

57th NEBRASKA MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

Country Club of Lincoln June 24-28, 2024



PLAYER INFORMATION MEMO

Thank you for entering the 57th Nebraska Match Play Championship. We welcome you and trust you'll enjoy the experience of playing the Country Club of Lincoln 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 Lincoln. Please keep this memo for reference.

LOCATION

Country Club of Lincoln 3200 South 24th Street Lincoln, NE 68502 (402) 423-2271

General Manager - Mr. Tom McKitterick Director of Golf - Mr. Nick Muller Superintendent - Mr. Ryan Krings

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, June 24

7:00 a.m.	Practice Areas Open
7:00 a.m10:00 a.m.	Player Registration (Morning Wave)
8:00 a.m10:00 a.m.	Round One, Stroke Play Qualifying Starting Times (Morning Wave)
12:00 p.m3:00 p.m.	Player Registration (Afternoon Wave)
1:00 p.m3:00 p.m.	Round One, Stroke Play Qualifying Starting Times (Afternoon Wave)

Tuesday, June 25

7:00 a.m.	Practice Areas Open
8:00 a.m10:00 a.m.	Round Two, Stroke Play Qualifying Starting Times (Morning Wave)
1:00 p.m3:00 p.m.	Round Two, Stroke Play Qualifying Starting Times (Afternoon Wave)
Approx. 7:30 p.m.	Play-Off, if necessary

Wednesday, June 26

6:30 a.m.Practice Areas Open7:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.Round of 32 Match Play2:00 p.m.-3:10 p.m.Round of 16 Match Play

Thursday, June 27

6:30 a.m.	Practice Areas Open
7:30 a.m8:00 a.m.	Quarterfinals
12:30 p.m12:40 p.m.	Semifinals

Friday, June 28

6:30 a.m.	Practice Areas Open
7:30 a.m.; 12:00 p.m.	36-Hole Final

CHAMPIONSHIP WEB SITE

Complete championship information is available at the official Nebraska Match Play Championship web site – <u>https://www.nebgolf.org/nebraskamatchplay</u>. Included are links to tournament history, course set-up, groupings and starting times, real-time scoring updates and the match play bracket.

PRACTICE ROUNDS

See separate attached memo from Director of Golf, Nick Muller.

REGISTRATION

Registration will be located near the Performance Center on Monday, June 24th from 7:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. (A.M. Wave) and 12:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. (P.M. Wave). Players <u>ARE REQUIRED</u> to check in prior to starting their first round.

CARTS

Automotive transportation (cart) is permitted. If a player has not pre-registered for a cart he should contact the NebGolf office to make a reservation because sufficient carts may not be available. <u>Maximum of two (2) carts</u> per group will be allowed. Under no circumstances will three (3) carts be allowed in a group. Players should expect to be paired up for cart use. Caddies will be asked to walk if carts are occupied by players.

CADDIES

Caddies are permitted.

PRACTICE AREAS

Practice areas will open one hour before the first start time each day of the Championship. Practice balls are complimentary and will be available on the practice range.

IMPORTANT NOTE: During the stroke play qualifying rounds (June 24-25), players will be required to practice from the mats to protect the grass.

The practice range will close at 3:00 p.m. each day of the championship.

FORMAT

A) Stroke Play – 36-holes stroke play to determine 32 qualifiers for match play. A tie for the last qualifier's place shall be decided immediately by a hole-by-hole play-off beginning on hole #1 unless otherwise determined by the Committee.

MONDAY, JUNE 24, 18-holes TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 18-holes

B) Match Play – General numerical draw will be used. For purposes of determining places in the draw, ties in qualifying rounds shall be decided by a blind draw, except that places of those participating in a play-off shall be determined by the order on the public scoreboard summary and by performance in the play-off.

WEDNESDAY A.M., JUNE 26, First Round, 18-holes WEDNESDAY P.M., JUNE 26, Second Round, 18-holes THURSDAY A.M., JUNE 27, Quarterfinal Round, 18-holes THURSDAY P.M., JUNE 27, Semifinal Round, 18-holes FRIDAY, JUNE 28, Final, 36-holes

In the event of a tied match, (a) the winner shall be decided immediately by a hole-by-hole play-off and (b) the stipulated round is deemed to extend to as many holes as are required for a match to be won.

