



# 2024 MGA WOMEN'S TEAM/CLUB TOURNAMENT

Hastings Golf Club, Hastings, Minn.  
September 22, 2024

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## Notice to Competitors

Congratulations and thank you for participating in the **2024 MGA Women's Team/Club Tournament** at *Hastings Golf Club* on September 22! We are excited to have you as part of the tournament and look forward to seeing you there.

Please review the important information below in advance of the event. If we have missed something or if you have other questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

**FORMAT** - Teams are comprised of two players. The field will play three different formats - **Alternate Shot (Holes #1-6)**, **Four-Ball (Holes #7-12)** and **Scramble (Holes #13-18)** - as outlined below. Scoring will be on a NET basis with handicaps prorated for each format.

**Alternate Shot:** One player will tee off on the even holes while the other player will tee off on the odd holes. The players will alternate shots until the ball is holed. Who holed the putt will have no bearing on who plays from the next tee. Likewise, penalty strokes do not affect the order of play.

**Four-Ball:** Often referred to as "best ball," both players will play their own ball into the hole with the team score being the best of the two scores for each hole.

**Scramble:** Each player will play from the teeing area, and the team selects which ball it wishes to play. Both players play from that new spot with the team again selecting the ball they wish to play. This format continues until the ball is holed and repeated on each hole. NOTE: The first player should NOT tap in a putt if their partner has a putt remaining for a lower score.

**Ties** - In the event of a tie for first in any flight, the tie will be broken by using a scorecard playoff following the recommended procedure found in the Official Guide to the Rules of Golf.

**Schedule:** *(There are two different waves/shotgun starts that will go out)*

**8:30 am** shotgun - Flights 1-5

**2:00 pm** shotgun - Flights 6-10

**Flights** - Flights will be determined after registration has closed. A team will be assigned to a flight based on the lower Handicap Index® of the two team members at

the deadline (Sept. 10). A Flight Report will be published after flights have been established.

**Practice Round** – Practice rounds are available on a space available basis. Please contact one of the professional staff at the Hastings Golf Shop (651-437-4210) and identify yourself as an MGA Women’s Team/Club contestant to schedule a practice round. The fee may be dependent upon the day and time you play.

**Golf Course Setup** – Please check the respective **Championship webpages** for specific details. We reserve the right to alter the setup, including shortening or lengthening holes, on a round-by-round basis.

**Lodging** – No lodging has been arranged for this event.

**Additional Information** – If you have any other questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me – [Holly@mngolf.org](mailto:Holly@mngolf.org) or call/text (507) 456-2014.

On behalf of the MGA, **Hastings GC Owner Nicole Sindelar and PGA Head Professional *Josh Wendel*** and the entire Hastings family, we thank you for your participation and look forward to seeing you at Hastings!