



Massachusetts Amateur Qualifying Willowbend (Bay/Bog)



Player Information Sheet

Willowbend (Bay/Bog)

100 Willowbend Drive

Mashpee, MA 02649

(508) 539-5600

Click [here](#) for directions

Format: 18 holes, stroke play qualifying. The top **11 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 2016 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 - \$25.50/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 (Gold Tees – Bay/Bog Course).

Practice Round: A practice round can be scheduled by calling the golf shop and introducing yourself as a competitor in the qualifying round: **(508) 539-5600**. There will be a MANDATORY cart of \$25.50/player for their practice round.

Various dates and time are available based on the clubs schedule.

Club Facilities: The golf shop and clubhouse will be available at 7:00am. Breakfast will NOT be available on site. Lunch will be available beginning at 11:30am at the player's expense.

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

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: Jim Horvath