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**MPUMALANGA GOLF SENIORS OPEN**

MIDDELBURG COUNTRY CLUB

**18 – 19 AUGUST 2018**

**Conditions :** The Seniors Championship shall be played under the Rules of Golf as approved by the South African Golf Association. Local Tournament Rules have been approved by Mpumalanga Golf Union. All entries shall be subject to approval by the Tournament Committee, which reserves the right to refuse any entry without reason for such refusal. The decision of the Committee as to the acceptance or refusal of any entry shall be final. **Entries will be limited to 96 players -** if entries exceed this number the field will be reduced in such manner as the Mpumalanga Seniors may determine. In the case of a tie a sudden death playoff will take place. If not possible the Championship will be decided on a count out.

**Entry :** Open to any male amateur golfer who is a member of a club affiliated to a Union /Association recognized by SAGA and who has a current handicap, and is over the age of 50yrs on the date of the tournament or before . **Players can only enter on the official entry form .**

**Format:** The Championship will be played over **36 holes stroke play**, 18 holes on Saturday, and 18 holes on Sunday.

**Exemptions:** Current provincial Seniors and Super seniors as approved by their unions (12 players ) The Union at it’s discretion reserves the right to grant further exemptions.

**Entry Fee: Entrance Fee is R500 which must be paid at the Registration Desk in the Pro Shop on Saturday morning 18 August 2018.**

**Entries To:** **Only to the MGU Senior President at fax – 013 – 697 3925 :** e-mail at: [francisth@mweb.co.za](mailto:francisth@mweb.co.za) or m-quip@mweb.co.za – entries sent **direct to Middelburg country club**  will not be accepted. **Entry forms are available on –** [**www.mgu.co.za**](http://www.mgu.co.za)**.** [**www.saga.co.za**](http://www.saga.co.za) **- All Union offices have been sent these forms.**

***Closing Date:* Noon Wednesday 8th August, 2018**- **The onus for the entry form being received is the players responsibility.**

**Draw**  The draw and starting times will be available on **13 August, 2018**  at your Union’s Offices and sent to your cell phone , they will also be posted on the MGU Website .

**Disputes :** **Disputes and decisions of any nature will be decided on by the Tournament Committee and their decision shall be final.**

**General :** 1. It is compulsory for players to swipe their Handicap Card in the Pro Shop.

2. Players shall start at the time laid down by the Committee (Rule 6 - 3a). Rule 33 7 may be waived in exceptional cases should a player be ready to play within 5 minutes of his starting time. **Failure to start on time is 2 strokes penalty at the 1st hole.**

3. Outside caddies may be used with the permission of the Pro Shop : **013 – 282 6176**

4. Accepted competitors can reserve times to practice in the Pro Shop 013 -282 6176 - green fees are R160.00 per round.

  5. The Exemption of Liability Clause of the Union Exempts the Union from any Liability claims from players or guests attending.      6. Conforming Range Finders  **may** be used – you may wear shorts.

7. For accommodation , book through Middelburg golf club as the are only limited rooms available

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| **ENTRY FORM**  **2018 MPUMALANGA SENIORS STROKEPLAY**  FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ HANDICAP: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  SAGA PLAYERS ID: 2700\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Exempt Yes / No **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  HOME CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CERTIFIED CORRECT: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  CELL NUMBER**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**  **I AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE RULES and CONDITIONS AS SET OUT ABOVE** Sign: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | Ranked Tournamen |