

Minnesota Public Golf Association
59th Annual State Senior Public Links/Senior Low Net Championship
Highland National Golf Course
July 17-18, 2010

ELIGIBILITY: This championship is open to amateur players who are members of a men's club that is a member of the Minnesota Public Golf Association, carry an active GHIN handicap and are at least 50 years of age as of July 17, 2010.

FORMAT: The Tournament will be divided into four divisions. The Championship Division (#1) will be elective and played at stroke play, no handicap (gross). The remaining three divisions will be established based upon the player's handicap index and competition will be at net stroke play. The cumulative 36-hole score will be the player's score for the tournament. If a tie occurs for first place, a sudden death playoff (all divisions) will take place. Trophies will be awarded to the low gross winner in the Championship Division and to the low net winners in the three handicap divisions. A 65 and over low gross trophy will be awarded regardless of division played in.

Merchandise prize certificates will be awarded in all four divisions. MGA player points will be awarded in the Championship Division. Handicaps for the net divisions will be verified by the Tournament Committee and the appropriately handicaps will be applied after adjusting to the slope rating of the golf course. The Committee may adjust handicaps in accordance with USGA approved procedures. (See Knuth Points definition on www.mpga.net).

COMPETITION: Each entrant must select one Championship in which to participate. If no selection is made on the application form, he will be placed in the Handicap Division.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries must be received at the MPGA Post Office Box not later than July 2, 2010. Accepted entries will be posted on our website www.mpga.net.

ENTRY WITHDRAWAL AND REFUNDS: Entry fee will be refunded if the MPGA is notified before the close of entries. Fees will not be refunded after close of entry.

RULES: USGA rules govern all play except as amended by the committee. Rangefinders may be used for distance measurements only. The MPGA Code of Conduct policy and dress code is in effect (reference www.mpga.net)

STARTING TIME: Saturday's pairings/starting times will be **e-mailed** to each entrant prior to the tournament. These starting times will be posted on the MPGA web site once they are available. On Sunday – Division 1 & 2 will play in the AM and Division 3 & 4 will play in the PM. Please report to the registration table at least 20 minutes prior to your starting time and to your starting tee at least 10 minutes prior to your starting time, ready to play. Rule 6-3a (note) is in effect.

POWER CART RENTAL: Use of a power cart is permissible. To reserve a cart call Highland national at (651) 695-3774.

MGA PLAYER POINTS: MGA Player Points will be awarded to each player in Division I only, as follows: 1st-50, 2nd-40, 3rd-30, 4th- 20, 5th- 15, 6th- 10 and 7th- 5 points.

FOR QUESTIONS REGARDING YOUR ENTRY: Contact the MPGA at (651) 452-6394 or visit our website at WWW.MPGA.NET.

Co-Chairman: Charles Thompson (651) 222-2263 e-mail <artcharles0000@msn.com> or Ron Pofperl (763) 300-4466 e-mail <ron.pofperl@gmail.com>.

Accepted entries will be posted on the MPGA web site (www.mpga.net) on a periodic basis.

RETAIN THIS PORTION OF THE ENTRY FORM

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Entry Fee: \$65 per Player

I elect to compete in: _____ **Championship division**
_____ **Handicap divisions**

Club Number 45 - _____ **-1 GHIN #** _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Member Club: _____

Work Phone (_____) _____ Home Phone (_____) _____

Age on July 17, 2010: _____ Date of Birth: _____

* E-Mail Addr: _____

* - Required for pairing/starting time notification (Please print clearly)

Signature: _____

I have read the USGA rules of amateur status. I conform with these rules in every respect. By signing and submitting this entry to this MPGA competition, I confirm that I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the MPGA Code of Conduct policy.

Mail entry to: MPGA Seniors
P.O. Box 22171
Eagan MN 55122

Entry Fee: **\$65**

Make check payable to: Minnesota Public Golf Association

If you wish to play with another entrant in the same Championship on Saturday please include his entry form with your entry in the same envelope.

For MPGA Use Only:

Player No: _____ **Check No:** _____ **Date Received:** _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS PORTION OF THE ENTRY FORM TO THE MPGA ALONG WITH YOUR ENTRY FEE.