



2018 Senior Championships



Monday August 27th - A & B Classes
Tuesday August 28th - C, D & E Classes
[Player Information Sheet](#)
Acushnet River Valley Golf Course
685 Main Street
Acushnet, MA 02743

Format: 18-hole stroke play in class divisions for Mass Golf members 55 years of age or older as of August 27, 2018.

Historical Context of Tournament: In 1946, the WGAM Senior Bowl, presented by Margaret and Harriot Curtis, was given to the Senior Championship overall low gross scorer. In 1958, a second trophy was added, presented by Mrs. M.E. Philbrick, to the Senior Championship low net scorer (now known as the Philbrick Trophy). In 1980, the age of eligibility was raised from 50 to 55 years of age. In 2010, the WGAM Board of Directors inaugurated the Gerry Baker Legend's Trophy to be presented to the overall low gross and overall low net for players age 70 or older.

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. Walking/carrying/ push carts permitted.

Time of Starting – Tee times starting at 7:30 each day. Pairings by index. Please report to the first tee at least 10 minutes before starting time.

Tees: From Mass Golf Markers: A, B Classes from approximately 5,404 yds. The pro shop will have a scorecard with the yardages for the A & B Classes. A mixture of club's green & white tees.
C, D, & E Classes from approximately 5099 yds from the club's green tees.

Practice Facilities: The use of practice facilities is included in entry fee and will be open at 6am.

Rest Rooms: Located at clubhouse and 15th hole. **Water:** At Holes 5, 8, 12, 15, & 17.

Food & Beverage Services: A boxed lunch will be provided by Mass Golf for all competitors at the completion of the round or at the turn. Food and beverages will be available for purchase in the clubhouse starting at 6:15 am -cash or credit card.

Prizes: Awards: Beginning in 2016, the Senior Championship will be two independent tournaments, one tournament for Classes A&B, one tournament for Classes C,D&E. Each tournament will have its own gross champion. **Senior Bowl:** Permanent trophy engraved with name of overall low gross winner for Classes A&B, and engraved with name of overall low gross winner for Classes C, D & E. A tie for overall low gross necessitates a sudden death playoff. **Philbrick trophy:** permanent trophy engraved with name of overall low net winner(s) for Classes A&B, and engraved with name of overall low net winner(s) for Classes C, D & E. Ties broken by USGA recommended method (match of cards). **Each Class:** Champion's name will be engraved on permanent trophy. Trophies given to champion of each Class. Merchandise Prize certificates will be awarded for low the two gross scores in each class – ties to be decided by USGA recommended method (match of cards). These certificates are must be redeemed at host course. **Gerry Baker Legends Trophy:** Of the players each day, the person 70 years of age and older (on or before August 27, 2018) who score the overall low gross and low net will have their name engraved on the Gerry Baker Legends Trophy. Ties will be honored. Merchandise Prize Certificate also awarded to be redeemed at host course.