



30th Maryland Senior Four-Ball Championship **Mountain Branch Golf Club**

May 29, 2025

CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION TO PLAYERS

HOST CLUB

Mountain Branch Golf Club
1827 Mountain Rd
Joppatowne, MD 21085

DEFENDING CHAMPIONS

Michael McCarthy & Stuart Strang (Senior Division)
Gavin Stringer & Tom Grem (Super-Senior Division)

FORMAT: Four-Ball Stroke Play competition conducted over 18 holes with two divisions: Senior Division (55+) and Super-Senior Division (65+), with Gross & Net Prizes
Net handicap allowance will be 90% as of Thursday, May 22nd

REGISTRATION: Players are to report to their assigned starting tees, ready to play, 10 minutes before their starting time. **There will be no formal check-in or call to the tee.**

STARTING TIMES: Tee Times will begin at 8:00 a.m. off No. 1. Starting times & groupings can be [FOUND HERE](#).

TIES: In the event of a tie for the **Gross** Senior Division or **Gross** Super-Senior Division, there will be a hole-by-hole play-off immediately after scores are finalized.

PRIZES: The Champion Team in each division will be the low gross score in the field; each will be awarded trophies. Other appropriate gross and net prizes will also be distributed.

DMDS: The use of distance-measuring devices (DMD) to measure distance only (Rule 4.3) is permitted in this MSGA championship.

PACE OF PLAY: It is a condition that player must play without undue delay and in accordance with guidelines established by committee. Guidelines will be distributed upon arrival at the course.

PRACTICE ROUND AVAILABILITY: Subject to availability during the week (Monday-Thursday \$49) (Friday-Sunday \$65). Please contact the golf shop to schedule a practice round – (410) -836-9600 x4.

PRACTICE FACILITIES/RANGE BALLS: The practice range opens one hour before the first starting time, weather permitting. Range balls will be set up at the practice range and are complimentary for competitors before the round or a play-off. Please allow time to get from the range to No. 1. Senior Division will play from the black tees and the Super Senior Division will play from the white tees. Estimated yardages can be [found here](#). Yardages are subject to change on the day of the championship due to weather, course conditions, etc.

CADDIES: Caddies are permitted; however, you are responsible for making your own arrangements for a caddie.

CARTS: Automotive transportation is permitted for players and caddies. *Carts are included in the entry fee. A player and his caddie may ride in a golf cart during a round, but both may not ride at the same time.* **Spectator Carts** will not be permitted except for a spectator who can provide an issued and active Handicap Permit.

CODE OF CONDUCT: As set forth in the MSGA application, the code of conduct applies to all MSGA Qualifying and Championships.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE: Contestants and caddies must be neat in appearance. Blue jeans, designer jeans, t-shirts, and tank tops are prohibited. Shorts must be mid-thigh. Golf shirts with a traditional or mock collar are required.

POSTING OF SCORES: Players are responsible for posting their tournament scores. The MSGA will list the custom rating/slope on the tournament information page.

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If it becomes necessary to withdraw or change your partner prior to the date of the competition, please contact Nick Logue at nlogue@msga.org or (443) 853-1060.