

NOTICE TO PLAYERS

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

Tee Markers

Boys: Blue tees | Girls: Yellow tees

<u>Format</u>

36-hole four-ball stroke play competition (18 holes per day). Each round will be played in nine-hole rounds. In the event of severe weather, the Committee reserves the right to modify the number of rounds used to determine the overall championship.

The score to count on each hole must be individually identifiable on the scorecard.

A four-ball stroke play competition is when two players are partners; each playing his/her own ball until it is holed. The lower score between the two partners is recorded for each hole.

Caddies/Transportation

Players may have a caddie, but he/she must meet the same age requirements for the tournament as the player. Players and caddies must walk at all times.

Out of Bounds

Is defined by the line between the course-side points, at ground level, of white stakes, public roads, and fence posts. 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.

DROPPING ZONE - Hole #6: If, during play of Hole #6, a ball is in or it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found lies in the yellow penalty area, the player may:

- 1. proceed under Rule 17.1d; or
- 2. as an additional option, drop a ball, under penalty of one stroke, in the dropping zone (anywhere on the most forward tee).

Faded Lines

All penalty area lines are freshly painted. Please disregard any old or faded lines.

Pace of Play

Please refer to the official scorecard, VSGA Standard Local Rules (QR code below), and VSGA.org for the complete pace of play policy.

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 outside of Fenwick Grill.

Playoff/Ties

Awards will be given to the Overall Champion Playoff Information – Hole-by-hole playoffs for Overall Champion will begin 15 minutes after the completion of play.

Rules Questions

If you have a rules question, please call Kent Holubar at (804) 937-8719.

