



Please read the information below carefully as several changes have been made to CSGA standard operating procedures in order to ensure a safe environment for all competitors, host staff, volunteers, and CSGA staff.

#### General Information:

The Rules of Golf as adopted by the United States Golf Association govern play. This information sheet, the CSGA Hard Card and any site-specific Local Rules and Conditions of Competition sheets are supplements to the Rules of Golf. Local Rules of the host course do not apply.

#### Traffic Notice:

In addition to being an extremely busy area of the state, there is also road construction taking place along all roads leading to the Country Club of Farmington. Please take these traffic conditions into consideration when planning your departure/arrival time.

#### Schedule of Events:

Tuesday, August  $29^{\text{th}} - 18$  holes of stroke play. Players with the low 36 scores, including ties, will advance. Wednesday, August  $30^{\text{th}} - 36$  holes of stroke play. Round two will be an 8:30am shotgun. Players will be repaired based on their 36-hole total and round three will be a shotgun at approximately 1:30pm.

#### **Registration:**

Players must check in at the player registration table located outside the golf shop upon their arrival.

## Practice Rounds:

The Country Club of Farmington is offering a practice round on the following dates and times: August 16<sup>th</sup> anytime, August 21<sup>st</sup> after 1:00pm and August 22<sup>nd</sup> all day. The cost of a practice round is \$50, includes the use of a cart and must be paid via *CASH ONLY*. To schedule a practice round please contact a member of the professional staff at (860) 677-1754.

#### Practice Range:

The practice range will be available each day of the tournament beginning at 6:30am. The range is located at the far end of the course off of Waterville Road. It is recommended that players drive their vehicle to the range and then return to the clubhouse prior to their starting time. No carts will be available at the range. Waterville Road can be extremely busy throughout the day so please allow enough time to travel to and from the range. Range fees are courtesy of the CSGA.

#### Caddies & Push Carts:

The use of a caddie is permitted. The use of a push cart is permitted only for round one.

#### Golf Carts:

Carts are permitted but not required for round one. The cost of a cart for round one is not included in the entry fee. Players will be required to share a cart for round one. For rounds two and three, the use of a single rider golf cart is mandatory with the cost being included in your entry fee.

#### Course Setup:

The Country Club of Farmington will play as a par 71 at approximately 6,450 yards with a time par of 4 hours and 26 minutes.



# Food & Beverage:

Lunch will be available to all contestants each day. Lunch hours will be limited to the hours of 11am-3pm on Tuesday. Lunch will be available for all players between rounds two and three. The cost of the lunch is included in your entry fee.

## Attire:

Proper golf attire is required at all times by players, caddies and spectators. Shorts must be Bermuda length. Shirts must have a collar and be tucked in. Jeans of all kinds, cargo pants/shorts, tee shirts and tank tops are prohibited. Hats must be worn in a traditional manner.

# Footwear:

Rule 4.3a is modified in this way: During a round, a player must not wear shots with traditional spikes (that is, spikes having single or multiple points designed to penetrate deeply into the surface of the ground (regardless of whether made of metal, ceramic, plastic, or other materials)) or spikes of any design that are entirely or partially made of metal, if such metal may come in contact with the course.

# Trophies & Prizes:

The Champion will have his name engraved on the permanent Connecticut Mid-Amateur Championship trophy. The champion and runner-up will receive a keepsake replica trophy. Additionally, low finishers will receive merchandise credit redeemable at the Country Club of Farmington. Ties for any other position other than Champion will be decided by round three score first, and then as follows until the tie is broken: the combination of rounds two and three, the back nine of round three, the last six holes of round three, the last three holes of round three and the final hole of round three.

# Withdrawals:

You must contact the CSGA at (860) 257-4171 if you must withdraw from this championship. A competitor who fails to notify the CSGA of his withdrawal may be subject to disciplinary actions. If you need to withdraw any time after 5:00pm on Monday, August 28<sup>th</sup>, you can send your withdrawal via email to Ryan Hoffman at <a href="https://www.no.com">rhoffman@csgalinks.org</a>

