14TH MGA SENIOR PLAYERS' CHAMPIONSHIP



Island View Golf Club, Waconia, MN Tuesday-Thursday, June 18-20, 2013

Qualifying Fee: \$75; Exempt Fee: \$125 Entries Accepted: Monday, March 4, 2013 Entry Deadline: Monday, May 6, 2013

GENERAL INFORMATION

<u>Eligibility</u>

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 7.4 at the time of entry, and (4) must be at least 55 years of age as of June 18, 2013. 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.

Championship Format

The Championship format is 18 holes, match play.

Entry Fee

Players attempting to qualify will pay a **\$75 fee.** All successful qualifiers will pay an additional **\$50** Championship fee. All exempt players will pay the full **\$125 fee.**

Entry Deadline

Players are encouraged to enter all MGA events online through the MGA website – <u>www.mngolf.org</u>. Entry forms will not be accepted before Monday, March 4, 2013, but must arrive by Monday, May 6, 2013, 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 Entries with insufficient funds will be considered incomplete and will be withdrawn.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 may bring your own caddie if desired. Carrying your bag and the use of a pull cart, including motorized, is permissible. Motorized riding carts are permitted during all stages of the Championship; however, the MGA feels the use of such carts is contrary to the spirit of the game. Therefore, motorized carts should be used only by contestants physically unable to walk the course. Only motorized carts provided by the host facility may be used. Contestants are responsible for paying the appropriate fee for the use of such carts prior to play each day.

Practice Rounds

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



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EXEMPT PLAYERS

A. 2012 MGA Senior Players' Champion (#1 seed): David Kokesh, Bent Creek GC
B. 2012 MGA Men's Senior Player Point List: The 6 highest ranking players to enter from the 2012 Men's Senior Points list excluding the Defending Champion (refer to list below)
C. Host Club Exemption (1; #32 seed)

2012 MGA SENIOR PLAYER POINTS LIST

Leif Carlson, Hastings CC	245.0
Jon Empanger, Island View GC	182.5
LarryBarnacle, Sawmill GC	166.7
Mark Knutson, Hazeltine National	125.0
Richard Blooston, Edina CC	100.0
David Kokesh, Bent Creek GC	100.0
David Rehfeldt, StoneRidge GC	95.0
David McCook, Hastings CC	87.5
Patrick Vincelli, Brackett's Crossing	80.8
Terry Moores III, Twin Cities GC	75.0
James Price, Emerald Greens GC	75.0
SteveWhittaker, Pebble Creek GC	75.0
David Mooty, Minikahda Club	70.0
Don Howe, Olympic Hills GC	65.0
Tom Smith, Brackett's Crossing CC	65.0
Craig Hanson, Windsong Farm	60.0
Randy Garber, U of M Les Bolstad	50.0
Tim Gonsior, Golden Valley G&CC	50.0
Kevin Treacy, Northland CC	50.0

Bob Griesgraber, Indian Hills GC	40.0			
Skip Schultz, U of M Les Bolstad GC40.0				
Rick Frieburg, Monticello CC	35.0			
Dennis Barr, Brackett's Crossing C	C 30.0			
Mark Boettcher, Minneapolis GC	30.0			
Pete Hill, Eveleth Municipal GC	30.0			
Pat McBride, Virginia GC	30.0			
Charles Kost, Marshall GC	25. 0			
Bill Tadewald, Bunker Hills GC	25.0			
Gary Thalhuber, Minikahda Club	10.0			
John Fox, Braemar GC	7.5			
Craig Hanson, Medina G&CC	7.5			
John Juntilla, Links at Northfork	7.5			
Steve Love,	7.5			
Jim Strandemo, The Wilds GC	7.5			
Steve Hjortness, Eastwood GC	5.0			
Greg Mattson, Alexandria GC	1.7			

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Qualifying Sites (Maximum Field per Site: 84)	Exempt Player:		
May 20:The Refuge Golf Club (Oak Grove)May 20:Valleywood Golf Course (Apple Valley)May 20:Virginia Golf Course (Virginia)May 21:Gross National Golf Club (Minneapolis)May 22:Pioneer Creek Golf Course (Maple Plain)May 23:Blueberry Pines Golf Club (Menahga)	May 27: Montgomery National Golf Club (Montgomery) May 28: Soldiers Mem Field Golf Course (Rochester) May 29: Southbrook Golf Club (Annandale) May 29: Windom Country Club 9X2 (Windom) May 30: Greystone Golf Club (Sauk Centre)		
	fiers. If a site is filled prior to the close of entries, the MGA will Exempt players please check the spot allocated for exempt		

	Player Information	
NAME:		GHIN #: (The 18-hole Handicap Index limit is 7.4)
ADDRESS:		BIRTHDATE: (Must be BEFORE 6/18/1958)
CITY/ <mark>S</mark> T/ZIP:		GENDER: M F
PHONE:(H)	(W)	
E-MAIL:		
MEMBER OF:		

If you are interested in having tee time information sent to your cell phone in the form of a text message, please circle your carrier and include your cell phone number. (Please circle carrier)

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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 understand that I am a guest at the host facility and that many of the Rules Officials are volunteers. I also agree that there are certain risks inherent in the game of golf and accept personal liability for all such risks.

Player's Signature	ə:		Date:	
Date & Time	Database Date	Check #/Cash	Verified	Entry #