

**RULES GOVERNING THE CONDUCT AND OPERATION OF:  
MAHWAH PBA LOCAL #143 HELICOPTER GOLF BALL DROP FUNDRAISER  
RAFFLE  
115 FRANKLIN TURNPIKE, BOX #140  
MAHWAH, NJ 07430  
201-529-1000**

**Date, time, and place:**

The first Mahwah PBA Helicopter Golf Ball Drop Fundraiser Raffle will be held on September 11, 2017 at approximately 12:30 PM at the Spook Rock Golf Course, in Suffern, NY

**Source of Funds for Winning Tickets**

All tickets will be sold prior to the Mahwah PBA Local 143 Helicopter Golf Ball Drop Fundraiser Raffle, including the day of the event. Prize money for winning tickets will be provided by fundraising raffle proceeds.

**Procedures**

**Ball Certification**

- Standard golf balls of comparable weight and size will be numbered 1 to 1,000.
- The 1,000 golf balls will be audited by an independent representative to ensure that all balls are present.
- The balls will then be placed in sealed containers by a Mahwah PBA representative and an independent representative will confirm that all balls are present and accounted for.
- The containers holding the golf balls will be stored in a secure location until the day of the event.

**Ball Drop**

- Under observation of a member of the Mahwah PBA, the golf balls from the sealed containers will be transferred to the helicopter and/or pilot the day of the event.
- The helicopter will then proceed to take off and approach the designated drop zone where it will hover. The designated ball dropper, or flight team member, will release the balls from the containers.
- Once all balls have been dropped, determination of the winners will take place.

**Winner Identification**

- A member of the Mahwah PBA will maintain a master list of balls purchased, the ticket's assigned owner and contact information at all times.
- A pre-determined member(s) of the Mahwah PBA with the assistance of a designated staff member of the golf course will be charged with measuring the balls that land closest to the pin.
- The golf course staff member, and Mahwah PBA member(s) under the direct observation of the Mahwah PBA will approach the drop zone for the purpose of determining the winners.
- The Mahwah PBA member(s), with the assistance of a designated staff member of the golf course, will determine the grand prize winning ball based on which ball has landed closest to the designated flag pin, and then the next winning ball, and the finally the third closest ball.
- If an unsold numbered ball(s) is one of the three closest balls to the pin, that ball(s) will be voided, and the next closest *sold* numbered ball will be the winning ball.
- Winners will then be announced prior to the beginning of the golf outing, and posted on-line at [www.mahwahpba143.com](http://www.mahwahpba143.com) as soon as possible after the winning balls are determined.
- Winners need not be present to win.

### **Prizes**

- Grand Prize: 1st closest ball to pin: 25% of helicopter golf ball drop fundraising raffle proceeds (not to exceed \$5,000)
- 2nd Place: 2nd closest ball to pin: Wins 10% of helicopter golf ball drop fundraising raffle proceeds (Not to exceed \$2,000)
- 3rd Place: 3rd closest ball to pin: Wins 5% of helicopter golf ball drop fundraising raffle proceeds (Not to exceed \$1,000)

### **Weather**

- If inclement weather, or any other unforeseen circumstance lead to the helicopter being unavailable, a standard raffle drawing will take place with the 3 tickets being pulled with the first ticket pulled winning the grand prize, the second ticket pulled winning the second place prize, and the third ticket pulled will win the third place prize.

### **Claiming of Prizes**

- In cases where a winner was not present at the event, a designated Mahwah PBA member will make all reasonable efforts to contact the winner via the Mahwah PBA raffle ticket information form.
- Any prize money not claimed by October 30, 2017, will be considered unclaimed and be returned to the Mahwah PBA Local 143.