

97th Resorters Invitational Tournament

Sunday July 29 – Saturday August 4, 2018
Alexandria Golf Club - Alexandria, MN

Dear Resorters Participants,

The Resorters Tournament annually brings together friends, family and outstanding golfers to compete on one of the finest golf courses in the state of Minnesota.

Significant improvements to last year's Resorters were implemented to address pace of play and make the tournament a terrific experience for participants and spectators. Feedback from last year's tournament was extremely positive and input from many of our long time participants was that it was "the best Resorters ever!"

In addition to the strict pace of play policy we implemented in 2017, and will continue this year, we also made some key changes to some of the flights. As a reminder, these are summarized below and will continue for 2018:

- Sunday Practice Round Eliminated. All entrants will be eligible to play one practice round prior to the Resorters at a discounted rate of \$40.
- Men's Regular / Championship Flight Qualifying will begin on Sunday, July 29th with a 7:30 am Shotgun Start
- Men's Regular Flight entrants will have the option to qualify for Regular Flights ONLY or Championship Flight.
- Entrants electing to qualify for Men's Regular Flights ONLY will play 18 holes of qualifying on Sunday and then be seeded in a flight to begin match play. (Limited to first 48 entrants)
- Entrants electing to qualify for Men's Championship Flight will play 36 holes of qualifying (Sunday Shotgun Start and tee times on Tuesday). Following the 36-hole qualifying, 32 players will be seeded in the Championship Flight and 16 will be seeded in the 1st Flight. The remaining players will be cut.
- A Women's Executive Flight was added and will continue for 2018. Although we had limited participation last year, we will continue to have the Women's Executive Flight for 2018 and monitor the participation this year to determine if we continue it for 2019 or replace it with a different flight option

While we are thrilled the changes we implemented last year resulted in significant improvements to the event, we are also aware that we can continue to make improvements to make the tournament better. Some of the enhancements to this year's event will include:

- Electronic Scoring – We have invested in new software to provide electronic scoring which can be viewed on monitors in the clubhouse and on mobile devices. We believe this will make it more exciting for spectators and participants.
- Long Drive Contest – We will be adding a Long-Drive Contest to be held Monday, July 30th. This should be a fun event for competitors and provide spectators with an opportunity to see some of the talented "long ball hitters" who participate in the tournament.
- \$50 Pro Shop Certificate for all Championship Flight qualifiers missing the 36 hole cut - Last year all Championship Flight qualifiers who did not finish in the top 48 (32 Championship Flight and 16 First Flight qualifiers) were cut and received a voucher for a free round of golf. This year, the 36-hole cut will continue to be implemented although each player missing the cut will receive a \$50 Pro Shop gift certificate rather than a free round of golf to be used at a later date. This change was based on input from participants.
- We will also be implementing some minor match play scheduling changes to improve efficiency and pace of play.

97th Resorters Golf Tournament Official Entry Form

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Date: _____ Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Home Club: _____ Handicap: _____

Birth Date: _____ Age: _____ Occupation: _____

Preferred Phone: _____

***** AGC members in the Ladies & Men's Divisions receive a \$50 discount for Entry*****

_____ \$250 Men's Regular (Check Regular Flights Only or Championship Flight)

_____ I elect to qualify for Regular Flights ONLY. I understand I will play 18 holes of qualifying and then be seeded into a flight for match play.

_____ I elect to qualify for Championship Flight. I understand I will play 36 holes of qualifying and be seeded into the Championship Flight if I am in the top 32 and if I qualify 33rd - 48th I will be seeded into the 2nd Flight. I also understand if I don't qualify in the top 48, I will be cut from match play and receive a \$50 Pro Shop gift certificate.

_____ \$250 Men's Executive – 35 and Older on July 28th

_____ \$250 Men's Senior – 50 and Older on July 28th

_____ \$250 Men's Masters – 65 and Older on July 28th

_____ \$250 Women's Regular

_____ \$250 Women's Executive – 35 and Older on July 28th

_____ \$150 Junior Division – 13-15 years of age on July 28th

_____ \$100 Junior Division – 10-12 years of age on July 28th

_____ \$75 Cart Tracking Fee for the week if you bring your own cart

* \$25 Daily Private Cart Trackage Fee (You will receive a sticker for proof of payment)*

Putting Tournament – Wednesday August 1st, 5:30 PM (Pay Day of Event)

* Long Drive Contest – Monday July 30th, 6:00 PM (Pay Day of Event)*

Make checks payable to "**Resorters Tournament**" and mail with entry form to:

Jon Crouse

2300 North Nokomis

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\$25 Cancellation Fee is charged for any cancellation prior to July 4th. After July 4th there is NO REFUND.