

## FORMAT

This event is a one-day 18-hole stroke play qualifier at Metropolis Country Club. If necessary, to determine the qualifiers and/or alternates, 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.

## GENERAL

- The Golf Shop and Practice Range will open at 6:30 a.m. (**225 yard maximum**)
- The Locker Room will open at 6:30 a.m. Players are encouraged to change their golf shoes in the Locker Room. Please do **not** change your golf shoes in the parking lot.
- The use of cellular phones is permitted **only** in the Locker Room and inside a car in the 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.

## 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. on the Terrace.
- Lunch will be available for purchase for \$30.00 for on the Terrace (**cash or sign back only**) from 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- Players will **not** be permitted to stop to eat between nines.

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

## CARTS/CADDIES

- There is a limited number of caddies at Metropolis Country Club. To reserve a club caddie, players must contact Ryan Jensen at [metropolis@caddiemaster.org](mailto:metropolis@caddiemaster.org), The caddie fees for the 44<sup>th</sup> U.S. Senior Open Championship Qualifier is \$120.00 (plus tip included).
- Players may bring their own caddie.
- Players may carry their own bag.
- Players are **not** permitted to use push carts.
- Players are **not** permitted to use golf carts.
- Caddies are **strongly encouraged** to wear shoes without spikes or tread.

## **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 WGA Championship Department at (914) 347-4653.
- If you must withdraw on the day of the event, please call Sean Corrison at (551) 795-6965.

## **PRACTICE ROUND**

Please click [here](#) for the practice round notice

## **CLUB ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER**

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**White Plains, NY 10607**  
**Golf Shop – (914) 949-0491**

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