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# 42<sup>ND</sup> CALIFORNIA SENIOR WOMEN'S AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

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RANCH COURSE AT THE ALISAL,  
SOLVANG, CALIF.

OCT. 5-7, 2020

# FROM THE CWAC PRESIDENT

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## DEAR CONTESTANT,

Welcome to the 42nd California Senior Women's Amateur Championship being held for the first time in Santa Barbara County!

The California Women's Amateur Championships (CWAC) with the California Golf Association (CGA) hosts this three-day Senior Women's Championship at the Ranch Course at Alisal, October 5-7, 2020.

Helen Lengfeld, the much-lauded amateur golfer, humanitarian and philanthropist, had a vision to encourage women's amateur golf - her legacy is now shared by the entire state of California with the NCGA and the SCGA rotating our Championship between the North and the South. In 1948

Helen began the first of her three championships with the California Junior Girls' State Championship and by 1979 she added the last - the Senior Women's Amateur Championship and YOU will be a part of the continuing legacy of one of the most influential women in golf.

It is my pleasure to welcome you and hope you have a memorable experience.

Good luck,



Rhonda Mohr

*President, California Women's Amateur Championships*



# FROM THE CGA PRESIDENT

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## DEAR COMPETITORS,

Welcome to the 42nd California Senior Women's Amateur Championship at the Ranch Course at the Alisal. We are honored to be hosting this storied championship for the first time in Southern California. With names like Mildred Stanley, Barbara Stephan and Marianne Towersey etched as champions in our history book, it's safe to say this year's champion will be in good company.

We know the Ranch Course at the Alisal will provide an excellent environment for our competition, and a memorable experience, with great playing conditions and scenic views on nearly every hole. On behalf of the CGA, I would like to wish you all a great three days of competition in Solvang.



It's a wonderful opportunity to compete, especially during these unprecedented times as we battle COVID-19 and the uncertainty that goes along with it. In a year when golf was put on hold indefinitely, we are grateful to see the California Senior Women's Amateur Championship live on.

We remain committed to safely conducting our events in spite of the ongoing nature of the pandemic. Please review the contents in this Handbook which are intended to assist you in your preparation for the championship.

Play well,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael W Weeks".

Michael W Weeks

*President, California Golf Association*

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# SCHEDULE OF EVENTS & FORMAT

## 54 HOLES OF STROKE PLAY

<b>MONDAY, OCT. 5</b>	Round 1: Starting times beginning at 7:30 a.m. off Holes 1 & 10.
<b>TUESDAY, OCT. 6</b>	Round 2: Starting times beginning at 7:30 a.m. off Holes 1 & 10.
<b>FOLLOWING THE SECOND ROUND, THE FIELD WILL BE CUT TO THE LOW 30 SCORES (PLUS TIES).</b>	
<b>WEDNESDAY, OCT. 7</b>	Round 3: Starting times beginning at 7:30 a.m. off Hole 1.

## ENTRY FEE

The championship entry fee is \$250. In addition to the tournament rounds, lunch each day, golf cart usage during the championship, range balls and tee gift.

## STARTING TIMES AND PAIRINGS

**Starting times and pairings will be e-mailed to players and posted online** at [scga.org](https://scga.org) and [ncga.org](https://ncga.org) one week in advance of the championship. Players are encouraged to arrive at their assigned tee well in advance of their starting time, as the starter will have information to discuss and distribute to each player in the group. Furthermore, players arriving late will be penalized under Rule 5.3a of the Rules of Golf. For example, the 9:00 a.m. starting time is defined as 9:00:00, and players arriving after that time are considered late. Lead groups should plan to be at their assigned tee 10 minutes in advance of their starting time. Subsequent groups are encouraged to arrive in time to watch the group in front of them tee off.

- Materials such as tees and pencils will not be distributed until further notice. Refer to the championship's COVID-19 Guidelines for Competitions for further instructions.



## PRACTICE ROUNDS

Practice rounds will be available to participants at their own expense. Players wishing to schedule a practice round must contact the Ranch Course at Alisal Pro Shop at club at: (805) 688-4215.

Fee: \$70; covers green fee, golf cart and range balls.

NOTE: Food and beverage may be purchased from the snack bar during the practice round.

## PARKING AND REGISTRATION

Ample self-parking is available for players and spectators at the Ranch Course parking lots. Additional parking is available on the back side of the Pro Shop if the front parking lot is full. All players must register with NCGA/SCGA staff prior to their first round of stroke play on Monday.

## DRIVING RANGE

The driving range and other practice facilities will be available starting at 6:30 a.m. each day of the championship.

