

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION SHEET

GENERAL:

- * **FORMAT:** The Carter Cup is a one day 36 hole stroke play competition, with 18 holes being played on Baltusrol's Upper Course and 18 on the Lower Course.
- * The Pro Shop and Locker Room will be open at 6:30 AM.
- * The Practice Range will open at 6:30 AM.
- * **<u>REGISTRATION</u>**: Contestants must check in with the MGA upon arrival at the club.
- * **CELL PHONES:** The use of cellular phones (by players or spectators) **anywhere on club property is prohibited.** Your cooperation is expected.
- * **FOOTWEAR:** Baltusrol Golf Club prohibits the use of shoes with traditionally designed spikes (regardless of composition) or spikes, regardless of design comprised of metal will not be allowed. Penalty for breach of this condition may result in disqualification.
- * Player and spectators may not wear sandals or flip flops on club grounds.

GOLF COURSE AND LOCAL RULES:

- * Please check the Starter's Table for local rules established for each day of the Championship and the USGA website (<u>www.usga.org</u>) for a list of Approved Golf Balls for the competition.
- * The "One Ball Rule" <u>will</u> be in effect for the Championship.
- * The Local Rule permitting the use of **Distance Measuring Devices** will <u>NOT</u> be in effect.

STARTING TIMES:

We will be using a two tee start for the first round, any groups starting on the 10th tee will need to report to the registration table, (near locker room entrance), 25 minutes before your scheduled tee time.



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CADDIES:

* No caddies will be allowed. Players <u>must</u> carry their own bags.

FOOD SERVICE:

- * A buffet Breakfast will be provided from 6:30 am to 9:30 am
- * A buffet Luncheon will be provided between rounds

PACE OF PLAY:

* The MGA will be monitoring the pace of play during the Carter Cup and imposing penalties when necessary. Chronic slow play takes away much of the enjoyment of the game of golf and we ask your cooperation so that penalties need not be assessed.

AWARDS PRESENTATION & RECEPTION:

- * An awards presentation and reception will be held in the clubhouse following the conclusion of play on Wednesday, August 1st. This reception is <u>MANDATORY</u> for all contestants. Family members may attend as guests of the MGA Foundation & Baltusrol Golf Club.
- * <u>A JACKET AND TIE ARE REQUIRED</u> for the awards presentation and reception on Wednesday, August 1st. (For both players and guest, locker room will be available)
- * All contestants need to be present for a full field photograph and must report to the starter's deck (outside the men's locker room) 20 minutes after the conclusion of play.

Thank you for your cooperation.



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DIRECTIONS:

BALTUSROL GOLF CLUB Shunpike Rd., Springfield, NJ 07081 (973) 376-5160 Pro Shop-(973) 376-1900 Club

NJ Turnpike North or South to Exit 14 (I-78 West).

- Follow signs carefully to Route 24 West.

- * Proceed on 24 West to Millburn, Springfield, Summit exit.
- Keep right and bear right onto Broad St., going up and over Rte. 24.
- Proceed on Broad St. 0.5 miles to Orchard St., turn left.
- Proceed 1.0 miles (road name changes to Shunpike Rd.) to Blinker Light and Club entrance on right.

Garden State Pkwy. Northbound or Southbound to Exit 142.