22nd NEBRASKA MID-AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP Awarii Dunes Golf Club, Axtell August 29-30, 2020

PLAYER INFORMATION MEMO

Thank you for entering the 22nd Nebraska Mid-Amateur Championship. We welcome you and trust you'll enjoy the experience of playing Awarii Dunes Golf Club in a championship conducted by the Nebraska Golf Association.

The following information will help answer questions and explain many details before arriving on site in Fremont. Please keep this memo for reference.

LOCATION

Awarii Dunes Golf Club 524 S Road Axtell, NE 68924 (308) 743-1111

Club Manger - Jeff Perdew Director of Golf - Chad Lydiatt Superintendent - Brad Childress

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, August 29	
7:00 a.m.	Practice Areas Open
7:00 a.m10:00 a.m.	Player Registration
8:00 a.m10:00 a.m.	Round One, 18-Holes (#1 & #10 Tee Start)

Sunday, August 30

7:00 a.m.	Practice Areas Open
7:00 a.m10:00 a.m.	Player Registration
8:00 a.m10:00 a.m.	Round Two, 18-Holes (#1 & #10 Tee Start)
Following Play	NGA Hosted Lunch & Awards Presentation

COVID-19 CHAMPIOSHIP GUIDELINES

Please review the NGA COVID-19 Championship Guidelines for full information on our guidelines in addition to this document. These guidelines can be found on the NGA website here: <u>nebgolf.org/nga-covid-19-championship-guidelines/</u>.

CHAMPIONSHIP WEB SITE

Complete championship information is available at the official Nebraska Mid-Amateur Championship web site <u>nebgolf.org/nebraskamidamateurchampionship</u>. Included are links to tournament history, course set-up, groupings and starting times, real-time scoring updates and media.

PRACTICE ROUNDS

To make arrangements for a practice round at a time convenient to the club contact Awarii Dunes Golf Club at (308) 743-1111. Practice round rate is \$20 if walking and \$35 if taking a cart.

PLAYER REGISTRATION

Registration will be located in front of the entrance to the pro shop one hour prior to the first start time each day of the championship. Players <u>ARE REQUIRED</u> to check in prior to starting play each day for COVID-19 screening assessment before they will be allowed access to the facility.

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CADDIES

Caddies are permitted.

<u>CARTS</u>

Automotive transportation (cart) is permitted. If a player has not pre-registered for a cart he should contact the NGA office to make a reservation because sufficient carts may not be available. <u>One (1) player per cart will be allowed.</u> Caddies will be allowed to ride in a cart with the player. Pull/push carts are permitted.

PRACTICE FACILITIES

Practice areas will open one hour prior to the first start time. Range balls are complimentary and will be available on the practice field.

SCORING

Scorecards will not be used during the championship. Digital (online) scoring will be used in place of scorecards through the USGA Tournament Management (USGA TM) app. Players are asked to download the USGA TM app prior to the start of their first round. Complete instructions on how to download the USGA TM app, login, and keep score will be sent to players prior to the start of the championship. Upon completion of the round players will enter the designated scoring area to review and verify their scores verbally with the scoring official.

ON-COURSE AMENITIES (WATER & SNACKS)

Bottled water will be available for players and caddies on #1 and #10 tees. Snacks, i.e. fruit, energy bars, etc. will not be available anywhere on the golf course. Players are encouraged to bring their own water bottle and snacks for consumption during their round.

SPECTATORS

Spectators are allowed and encouraged to maintain proper social distancing. **SPECTATOR CARTS WILL NOT** be available during the championship.

FORMAT

Stroke Play - 36-holes. Following the first round, the championship field will be separated into flights based upon first round score. All contestants remain eligible for the overall title of Mid-Amateur champion regardless of flight.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, First Round, 18-holes. 8:00 a.m. 1/10 tee

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, Second Round, 18-holes. 8:00 a.m. 1/10 tee

Lowest score for 36-holes will be champion. A tie for first place in the Championship flight only will be played off immediately, hole-by-hole, until a winner is determined.

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

If you must withdraw, notify the NGA office immediately. Please call Justin Ahrens at (402) 505-4653, ext. 104 or at (402) 380-1916 beginning Friday, August 28. Failure to comply may render you liable to disqualification from future NGA Championships.

FOOD & BEVERAGE

The clubhouse will be open for food and beverage service each day of the championship.

DRESS CODE

Players must be neat in appearance with respect to clothing and personal grooming. The Committee in charge shall decide whether this requirement has been met, and has authority to withdraw the entry of a team that does not comply. <u>No</u> <u>jeans</u> or jean shorts.

FOOTWEAR

Awarii Dunes Golf Club is a spikeless club and, therefore, spiked shoes will not be allowed. Penalty for breach of the spikeless rule is disqualification.

PERSONAL EFFECTS

Please take care of your valuables. Neither Awarii Dunes Golf Club nor the NGA can assume responsibility for articles lost or stolen.

PRIZES WINNER: Custody of championship trophy, gold medal, championship money clip. RUNNER-UP: Crystal trophy. MERCHANDISE PRIZES: To Be Determined.

STARTING TIMES

See the pairings link on the championship web site following the close of entries for your assigned starting tee for round one. Round two starting times will be available following round one. It is your responsibility to be present at your assigned starting tee and ready to play at the assigned time.

SCORE POSTING

All scores will be posted for handicap purposes. Players should not post these scores individually.

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COURSE SET-UP

Hole	Par	Yardage	Alternate Yardage
1	5	604	
2	3	196	163
3	4	424	
4	4	362	
5	3	199	177
6	4	404	264
7	4	404	
8	4	429	364
9	5	539	
Out	36	3,561	
10	4	365	
11	3	189	157
12	5	587	
13	3	127	
14	5	508	
15	3	225	199
16	4	373	
17	4	435	397
18	5	612	
In	36	3,421	
Total	72	6,982	