





## 34th VSGA Junior Match Play Championship

1757 Golf Club

July 29-August 1, 2025

### Notice to Players

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

**Tees/Format:** All play will be from the Green VSGA tee markers.

#### **Stroke Play:**

July 29: 18-hole individual stroke play. (field cut to low 60 players and ties)

July 30: 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.

July 31: Round of 16 and Quarterfinals of match play

August 1: Semifinal and Final matches

**Out of Bounds:** In addition to the line between the course-side points, at ground level of white stakes and lines, out of bounds is also defined by the course-side edge of all public roads and curbing. A ball which comes to rest on or across a public road is out of bounds even though it may lie on another part of the course. On holes #9 and #12, the chain-link fence defines out of bounds.

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

**Transportation:** Model Local Rule G-6 is in effect. During a round, a player or caddie must not ride on any form of motorized transportation except as authorized by the Committee. The player gets the general penalty for each hole during which there is a breach of this Local Rule. If the breach occurs between the play of two holes, it applies to the next hole. A shuttle at the turn will be provided.

**Model Local Rule F-24:** Relief from interference by sprinkler heads located in the penalty area is allowed under Rule 16.1b, with the following modifications:

- Reference Point: The nearest point of complete relief must be in the penalty area.
- Size of Relief Area Measured from Reference Point: One club-length, but with these limits:
  - Must be in the penalty area in which the ball came to rest,
  - Must not be nearer the hole than the reference point, and
  - There must be complete relief from all interference by the immovable obstructions.

#### **Dropping Zones – Holes #8, 16, and 18:**

If a ball is in or it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found is in the 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 painted dropping zone provided, indicated with a VSGA sign. All 1757 dropping zone signs have no status in this championship.

- #8: Located at the end of the fairway.
- #16 Located anywhere on the most forward tee.
- #18 Located anywhere on the most forward tee.

**Scorecard/Scoring:** 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 located in the VSGA tent.

**Rules Committee:** Final decisions on any disputed points will be made by the VSGA Rules Committee on-site. If you have a rules question, please contact Caleb McCall at 770-653-9220.

**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.

