



69th VSGA Senior Women's Amateur Championship
8th VSGA Super Senior Women's Amateur Championship
The Homestead (Old Course)
August 24-28, 2026

NOTICE TO PLAYERS

(This information supplements the Championship entry and the Standard Local Rules and Terms of Competition for 2026 USGA Championships)

TEE MARKERS:

- Senior Championship: **GREEN VSGA** tee markers.
- Super Senior Championship: **WHITE VSGA** tee markers.

FORMAT: Match play championship with an 18-hole qualifying round on Monday. The 16 scorers of those attempting to qualify for the Senior or Super Senior Championship flights are placed in the Championship Flight and seeded by qualifying score. Remaining players will be flighted by the August 23rd Handicap Index and seeded by qualifying score if all players in a particular flight complete the round. If not, all players complete the qualifying round, players will be seeded by Handicap Index. Players that lose their first-round match will be placed in a consolation flight.

PLAYOFF/TIES: Players tied for the last spot for either Championship flight must be present for a hole-by-hole playoff. Ties for the last spot in all other flights will be settled by a match of cards. Ties for seeding in all flights will be settled by a random method.

CADDIES/TRANSPORTATION: Players may have a caddie, and caddies may ride in carts only if there is a seat available. Spectators (outside agencies) may ride in carts if there is a seat available. No additional carts will be given for caddies/spectators.

OUT OF BOUNDS: *Holes #1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 15 and 16* –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 this course side edge of all public roads. 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.

OBSTRUCTIONS: All walking trails are played as obstructions. Players may take relief, without penalty.

ABNORMAL COURSE CONDITIONS – Ground Under Repair: The downed trees to the left of Hole #10 and behind Hole #11 green are considered ground under repair. Free relief is allowed under Rule 16.1d

IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS:

- Immovable Obstructions Close to Putting Green: MLR F-5.2 is in effect. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1b if an Immovable Obstruction is on the line of play and is within two club-lengths of the Putting Green and within two club-lengths of the ball. **Relief under this Local Rule is only allowed when both the ball and the Immovable Obstruction lie in an area cut to fairway height or less.**
- Immovable Obstructions within or adjacent to each other, including but not limited to sprinkler heads near putting greens, are considered to be a single obstruction. Consult a referee with questions.

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 Kelley at 757-273-4652.

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.



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VSGA Senior/Super Senior Women's Amateur Rd. 1

