

**2014 CIF/CGA State Boys' Golf
Championship
Presented by
Farmers Insurance**



Wednesday, June 4, 2014

**San Gabriel Country Club
San Gabriel, CA**



California Golf Association

POST OFFICE BOX 1157 • PEBBLE BEACH, CALIFORNIA 93953
NORTHERN MEMBERS - 831-625-4653
SOUTHERN MEMBERS - 818-980-3630

CIF/CGA State High School Championship Participants:

OFFICERS

TOM LINDGREN
PRESIDENT

BRIAN MORSE
FIRST VICE-
PRESIDENT

KEN BIEN
SECOND VICE-
PRESIDENT

LEE GIDNEY
SECRETARY-
TREASURER

DIRECTORS

KEENAN BARBER
AL FRANK
DAN HANSFORD
JOHN MORELLO
JOHN RONCA

Welcome, and congratulations on qualifying for the Student Team and Individual State Boys High School Championship. Everyone is anticipating an outstanding competition among California's finest high school players.

We are most grateful to the membership and staff at San Gabriel Country Club for making its exceptional course available to us. San Gabriel Country Club is one of the most venerable golf establishments in Southern California. Founded in 1904 on land that had been part of the historic San Gabriel Mission, it is the oldest golf club in Los Angeles and Orange counties that is still operating in its original location (its clubhouse occupies the original site). San Gabriel CC also has the oldest 18-hole golf course in Southern California, dating back to 1912.

The fertile land of the San Gabriel Mission proved to be a good location for a golf course, and the setting remains divine to this day – with views of the San Gabriel Mountains to the north and fairways accented by mature oak trees. As you play the course, you will notice that each hole is named after one of the California missions. In 2011 the club hosted the 112th SCGA Amateur Championship won by UCLA freshman, Patrick Cantlay, who also won the State CIF Championship in 2010.

Please remember we are guests at the club, and we must abide by the club policies and dress code laid out in this document. Thank you in advance for your cooperation and, once again, welcome to the tournament.

Enclosed is important information on all aspects of the tournament. Please review the information as it is intended to help make your championship experience go as smoothly as possible. I wish you the best of luck in the tournament!

Tom Lindgren, M.D.
President, California Golf Association



MANAGEMENT

The CIF State Boys' Golf Championships shall be under the jurisdiction of the State CIF office and Roger Blake, Executive Director. The championship event will be managed by the Southern California Golf Association and Matt Pawlak, Assistant Director of Rules and Competitions. Questions can be addressed to the SCGA at (818) 980-3630 or mpawlak@scga.org.

TOURNAMENT SUPERVISOR

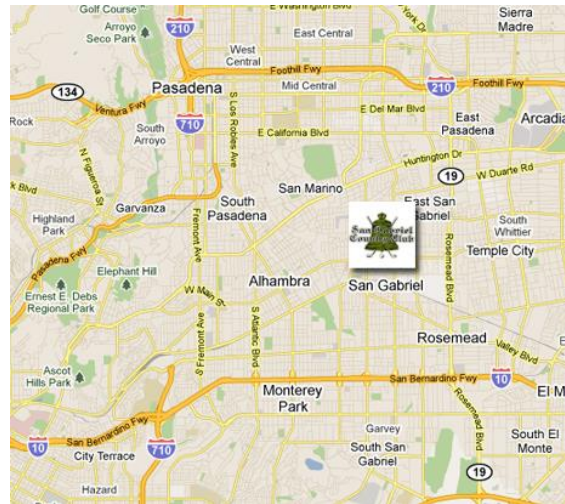
Sheri Ross, State CIF Championship Event Coordinator, will have direct supervisory responsibility for this event. Questions can be addressed to Sheri at (949) 933-5228 or mtnsking@gmail.com.

DATE AND SITE

Wednesday, June 4, 2014
San Gabriel Country Club
350 Hermosa Drive
San Gabriel, CA 91775
(626) 287-6052

DIRECTIONS TO CLUB

Directions: I-10 to San Gabriel Blvd. exit;
north to Hermosa; west to club on left.
OR
I-210 to San Gabriel Blvd. exit; south to Hermosa;
west to club on left.



