





35TH MGA MID-AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP INDIAN HILLS GOLF CLUB / FOREST HILLS GOLF CLUB TUESDAY-THURSDAY, AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 1, 2022

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

LODGING: No lodging has been arranged for the Championship.

- **FORMAT:** All players entered in the Championship will play 36 holes stroke play (1 round on each course –Indian Hills and Forest Hills) over the two days Tuesday, August 30, and Wednesday, August 31, to qualify 60 players plus ties for the third and final round Thursday, September 1, to be played at Indian Hills. The Champion will be the player with the lowest total score for 54 holes. A tie for the Championship will be played off immediately, hole by hole, until the winner is determined.
- **<u>RULES OF PLAY:</u>** All play is governed by the <u>Rules of Golf</u>, the <u>MGA Terms of Competition</u>, the <u>MGA Tournament</u> <u>Player's Information sheet</u>, entry form and any Local Rules established and printed on the *Hole Location/Local Rules Sheet*.
- **<u>REGISTRATION</u>**: Please check-in daily at the registration table. Please be at your starting tee immediately after the group in front of you has left the tee.
- **ELECTRONIC MEASURING DEVICES:** These devices are *permitted* in all MGA championship competitions; however, any function that measures more than point-to-point are not permitted. Use of such function is the *General Penalty* for the first offense and *disqualification* for the second.
- **PACE OF PLAY:** The MGA Pace of Play Policy posted on the MGA web site and at the starting tees of each golf course will be in effect. Players are expected to know and abide by the posted policy.
- **<u>STARTING TIMES</u>**: There will be no change in starting times other than by decision of the Committee due to weather conditions. The starting times will be as follows:

Tuesday: Starting times will begin at 8:00 am from the 1st tee at both courses. **Wednesday:** Starting times will begin at 8:00 am from the 1st tee at both courses. **Thursday:** Starting times will begin at 8:00 am from the 1st tee.

- **PRACTICE ROUNDS:** Practice rounds are available. To schedule, please call the course directly and identify yourself as an MGA Mid-Amateur contestant. Rate may vary according to day and time you choose to play or times may be restricted according to member play.
- **PRACTICE RANGE:** The practice range at both clubs will be open one (1) hour prior to the first starting time each day of the Championship. Range balls will be provided for you before play each day courtesy of the MGA.
- PRACTICING BETWEEN ROUNDS (Model Local Rule I-1): Rule 5.2a is modified in this way: A player must not practice on the competition course before or between rounds. Thus, after finishing your first round, you may NOT go and play the other course prior to the second round.
- **LUNCH AT FOREST HILLS:** The MGA is providing lunch for all players on the day they play Forest Hills. The time(s) lunch will be served will be determined once the starting times have been established.
- **DIRECTIONS TO INDIAN HILLS GOLF CLUB:** Click **HERE** for directions to Indian Hills. (NOTE: There is construction on Hwy 36; please plan accordingly.)
- **DIRECTIONS TO FOREST HILLS GOLF CLUB:** Click **HERE** for directions to Forest Hills.

- **DRESS CODE:** The Minnesota Golf Association dress code will be strictly enforced. **All players** and **caddies** must be neat in appearance with respect to personal grooming and clothing. Players must wear collared shirts and golf slacks or Bermuda shorts measuring no higher than two inches above the knees. Jeans or jean shorts ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE! The Committee shall decide whether this requirement has been met.
- **FOOTWEAR:** Both Indian Hills Golf Club and Forest Hills Golf Club **prohibit** the use of shoes with metal or traditionally designed spikes. All participants must honor this policy during the competition. Penalty for breach of this condition: *DISQUALIFICATION*.
- **<u>CADDIES AND CARTS</u>**: Caddies will be permitted as is carrying your own bag and the use of pull-carts, including motorized pull carts. **The use of motorized riding carts is prohibited during the tournament**.

HOST CLUB INFORMATION:

Indian Hills Golf Club 6667 Keats Avenue N Stillwater, MN 55082 Golf Shop: (651) 770-2366 Web site: <u>https://www.ihgolf.com/</u> Manager: Mike Regan Host Professional: Chad Gustafson Superintendent: James Westendorf Forest Hills Golf Club 7530 – 210th Street N Forest Hills, MN 55025 Golf Shop: (651) 464-3097 Web site: <u>https://foresthillsgc.com/</u> Manager/Host Professional: Todd Kueppers Superintendent: Keith Peterson

<u>COURSE DETAILS</u>: The tentative course set-up details are as follows. (The MGA reserves the right to modify these as necessary when doing the final set-up.)

Indian Hills Golf Club (Blue)

Hole	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Out</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>In</u>	<u>Total</u>
Par	4	5	3	4	5	4	3	4	4	36	4	3	5	4	3	4	4	4	5	36	72
Yards	390	538	163	376	570	415	175	436	407	3.470	373	193	497	371	173	415	438	433	480	3.373	6,843
Pace	:15	:17	:13	:14	:17	:15	:13	:15	:15	2:14	:14	:13	:17	:14	:13	:15	:15	:15	:17	2:13	*4:31*

Course Ratings: 72.6/126

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Forest Hills Golf Club (Blue)

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Hole	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Out</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>In</u>	<u>Total</u>
Par	4	4	3	4	5	3	4	5	4	36	3	4	4	3	5	4	5	4	4	36	72
Yards	434	383	210	351	487	182	452	542	320	3.361	134	361	349	164	553	392	504	310	386	3,153	6,514
Pace	:15	:14	:14	:14	:17	:13	:15	:16	:14	2:12	:12	:14	:14	:13	:17	:14	:16	:14	:14	2:08	*4:24*

*A "turn time" of four (4) minutes will be added when going from 9→10 on both courses.