

16th MWGA SENIOR FOUR-BALL TOURNAMENT

July 19-20, 2010
Ridgeview Country Club
700 W Red Wing Street, Duluth 55803
Golf Shop (218) 728-3285

Sr 4-Ball

ELIGIBILITY

Entries are open to teams consisting of 2 amateur golfers who were female at birth, are MWGA members who will be 50 years of age by July 19, 2010, who meet the other requirements stated under Handicap Regulations and Limitations, and who are in good standing with the MWGA. Entrants may or may not be members of the same club.

HANDICAP REGULATIONS AND LIMITATIONS

1. Only a USGA Handicap Index computed under the MGA Handicap Program is acceptable.
2. The individual handicap index of an entrant shall not exceed 39.0. The difference between the two team members' individual handicap indexes may not exceed 10.0.
3. The handicap as of July 1 revision date will be used for eligibility and flight placement.

FIELD LIMITATION

The field will be limited to 100 teams based on the lowest team member's handicap index. Any ties for last position will be settled by a blind draw. If the field is oversubscribed, an alternate list will be developed. Applicants on this list will be notified.

Applicants may substitute one player for another prior to the tournament deadline by withdrawing the original application and reapplying. After the tournament deadline, player substitution may occur by submitting a new entry form. The substituted player must have a handicap equal to or greater than the lower handicap of the twosome and must meet all eligibility requirements. Substitutions must be received in the MWGA office two business days before the start of the tournament.

SCHEDULE

PRACTICE

ROUND: Contact the golf shop for availability.

MON-JULY 19: First Round - 18 holes of four-ball stroke play.
Reception, compliments of the MWGA, to follow play.

TUE-JULY 20: Second Round - 18 holes of four-ball stroke play.

ENTRIES

FORM: Entrants may use official entry form in this yearbook or register online at www.MWGA-online.org.

FEE: \$80.00 per MWGA entrant-\$160.00 per team. One check per team, payable to MWGA Senior Four-Ball.

MAIL TO: MWGA Senior Four-Ball
6550 York Ave S, Suite 211
Edina, MN 55435-2333

TIME LIMITS: **Entries must be received no later than Wednesday, July 7.**
Entries that are received late or incomplete may be accepted on a best efforts basis.

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TOURNAMENT FORMAT

OPEN DIVISION

Teams having a player with an individual handicap index of 8.9 or less shall play in the Championship Flight from the MWGA blue tee markers. All others will be placed in flights according to the lower individual handicap index of the team and play will be from the MWGA white tee markers.

MASTERS DIVISION

Available to teams in which both players are at least 65 years of age. Format will be net best ball stroke play for 36 holes.

CHAMPION

The Champion shall be the team in the Open Division Championship Flight having the lowest gross better ball stroke play score for 36 holes. Any tie shall be played off immediately in a unit of three holes. If the teams are still tied, there shall be a sudden death play-off until a championship team is determined.

TROPHIES AND PRIZES

Each member of the Champion team will be presented a trophy which will be in her possession for the ensuing year with the stipulation that the trophy shall remain in the State of Minnesota. Medals and gift certificates will be awarded as determined by The Committee.

****MWGA DRESS CODE POLICY WILL BE ENFORCED****

Tournament entries are subject to approval or rejection at any time (either before or during the tournament) by The Committee at its discretion. All play is in accordance with the USGA Rules of Golf. All decisions by The Committee in any matter concerning this tournament shall be final.

STARTING TIMES for tournament play will be mailed to entrants and posted on the web site by the Wednesday preceding the tournament. For further information, contact the MWGA Women's Coordinator at (952) 345-3961.