



## 69<sup>th</sup> MGA Father and Son Championship

Cold Spring Country Club, Huntington, NY

Monday, July 1, 2019

# MEMORANDUM TO PLAYERS

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## **FORMAT – PINEHURST (18 HOLES, STROKE PLAY)**

Both partners tee off from their assigned tee and then each plays a second shot with the other's ball. After the second shot, a choice is made regarding the ball with which the hole will be completed. Alternating shots will be continued until the hole is completed. On par three holes, the choice must be made after the tee shots.

## **GENERAL**

- The Golf Shop and Practice Range (**225 yard max**) will open at 6:30 a.m. Range balls will be provided courtesy of the MGA.
- The Locker Room will open at 6:30 a.m. Players are encouraged to change their golf shoes in the Locker Room. Please do **not** change your golf shoes in the parking lot.
- The use of cellular phones is permitted **only** in the Locker Room and parking lot.

## **REGISTRATION AND START OF PLAY**

Players are requested to check in upon their arrival at the course. Contestants are to report to their assigned starting tees, ready to play, 10 minutes before their scheduled starting times. Caddie arrangements should be completed before players report.

## **PRACTICE ROUND**

There are no practice rounds available for the MGA Father & Son Championship.

## **DRESS**

Players must be neat in appearance with respect to clothing and personal grooming. Players and caddies must wear collared shirts. The wearing of jeans, cargo shorts, and cargo pants is prohibited. The Committee in charge decides whether this requirement has been met and has authority to withdraw the entry of a player who does not comply.

## **FOOD SERVICE**

- A continental breakfast will be provided by the MGA from 6:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in the Dining Room.
- Luncheon service will be provided by the MGA from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Dining Room.
- Players will **not** be permitted to stop to eat between nines.

## **CARTS/CADDIES**

- Players are **required** to use a motorized golf cart. The golf cart fee is \$70.00 (**cash or credit**) per team, payable in the Golf Shop.
- There is a limited number of caddies at Cold Spring Country Club. Players must contact Mark Lepera, Caddie Manager, at (631)-617-1398, to reserve a club caddie on a first-call basis. The caddie fee for the MGA Father/Son Championship for is \$80.00 per team, plus tip.
- Players may **not** carry their own bag.
- Pull carts are **not** permitted.

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## **PRIZES**

### **GROSS (Amateur) \***

Champions

Second Place

( \* ) teams may only win one prize.

### **NET (Amateur) \***

Low Net

### **PROFESSIONAL DIVISION**

Winners

## **LOCAL RULES**

- Please check at the starter's table for the Local Rules and the USGA website ([www.usga.org](http://www.usga.org)) for a list of approved golf balls & drivers for the competition.
- The "One Ball Rule" will **not** be in effect.

## **PACE OF PLAY**

It is a condition of the competition that "the Player shall play without undue delay and in accordance with any pace of play (POP) guidelines that the Committee may establish" and with the prescribed penalties for slow play. The MGA will be closely monitoring the POP at all MGA competitions. Chronic slow play takes away much of the enjoyment of the game of golf and we ask that you please be courteous of your pace. We appreciate your cooperation with the [MGA Pace of Play Policy](#).

## **IMPORTANT REMINDER**

- If it becomes necessary to withdraw prior to the date of the competition, please contact the MGA Championship Department at (914) 347-4653.
- If you must withdraw on the day of the event, please call the Cold Spring Golf Shop at (631) 367-3513 with a request that the message be immediately relayed to the MGA official-in-charge.

## **CLUB ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER**

### **COLD SPRING COUNTRY CLUB**

East Gate Drive, Huntington, NY 11743

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