## TEES AND HOLE YARDAGES

A variety of yardages will be used throughout the championship. In general, the course will play from the club's Red yardage with some White yardage.

**Course Rating: 74.4 / Slope: 133 / 5,620 yards / Par 72.**



## LOCKER ROOM

Participants will have access to the women's restroom inside the locker room located near the driving range. Players should arrive dressed and ready for competition. No lockers will be available for storage. Open daily by 6:30 a.m.

## FOOD SERVICE (PLAYERS)

A hosted lunch will be available each day for players for to go orders or on the patio (pending due to COVID guidelines). A limited breakfast menu will be available beginning at 6:30 a.m. from the Ranch Course Grill. The Grill will be available for all other purchases during the championship with cash, credit card and resort charge.

## LODGING

The SCGA has partnered with Affinity Travel to secure discounted lodging rates surrounding its championships. [Click here](#) for more information and hotel options near The Ranch Course at Alisal.

A courtesy agreement is also in place with the Santa Ynez Valley Marriott in Buellton (Approx. 5 miles away from the Ranch Course). A room rate of \$139+tax has been secured. Participants may go online by clicking [here](#). The cut-off date for reservations is Monday, September 21, 2020.

## AIRPORTS

**Santa Barbara Airport – SBA (approx. 37 miles from The Ranch Course)**

**Bob Hope Airport (Burbank) – BUR (approx. 130 miles from The Ranch Course)**

## RULES OF PLAY

- Players must familiarize themselves with the [SCGA's COVID-19 Guidelines for Competitions](#)
- The Rules of Golf as approved by the USGA and the R&A govern play;
- Local Rules and Terms of the Competition can be found on the [CGA Hard Card](#) and the Notice to Players addendum that will be distributed;
- Click here to review the [Pace of Play Policy](#).

## MOBILE DEVICE POLICY

Players and spectators should turn cell phones off or to silent mode while on the property and limit calls to the inside of their car in the club's parking lot. Live scoring will be available throughout the championship at [scga.org](#) and [ncga.org](#). All participants are encouraged to download the USGA TM scoring app for their cell phone to utilize during the championship.

## PHOTO GALLERY

Professional photos will be taken throughout the championship. Photos will be available online and are available for download and purchase at [scga.pixieset.com](https://scga.pixieset.com).

## AUTOMOTIVE TRANSPORTATION

Automotive transportation during the championship is permitted for players and is included as part of the entry fee. Players have the option of either walking or riding. There will be a maximum of two carts per group and two bags per cart during the first two rounds of the championship. Due to current safety policies in place; single-rider restrictions exist.

## DRESS CODE

Players and spectators must be properly attired in golf shirts, slacks, Bermuda-length dress or golf shorts/skorts and soft spike shoes. Jeans (any color or any kind), cargo shorts, cargo pants, T-shirts, and tank tops will not be permitted. Shirts must be tucked in and hats are always to be worn forward.



## PULL OR PUSH CARTS

Pull or push carts are permitted. The course will not have push carts available for use.

## CADDIES

Until further notice, caddies are prohibited from competitions.

## FOOD SERVICE (SPECTATORS)

Spectators may purchase food and beverage items at the Ranch Course Grill with cash, credit card or resort charge. The hosted lunch is for players only.

## ADDITIONAL SPECTATOR INFORMATION

Spectators are welcome and encouraged to attend the championship. Spectators must adhere to the dress code listed within this document and must walk. All spectators must adhere to social distancing procedures due to COVID-19. If spectators have any questions leading up to the event, please contact the SCGA Championships & Golf Operations Department at [champs@scga.org](mailto:champs@scga.org).



# CODE OF CONDUCT

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By submitting an entry for any CGA-administered competition, the contestant understands that his/her participation is at the sole discretion of the SCGA. A contestant may be removed from any competition at the discretion of the SCGA staff or Rules and Competitions Committee at any time before or during the competition. Incidents of unbecoming conduct or actions deemed to be detrimental to the image of the SCGA or the "Spirit of the Game" are grounds for such removal and suspension from future SCGA-administered competitions. These include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Willful damage of the golf course or golf course property
- Club throwing or unnecessary club tossing
- Offensive or unbecoming language
- Public criticism of golf course or verbal abuse of SCGA staff, officials, volunteers, host club staff or other contestants
- Potential endangerment of others
- Conduct deemed unbecoming
- Failure to post scores for handicapping purposes
- Manipulation of scores posted for handicapping purposes

## CANCELLATION POLICY

- To withdraw for any reason prior to the start of the championship, a player must notify the SCGA Championships & Golf Operations Department at [champs@scga.org](mailto:champs@scga.org) or (818) 980-3630.
- Failure to notify tournament staff will subject the player to suspension from future CGA competitions.
- Refund Policy:
  - o Cancellation prior to the entry closing date: Full refund less a \$10 administrative fee.
  - o Cancellation after the entry closing date and more than 48 hours prior to the start of the competition: 50% of the entry fee.
  - o Cancellation within 48 hours of the start of the competition: No refund.

