



Memorandum to Players
105th Westchester Amateur Championship SQR
Mahopac Golf Club, Mahopac, NY • Thursday, June 6, 2024

FORMAT

This event is a one-day 18-hole stroke play qualifying round, followed by match play for 31 players (Amateur Division). If necessary, to determine the qualifiers* there will be a sudden death playoff which will begin immediately at the conclusion of play. All players should keep informed as to the time and status of any playoff.

*The first alternate(s) will be determined by a playoff if applicable. If there is no playoff for the final qualifiers, alternate(s) will be determined by USGA matching of cards.

GENERAL

- The Golf Shop and Locker Room will open at 6:30 a.m.
- The Practice Range (**Irons Only**) will open at 6:30 a.m. Range Balls will be provided courtesy of Mahopac Golf Club.

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** MGA 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 MGA from 6:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in the Grill Room.
- Luncheon service will be available to purchase (**Cash or Sign Back only**) in the Grill Room from 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- Players will **not** be permitted to stop to eat between nines.

CADDIES

- There are **no** caddies at Mahopac Golf Club.
- Players may bring their own caddie.
- Players may carry their own bag.
- Motorized golf carts are **not** permitted.
- It is **strongly recommended** that caddies wear shoes without spikes or tread.
- Players are permitted to use a pull cart.

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 Condition of Competition ("Groove Rule") will be in effect.
- The "One Ball Rule" will **not** be in effect.



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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 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 Mahopac Golf Shop at (845) 628-9335, with a request that the message be immediately relayed to the MGA official-in-charge.

CLUB ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER

MAHOPAC GOLF CLUB

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