



22nd NEBRASKA SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP
Norfolk Country Club
August 27-28, 2020



MEMORANDUM TO PLAYERS

Thank you for entering the 22nd Nebraska Senior Amateur Championship. We welcome you and trust you'll enjoy the experience of playing Norfolk Country 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 Norfolk. Please keep this memo for reference.

LOCATION

Norfolk Country Club
1700 Riverside Blvd.
Norfolk, NE 68701
(402) 379-1188

General Manager - Mr. Jeff Kuhn
Director of Golf - Mr. Tom Johnson
Superintendent - Mr. Cody Maple

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, August 27

7:00 a.m. Practice Areas Open
7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Player Registration
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Round 1 Starting Times, Tees 1 & 10

Friday, August 28

7:00 a.m. Practice Areas Open
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Round 2 Starting Times, Tees 1 & 10
Following Play Hosted Lunch & Awards

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: nebgolf.org/nga-covid-19-championship-guidelines/.

CHAMPIONSHIP WEB SITE

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

PRACTICE ROUNDS

Can be arranged by contacting the pro shop at Norfolk CC (402) 379-1188. The fee is \$35 (walking) and \$53 (including cart). Available at a time convenient to the club beginning August 1st. ***Exception:** No practice rounds available after 12:00 p.m. on Tuesdays.

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 **ARE REQUIRED** 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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HANDICAP INDEX

Handicap Indexes as of the August 20th revision will be used in the calculation of Playing Handicaps for Net scoring.

CADDIES

Caddies are permitted.

CARTS

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. **One (1) player per cart will be allowed.** 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 be used during the championship. Digital (online) scoring will also 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 before your round on #1 and #10 tees, as well as, #5 and #13 tee. 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.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, First Round, 18-holes.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, Second Round, 18-holes.

CHAMPIONSHIP: Golfers 50-57 and those 58 and older that elect to play from the championship tees will be eligible for the championship division.

AGE DIVISIONS: In addition to the championship, players will compete in both gross and net competitions in the following age groups: 50-57; 58-64 and 65 & older.

PRIZES

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION

WINNER: Gold Medal, championship money clip, crystal trophy and custody of the Nebraska Senior Amateur Championship trophy.

AGE DIVISIONS

WINNER OF EACH DIVISION (50-57; 58-64; 65 and over): Trophy.

GROSS & NET MERCHANDISE PRIZES: To Be Determined

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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 Wednesday, August 26. Failure to comply may render you liable to disqualification from future NGA Championships.

STARTING TIMES

Round one groupings and starting times are available through the championship web site (see next page) or by linking below. Round two starting times will be based on first round gross scores within divisions. It is your responsibility to be at your assigned starting tee early. An official clock will be present on the 1st tee with unofficial clocks in all practice areas.

Round One Groupings and Starting Times

nebgolf.org/nebraskasenioram/#pairings

PLAYER LUNCHEONS

The NGA will host lunch for all contestants following play Friday.

FOOD & BEVERAGE

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

PERSONAL EFFECTS

Please take care of your valuables. Neither Norfolk CC nor the NGA can assume responsibility for articles lost or stolen.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE

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 player who does not comply. Shorts may be worn but jeans or denim shorts are not allowed. No Metal Spikes.

SCORE POSTING

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

COURSE SET-UP

The course set-up for each division is a hybrid of various yardages from the club's scorecard. We'll use the following tee colors when setting up the course for the championship:

NGA Tees - Age 50-57 & those 58 and older that wish to compete for the championship

Blue Tees - Age Division 58-64

Gold Tees - Age Division 65+

Golfers in the 58-64 and the 65+ divisions are eligible for the overall championship by competing from the NGA (Championship) tees. Golfers that choose this option remain eligible for prizes in their respective division. A play-off required to determine the winner of either the 58-64 or the 65+ divisions will take place from their assigned tournament tee (58-64 Blue tees; 65+ Gold tees).

Hole	Par	50-57 Championship Tees	58-64 Middle Tees	65+ Forward Tees
1	5	542	510	491
2	4	392	367	353
3	4	361	342	320
4	3	195	176	155
5	4	415	395	330
6	5	540	490	465
7	3	151	140	118
8	4	382	346	337
9	4	387	347	340
Out	36	3,365	3,113	2,909
10	4	327	315	295
11	5	529	509	460
12	4	387	338	317
13	4	372	358	338
14	3	175	160	155
15	4	361	335	330
16	4	370	344	317
17	3	164	146	131
18	5	546	520	469
In	36	3,231	3,025	2,812
Total	72	6,596	6,138	5,721