



# Massachusetts Open Qualifying

Kernwood Country Club

May 21, 2018

## Player Information Sheet



**Kernwood Country Club**

1 Kernwood Street

Salem, MA 01970

(978) 745-1210

Click [here](#) for directions

**Format:** 18 holes, stroke play qualifying. The top **12 qualifiers and ties** will move on to the championship proper at GreatHorse in Hampden, MA on June 11-13, 2018. The number of qualifying spots is subject to change based on any withdrawals prior to the competition.

**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 championship 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](#).

**Distance Measuring Devices:** A player may use devices that measure or gauge distance only. Penalty for breach of this condition: Two stroke penalty for the first breach, disqualification for second breach of Rule 14-3.

**Golf Carts:** Golf carts are permitted for use during the qualifying round and are available at the player's expense - \$30.00. (Cash or Check – **NO Credit Cards**). Caddies and push carts are permitted. As a reminder, carts are **NOT** permitted in the championship proper.

**1<sup>st</sup> Tee Time:** Play will begin at 7:30am, in groups of three, at ten-minute intervals, off the 1<sup>st</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> tees. Please be sure to be at **your starting tee at least 10 minutes prior** to ensure that all proper instructions are received from the starter.

**Tees:** Approximate yardage for the Qualifying Round will be 6,400 yards (Blue Tees).

**Practice Round:** A practice round can be scheduled by calling the golf shop and introducing yourself as a competitor in the qualifying round: **(978) 745-1210 x2**. There will be a MANDATORY cart/trail fee of \$30.00. (Cash or Check – **NO Credit Cards**).

**Dates Available: Based on Availability**

**Club Facilities:** The golf shop and clubhouse will be available at 6:30am. Breakfast will NOT be available on site. Lunch will be available beginning at 11:30am at the player's expense (**Cash Only**). The halfway house (located at the 8<sup>th</sup> tee) will also be available on a (**Cash Only**) basis.

**Practice Range:** Will be open and available at 6:30am – **IRONS ONLY**

**Score Posting:** All scores from individual stroke play events (qualifiers & championships proper) will be automatically posted to a player's Mass Golf/USGA Handicap Index by the Mass Golf staff.

**Official(s) in Charge: Jack Taymore & Bob Griffin**