



2024 Makara Member-Member

Rules Sheet

- Three-day Team Match Play. Matches played will be best ball one of two, net. 80% of Handicaps will be used.
- The event will consist of seven flights with eight teams, flights determined by a total team handicap index.
- Partners will have a maximum handicap differential of eight. Teams that exceed the differential will have the higher handicap cut to meet the requirement.
- Each team will play seven (7) 9-hole matches against each team in their respective flight.
 - Friday will consist of three 9-hole matches
 - Saturday & Sunday will consist of two 9-hole matches
- Tees
 - The 1st flight will compete from the **Back** Tees
 - The 2nd, 3rd, & 4th flights will compete from the **Blue** Tees
 - All other flights will compete from the **White** Tees
 - All flights will alternate 1st and 10th Tee starts between matches one, two, etc.
 - During the "March" **all** teams will play from the **White Tees**
- The scoring in each match **per hole** is based on the following
 - One point for a win
 - Half point for a tie
 - Zero points for a loss
- Total points won will determine the match, daily, and tournament results.
- The maximum amount of points that can be won in one 9-hole match is seven (7) points.
- **FLIGHT TIE BREAK.** In the event of a tie for 1st place at the end of the seventh 9-hole match, the first Tie break will be determined by the results of the head to head match. The second Tie break will be determined by a "putt-off". Player will be picked by each team. All other ties after head to head will split winnings.
- **Flight Winners and highest point total for a non-flight winning team will advance to "the March"**
- A "March" will be used to determine the overall winner of the Makara Member – Member Tournament. The format of the "March" is Alternate shot (Alternating Tee Boxes), all teams playing from the White Tees. Team handicaps are totaled and divided by 2. Flights 1-4 will begin the "March" off #1 and Flights 5-7 will begin on #10. Two team will be eliminated from the first hole and one on each remaining hole until a winner is determined. Tie break for elimination holes will be determined by a "putt-off". One player will be picked by each team. Ties for the 18th hole will be replayed twice and putt-off in the event of a third tie.
- Ground Under Repair will be indicated by white painted circles. If the player's ball lies in the area, or if it interferes with the player's stance or the area of his intended swing, the player can take relief under rule 25.1. Relief may also be taken from newly removed stumps. In addition, relief will be granted from all sod seams throughout the course.
- **Greenside Sprinkler Relief - Local Rule F-5.1** "Relief from interference by an immovable obstruction may be taken under Rule 16.1. The player has an extra option to take relief when such immovable obstructions are on or close to the putting green and on the line of play: Ball in General Area. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1b if an immovable obstruction is: **Ex. Sprinkler Head**
 - On the line of play, and is:
 - On or within two club-lengths of the putting green, and
 - Within two club-lengths of the ball.
 - **Complete relief must be taken, which includes both physical and line of play interference.**
- **Exception – No Relief If Line of Play Clearly Unreasonable.** There is no relief under this Local Rule if the player chooses a line of play that is clearly unreasonable. Penalty for Playing Ball from a Wrong Place in Breach of Local Rule: General Penalty Under Rule 14.7a." **All three of these parameters must be met to receive relief.** If only 1 or 2 are met, you do NOT get relief. Again, **ALL THREE must be met to receive free relief from a sprinkler head that is on your line.**
- Contests
 - Optional Team Game \$100 buy in per team (cash). Pays out top 3 in each flight
 - Optional Skins Game \$100 buy in per player (weekend skins)
 - Closest to the Hole Contest #3 day one, #5 day two, #13 day 3
- Rain
 - In the event of rain or inclement weather all teams in the flight must have the same number of matches completed.
 - If play is stopped due to weather or darkness please mark the ball with tees so that the position of your ball can be easily duplicated. The "Committee" consists of Gary Nye, PGA Head Golf Professional and Bob Rohrer, Golf Committee Chair.
 - All decisions made by the "Committee" are final.