



## Westchester Open Championship SQR

Salem Golf Club, North Salem, NY

Monday, May 9, 2022

# MEMORANDUM TO PLAYERS

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## **FORMAT**

This event is a one-day 18-hole stroke play competition. In the event of a tie for the last qualifying position(s), all ties will qualify.

## **GENERAL**

- The Golf Shop and Practice Range will open at 6:30 a.m. Range balls will be available to purchase for \$5.00 (**cash only**) payable in the Golf Shop. The Practice Range will be limited to shots no longer than **250 yards**.
- The Locker Room and Clubhouse will open at 6:30 a.m.

## **PRACTICE ROUND**

- Players have been accorded the courtesy of a practice round, click [here](#) for the Practice Round Notice.

## **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 and cart arrangements must be completed before players report.

## **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 WGA from 6:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. outside of the Golf Shop.
- Lunch will not be available
- Players will **not** be permitted to stop to eat between nines.

## **CARTS/CADDIES**

- Players **may use a motorized golf cart**. The golf cart fee is \$40.00 (**cash or check**) per person payable to Salem Golf Club
- There will be a limit of 2 golf carts per group. Players should be prepared to share a cart with another player.
- There are no caddies available at Salem Golf Club.
- Players may bring their own caddie.
- Players may carry their own bag.
- Players may use push carts.
- It is **strongly encouraged** that caddies wear shoes without spikes or tread.

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## **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 be **not** 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 WGA Championships. 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 Salem Golf Club Golf Shop at (914) 669-5551 with a request that the message be immediately relayed to the MGA staff-in-charge.

## **CLUB ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER**

**Salem Golf Club**  
**18 Bloomer Road**  
**North Salem, NY 10560**  
**Golf Shop - (914) 669-5551**

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