CHAMPIONSHIP FIELD OF 54 PLAYERS

Northern California Regionals: 3 six-person teams plus the top 9 individuals not on qualifying teams.
Southern California Regionals: 3 six-person teams plus the top 9 individuals not on qualifying teams.

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR/ENTRIES

Regional Tournament Directors are to email final results to **Sheri Ross** at mtnsking@gmail.com and to the **SCGA** at mpawlak@scga.org immediately following the finalization of regional tournament results.

TOURNAMENT FORMAT (18 holes of stroke play)

Individual Competition: All boys who have qualified for the individual competition or team in their respective regional event shall be eligible to compete in this category. In individual competition, participants will play 18 holes of stroke play. In the event of a tie for 1st place there will be a sudden death playoff immediately following the conclusion of play. Ties for 2nd place thru 5th place will be decided by USGA method of matching score cards. Ties for 6th place will receive duplicate awards.

Team Competition: The teams representing each regional will consist of six players and the best five of the six players scores will count in determining the team champion and runner-up.

In the event there is a tie for 1st or 2nd place in team play, the tie will be decided by adding the sixth players' score to the team total. If the teams are still tied the tie will be decided by using the USGA method of matching score cards which totals the scores of all six players on each team for holes 10-18, if still tied holes 13-18, if still tied holes 16-18, if still tied hole 18.

AWARDS

Team awards will be presented to the champion and runner-up teams. Awards will be presented to the first six place finishers in the individual competition.

TRAVEL PLANS

All travel plans for teams and individual competitors must be approved by their school site principal.

COACHES MEETING

There will be a coaches meeting in the San Gabriel Country Club clubhouse (main diner) beginning at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 3rd. It is highly recommended that coaches be in attendance. Representatives from CIF will be available to distribute pairings and check in teams/individuals.

TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION

All coaches/school officials that were unable to attend the coaches meeting on Tuesday evening must check-in and register at the registration table in front of the clubhouse prior to the assigned pairing times of your team or individual(s) player(s). The high school coach or authorized staff member must accompany players, and will be the only person allowed to sign in. Local rules sheets, hole location sheets and score cards will be distributed to the player at their starting tee.

State Bylaw 309 states:

No CIF team or individual participant shall participate in interscholastic or approved competition with any other team unless the CIF team is under supervision as required by the CA Administrative Code Title V.

Bylaw 506 states:

All coaches of CIF member school teams must meet the requirements of the CA Education Code 49032, 35179.1 and Bylaw 22.B.9.

Further, it is important to note all coaches must remain on site throughout the competition.

SUBSTITUTIONS

Each Regional/CIF Site Director will be responsible for designating substitutes in the event of any cancellations. A vacancy will be filled only by the next qualified individual player or team.

Substitutions on the day of the tournament will not be permitted. Changes can be made with Pete Saco or Sheri Ross, by June 3, 2014.

STARTING TIMES/PAIRINGS

Starting times will range from 7:30 a.m. to 8:50 a.m. off the 1st and 10th tees. All players should be at their assigned tee well in advance of their starting time. The SCGA starters will have information to discuss and distribute to each player in the group.

For players starting on tee #10: tee #10 is a short walk from the clubhouse. Please allow yourself five extra minutes of walk time to get to this tee.

Pairings and starting times will be available online at www.scga.org and www.cifstate.org on June 3rd. Pairings sheets will also be distributed at the coaches meeting later that same day.

CLUBHOUSE, LOCKER ROOM AND GOLF SHOP

The clubhouse and golf shop will be open at 6:00 a.m. for contestants and coaches on the day of the tournament. Players are required to change their shoes in the locker room prior to practice rounds and the championship round. The locker room will be available beginning at 6:00 a.m., and the locker room staff will assist players with guest lockers and shoe storage.

DRIVING RANGE

On Wednesday, June 4th, the driving range will open at 6:30 a.m. Practice balls will be set up on the range and will be hosted by San Gabriel Country Club. Before the practice round, range availability will be limited to one bucket of balls, 45 minutes prior to your practice round time. **The range is limited in distance, so players will be restricted to using irons and hybrids only.**

PRACTICE ROUNDS

Practice rounds will be available on Tuesday, June 3rd starting 1:07 p.m. Tee times for the practice round times can be found on the last page of this document. Practice round fees are \$65 per player. Practice rounds are limited to players only. Coaches or parents that accompany players must walk. Carts are not permitted.

