



Massachusetts Amateur Qualifying

Marlborough Country Club

June 8, 2017



Player Information Sheet

Marlborough Country Club

200 Concord Road

Marlborough, MA 01752

(508) 481-5340

Click [here](#) for directions

Format: 18 holes, stroke play qualifying. The top **10 qualifiers and ties** will move on to the championship proper at Charles River Country Club in Newton Centre, MA on July 10-14, 2017. The number of qualifying spots is subject to change based on any withdrawals prior to the competition.

Rules of Play: The 2017 Rules of Golf are in effect and are supplemented by the MGA 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 MGA [Policies & Procedures](#).

Distance Measuring Devices: A player may obtain distance information by use of a distance-measuring device. If, during a *stipulated round*, a player uses a distance-measuring device to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g., elevation changes, wind speed, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3. 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 - \$20/per player. As a reminder, carts are **NOT** permitted in the championship proper.

1st Tee Time: Play will begin at 8:00am, in groups of three, at nine-minute intervals, off the 1st and 10th 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 6,500 yards (Black Tees).

Practice Round: A practice round can be scheduled by calling the golf shop and introducing yourself as a competitor in the qualifying round: **(508) 481-5340**. For players choosing to ride during their practice round, there will be a cart fee of \$20/player.

Dates Available: 5/25 (anytime), 6/1 (anytime), 6/4 (after 2:00pm)

Club Facilities: The golf shop and clubhouse will be available at 7:00am. The snack bar near the pro shop will be open at 8:00am and lunch will be available beginning at 11:00am at the player's expense.

Practice Range Facilities: Will be open and available at 7:00am.

The practice range is limited to 160 yards – ONLY short iron shots will be permitted

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

Official in Charge: David Fite