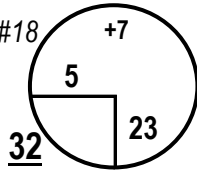
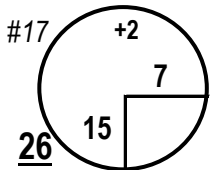
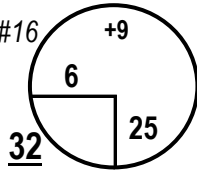
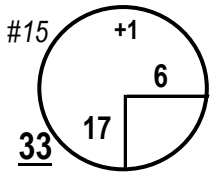
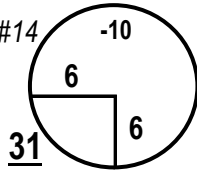
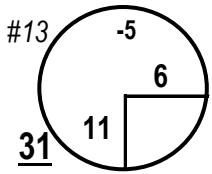
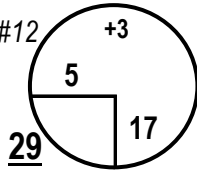
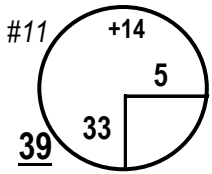
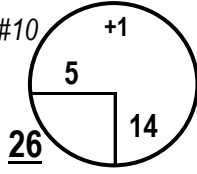
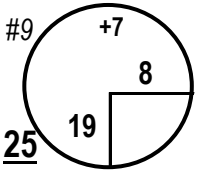
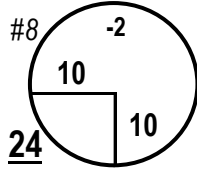
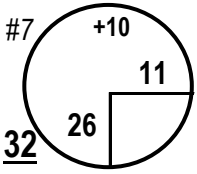
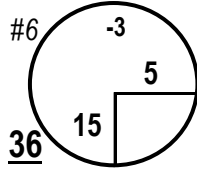
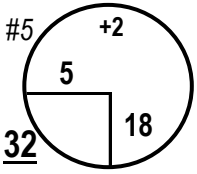
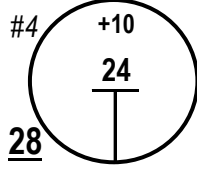
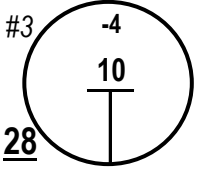
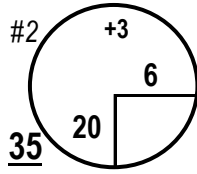
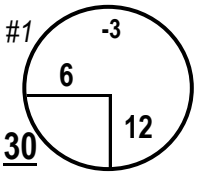


July 31, 2024



33rd VSGA Junior Match Play Championship
Olde Mill Resort
July 30-August 2, 2024

Notice to Players

(This information supplements the Championship entry and the Standard Local Rules and Terms of Competition for 2024 VSGA Championships)

Tees/Format

All play will be from the white VSGA tee markers.

Stroke Play:

July 30: 18-hole individual stroke play. (field cut to low 60 players and ties)

July 31: Round two of 18-hole individual stroke play qualifying

(top 16 players advance to match play; if needed, players will playoff for the last spot(s) to make match play)

Match Play: Singles match play. If a match is all square after 18 holes, the match will return to hole #1. The round is extended until a hole is won.

August 1: Round of 16 and Quarterfinals of match play

August 2: Semifinal and Final matches

Ground Under Repair

If the player is virtually certain their ball is in the fairway and the ball cannot be found, the player may drop a ball as closely as possible to the point where they believe their ball was lost in the fairway.

Preferred Lies

When a player's ball lies in a part of the general area cut to fairway height or less, the player may take free relief once by placing the original ball or another ball in and playing it from this relief area:

Reference Point: Spot of the original ball.

Size of Relief Area Measured from Reference Point: **one club length**

from the reference point, but with these limits:

Limits on Location of Relief Area:

- Must not be nearer the hole than the reference point, and
- Must be in the general area.

In proceeding under this Local Rule, the player must choose a spot to place the ball and use the procedures for replacing a ball under Rules 14.2b(2) and 14.2e.

Out of Bounds

Out of bounds is defined by white stakes, fence posts, white painted lines. The margin is determined by the inside edge at ground level of white stakes.

Caddies

Players may have a caddie, but he/she must meet the same age requirements for the tournament as the player.

Dropping Zones

Holes #14 – If a ball is in or it is virtually certain that a ball that has not been found is in the Red penalty area, the player may:

Proceed under Rule 17.1d; or

As an additional option, drop a ball, under penalty of one stroke in the designated dropping area (marked with a sign) anywhere on the most forward teeing ground within the painted white circle.

This is the only drop zone in play during this competition.

Scorecards/Scoring Area

The digital scorecard used via the app is the unofficial scorecard. The official scorecard is the paper scorecard which needs to be verified in the scoring area. The scoring area is defined by the Olde Mill Property. A competitor is deemed to have left the scoring area when he/she has left the site. The scorecard is deemed returned once the player has left the scoring area.

Rules Committee

Final decisions on any disputed points will be made by the Rules Committee, which includes the following members: Kent Holubar (804) 937-8719, Caleb McCall, Quint Dingleline, Bert Wilson (804) 869-3246, Keith Myers, Marc Williams (804) 767-0121, Tim Rash (804) 356-4439, and Brian Maloney (703) 477-4699.