

PLAYER INFORMATION
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GOLF ASSOCIATION
TOURNAMENT OF CLUB CHAMPIONS



MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2007

PLEASE NOTE: WE ARE REQUESTING THAT YOU BRING THIS INFORMATION SHEET TO THE SITE WITH YOU ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT.

CONDITIONS OF THE COMPETITION

1. **REGISTRATION:** All players must check in at the SCGA registration table, which will be located in clubhouse lobby. The championship will begin at 8:00 a.m. (shotgun start).
2. **TEES:** Play will be from the **BLUE** tee markers. Hole #18 will play 564 yards. CR: 73.9, Slope: 137, approx. 6,985 yards.
3. **FORMAT:** One 18-hole individual stroke play round.
4. **RULES OF PLAY:**
 - *Play is governed by the USGA Rules of Golf.
 - *Local Rules in effect will be found on the enclosed SCGA Rules Hard Card and the Local Rules Addendum distributed at the site. Disregard all other club posted local rules.
 - *The "**one-ball**" rule will be in effect. During the entire stipulated round the balls a player plays must be of the same brand and type as detailed by a single entry on the current list of Conforming Golf Balls.
 - *Shoes with traditionally-designed spikes (regardless of composition, i.e., ceramic, plastic, etc.), regardless of design, comprised either entirely or partially of metal (when such metal comes in contact with the surface of the course) are prohibited. Penalty for breach of this condition: **DISQUALIFICATION.**
 - ***Distance measuring devices are permitted.**
 - *The use of cell phones will **NOT** be permitted during the round.
5. **TIES:** In the event of a tie for 1st place, Co-Champions will be awarded. In the event of a tie for 2nd through 5th place, the USGA method of matching score cards will be used to determine results.
6. **AUTOMOTIVE TRANSPORTATION:**

Golf carts are included as a part of the entry (drivers have to be at least 16 years of age or older, if club policy dictates). Spectators are not allowed in carts at any time. There will be a maximum of 2 carts per group and 2 bags per cart. Each player is only entitled to one seat in a cart.
7. **PULL CARTS:** Pull carts are not permitted.
8. **CADDIES:** Player may bring caddie.
9. **ATTIRE:**

PLAYERS, CADDIES and SPECTATORS must be properly attired in golf shirts, slacks or (bermuda-length dress shorts) and "spikeless" shoes. Jeans (any color or any kind), denim, cut off shorts, sweatpants, T-shirts and tank tops will not be permitted during any phase of the competition. Hats are to be worn forward at all times. Shirts must be tucked in. Under no circumstances will this attire prohibition be waived for players. **ALL CLOTHING MUST BE IN GOOD REPAIR.**
10. **PLAYER 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
- 6) Conduct deemed unbecoming

11. CANCELLATIONS :

To withdraw for any reason prior to the start of an SCGA competition, a player must notify the SCGA Rules and Competitions Department at (818) 432-4169. Failure to notify the SCGA will subject the player to suspension from future SCGA competitions. A player who only contacts the course and not the SCGA will be subject to the suspension.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. PRACTICE ROUNDS:

*Players may make arrangements for practice rounds at their own expense.

*Contact the Classic Club Golf Shop (760) 601-3600 in advance of the date you wish to play to schedule a practice round.

*Fee: A SCGA rate of \$75 per player is available two weeks prior to the event on Sunday – Wednesday after 1:00 p.m. Let the Classic Club staff know you are in the tournament for the discounted rate. Rate includes the cart fee. Standard rates apply for practice rounds on other dates or times.

2. DRIVING RANGE:

*The Driving Range will open at 6:30 a.m. on the day of the championship.

*Complimentary range balls will be provided.

3. LOCKER ROOM:

Locker Room facilities will be available beginning at 6:30 a.m.

4. FOOD SERVICE:

The snack bar will open at 6:30 a.m. Players will be on their own for breakfast and any other items you may wish to purchase.

The SCGA will host a player’s lunch immediately following the championship where scoring and awards will take place.

5. CASH PURCHASES:

*Cash will be accepted for all purchases.

*Major credit cards will be accepted for all purchases (No Discover Cards).

*Reciprocal chits will NOT be accepted.

6. LODGING ALTERNATIVES:

A rate of \$109 per night is available at the Courtyard Palm Desert. Call prior to November 25 to reserve a room at this rate. When making a reservation, notify them that you are with the Southern California Golf Association event.

Courtyard Palm Desert
74895 Frank Sinatra Drive
Palm Desert, CA 92211
(760) 776-4150 or 1 (800) 321-2211

Other Options

Residence Inn Palm Desert
38305 Cook Street
Palm Desert, CA 92211
(760) 776-0050

Comfort Suites
39-585 Washington St.
Palm Desert, CA 92211
(760) 360-3337

Hampton Inn and Suites
74-900 Gerald Ford Drive
Palm Desert, CA 92211
(760) 340-1001

7. DIRECTIONS TO CLUB:

Classic Club
75-200 Northstar Resort Parkway
Palm Desert, CA 92211
(760) 601-3600

Directions: I-10 east to Cook St. exit; north to Varner Rd.; right (east) to Northstar Resort Pkwy to club entrance.