TEEING YARDAGES

Play will be from Gold tee yardages. Course Rating: 72.4 / Slope: 134 / approximately 6,648 yards. A complete hole by hole description can be found near the end of this document.

ELECTRIC GOLF CARTS, CADDIES, AND PULL CARTS

Players must carry their own clubs. Manual push/pull carts are not permitted (club policy). Caddies and electric carts and/or electric push/pull carts are not permitted.

NOTE: All spectators must walk. Coaches and spectators are not allowed in golf carts.

DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES

Distance measuring devices are not permitted for use in this tournament.

CELLULAR PHONES

The use of wireless handheld devices (smart phones) on the golf course is prohibited by players. Coaches and Spectators will be allowed to text, email or view live scoring on www.scga.org. Talking on cell phones is not permitted on the property except in the parking lot area. All coaches and spectators should turn their cell phones off or to silent mode.

FOOD AND BEVERAGE OPTIONS

Breakfast: Breakfast will not be available. It is recommended that players and coaches eat breakfast prior to arriving.

Lunch: The CGA will host lunch for all contestants and one coach per team or individual after completion of their round. Parents and spectators can purchase the lunch buffet at the clubhouse for \$25 (cash only).

Snack Bar: the snack bar will open at 8:00 a.m. and is located next to the 11th and 17th tees. Contestants, coaches and spectators can purchase items with cash at the snack bar.

DRESS REQUIREMENTS

PLAYERS, COACHES and SPECTATORS must be properly attired:

Men: Tailored slacks, Bermuda-style golf shorts (no shorter than 4" above the center of the back of the knee), knickers with knee socks, collared shirts with sleeves, mock turtlenecks and sweaters. Shirts are to be tucked in at all times, except for shirts that are designed to be worn not tucked in.

No jeans or denim of any color are permitted, nor cutoffs, cargo-style shorts or pants, camouflage shorts or pants, swimwear, football jerseys, or any type of shirt with printed phrases or slogans.

Billed hats and visors are to be worn forward. All hats and visors are to be removed in all clubhouse areas except in locker rooms, golf shop and on north patio.

Soft-spiked golf shoes are required. No sandal-style golf shoes. Metal-ceramic spikes are prohibited. Beach style flip flops are prohibited.

Ladies: Golf skirts and Bermuda-style shorts (no shorter than 5" above the center of the back of the knee), tailored slacks and capris, collared shirts with no sleeves or crew neck shirts with sleeves, blouses and sweaters. Blouses should be long enough to cover the belt line while at rest. No jeans or denim of any color are permitted, nor cutoffs, cargo-style shorts or pants, camouflage shorts or pants, swimwear, football jerseys, or any type of shirt with printed phrases or slogans. Beach-style flip flops are prohibited.

PLEASE NOTE: Cargo-style or denim clothing of any color, including designer jeans, is not permitted on the premises at anytime.

SPECTATOR POLICIES

Spectators are permitted and must adhere to the dress code listed above and will not be permitted golf carts. Cell phone use is not permitted on all areas of the property except the parking lot area. This includes checking voicemail messages, e-mail or text messages. Spectators should turn cell phones off or to silent mode while on the property. Spectators may purchase food and beverage items with cash. Restrooms are located in the clubhouse, at #4 tee and #11 tee.

HOTEL OPTIONS

Hilton Los Angeles – San Gabriel
225 West Valley Blvd.
San Gabriel, CA 91776
(626) 270-2700

Embassy Suites – Arcadia
211 East Huntington Drive
Arcadia, CA 91006
(626) 445-8525

Days Inn – Alhambra
15 N. First St.
Alhambra, CA 91801
(626) 308-0014

Hampton Inn – Arcadia
311 Huntington Drive
Arcadia, CA 91006
(866) 427-3230

Hilton Pasadena
168 S. Los Robles Ave.
Pasadena, CA 91101
(626) 577-1000
www.hilton.com

Best Western Pasadena Inn
3570 E. Colorado Blvd.
Pasadena, CA 91103
(626) 796-9100
www.bestwestern.com

Courtyard by Marriott
180 North Fair Oaks Ave.
Pasadena, CA, 91107
(626) 403-7600
www.marriott.com

