

94th MINNESOTA STATE JUNIOR BOYS' CHAMPIONSHIP

DETROIT LAKES CC- PINE TO PALM, DETROIT LAKES, MN

Monday-Tuesday, July 26-27, 2021

Local Rules and Information Sheet

RULES OF PLAY: All play is governed by the Rules of Golf, the MGA Terms of Competition, MGA Model Local Rules, Notice to Competitors, Entry Blank, COVID-19 Special Local Rules and the following local rules.

TEES: All competitors will play from the **MGA TEE MARKERS** (6,122 Yards).

FORMAT: 36 Holes, stroke play, with the lowest scorer being declared the champion.

The Championship may be shortened or a cut made if weather conditions do not allow for the entire Championship to be played.

PLAYOFFS: A tie for the Championship will be decided by a playoff on the course immediately following completion of the final round. Any playoff for second or third place will be determined by a matching of the final round scorecards according to USGA recommended policy found in the Appendix of the Rules of Golf for trophies or awards.

PRACTICE PUTTING: Is **NOT** permitted on the putting green of the hole last played per MGA Policy.

GROUND UNDER REPAIR: In addition to areas circled by white lines, the following are ground under repair:

- **Bunker Rule** – If a ball lies in a damaged area in a bunker (regardless of cause other than caused by the ball entering the bunker), relief may be taken without penalty in accordance with Rule 16.1c as long as relief is taken within the bunker and within one club length of the nearest point of complete relief, no nearer the hole and the ball must be dropped. This applies to lie of ball and area of intended swing only. NOTE: In the unlikely event there is no relief available without going closer to the hole, the player may go to the nearest point of relief and drop at that point, even if nearer the hole.

(1) All cultivated flower and shrubbery beds – **mandatory relief.**

PENALTY AREAS: Penalty Areas are defined by lines and identified by stakes.

DROPPING ZONES: Local Rule E-1.1 A Dropping Zone has been provided as an additional relief option for a ball in the clubhouse area (immovable obstruction) behind Hole #5 putting green. (Ball must be past the blue dots to use the DZ.)

OUT OF BOUNDS: Defined by white stakes, white lines, split rail fence, property fences and the inside edge of public roads. If a ball goes out of bounds and comes to rest on another part of the course, the ball remains Out of Bounds. When playing Hole #5, the fairway on Hole #1 and everything to the north (player's right when playing Hole #5) is Out of Bounds. The boundary ends when the fairway ends.

PACE OF PLAY: The Pace of Play Policy published on the Championship website.

RULES COMMITTEE: Bob Boldus and any MGA Rules Official.

STARTING TIMES: 1st round starting times are decided by random draw. 2nd round starting times will be decided by 1st round scores, with the leaders going out last in the afternoon wave. Play will be starting on holes #1 and #10. Players will be assigned either a morning or afternoon starting time.

TUESDAY STARTING TIMES: Starting times will be announced approximately an hour after play is concluded for day one. Please check www.mngolf.org for Day Two's starting times. A link will be placed on the Championship webpage to the Starting Times for Day Two. A text message and email will be sent out to participants. Please check with event staff to ensure correct information is included in your event profile.

