



Sheeran Trophy
The Bay Club at Mattapoisett
Mon or Tues October 15 or 16, 2018



Player Information Sheet

The Bay Club
2 Bay Club Drive
Mattapoisett, MA 02739
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Format: Spousal Foursomes. One spouse must be a female. Teams of two; 18 holes selected drives, alternate shot at 40% of combined handicaps. If the difference between the partners' course handicaps exceeds 15 strokes then the higher handicap will be adjusted. In the event of a tie for first place (low gross), the champions will be decided by USGA recommended match of cards.

Historical Context of Tournament: The Sheeran Trophy originated in 1959, and was renamed in 1972 when its trophy was presented to the WGAM by Dr. and Mrs. Paul Sheeran of Winchester Country Club.

Rules of Play: The 2016 Rules of Golf are in effect and are supplemented by the [Mass Golf Hard Card](#). The Committee will provide any additional Local Rules needed at the tournament site. It is the individual player's responsibility to know the Conditions of the Competition.

Policies & Procedures: Please refer to the Mass Golf [Policies & Procedures](#) page.

Golf Carts, Caddies and Pull Carts: Golf carts are included in the Championship entry fee. Players are **strongly encouraged** to use golf carts during the tournament round. Caddies and/or push carts are permitted.

Time of Starting - 9:30 a.m. Shotgun Start. Please be at your golf cart and ready to play at 9:15 a.m.

Tees: Men will play from the Black Mass Golf tee markers with approximate yardage of 6,355 yds. Women will play from Blue Mass Golf tee markers with approximate yardage of 5,082 yds.

Practice Facilities: The use of practice facilities is included in entry fee and will be open at 8:00 a.m.

Rest Rooms: Located in Pro Shop, Golf House and Halfway Café (9th-10th, 15th tee).

Food & Beverage Services: A buffet lunch will be provided by Mass Golf for all competitors upon completion of the round. A bar will be open- credit card only.

Prizes: The winners of this event have the lowest gross score and their names will be engraved on the permanent trophy. Merchandise certificates will be awarded - only redeemable at the host site.