

MSG Putting Tournament Rules

- Have Fun!
- Please follow Covid Guidelines
- Clubs/Equipment must conform to [USGA Rules of Golf/Equipment](#)
- Non-Sanctioned Tournament – USGA Rules of Golf followed with Exceptions
- All Players will abide by the norms of golf dress and etiquette
- Players use own ball and putter
- No handicaps are used
- Player must hole out putts, no concessions or “gimmes” allowed
- Play begins from markers at each hole; ball can be placed no more than one Putter grip length away from marker (adjacent or behind the marker)
- 2 Players at each hole; prompt shotgun start
- Players mark ball after each putt, if appropriate
- Out of bounds – if ball leaves any green grass area, replace as close as possible from point of exit within 2” of edge of grass – 1 stroke penalty
- Player 1 scores for Player 2; Player 2 scores for Player 1; Final score card initialed/signed by both players
- Do not use Putter to remove ball from the cup
- Formation of Divisions/Flights:
 - Gender
 - Age Groups – 50-69, 70+
- Medals awarded to first, second, and third in each Flight – Gold, Silver and Bronze (ties awarded duplicate medals)