Hilton Los Angeles North/Glendale
100 West Glenoaks Boulevard
Glendale, CA 91202
(818) 956-5466
www.hilton.com

AIRPORTS

Burbank Airport – BUR (approx. 20 miles from San Gabriel CC)

Los Angeles International Airport – LAX (approx. 30 miles from San Gabriel CC)

Ontario Airport – ONT (approx. 35 miles from San Gabriel CC)

John Wayne Airport – SNA (approx. 45 miles from San Gabriel CC)

CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION AND RULES

USGA Rules of Golf will govern all play. Local Rules, which apply during the tournament, will be distributed to all contestants by their starter. Each player understands and agrees to observe all regulations and conditions set forth by the SCGA Tournament Committee. Any questions will be referred to the SCGA Tournament Committee whose decision(s) shall be final.

ADVICE – Participants are reminded of Rule 8 (Advice) of The USGA Rules of Golf which specifically prohibits players from receiving any counsel or suggestion from anyone, (including their parents, coaches and other players, etc.) which could influence them in determining their play, the choice of a club, or the method of making a stroke. Note: Information on the Rules of Golf, distances to a hole location, and Local Rules for this tournament are not considered to be advice.

DISCONTINUANCE OF PLAY (NOTE TO RULE 6-8b) – Optional Condition as prescribed in Appendix I is in effect.

SCORE CARDS – A player is deemed to have returned his score card once he has left the scoring area.

CLOSE OF COMPETITION – A competition is deemed to have closed when the result (including the result of a playoff, if applicable) has been officially announced.

CODE OF CONDUCT – By submitting an entry for any SCGA-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: 1) Willful damage of the golf course or golf course property 2) Club throwing or unnecessary club tossing 3) Offensive or unbecoming language 4) Public criticism of golf course or verbal abuse of SCGA staff, officials, volunteers, host club staff or other contestants 5) Potential endangerment of others and 6) Conduct deemed unbecoming.

PACE OF PLAY POLICY SUMMARY – The responsibility for maintaining a good pace of play belongs with you, the player. If you fall behind on one hole, you are expected to play efficient golf and get back into position. This might mean playing ready golf for a hole or two and doing continuous putting – both of which are allowed in stroke play. Manage your time efficiently in between shots and be ready to play when it is your turn. Determine club selection and yardage while others are playing rather than waiting to do so when it is your turn to play. Keep pace with the group in front of you and do not worry about where the group behind you is. If a group is out of position, an SCGA official will monitor and time them. Any group out of position will be informed by an SCGA official when they are being monitored and timed.

A group will be considered out of position if it reaches the tee of a par-3 hole and the preceding group has cleared the next tee; reaches the tee of a par-4 hole and the putting green is clear; or reaches the tee of a par-5 hole when the preceding group is on the putting green.

When a group is out of position each player in the group is expected to play any stroke within 40 seconds after timing of the player’s stroke begins. Other than on the putting green, timing of a player’s

stroke will begin when he has had reasonable opportunity to reach his ball, it is his turn to play and he can play without interference or distraction. Time spent determining yardage will count as part of the time taken for the next stroke. On the putting green, timing will begin after a player has been allowed a reasonable amount of time to lift, clean and replace his ball, repair his ball mark and other ball marks on his line of putt and remove loose impediments from his line of putt. Time spent looking at the line from beyond the hole and / or behind the ball will count as part of the time taken for the next stroke.

PACE OF PLAY PENALTIES: One bad time exceeding the allotted time – Warning. A second bad time – 1 stroke penalty. A third bad time – Additional 2 stroke penalty. A fourth bad time – Disqualification

GENERAL LOCAL RULES

EMBEDDED BALL THROUGH THE GREEN – Local Rule as prescribed in Appendix I is in effect.

GROUND UNDER REPAIR – Defined by white lines. French drains are deemed to be ground under repair.

WHITE-LINED AREAS TYING INTO ARTIFICIALLY-SURFACED ROADS AND PATHS (DEC. 33-8/25) – have the same status as the roads and paths, that of obstructions.

SEAMS OF CUT TURF (SOD SEAMS) – The Local Rule as prescribed in Appendix I is in effect.

WOOD CHIPS, BARK AND MULCH – are loose impediments.

