





31ST MGA MID-AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

LEGENDS CLUB / WILLINGERS GOLF CLUB TUESDAY – THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2-4, 2018

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

- **FORMAT:** All players entered in the Championship will play 36 holes stroke play (1 round on each course Legends and Willingers) over the two days Tuesday, October 2 and Wednesday, October 3, to qualify 60 players plus ties for the third and final round Thursday, October 4, to be played at Legends Club. The Champion will be the player with the lowest total score for 54 holes. A tie for the Championship will be played off immediately, hole by hole, until the winner is determined.
- **<u>RULES OF PLAY:</u>** All play is governed by the <u>USGA Rules of Golf</u>, the <u>MGA Conditions of Competition</u>, the <u>MGA</u> <u>Tournament Players Information</u> sheet, entry form and any Local Rules established and printed on the *Hole Location/Local Rules Sheet*.
- **ELECTRONIC MEASURING DEVICES:** Per the MGA Conditions of Competitions, these devices are *permitted* in all MGA championship competitions; however, any function that measures more than point-to-point are not permitted. Use of such function is a *two-stroke penalty* for the first offense and **disqualification** for the second.
- **PACE OF PLAY:** The MGA Pace of Play Policy posted on the MGA web site and at the starting tees of each golf course will be in effect. Players are expected to know and abide by the posted policy.
- **<u>STARTING TIMES</u>**: There will be no change in starting times other than by decision of the Committee due to weather conditions. The starting times will be as follows:

Tuesday & Wednesday: Starting times will begin from the 1st tee only at the both courses as follows: Legends (8am) and Willingers (8:30am).

Wednesday: #1 & #10: The Leaders will go last off #1 and the highest scorers going last off #10 at **10:00 am**. The first starting times will be between 8:00-8:30 am.

- **<u>PRACTICE ROUNDS</u>**: Practice rounds are available at both courses for **\$50**. Please call the respective Golf Shop and state you are an MGA Mid-Amateur contestant.
- **PRACTICING BETWEEN ROUNDS (Rule 7-1b):** When two or more rounds of a stroke-play competition are to be played over consecutive days, a competitor must not play or practice on a competition course remaining to be played.
- **PRACTICE RANGE:** The practice range at both clubs will be open at least one hour prior to the first starting time each day of the Championship. Range balls will be provided for you before play each day courtesy of the MGA.
- **LUNCH AT WILLINGERS:** The MGA is providing lunch for all players on the day they play Willingers GC. The time(s) lunch will be served will be determined once the starting times have been established.

LODGING: There have been no lodging arrangements established.

<u>DIRECTIONS TO LEGENDS CLUB:</u> Click <u>HERE</u> for directions to Legends Club.

DIRECTIONS TO WILLINGERS GC: Click **HERE** for directions to Willingers Golf Club.

- DRESS CODE: The Minnesota Golf Association dress code will be strictly enforced. All players and caddies must be neat in appearance with respect to personal grooming and clothing. Players must wear collared shirts and golf slacks or Bermuda shorts measuring no higher than two inches above the knees. Jeans or jean shorts ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE! The Committee shall decide whether this requirement has been met.
- **FOOTWEAR:** Both Legends Club and Willingers GC **prohibit** the use of shoes with metal or traditionally designed spikes. All participants must honor this policy during the competition. Penalty for breach of this condition: DISQUALIFICATION.
- CADDIES AND CARTS: Neither course will have caddies available. You may bring your own caddie if you wish to do so. Carrying your own bag is permissible as is the use of pull-carts, including motorized pull carts. The use of motorized riding carts is prohibited during the tournament.

HOST CLUB INFORMATION:

Legends Club

8670 Credit River Boulevard Prior Lake, MN 55372 Golf Shop: 952/226-4777 Web site: www.legendsgc.com General Manager: Mike Luckraft Host Professional: Jeff Kennedy Superintendent: Scott Thayer

Willingers Golf Club 6797 Canby Trail Northfield, MN 55057 Golf Shop: 952/652-2500 Web site: www.willingersgc.com General Manager: Riley Kieffer Host Professional: Cody Mager Superintendent: Riley Kieffer

COURSE DETAILS: The tentative course set-up details are as follows. (The MGA reserves the right to modify these as necessary when doing the final set-up.)

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Hole	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Out</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>In</u>	<u>Total</u>
Par	4	4	4	5	3	4	3	4	5	36	4	5	4	3	4	3	5	3	4	36	72
Yards	396	409	440	510	115	421	167	388	511	3,357	369	573	341	182	299	384	596	181	420	3,345	6,702
Pace	:14	:15	:15	:16	:12	:15	:13	:14	:16	2:10	:14	:17	:14	:13	:14	:14	:17	:13	:15	2:11	*4:25*

Willingers Golf Club (Rlack/Rlue Combo)

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Hole	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Out</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>In</u>	<u>Total</u>
Par	4	5	3	4	4	5	3	4	4	36	4	4	4	4	3	5	4	3	5	36	72
Yards	399	504	165	430	330	530	188	384	415	3,345	370	390	425	362	183	543	419	143	500	3,335	6,680
Pace	:14	:16	:13	:15	:14	:16	:14	:14	:15	2:11	:14	:14	:15	:14	:13	:16	:15	:13	:16	2:10	*4:25*

*A "turn time" of four (4) minutes will be added when going from $9 \rightarrow 10$ and $18 \rightarrow 1$ on both courses.

Course Ratings . 73 6/146