MEMORANDUM TO PLAYERS



2024 Long Island Mid-Amateur Championship sponsored by JBA Awards

The Bridge, Bridgehampton, NY • Wednesday, October 9 - Thursday, October 10, 2024

FORMAT

This event is a 36-hole stroke play competition with a cut to the low 40 players and ties after 18 holes. In the event of a tie after 36 holes, there will be a sudden death playoff immediately following the conclusion of play.

GENERAL

- The Golf Shop and Practice Range will open at 6:30 a.m. Range Balls will be provided courtesy of The Bridge.
- The Locker Room will open at 6:30 a.m. Players must change their golf shoes in the Locker Room.

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

Click here for Practice Round Notice.

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 7:00 9:30 a.m. each day of the Championship.
- Luncheon service will be available for purchase on Day 1 from 11:30 a.m. 3:00 p.m. (<u>cash only</u>). All players will be guests of the LIGA for lunch on Day 2 (spectators and caddies should be prepared to pay cash only.)
- A special invitation is extended to all competitors who make the cut to attend the awards reception immediately following the conclusion of the final round on Thursday, October 10.
- Players are encouraged to bring reusable water bottles to utilize refill stations on the golf course.
- Players will **not** be permitted to stop to eat between nines.

CADDIES

- There is a limited supply of caddies at The Bridge. Players may reserve a club caddie with Caddie Manager, Chandler Dunning by text only at (912) 996-0777 on a first-text basis. The caddie fee for the 2024 LIGA Mid-Amateur Championship is \$200.00 (including tip) per round. Club caddie arrangements must be made by October 4th at 3:00 p.m.
- Players may bring their own caddie.
- Players may carry their own bag.
- Players are permitted to use pull carts.

LOCAL RULES

- Please check at the starter's table for the Local Rules and the USGA website (<u>www.usga.org</u>) for a list of approved golf balls & drivers for the competition.
- The "One Ball Rule" will be <u>NOT</u> 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 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 Justin Wexler, Manager of Championships, at (203) 561-1750.

CLUB ADDRESS

THE BRIDGE

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