*For a complete listing of SCGA tournament policies and procedures, [click here.](#)*

# COURSE INFORMATION

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## RANCH COURSE AT THE ALISAL

1054 Alisal Raod

Solvang, CA 93463

(805) 688-4215

[ranchcourse.com](http://ranchcourse.com)

Director of Golf: Dave Hartley

Superintendent: Mark Weitz

Head Professional: Rick Russell



**COURSE ESTABLISHED: 1956**

**ARCHITECT: BILLY BELL JR.**

**RED YARDAGE: 5,663**

**COURSE RATING: 74.4**

**SLOPE: 133**

**TEES: KIKUY & RYE**

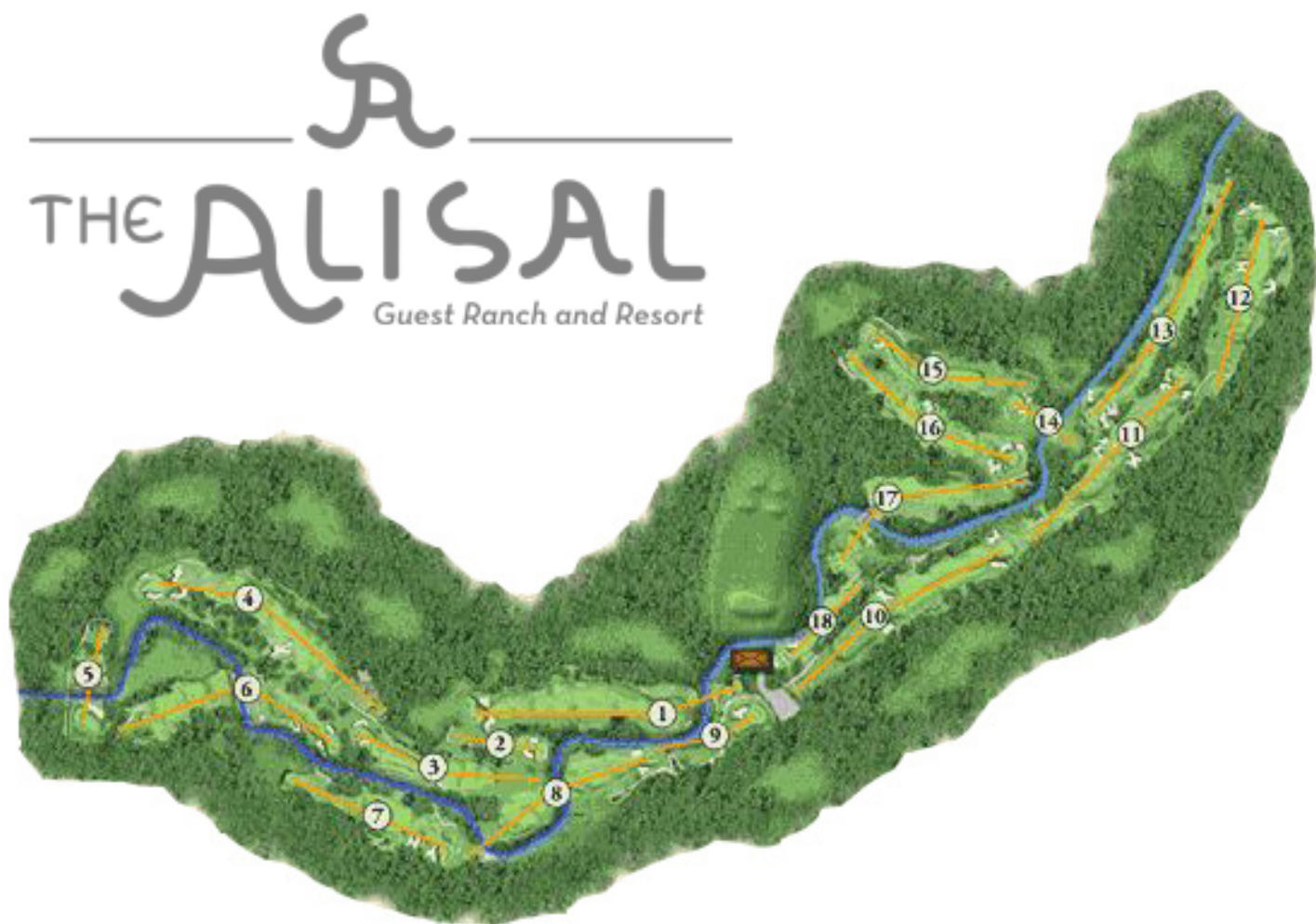
**FAIRWAYS: KIKUYU**

**ROUGH: KIKUYU**

**GREENS: BENT**

**WOMEN'S COURSE RECORD: 70 - SUSIE MORIE**

# COURSE MAP



## HOLE-BY-HOLE DESCRIPTIONS

HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT
Yardage	418	140	359	458	126	407	310	384	133	2,735
Par	5	3	4	5	3	5	4	4	3	36

HOLE	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOTAL
Yardage	457	317	353	450	136	297	357	379	139	2,885	5,620
Par	5	4	4	5	3	4	4	4	3	36	72

# 2019 CHAMPIONSHIP RECAP

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## RUNAWAY WIN FOR THE THREE-TIME CHAMPION

Carlsbad resident Corey Weworski took control of this week's annual California Senior Women's Amateur Championship for her third title.

Just one week after earning her SCGA Women's Four-Ball title, Weworski opened with an even-par 72, followed by a similar score of 73. But, to top it off, she finished with a spotless 69 at Quail Lodge & GC for a three-day total of 2-under 214. Weworski entered the winners circle with a 14-shot cushion over San Francisco's Sally Krueger's 228.

Krueger, who came from a tie for low amateur honors at the U.S. Senior Women's Open, couldn't catch up with Weworski always being a step ahead. Weworski's three-stroke lead turned into six and quickly 14 after her stunning final round 69.

In third place at 237 is San Francisco resident Patricia Cornett.

The winner in both 2016 and 2017, Weworski's victory brings her into a group of five other players—Lynne Cowan, Sandy Woodruff, Barbara Stephan, Millie Stanley and Marianne Towersey (record 7-time champ) —who have won the event at least three times.

*Courtesy of the NCGA*



