

54TH MGA FOUR-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP DELLWOOD COUNTRY CLUB 29 E. HIGHWAY 96, DELLWOOD, MN 55110 TUESDAY-THURSDAY, AUGUST 25-27, 2015



NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

DIRECTIONS TO DELLWOOD CC: Click <u>HERE</u> for directions to Dellwood CC.

- **CHAMPIONSHIP PRACTICE ROUNDS:** Practice rounds are available beginning Tuesday, August 18, for the special rate of \$50 walking. Call the Golf Shop, 651/426-4733, to make arrangements.
- **LODGING INFORMATION:** Specific lodging arrangements have not been made; however, lodging options are available within a reasonable distance of the course.
- **FOOTWEAR POLICY:** The use of metal or traditionally designed spikes is *prohibited* at **Dellwood CC**. Breach of this condition: *DISQUALIFICATION.*
- COURSE LAYOUT & DETAILS: Specific course setup information is printed below.
- **PRACTICE RANGE:** The practice range will be open at least one (1) hour prior to the first starting time each day of the Championship, and range balls are provided free of charge prior to play.
- DRESS CODE: As stated in the official entry form, the MGA dress code will be strictly enforced. All shorts must be *Bermuda shorts*, which measure no more than two (2") inches above the knees. The dress code will apply to caddies as well. The player is responsible for the dress and actions of his caddie.
- **CADDIES AND CART:** Dellwood CC does not have caddies available. Contestants may bring their own caddies, carry their own bag or use a pull cart (including motorized). Motorized riding carts are prohibited during the Championship.
- **AWARDS LUNCH:** The MGA will provide lunch following play for all teams making the cut. Awards will be presented upon the completion of play.
- **RULE 31:** Four-Ball Stroke Play is in effect. According to Rule 31-4, hole scores recorded on the team's Official Scorecard MUST be <u>INDIVIDUALLY IDENTIFIABLE</u>. **All players should read the rule in preparation for the event!**
- **PLAY-OFF:** The Champion will be the team with the lowest score for the 36-Holes. Any tie for the Championship will be played off immediately, hole by hole, until the winner is determined (playoff holes are to be determined).
- **FINAL ROUND QUALIFIERS:** The top **13** teams plus ties from Tuesday and the top **23** teams plus ties from Wednesday (36 total) will qualify for the second and final 18 holes of four-ball stroke play on Wednesday. The exact number of teams from each day will be based on the number playing each day and will be finalized once entries have closed. Additionally, any team within **4 strokes** of the overall lead after the completion of the first round by all teams will qualify for the final round of play.
- **FINAL ROUND STARTING TIMES**: Final round play will start from the 1st & 10th tees with the leaders starting at 9:30 am from the 1st tee. Exact time of the first group will not be determined until the cut is made. Starting times should be available after 8 pm Wednesday on the MGA web site (<u>www.mngolf.org</u>).
- PACE OF PLAY: The posted Pace of Play Policy will be in effect.
- **POSTING OF TOURNAMENT SCORES:** Tournament scores *will* be posted for handicapping purposes. When entering scores on the official score card for a player who fails to complete a hole, please put the score the player *most likely would have made and an "X"* had the player completed the hole for example, "**7**x".

Hole	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Out	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	In	Total
Par	4	4	3	5	4	4	3	5	4	36	4	4	3	4	5	3	4	5	4	36	72
Yards	365	415	155	545	419	383	201	530	394	3,407	427	420	215	402	530	190	440	500	365	3,489	6,896
Time	:14	:15	:13	:17	:15	:15	:13	:17	:15	2:14	:16	:15	:14	:14	:17	:13	:16	:17	:14	2:16	4:30
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GOLD TEES (COURSE/SLOPE RATING: 74.1/144)

A four (4) minute "turn time" will been added to the pace of play when turning from $9 \rightarrow 10$ or $18 \rightarrow 1$.