

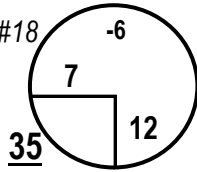
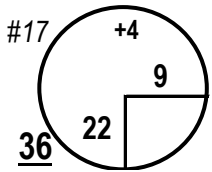
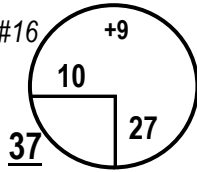
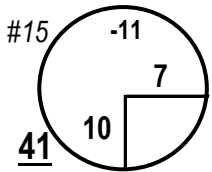
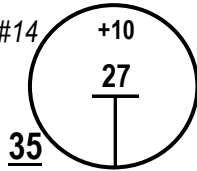
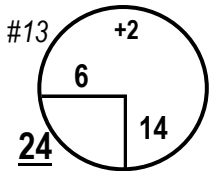
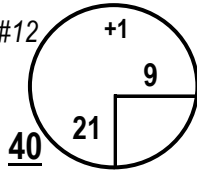
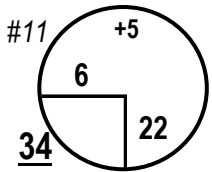
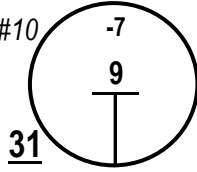
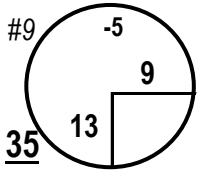
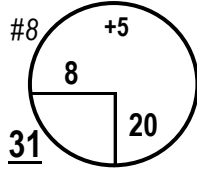
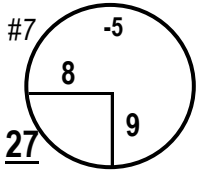
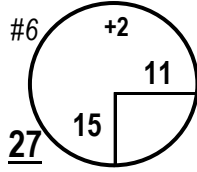
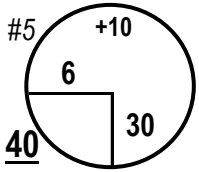
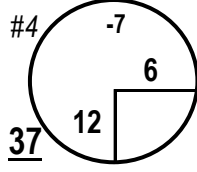
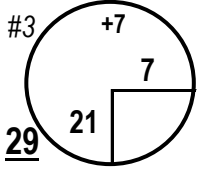
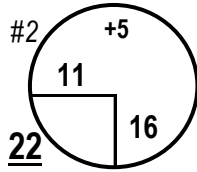
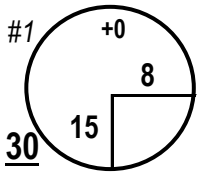
August 22, 2024



12th VSGA Mixed Four-Ball Tournament
Golden Horseshoe Golf Club (Gold Course)
August 22, 2024

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

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



TEE MARKERS: All play will be from the Golden Horseshoe tee markers.

Men Ages 49 & Under: **BLUE**

Men Ages 50-64: **WHITE**

Men Ages 65 & Over: **SILVER**

Women Ages 49 & Under with HI of 9.9 or less: **SILVER**

Women Ages 50 & Over or have a HI of 10.0 or higher: **GREEN**

FORMAT: 18-hole four-ball stroke play competition. Handicaps will be adjusted for the course and each player will receive 85% of that handicap. Divisions will be created as equally as possible, based on the side's combined handicap.

SCORING: The gross score to count **must be** clearly identified as the score of the individual partner who made that score. If this is not done, the side is disqualified.

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 on *holes #9, #14, and #15*. The fence around the maintenance area and the face of the maintenance building define out of bounds on *hole #17*.

PENALTY AREAS: When playing hole #2, the yellow penalty area on hole #12 is to be played as a red penalty area. When playing hole #12, the yellow penalty area on hole #2 is to be played as a red penalty area.

DROPPING ZONES - Holes #2, #12, and #16: If a ball is in the yellow penalty area, including when it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found came to rest in the yellow penalty area, the player has these relief options, each for one penalty stroke:

- i. proceed under Rule 17.1d; or
- ii. as an extra option, drop a ball, under penalty of one stroke, in the dropping zone.

DROPPING ZONE - Hole #7: As an additional option for a ball in the yellow or red penalty area (one stroke penalty) or for interference with the cart path or steps on the green side of the bridge (free relief), the player may drop the ball in the dropping zone provided on the most forward tee.

GROUND UNDER REPAIR - Hole #18: Everything left of the silt fence on *Hole #18* is deemed ground under repair. Free relief is available under Rule 16.1.

TEMPORARY IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS: Model Local Rule F-23 is in effect for greenside fans. Relief procedure may be taken on either side of the TIO.

PRIZES: The overall gross and net winners will receive prizes and may come from any flight. In addition, gross and net prizes will be awarded in each flight. All ties will be broken by the USGA recommended scorecard playoff procedure (Holes 10-18, Holes 13-18, Holes 16-18, Hole 18, coin toss).

RULES QUESTIONS: If you have a rules question, please call Amanda Braun at (804) 928-7926.