# HISTORY

## SUPER SENIOR LOW SCORER

A Super Senior Award (age 65 or older) will be issued to the contestant with the low 36-hole total. If two or more Super Seniors advance to the final round, their 54-hole total will determine the winner.

## CALIFORNIA SENIOR WOMEN'S AMATEUR CHAMPIONS

YEAR	CHAMPION	SITE
2019	Corey Weworski	Quail Lodge & GC
2018	Lynne Cowan	Quail Lodge & GC
2017	Corey Weworski	Quail Lodge & GC
2016	Corey Weworski	Poppy Hills GC
2015	Lynne Cowan	Poppy Hills GC
2014	Lynne Cowan	Poppy Hills GC
2013	Kim Eaton	Coral de Tierra CC
2012	Sandy Woodruff	Coral de Tierra CC
2011	Tina Barker	Coral de Tierra CC
2010	Tina Barker	Coral de Tierra CC
2009	Marianne Towersey	Coral de Tierra CC
2008	Marianne Towersey	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
2007	Marianne Towersey	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
2006	Marianne Towersey	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
2005	Marianne Towersey	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
2004	Marianne Towersey	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
2003	Sandy Woodruff	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC



YEAR	CHAMPION	SITE
2002	Marianne Towersey	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
2001	Sandy Woodruff	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
2000	Barbara Stephan	Carmel Valley Ranch
1999	Barbara Stephan	Carmel Valley Ranch
1998	Barbara Stephan	Carmel Valley Ranch
1997	Barbara Stephan	Carmel Valley Ranch
1996	Barbara Stephan	Carmel Valley Ranch
1995	Sally Tomlinson	Laguna Seca GR
1994	Arleene Wilkolaski	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
1993	Irene Gotta	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
1992	Irene Gotta	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
1991	Claire Knipe	Bayonet/Blackhorse GC
1990	Phyllis LaSorella	Del Monte GC
1989	Mildred Stanley	Del Monte GC
1988	Mildred Stanley	Del Monte GC
1987	Mildred Stanley	Del Monte GC
1986	Mildred Stanley	Del Monte GC
1985	Phyllis LaSorella	Del Monte GC
1984	Mildred Stanley	Del Monte GC
1983	Ruth Miller	Del Monte GC
1982	Alma Robertson	Del Monte GC
1981	Phyllis LaSorella	Del Monte GC
1980	Penny Thompson	Del Monte GC
1979	Loma Smith	Del Monte GC