2025 MGA 2-Man Best Ball Tournament Southern Hills Golf Club

April 5 - 6 2025

- The Format of Play is 36 holes over two days, two-man teams. Each player will play his own ball. Only the best score on each hole will count. Flights will be assigned based on team handicap.
- ♦ Each player will receive handicap per hole based on the difficulty listed on the scorecard. Handicaps will be determined as of Sunday, March 31, 2025. Handicap is determined by (Current MGA Average, minus 72 X 80%). Handicaps are rounded to whole numbers. Max handicap per player is 18.
- You will be allowed to lift-clean-and place ball within one club length in your own fairway only.
- ♦ 14 club rule will not be enforced.
- Range finders are allowed.
- Because this is a Net event, the maximum score on any given hole will be Net Double Bogey/ Triple bogey.
- Prizes will be awarded based on the Low Net Team Score (best score per hole).
- ◆ Entry fee will be \$50 per player if paid by March 31, 2025. Entries paid after March 31, 2025 will be \$60 per man. A portion (\$5 each day) of the entry fee will be designated for Net Skins. Net Skins will be treated as "Team Skins" thus a teammate cannot "cut" a skin.
- Players will play from their normal tees. Seniors (age 60 and over) will play White tees; Super Seniors (age 70 and above) will play Black tees; Legends (age 80 and above) will play Black tees on even holes and Red tees on odd holes. Non-Seniors (age 59 and below) will play Blue tees.
- For <u>first place</u> ties, there will be a sudden death chip off. Monies will be split for other places.
- ♦ Exchange scorecards within your pairing group. Each scorecard must be signed and attested. Please turn scorecards in as soon as you finish. PLEASE enter gross score for each player and enter best net score for a hole below for the team.

RULES OF PLAY

Play is governed by the current USGA Rules of Golf and its Decisions and where applicable by the following Local Rules, Conditions and Definitions. Appendix 1 refers to the Appendix of Local Rules and Conditions of the Competition in the current Rules of Golf Book. All MGA rules apply. Unless otherwise specified, the penalty for breach of a Local Rule or Condition is two strokes in Stroke Play.

Ground Under Repair: Enclosed white line areas define ground under repair. The white lines are considered in ground under repair. Other areas of ground under repair, even though not so marked include:

- a. French drains (trenches filled with stones or the like); Fire ant beds or mounds.
- b. Root rule applies.
- c. Sod seams (for lie of ball only) to be treated as an embedded ball through the green
- d. Areas where recent trees have been removed will be treated as Ground Under Repair even if not marked. Both teams in a foursome must agree that a ball lies in such area.
- e. All fairway and greenside bunkers will be played as rake and place.
- f. Ruts to the right of number 7 fairway will be treated as GUR. Both teams must agree that the washed-out rut interferes with stance or ball.

Please remember this is supposed to be a FUN event. Show respect for other golfers by raking bunkers and repairing ball marks. Please play "**ready golf**" so we can finish in a reasonable amount of time (4 hours).

In case of inclement weather, all teams should meet at the clubhouse and the BOD will make the decision whether play is cancelled.