MWPGA 12th ANNUAL <u>MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP</u> Friday - Sunday, June 5-7, 2015 Bunker Hills Golf Course 12800 Bunker Prairie Rd. Coon Rapids, MN 55448 Phone: 763-755-4141 <u>Entry Close Date: Friday, May 22, 2015 at 4:30 p.m.</u> Entry Fee: \$98.00

Players should report to the registration table one half (1/2) hour before their scheduled starting time.

ENTRY FORM: Members must complete this official entry form or register online at www.mwpga.org.

ELIGIBILITY: Entries are open to female amateur golfers who: (1) are members of a MWPGA league prior to the Match Play Championship entry close date, and (2) have a current 18-hole USGA Handicap Index, computed under the GHIN system not exceeding 40.4 at the close of entries. The USGA definition of an amateur golfer is the standard of the MWPGA. All entries are subject to approval or rejection at any time by the Tournament Committee. Please contact your course to ensure it is an MWPGA league.

FORMAT: This tournament is an 18-hole match play format with consolation rounds. Contestants shall discontinue play when their match is decided. All players will be eligible at minimum to participate in matches on both Friday and Saturday.

FLIGHTS: The tournament committee will determine flights after the close of entries. Any ties in handicap indexes for the final flight position will be decided by a blind draw.

If there are more than 8 players registered with a handicap index of 5.9 or less, there will be 16 players placed in the Championship Flight, seeded by handicap indexes on Friday. There will then be double rounds on Saturday (morning and afternoon) for the Championship Flight and Championship Consolation. All finals will be on Sunday.

HANDICAP INDEX: The handicap index used for the event is the most current revision when flights are determined.

FIELD LIMITATION: The field will be limited to 80 players with the lowest USGA handicap index. Entries in excess of 80 will be held on an alternate list. Applicants will be notified if they are put on the alternate list.

TIES: In the event of a tied match, the winner shall be determined immediately by a hole-by-hole playoff restarting at Hole #1 with the stipulated round being extended to as many holes as are required for the match to be won.

STARTING TIMES: Players will be notified of starting times by mail or email. Starting times for Friday matches will begin at 1:00 p.m. Starting times for Saturday and Sunday matches will begin at 8:00 a.m.

CARTS AND CADDIES: Motorized carts, battery operated hand carts and pull carts are permissible. Requests for motorized carts must be made on this entry form with payment to be made by the player to the course on the event day. Caddies will not be available, but players may provide their own.

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Call the golf shop for availability. (See subsequent Notice to Competitors and/or **www.mwpga.org** for tournament course yardage, slope and rating.)

PRIZES: Flight winners will receive merchandise certificates at the conclusion of tournament play.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entry forms *including payment* must be received by 4:30 p.m. on the tournament entry close date. Enclose one entry per envelope. No phone or fax entries. Late or incomplete entries are not acceptable. Any fee incurred by the MWPGA resulting from insufficient funds check, along with the entry fee, must be paid before entry into further MWPGA events is allowed.

ENTRY WITHDRAWAL AND REFUNDS: Your entry fee, minus a \$15 administration fee, will be refunded if the MWPGA is notified before the close of entries. Fees will not be refunded after the close of entries.

TO QUALIFY YOU MUST BE A CURRENT MWPGA LEAGUE MEMBER

I am a member of the following MWPGA	A league: (REQUIRED):	
GHIN Number:	Handicap Index:	
Name:		
First	Initial	Last
Address:		
	Street	
City	State	Zip
Contact Number: ()	E-Mail Address:_	
Has any information changed since your	last event? 🗖 Yes 📮 No	\Box N/A – this is my first event
To guarantee a cart. it must be	reserved on this form.	Reserve a cart? Yes No

BY SUBMISSION OF THIS ENTRY I AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING STIPULATIONS

- I have read the Entry & Official Rules for participation. I agree to the MWPGA regulations. (See mwpga.org) • I have read and conform to the USGA Rules of Amateur Status. (See mwpga.org)
- I acknowledge that neither the MWPGA nor the host Club is responsible for any injury during the play of this event.
- I agree that this entry is subject to rejection at any time (including during the Championship) by the Tournament Committee. The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct.
- The MWPGA reserves the right to use any photographic/video image of any competitor taken at the Championship for its own media-related use.

Signature of Player: _____ Date: _____

 Make check payable to: Minnesota Women's Public Golf Association

 Mail entries to:
 MWPGA Match Play Championship

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