

# Marty Sanchez Men's Association

## Individual Stroke Play Nassau – July 11, 2009 Tournament Instructions & Entry Form

Format: Individual stroke play with handicaps. We will use the Nassau scoring method which will pay the winners of each 9 holes plus the overall winner of 18 holes. The overall winner of the 18 holes prize will NOT be eligible for either of the 9 holes prizes. For the black tees, any course handicap greater than 18 strokes will be reduced to an 18 handicap. For the blue tees, any course handicap greater than 34 will be reduced to a 34 handicap. There will be no handicap adjustment from the white tees.

Eligibility: Must be a Men's Association member, have an established handicap, and turn in this form with payment by the deadline.

Entry Fee: \$40 per entry that includes \$10 for the Skins Game. Green fees and cart fees paid the morning of the tournament.

Flights: Pick your tee below. Your tee will decide what flight you are in.

**ENTRY DEADLINE: FRIDAY July 3rd AT 6:00 PM**

**FILL IN:** Player (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_ GHIN: \_\_\_\_\_

Tee (circle one)    Black            Blue    White

(If not enough sign up for White tees, those who have designated White will be moved to the Blue Tees)

Payment: Make checks payable to Marty Sanchez Links Men's Association or NMGL.

**Drop this form and payment off in pro shop.**

Tee Times: Check with Pro Shop 955-4400.

# MARTY SANCHEZ MEN'S ASSOCIATION

## RULE SHEET

1. USGA RULES APPLY FOR THE COMPETITION . THE COMPETITION IS DEEMED TO BE CLOSED AFTER ALL RULINGS HAVE BEEN MADE. ANY QUESTIONS RELATIVE TO RULES SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO A RULES COMMITTEE MEMBER IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING PLAY.
2. INDIVIDUAL PLAY. **SCORECARDS: RECORD GROSS SCORE FOR EACH HOLE.**
3. SWAP SCORE CARDS WITH SOMEONE YOU ARE PLAYING WITH – THEY ARE YOUR MARKER. PLAYER AND MARKER MUST SIGN THE SCORE CARD TO ATTEST IT’S VALIDITY. EACH PLAYER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CORRECTNESS OF HIS OWN SCORE CARD.
4. DRIVERS, AND THEIR USE DURING THE EVENT, MUST BE APPROVED BY AND CONFORM TO THE RULES OF THE USGA.
5. NEW CELL PHONE PENALTY APPROVED AT ANNUAL MEETING: 2 STROKE PENALTY FOR EVERY INCOMING CALL THAT RESULTS IN THE PHONE RINGING.
6. LATERAL WATER HAZARDS: HOLES 4, 5, 10, 16, 17 & 18
7. CART PATHS: IF A PLAYER’S BALL STOPS ON AN IMPROVED CART PATH, THE PLAYER IS GIVEN RELIEF AND ALLOWED TO DROP THE BALL WITHIN 1 CLUB LENGTH FROM THE **NEAREST POINT** OF RELIEF FROM THE PATH, NOT NEARER THE HOLE. AN IMPROVED CART PATH CAN BE CONCRETE, GRAVEL, OR WOODCHIPS. A PENALTY STROKE IS NOT ASSESSED. **PLEASE NOTE THAT THE NEAREST POINT OF RELIEF DOES NOT MEAN THE NEAREST POINT WHERE YOU CAN GET THE BEST LIE OR BEST ANGLE TO THE GREEN. THIS MEANS YOUR NEAREST POINT OF RELIEF CAN BE IN THE ROUGH, DIRT, NATURAL VEGETATION, OR A BUSH.**
8. BALLS ARE TO BE PLAYED DOWN. GROUND UNDER REPAIR: MARKED BY WHITE LINES. ALSO PILED TREE BRANCHES USED TO KEEP CARTS FROM ENTERING NATURAL AREAS ARE CONSIDERED GROUND UNDER REPAIR. RELIEF MAY BE TAKEN (NEAREST RELIEF PLUS ONE CLUB LENGTH)
9. PLAYERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO HIT PROVISIONAL BALLS WHEN THEIR SHOTS ENTER NATIVE AREAS.
10. SLOW PLAY: PLAY SHOULD BE COMPLETED WITHIN 4 1/2 HOURS. ANY GROUP FALLING BEHIND BY MORE THAN ONE HOLE IS SUBJECT TO PENALTY STROKES.
11. RECORD YOU OWN 18 HOLE SCORE AFTER THE ROUND. RECORD IT AS A TOURNAMENT SCORE. ADJUST THE SCORE IF NEEDED AS PER EQUITABLE STROKE CONTROL .
12. STONES IN THE BUNKERS MAY BE CONSIDERED MOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS (RULE 24-1)

**PLAY READY GOLF.**  
**THIS SHOULDN'T TAKE ALL DAY!!**

REPLACE DIVOTS IN THE FAIRWAYS ---REPAIR DIVOTS ON THE GREEN---RAKE  
BUNKERS