

2025 VSGA Amateur/State Open of Virginia Qualifying Hidden Valley Country Club June 5, 2025

Notice to Players

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

Format/Tee Markers: 18-hole stroke play. All play will be from the Maroon tees.

Out of Bounds: In addition to the line between the course-side points, at ground level, of white stakes and fence posts, out of bounds is also defined by the course side edge of all asphalt surfaces (public roads, entrance road, parking lot, cart staging area). A ball which comes to rest on or across a public road defined as out of bounds is out of bounds even though it may lie on another part of the course.

- When white stakes are present with roads, fences, etc., the white stakes define out of bounds.
- Hole #3 The inside points, at ground level, of the guard rail posts adjacent to the road define out of bounds.
- Hole #9 The inside edge of the entrance road and parking lot define out of bounds.
- Hole #10 The pool and tennis areas right of the fairway are out of bounds. The margin is determined by the inside points, at ground level, of the fence posts and wall.

Ground Under Repair: Any bunkers that are circled in white paint are deemed to be ground under repair. A player may play their ball or take free relief under Rule 16.1.

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

Scoring: The digital scorecard used via the Golf Genius app is the unofficial scorecard. The official scorecard is the paper scorecard which needs to be verified in the scoring area.

Ties/Playoff: There are four (4) spots available for the VSGA Amateur Championship and two (2) spots available for the State Open of Virginia. A sudden death playoff to determine the final spot and three (3) alternate spots for both the VSGA Amateur Championship and State Open of Virginia will be held immediately after the completion of play. If players are not present the winner of the playoff will be decided using a random method.

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

Rules Committee: If no official is available, players may play two balls or call Kent Holubar at (804) 937-8719.

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.

