



MEMORANDUM TO PLAYERS 74th Father & Son Championship

Springdale Golf Club, Princeton, NJ • Monday, August 12, 2024

FORMAT: PINEHURST (18 HOLES, STOKE 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 will open at 7:00 am.
- The Locker Room will open at 7:00 am.
- The use of cellular phones is permitted only in the Locker Room or 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

Players have been accorded the courtesy of a practice round and **must** contact the Golf Shop at **(609) 921-8790** to make arrangements on a first-call basis. The cost of the practice round is **\$82.50** per person plus a cart fee if you choose to take one. Practice rounds are available on the following days **after 10:00 a.m.:**

- Tuesdays
- Wednesdays
- Thursdays

There will be limited availability and no guest allowed. Standard club policies apply. Players are **only** permitted to use the practice facilities of Springdale Golf Club on the day of their scheduled practice round and arrive no earlier than one hour before their scheduled practice round.

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 7:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the clubhouse.
- Luncheon service will be provided by the MGA from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on the patio.
- Players will **not** be permitted to stop to eat between nines.

Please note that lunch will be available from 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. and due to the event being a first tee start, certain tee times will be on the golf course during lunch. Players should plan accordingly based on their tee time to ensure that they're able to have either breakfast or lunch on site.

CADDIES

- Players are **required** to use a motorized golf cart. The golf cart is included with registration.
- There is no caddie program at Springdale Golf Club.
- Players may **not** carry their own bag.
- Players are **not** permitted to use pull carts.

PRIZES

GROSS (Amateur) *

Champions
Second Place

NET (Amateur) *

Low Net

PROFESSIONAL DIVISION

Winners

(*) teams may only win one prize.

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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.**
- Distance Measuring Devices will **be permitted.**

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 and USGA 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 Springdale Golf Shop at **(609) 921-8790** with a request that the message be immediately relayed to the MGA official-in-charge.

CLUB ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER

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