SCORING

Scorecards will be used during the championship. Either one player or caddie in each group will be required to enter hole-by-hole scores digitally via an electronic device (cell phone) through the Golf Genius app. Players are asked to download the Golf Genius app prior to the start of their first round. Complete instructions on how to download the Golf Genius app, login, and keep score will be at the starter's table. Upon completion of the round players will enter the designated scoring area to review, verify and sign their scorecards.

PRIZES

WINNER: Custody of championship trophy, gold medal, championship money clip and a framed match play bracket.

RUNNER-UP: Trophy and silver medal.

LOWEST QUALIFYING SCORE: Bronze medal; if a tie, duplicate medals will be awarded. MERCHANDISE PRIZES: To Be Determined.

SPECTATORS

Spectators are allowed. Spectator carts <u>WILL NOT</u> be available during the stroke play qualifying rounds of the championship. Carts will be allowed, based on availability, for spectators to rent during the match play rounds.

FOOD & BEVERAGE

The Performance Center will be open for food and beverage service each day. They accept <u>cash only</u> as a method of payment.

ON-COURSE AMENITIES (WATER & SNACKS)

Bottled water will be available for players and caddies on #1 and #10 tees, as well as, the #5 and #14 tees. Snacks, i.e. fruit, energy bars, etc. will be available on the #1 and #10 tees.

FOOTWEAR

The Country Club of Lincoln 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 the Country Club of Lincoln nor NebGolf can assume responsibility for articles lost or stolen.

STARTING TIMES

See the pairings link on the championship web site for your assigned starting tee and time for both rounds of stroke play qualifying. Match play seedings and match starting times will be available following the stroke play qualifying rounds. 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.

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

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

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COURSE SET-UP

Hole	Par	Yardage	Alternate Yardage
1	4	340	
2	4	293	
3	4	322	
4	4	388	
5	3	176	146
6	4	361	
7	4	420	
8	5	504	
9	4	335	
Out	36	3,139	
10	3	159	144
11	5	578	
12	3	225	174
13	5	542	
14	3	166	143
15	4	432	
16	4	366	
17	5	536	
18	4	364	
In	36	3,368	
Total	72	6,507	



Golf Genius (GG) Mobile Scoring App

Scoring will be done electronically through the Golf Genius app. Players are asked to install this app on their mobile device prior to the start of qualifying.

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Go to your app store on your Android or iPhone. Search "Golf Genius". Download the app.
- 2. When you receive your printed scorecard, open the mobile app on your phone.
- 3. Enter the GGID found on the bottom of your printed scorecard. (Do not enter your email or any password)
- 4. Click on your name.
- 5. Enter the correct GROSS score for all of the players.
- 6. After scores are entered for a hole, click "Save Scores". You will be directed to the next hole.
- 7. To view the leaderboard, click on "Leaderboard" on the top right.



Welcome to Country Club of Lincoln for your Nebraska Match Play Championship practice round!

GUEST INFORMATION:

Country Club of Lincoln is committed to providing all guests with a great Club experience. Please review our Club policies below.

FEES/PLAY DAYS:

Players registered for the event will be charged a fee of \$100. Guests not registered for the event will be charged a fee \$150. Cart fees are additional for each player. Practice rounds will be allowed starting on May 16th. Tee times can be booked up to five days in advance on Saturday & Sunday after 1:00pm, Monday after 2:00pm and at various times throughout Tuesday-Friday. Please contact the Golf Shop to make your reservation, keep in mind the times stated above are not guaranteed and are at the discretion of the Director of Golf.

ARRIVAL:

Please utilize the bag drop upon arrival. Our Outside Service Staff will assist you to the golf shop and locker room. We kindly request all guests to change clothing/shoes in the locker room. Please register with the Golf Shop prior to playing your practice round.

GUEST PRIVILEGES:

Guest fees and Food & Beverage charges can be charged to a member's account, back to another approved club or paid in cash. We do NOT accept credit card for these fees. Merchandise in the golf shop can be paid for by cash, credit card, or billed back to another approved club.

PACE OF PLAY:

Players will be responsible for maintaining a pace of play within the Club guidelines. All rounds shall be completed in four hours or less. The Golf Shop will supply you with an official Scorecard with hole by hole finish times. If a group falls behind on their finish times the marshal will require you move into the correct position on the course.

Fairways & Greens,

Nick J. Muller PGA Director of Golf Country Club of Lincoln