

39th Four-Ball Championship The International May 13-14, 2019



Player Information Sheet

The International 159 Ballville Road Bolton, MA 01740 (978) 779-6911

Format: Four-Ball Stroke Play. 18 holes played each day. In the event of a tie for first place, a hole-by-hole play-off will commence immediately following the close of competition on the Pines Course (Holes #10, 16 & 9).

Rules of Play: The 2019 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 sites. It is the individual player's responsibility to know the Terms of the Competition. A side's score to count must be <u>individually identifiable</u>. Partners that do not make a score on any particular hole should mark an "X".

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 Championship rounds. Caddies and/or push carts are permitted.

Starting Times: Can be found on the <u>Massachusetts Four-Ball</u> home page. 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.

Practice Round

Available Dates (tee times will be subject to availability)

- Beginning April 20th and running through May 12th
 - O Weekdays after 11:00am & Weekends after 2:00pm
- Access to each course (Pines & Oaks) will vary, depending on the current aeriation and course closure schedule (please inquire with the golf shop for particular course availability).
 - The Oaks Course closed on 4/23 for aerification. Competitors will only be permitted to ride the Oaks Course until it reopens upon further notice.
 - Mass Golf will notify all competitors when the Oaks Course reopens for practice round availability.

Notes

- Please contact the golf shop at (978) 779-1347 and identify yourself as a competitor in the field to schedule a practice round.
 - Practice rounds MUST be scheduled in advance (no walk-ups will be permitted).
- There will be a MANADATORY \$30 cart/trail fee, per player, for their practice round.
- Discounted practice rounds are for COMPETITORS ONLY and only one ball may be played per competitor.
- All competitors will be permitted ONE discounted practice round per golf course (Oaks and Pines).
- Competitors should plan to use the practice range for no more than 15 minutes ahead of their scheduled practice round starting time.

Championship Tees: Approximate yardage for the Championship Courses: Oaks Course: 6,700 yds. & Pines Course: 6,800 yds.

Practice Facilities: The practice range will be open and available starting at 6:30am each day. The practice range will close each day at 3:00pm

Food & Beverage Services: A luncheon (sponsored by Mass Golf) will be available for all competitors from approx. 11:00am to 3:00pm, on Monday, May 13th. Additional food and beverage services (including light breakfast services at 6:45am) will be available on May 13th & 14th at the players expense (cash or credit).

Prizes: The Four-Ball Trophy will be presented to the Champions. Gold medals and merchandise certificates will be awarded - only redeemable at the host site.

Official-in-Charge: Henry St. Cyr