



60th VSGA Four-Ball Championship

Williamsburg Golf Club

May 19-20, 2025

NOTICE TO PLAYERS

(This information supplements the Championship entry and the Standard Local Rules and Terms of Competition for 2025 VSGA Championships)

Tee Markers: All play will be from the **VSGA Green** tee markers.

Format/Scoring: 36-hole four-ball stroke play. The score to count **must be** clearly identified as the score of the individual partner who made that score on the official scorecard. If this is not done, the side is disqualified.

Playoff/Ties: A sudden death playoff will be held if there is a tie for the Champion. The holes to be used will be announced prior to the completion of play. Ties for all other prizes will be broken using the USGA scorecard playoff method (Holes 10-18, Holes 13-18, Holes 16-18, Hole 18, random method).

Out of Bounds: Out of bounds is defined by the line between the course-side points, at ground level, of white stakes and fence posts.

Dropping Zone: Hole #16: If, during play of Hole #16, a ball is in or it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found lies in the Yellow Penalty Area, the player may:

- i. proceed under Rule 17.1d; or
- ii. as an additional option, drop a ball, under penalty of one stroke, in the dropping zone (located at the end of the fairway).

Ground Under Repair: In addition to areas defined with white painted lines, the following unmarked areas are deemed ground under repair. If there are any questions, consult a Referee or play two balls.

- areas where tree stumps have recently been removed.
- areas that have been recently disturbed by heavy machinery (e.g. between #11 & #13)

Practice Areas: All practice putting and chipping greens (e.g. left of Hole #18) are wrong greens and players must take free relief under Rule 13.1f.

Caddies/Transportation: Players may have a caddie and caddies may ride in carts only if there is a seat available. Spectators (outside influence) may ride in carts if there is a seat available.

Pace of Play: Please refer to the VSGA Standard Local Rules and VSGA.org for the complete pace of play policy.

Rules Questions: If you have any questions, please call Amanda Braun (804) 928-7926 or Josh Coates at (804) 304-9132.

VSGA Local Rules and Terms of the Competition: To access the VSGA Local Rules and Terms of the Competition, please scan the QR code below.



