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**USGA**

**U.S. Girls' Junior Qualifying**  
**Williamsburg National Golf Club (Yorktown)**  
**June 18, 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/FORMAT:** All play will be from the **USGA** tee markers. Qualifying and alternate spots will be determined over 18 holes of stroke play. Two (2) qualifying and two (2) alternate spots are available. A playoff for the final spot(s) and alternate spots will take place shortly after the last group finishes.

**TRANSPORTATION:** Local Rule as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule G-6: Players must walk at all times during the round.

**CADDIES:** Caddies are not required. If you have a caddie, they must walk or use a push/pull cart. Caddies must not be a parent, step parent, or guardian.

**DISTANCE-MEASURING DEVICES:** The use of distance-measuring devices (DMD) to measure distance only (Rule 4.3) is permitted in all USGA qualifying rounds.

**OUT OF BOUNDS:** Out of bounds is defined by the line between the course-side points, of ground level, of white stakes and fence posts, out of bounds is also defined by the course-side edge of all public roads. A ball which comes to rest on or across public road defined as out of bounds is out of bounds even though it may lie on another part of the course.

**RELIEF FROM SEAMS OF CUT TURF:** Model Local Rule F-7 is in effect. If a player's ball lies in or touches a seam of cut turf or a seam interferes with the player's area of intended swing:

- Ball in General Area. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1b.
- Ball on Putting Green. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1d.
- **But interference does not exist if the seam only interferes with the player's stance.**

**GROUND UNDER REPAIR:** Piles of dirt and mulch from areas where trees have been removed are deemed ground under repair. Consult a referee or play a second ball if there are any questions.

**IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS CLOSE TO PUTTING GREEN:** Model Local Rule F-5 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 immovable obstruction lie in an area cut to fairway height or less.** There is no relief under this Local Rule if the player chooses a line of play that is clearly unreasonable.

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.

**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 will be inside the private room near the clubhouse.

**RULES QUESTIONS:** If you have any questions on the rules, please locate the nearest Rules Official or call Amanda Kelley at (757) 273-4652.

**USGA LOCAL RULES AND TERMS OF THE COMPETITION:** To access the USGA Local Rules and Terms of the Competition, please scan the QR code below.



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