POWER LINES (DEC. 33-8/13) – If a ball strikes an overhead power line, the stroke is canceled and the player must play a ball as nearly as possible at the spot from which the original ball was played in accordance with Rule 20-5. See *Notice to Players* for further clarification.

EDGING GROOVES (DEC. 33-8/24) – If a ball lies on an edging groove around a putting green, the player may, without penalty, lift the ball, clean it and place it out of the groove in the nearest position to where it lay, whether on or off the putting green, which is not nearer the hole.

DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES – are prohibited (refer to Rule 14-3, the note is not in effect).

PAST CHAMPIONS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Host Venue</u>
2013	Jack Chung, Sunny Hills Team: Stevenson	Quail Lodge GC
2012	Austin Smotherman, Del Oro Team: Granite Bay	San Gabriel CC
2011	Xander Schaufele, Scripps Ranch Team: Torrey Pines	Poppy Hills GC
2010	Patrick Cantlay, Servite Team: Santa Barbara	Santa Maria CC
2009	Kevin Dougherty, Vista Murrieta Team: La Costa Canyon	Poppy Hills GC

2008	Jeffrey Kang, Sunny Hills Team: Sunny Hills	Santa Maria CC
2007	Austen Dailey, HB Edison Team: Huntington Beach Edison	Poppy Hills GC
2006	Rickie Fowler, Murrieta Valley Team: De La Salle	Santa Maria CC
2005	Daniel Lim, Bellarmine Team: St. Augustine	Poppy Hills
2004	Eddie Olson, Aptos Team: Torrey Pines	Santa Maria CC

ABOUT SAN GABRIEL COUNTRY CLUB

Club Established: 1904

Men's Course Record: Bruce McCormick, 59

Greens: Bent/Poa mix

Tees: Tifway Bermuda

Course Rating: 72.4

Yardage Markers: 200-150-100-yard markers & sprinkler heads

Architect: Norman Macbeth

Yardage: 6,648 (Gold)

Fairways: Kikuyu

Rough: Kikuyu/Rye mix

Slope: 134

HOLE-BY-HOLE DESCRIPTIONS

SAN DIEGO: No. 1, Par 4, 289 yards - Short hole with a heavily bunkered green. Players have hit anywhere from driver to 7-iron off this tee depending on how aggressive you want to be. The challenging green slopes from back to front.

SAN MIGUEL: No. 2, Par 5, 525 yards - Dogleg left. A long tee shot can be hit to center across the barranca. A shorter tee shots can be hit to right side across the barranca or to the left side short of it. Desirable approach position is to right of center. Large green guarded by bunkers.

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO: No. 3, Par 4, 381 yards - Desirable tee shot position is center or right-center depending on hole location. Tree line on left side catches a hooked or pulled tee shot. On right side, fairway bunker with large, overhanging oak is to be avoided. Two-level green is large, with bunkers on three sides.

SAN LUIS REY: No. 4, Par 5, 550 yards - Large oak 100 yards in front of tee. Dense tree line on left side of fairway. From center position there is an open second shot. On the right side there is a continuous tree line to green from 135 yards. Small opening to large green surrounded by five bunkers.

SANTA INEZ: No. 5, Par 3, 195 yards - Accuracy on the tee shot is required. Out of bounds all the way on left side. Shallow fairway bunker stops a short shot. Bunkers on right and left sides of the relatively flat green.

SAN RAFAEL: No. 6, Par 4, 356 yards - A straight tee shot is required. Out of bounds all the way on the left side with heavy rough and trees on the right. Approach to green is deceptive because you must carry 15-yard-long swale in front of green. Bunkers on left and right sides of green.

SAN LUIS OBISPO: No. 7, Par 4, 443 yards - The No. 1 handicap hole. Dogleg right requires a cut shot off the tee. Out of bounds on left side. Also internal out of bounds on right side around wooded area and protecting the third fairway. Safe tee shot is played to the right of center.

SAN JOSE: No. 8, Par 4, 403 yards - Prevailing breeze against you. Out of bounds on left all the way. Trees on right side. Fairway bunker on left with four bunkers guarding the large green. Green slopes away from fairway and falls to the right.

