

NIHGA 9th Stroke Play Outing

Maryland National
8836 Hollow Rd
Middletown, MD 21769
Course Phone: 301.371.0000

Date: Tuesday August 10th, 2021

Time/Format: Split tee times – 9:00 to 10:00 AM & 12:00 to 1:00 PM.

Cost: \$55+tax, Range Balls Included

Tees to use(Declare which tees you will use for the entire season! Once you have played from a tee you must use the same tee all year):

Gold 6474yds 72 /136 Middle(Mens')
Green 5549yds 67.4 / 124 Senior's
Red 4844yds 68.3 / 120 Forward

Money Collection: Pay in Pro Shop.

NIHGA Contact: Todd Smith, email twsmith99@verizon.net - preferred, or 301-538-0889.

Directions:

From Baltimore & Points East

From the Baltimore Beltway (I-695)
Take I-70 West towards Frederick and get off at Exit 49, Middletown / Braddock Heights
Exit
At the end of the off-ramp turn left on to Alternate 40 West towards Middletown
Follow Alternate 40 for approximately 2.5 miles
Turn right on to Hollow Road just after the Exxon Service Station
Follow Hollow Road for 3 miles, Maryland National Golf Club is on the left

From Washington D.C. & Points South

Take I-270 North towards Frederick until you reach I-70 West.
Take I-70 West towards Hagerstown and follow for approximately 4 miles

Get off at Exit 49, Middletown / Braddock Heights Exit
At the end of the off-ramp turn left on to Alternate 40 West towards Middletown
Follow Alternate 40 for approximately 2.5 miles
Turn right on to Hollow Road just after the Exxon Service Station
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Announcements:

To speed up play, Equitable Stroke Control (ESC) **will be in effect**. Please pick up your ball when you have reached your ESC. Also, continuous putting is recommended.

<u>HANDICAP</u>	<u>ESC SCORE</u>
Less than 10	double bogey
10 to 19	7
20 to 29	8
30 to 39	9
40 or more *	10

***New players without an Index Handicap, should use an ESC of 9 until they have played in two or more outings.**

Score Cards: We are temporarily lifting the requirement to sign the card. Each group will have the person keeping score for the group take a picture of the scorecard and email it to the handicapper as well as the team captain or captains, if there are golfers from more than one team. Also recommend emailing to others in group. This way no one touches a card except the person keeping score and there is a record of the groups scores.

Competition: Closest to the pin on 4 Par 3's.
2 Long Drive holes for each set of tees (#8 and #13, one each on front and back nines)

NOTE: Last group, please pick up the markers and take pictures of the sheets and email to Denise Droneburg, denisedroneburg@gmail.com

How To Sign Up: Please use SignUpGenius. You will receive an email invitation about 10 to 14 days prior to the outing. Select the SignUp button in the email and then fill out the information for your desired time slot and others in your foursome if desired.

Last Day to Signup: Tuesday, August 3, 2021

Note: SignUpGenius no longer requires you to state whether you are walking or riding. If help is needed, go to nihga.org and watch you-tube videos [How to sign up for a tee time](#) and [How to change a tee time](#)

Maryland National is a **SPIKELESS** golf facility. Appropriate dress is required.

No Shows: Please call your Team Captain and Pro Shop should you at the last minute be unable to participate in the outing. NIHGA plays golf as long as the course is open.

Rules of Play: Please visit the NIHGA website at <http://www.nihga.org/> for rules of play and all updated information about the NIHGA.

**The USGA has adopted a new Local Rule for Lost Ball and Ball out of Bounds
Please refer to the USGA web page below for an explanation of this rule**
<https://www.usga.org/content/usga/home-page/rules-hub/rules-modernization/major-changes/golfs-new-rules-stroke-and-distance.html>

The new URL for the NIHGA web page is nihga.org Please use this for all updated information about the NIHGA.