



**The Mother-Daughter & Member-Junior Tournament
Highfields Golf & Country Club
Wednesday August 15, 2018**



Player Information Sheet

Historical Context of this tournament: In February of 1997 the WGAM decided to take over the State Mother/Daughter Championship which had been run by the Women's South Shore League form many years.

Format: Divisions 1 & 2: 18-Hole Foursomes, Chapman Format with 60% of lower course handicap plus 40% of higher course handicap. Division 3: 9-Hole Foursomes, Chapman Format

What exactly is Chapman Style?

1. Both players (A and B) **HIT** their own ball off the tee
2. For the second shot **YOU SWITCH:** A hits B's ball and B hits A's ball
3. You then **SELECT** which ball to play until it is in the hole. (If it is A's original ball, A hits third shot. If it is B's original ball, B hits the third shot)
4. You then **ALTERNATE** shots **USING THAT SAME BALL** until it is in the hole

In the case of ties in each Division: A match of cards with USGA suggested method will be used to determine winner whose name will engraved on the permanent trophy.

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 tournament entry fee. Players are **strongly encouraged** to use golf carts during the tournament round. Caddies and/or push carts are permitted.

Time of Starting: Play will begin at **8:30 am** in foursomes off of the **1st tee**. Please make sure to be at your starting tee at least **10 minutes prior** to your starting time to ensure that all proper instructions are received from the starter. The clocks at the 1st tee are the official time.

Tournament Tees: Approximate yardage for the Women (Members' Green Tees): 5266 yds and for Girls 13 & Under (Members' Red Tees) 4864 yds

Hole Placement: Club's Red Flag-Front, White-Middle, Blue-Back

Practice Range: Range is available and balls are complimentary. Irons Only.

Food & Beverage Services: Lunch is included for all competitors after the round in the snack bar to the left of the Pro Shop. Additional food and beverage services will be available at the snack bar throughout the day. Cash or Credit

Weather Warning: Handled by Staff **Shelter Locations:** None

Drinking Water: Tees 4, 7, 13 & 16

Restrooms: Clubhouse, 5, 7, & 15

Scoring: Please return your scorecards upon completion of your round to the scoring area in the snack bar.

Prizes: Champions (low gross) of each division will have their names engraved on the permanent trophies & trophies award. Prize Certificates may only be used at host clubs.