SAN ANTONIO: No. 9, Par 3, 183 yards - The Rubio Wash crosses the fairway. Out of bounds to far left side. Green slopes front back to front with large bunkers on right and left.

DOLORES: No. 10, par 4, 439 yards - Wide fairway with trees on right and left sides. Some 225 yards from tee the fairway drops away to form a small valley leading up to the green. Desirable tee shot is right center. Large green with four bunkers, one on the left, two on the right and one behind.

SANTA BARBARA: No. 11, Par 3, 169 yards - Short shot to a dangerously guarded green. Bunkers in front, sides and back of long green running from right to left. This is a tricky green to putt, regardless of hole location.

SAN JUAN BAUTISTA: No. 12, Par 4, 355 yards - Open shot from tee. The desirable tee shot position is right center. Long, narrow green with four bunkers two on the right and two on the left.

LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION: No. 13, Par 5, 539 yards - Tight fairway guarded both left and right by trees with heavy rough on left side. Center position on tee shot opens up second shot for final approach. Narrow opening to green with bunkers on two sides and behind. Back area falls away toward Rubio Wash.

SAN FERNANDO: No. 14, Par 3, 214 yards - Demanding shot across barranca. Large green well guarded in front by large pond on left side and bunker on right. Steep rise in ground behind green.

SAN BUENAVENTURA: No. 15, Par 4, 329 yards - Tee shot position is very important. Left center is ideal. Heavy rough and trees on left. Trees, fairway, bunkers and low area on right. Approach to green from right side guarded by high and overhanging trees. Bunkers in front and on both sides of long, two-level green.

CARMEL: No. 16, Par 4, 431 yards - Dogleg left. A long, tough hole. Tee shot position to right side between fairway bunkers. Out of bounds far right. Greens and heavy rough on left.

SANTA CLARA: No. 17, Par 4, 452 yards - Extreme demand for accuracy on tee shot. Out of bounds on right all the way. Large oaks on left with continuing smaller tree line to green. Single large oak 190 yards from tee in right-center of fairway. The green is large, with slope from back to front.

SAN GABRIEL: No. 18, Par 4, 395 yards - An unusual tee shot over a fence and city roadway, with tall trees on right and left. Wide fairway with a long bunker on the left and out of bounds on the right. The green is well guarded with bunkers on all sides and a narrow opening.

Practice Tee Times for Tuesday, June 3rd at San Gabriel Country Club

Information:

- All tee times will be from the 1st tee.
- South times will be first, Northern schools will play later to allow extra travel time.
- Cost: \$65 per player - Carts are not allowed.
- Please call Pro shop (626) 287-6052 to confirm your tee time.
- CIF representatives will be available at 5:00 p.m. in the Main Diner of the clubhouse to distribute tournament pairings and check in teams/individuals.

1:07 p.m.

Team #1 - South
Team #1 - South
Team #1 - South
Team #1 - South

1:15 p.m.

Team #1 - South
Team #1 - South
Indiv. #1 - South
Indiv. #2 - South

1:22 p.m.

Team #2 - South
Team #2 - South
Team #2 - South
Team #2 - South

1:30 p.m.

Team #2 - South
Team #2 - South
Indiv. #3 - South
Indiv. #4 - South

1:37 p.m.

Team #3 - South
Team #3 - South
Team #3 - South
Team #3 - South

1:45 p.m.

Team #3 - South
Team #3 - South
Indiv. #5 - South
Indiv. #6 - South

1:52 p.m.

Indiv. #7 - South
Indiv. #8 - South
Indiv. #9 - South

2:00 p.m.

Team #1 - North
Team #1 - North
Team #1 - North
Team #1 - North

2:07 p.m.

Team #1 - North
Team #1 - North
Indiv. #1 - North
Indiv. #2 - North

2:15 p.m.

Team #2 - North
Team #2 - North
Team #2 - North
Team #2 - North

2:22 p.m.

Team #2 - North
Team #2 - North
Indiv. #3 - North
Indiv. #4 - North

2:30 p.m.

Team #3 - North
Team #3 - North
Team #3 - North
Team #3 - North

2:37 p.m.

Team #3 - North
Team #3 - North
Indiv. #5 - North
Indiv. #6 - North

2:45 p.m.

Indiv. #7 - North
Indiv. #8 - North
Indiv. #9 - North