0 280.0 242.5 237.5 214.8 200.0 197.5 178.8 200.0 197.5 178.8 168.7 150.0 120.0 105.0 105.0 105.0 105.0 105.0 91.7 90.0 87.5 85.0 80.0
Blake Onkka, Bunker Hills GC	80.0
Scott Gustafson, Hazeltine National	GC 75.0

Casey Vangsness, Alexandria GC Andrew McCain, Begin Oaks GC Maxwell Tylke, Valleywood GC Dan Moline, Ridgeview CC Tyler Lowenstein, Rush Creek GC Will Hickey, StoneRidge GC Pat Smith, Hazeltine National GC	75.0 75.0 65.0 61.0 61.0 60.0 60.0
Joel B Johnson, Tanners Brook GC	56.0
Erik Christopherson, Baker National GC	\$ 55.0
Jerry Rose, Alexandria GC	55.0
Bill Carlson, Village Green GC	50.0
Hudson Carpenter, Stillwater CC	50.0
Trenton Olson, Village Green GC	50.0
Cory Pike, Elk River GC	50.0
Colton Buege, Fox Hollow GC	50.0
Greg Melhus, Links @ Northfork	50.0
Kyle Scanlon, Stillwater CC	50.0
David Rehfeldt, StoneRidge GC	50.0
Scott Thomas Brackett's Crossing	50.0
Anthony Daffer, Hazeltine National GC	47.5
Ben Clymer, Hazeltine National GC	45.0
Curt Carbaugh, Active Golf Training	45.0
Jon Trasamar, Riverside T&CC	45.0
Matt Spier, Legends Club	40.0
Alex Kline, Links @ Northfork	40.0
Steve Whittaker, Pebble Creek GC	40.0
Johnny Larson, New Ulm CC	40.0
Grady Meyer, Village Green GC	37.0

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# Official Entry Form

## <u>Qualifying Sites</u>

## Exempt Player: \_\_\_\_\_

(Maximum Field per Site: 84)

May 19:	Eagle Valley Golf Course (Woodbury)
May 19:	Green Haven Golf Course (Anoka)
May 19:	Columbia Golf Club (Minneapolis)

- May 20: \_\_\_\_ Pebble Creek Golf Club (Becker)
- May 22: \_\_\_\_ Crystal Lake Golf Club (Lakeville)
- May 22: \_\_\_\_ The Bridges Golf Course (Winona) May 23: \_\_\_\_ Wildflower @ Fair Hills (Detroit Lakes) May 27: \_\_\_\_ Tartan Park Golf Course (Lake Elmo)
- May 28: \_\_\_\_ Black Bear Golf Course (Carlton)
- May 28: \_\_\_\_ Interlaken Golf Club (Fairmont)

\*\*Please number (1 - 4) your top four choices for qualifiers. If a site is filled prior to the close of entries, the MGA will assign entrants to their next available site of choice. Exempt players should check the spot allocated for exempt players.\*\*

	Player Information	
NAME:		GHIN #: (The 18-hole Handicap Index limit is 6.4)
ADDRESS:		(Must be On or BEFORE 6/17/1984)
CITY/ST/ZIP:		GENDER: M F
PHONE:(H)	(W)	
E-MAIL:		
MEMBER OF:		

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By signing and submitting this entry to this MGA competition, I confirm that I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the MGA Conduct Policy, the MGA Tournament Player's Information Sheet, and the MGA Rules of Play and Information Sheet. I acknowledge that there are certain risks inherent in the game of golf and accept personal liability for all such risks. I agree to allow the MGA and its allied associations to use any photographic/video images taken of me during the event for their own media-related use. I also understand that this entry is subject to rejection at any time at the discretion of the MGA.

Player's Signature:

Date: \_

Date & Time

Check #/Cash

Verified

Entry #