



100TH MGA SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

The Minikahda Club

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Monday-Wednesday, August 23-25, 2021



NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

CHAMPIONSHIP FORMAT: The Championship is a 54-hole stroke play event. Players will play 18 holes the first two days.

The low 48 scoring players plus ties, **regardless of division (Senior or Master)**, will continue and play an additional 18 holes on Day 3. The Overall Champion will be the player with the lowest 54-hole score regardless of division.

DIVISIONS: There will be three divisions: Senior Division (55-64), Master Division (65-74), and Grand Master Division (75 and up). Master and Grand Master Division Champions will be determined after 36 holes. The Senior Division Champion will be determined **after 54 holes**.

PLAY-OFF: In the event there is a tie for the Overall Champion, there will be a play-off immediately following the conclusion of play on a hole-by-hole basis until a Champion is determined. Any tie for first place within a flight will be determined by a scorecard playoff that follows the USGA recommendation of matching scorecards. (Best score for last nine holes, last six holes, last three holes, 18th hole).

PRACTICE ROUND: Practice rounds are available for **\$75 walking (\$25/rider for cart)**. Players must identify themselves as a Senior Amateur Championship player to receive this rate. This is limited to players only. Please call **Michael Congdon**, PGA Head Professional, at 612/924-4216 to schedule. Practice rounds available beginning Tuesday, July 20.

FOOTWEAR POLICY: As stated in the official entry form, the use of metal, traditionally-designed or ground piercing spikes are prohibited. Penalty for breach of this condition is **DISQUALIFICATION**.

PACE OF PLAY: The MGA Pace of Play Policy posted on the Championship homepage will be in effect.

DRESS CODE: AS STATED IN THE ENTRY FORM, THE DRESS CODE WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED. For all MGA competitions, players must be neat in appearance with respect to personal grooming and clothing. All males are required to wear shirts with collars and sleeves, and either golf slacks or Bermuda shorts, which measure no higher than 2 inches above their knees. The committee in charge shall decide whether this requirement has been met and will withdraw the entry of the player who does not comply.

STARTING TIMES: There will be **no** change in starting times other than by decision of the Committee due to weather conditions. Monday & Tuesday: #1 & 10 – 7:30-9:30a & 12-2p; Wednesday: #1 tee only – 7:30-10:00a

PRACTICE RANGE: Range balls will be provided on each day of the competition prior to play only.

FOOD & BEVERAGE SERVICE: On Monday, limited food & beverage service may be available. More information on this will be announced as it becomes available. On Tuesday (Day 2), a meal will be hosted by the MGA immediately following play for both AM and PM waves. Players in the PM wave will eat AFTER their round. Please do not eat prior to play. You will be able to get this meal to go if you do not wish to eat on site. Awards for the Master and Grand Master Divisions will be given at lunch. Master and Grand Master Divisions will play in the morning wave on Day 2. There will not be any organized food service on Wednesday.

POSTING SCORES: All scores recorded in this competition will be posted to GHIN as tournament ("T") scores. Do **not** enter these scores yourself.

CADDIES AND CARTS: You may rent a cart, carry your own bag, use a Minikahda pull cart or have a caddie. Players **may not** bring their own pull/push carts. Minikahda has push carts available for \$15/day.

Cart rental rates are \$25 per person per day. If you will be renting a cart, we need to know if you are willing to share or if you will need a solo cart. Be advised that if you elect to take a solo cart, you will pay for the full cart (\$50) per day. You may prepay for your cart through the online registration system. You are strongly encouraged to prepay for a cart as carts may be limited and prepaying is the only way you will have a cart **guaranteed** for your round.

If you elect to use a caddie, you may bring your own or use a Minikahda caddie. To reserve a Minikahda caddie, please contact **Michael Congdon**, PGA Head Professional, at 612/924-4216. Rates are \$80 per bag.

PRIZES: Trophies will be awarded to the Champion in each division for their permanent possession. Merchandise prizes will be awarded as determined by the Tournament Committee.

MGA SENIOR PLAYER OF THE YEAR POINTS:

1st: 125 3rd: 75 5th: 50 7th: 30 9th: 10
 2nd: 100 4th: 60 6th: 40 8th: 20 10th: 5

PRIORITY ENTRY LIST: Any player making the cut will earn a spot on the *Priority Entry List* for the 2022 event.

GOLF COURSE SETUP: The **Senior and Master Divisions** will play from the **Blue/White Combo** distance. The **Grand Master Division** will play from the **Green** distance as follows:

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COURSE/SLOPE RATINGS: Blue/White Combo (72.0/138); Gold (68.8/133)

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	3	5	4	3	5	3	5	36	4	3	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	37	73
Senior/Master (Blue/White)	311	416	153	514	308	191	506	206	515	3,120	421	180	390	556	476	391	365	339	383	3,501	6,621
Grand Master (Green)	279	372	126	453	279	154	434	169	393	2,715	364	160	320	466	440	321	326	262	333	3,011	5,726
Time	:14	:17	:12	:14	:16	:14	:13	:15	:14	2:09	:14	:13	:17	:14	:14	:13	:16	:15	:14	2:10	4:19

A four (4) minute "turn time" will be included for turning from 9→10 and 18→1.