



2021 George Sands Memorial Invitational
North Shore Country Club, Glen Head, New York
Monday, October 18th, 2021

MEMORANDUM TO PLAYERS

FORMAT

This event is an 18-hole, Four-Ball Stroke Play Competition. Prizes will be awarded to both the Championship and Senior (55+) divisions. In the event of a tie in either division, there will be a sudden death playoff immediately following the conclusion of play.

GENERAL

- All players are required to have their own face mask/covering while they are on property.
- Due to storm damage, the driving range **will not be available** for the event.
- The Locker Room and Golf Shop will be available at 8:00 a.m.

REGISTRATION AND START OF PLAY

Players are requested to check in upon their arrival at the course. Players are to report to their assigned starting tees, ready to play, immediately after the prior tee time has left the teeing area.

PRACTICE ROUND

There are **no** LIGA administered practice rounds.

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 LIGA from 8:00-11:00 a.m. outside the Golf Shop.
- Luncheon service will be provided by the LIGA following the conclusion of play outside of the 19th Hole.

CARTS/CADDIES

- There is an extremely limited supply of caddies at North Shore Country Club. Players must contact Caddie Manager, Mike Butler at caddymaster@nsccli.com, in advance to reserve a club caddie on a first call basis. The caddie fee for the Sands Memorial is \$100.00 per player (tip included).
- Players may bring their own caddie.
- Caddies are **not** permitted to carry bags; caddies will be provided a cart to drive their player's bags.
- Players may carry their own bag or use a pushcart (motorized push carts are permitted).
- Players have the option to take a motorized golf cart courtesy of the LIGA.

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LOCAL RULES

- Please check at the starter's table for the Local Rules and the USGA website (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. 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 Nick Roden, Manager of Championship Operations at (631) 624-6920.

CLUB ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER

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