

**CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION - The following conditions shall be in effect for this competition:**

- **GSGA competitions are "spikeless" events. Therefore, metal and traditionally-designed spikes are prohibited. Penalty for breach of this condition is disqualification.**
- **Players are responsible for posting their scores to the handicap system upon conclusion of this competition. Scores must be posted as tournament scores. Course slope and rating information is typically posted at the scoreboard during the competition. You may also contact GSGA for this information. Your scores are subject to review by your peers and your club's handicap committee.**

<b>COMPETITION</b>	Women’s Match Play Championship
<b>ELIGIBILITY</b>	Open to female amateur golfers
<b>FIELD</b>	Low 48 entries by USGA Handicap Index
<b>FORMAT</b>	<p>18 holes of stroke play qualifying followed by match play for 48 players in two flighted brackets. The championship bracket will consist of 32 players. Qualifying scores are for seeds in match play brackets. Match Play – 18 holes per match. The low 32 scores from stroke play qualifying will comprise the Championship flight. The remaining players will be placed in a flight of 16 based on scores from stroke play qualifying. The schedule for qualifying and match play is as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wednesday, June 1: Stroke play qualifying for match play flights and seeds in a.m.</li> <li>• Thursday, June 2: Championship bracket round of 32 in a.m., Tournament bracket round of 16 in a.m., Championship bracket round of 16 in p.m.</li> <li>• Friday, June 3: Championship &amp; Tournament Quarterfinals in a.m., Semifinals in p.m.</li> <li>• Saturday, June 4: Championship &amp; Tournament Finals in a.m.</li> </ul>
<b>PRACTICE ROUNDS</b>	<p>One practice round per player. Practice rounds will be available on the designated times below two weeks prior to the competition. Please call <a href="#">Sunset Hills Country Club</a> to reserve your practice round starting time. Practice round cart and range fee is \$25 plus tax. Credit cards ONLY will be accepted.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tuesday-Thursday, anytime, based on club availability.</li> <li>• Friday and Sunday after 1:00 p.m.</li> </ul>
<b>YARDAGES &amp; TEES</b>	A combination of tee markers and yardages will be utilized for the championship. Yardages are approximate and may be adjusted due to inclement weather or other factors that may affect the playing conditions during the competition. A complete practice yardage sheet will be provided for players playing practice rounds.
<b>GOLF SHOP &amp; DRIVING RANGE:</b>	The golf shop and driving range will open at 6:30 a.m. each day of competition.
<b>STARTING TIMES</b>	Starting times for tournament play will be assigned by the GSGA and posted at the club the day before the competition starts. You may visit <a href="http://www.gsga.org">www.gsga.org</a> for complete pairing information and starting times beginning on May 25.

<b>REGISTRATION</b>	No formal registration will be held on site. <b>Player withdraws must be called or e-mailed in to the GSGA office so that an alternate may be contacted.</b>
<b>CARTS</b>	Practice carts and range fees are \$25 plus tax. Credit cards ONLY will be accepted. Cart fees for the stroke play qualifying round and first round of match play for each player are included with the entry fee. Players advancing to additional matches will be responsible for an additional cart and range fee of \$25.00 tax inclusive per day. These fees will be charged to the player through the online registration system after the competition has been completed. These fees must be paid regardless of whether or not the player chooses to use a cart.
<b>RULES OF PLAY/PACE OF PLAY/CART POLICY</b>	The GSGA Rules of Play, Pace of Play and Cart Policies shall be in effect. <a href="#">Click here to view the policies.</a>
<b>PLAYER HOSPITALITY</b>	The GSGA cordially invites all players to a dinner in honor of the late great Louise Suggs who passed away last year. Ms. Suggs was a tremendous contributor to women's golf, had a great golfing history both in Georgia and at Sunset Hills Country Club and donated the trophy handed out to the winner of the championship. The dinner will take place Wednesday, June 1 at 6:00 p.m. GSGA is sponsoring the dinner for the players at no additional charge. Guests are more than welcome and encouraged to attend. The charge for guests will be \$35 per person. RSVP's required by May 25. There will be a brief program during dinner honoring Louise Suggs' contributions to women's golf and some personal stories about her life from some of her dear friends. Country club casual attire. No jeans or shorts please. GSGA will send separate notice to players in the field for RSVP purposes upon acceptance of the field into the championship.
<b>FOOD SERVICE</b>	Food service will be available all day. Credit cards ONLY will be accepted.
<b>PRIZES</b>	Prizes will be awarded to the winner and those advancing to at least the quarterfinals of match play of the Championship flight and to the winners and those advancing to the semifinals (field of 16) of the Tournament flight.
<b>HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS</b>	The following accommodations are conveniently located to the golf course. Please use the contact information below to make your arrangements. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Courtyard Marriott Carrollton</a> – 180 Barnes Avenue, Carrollton, GA 30117.</li> <li>• <a href="#">Holiday Inn Express</a> – 104 S. Cottage Hill Rd., Carrollton, GA 30117.</li> <li>• <a href="#">Hampton Inn</a> – 102 S. Cottage Hill Rd., Carrollton, GA 30117.</li> </ul>
<b>REFUND POLICY &amp; WITHDRAWS</b>	A \$30 service charge will be retained by the GSGA on all refunds granted prior to the close of entries. Entry fees will not be refunded after entries close unless there is a waiting list and your spot can be filled. Withdraws after the close of entries must be made by notifying the GSGA Rules and Competitions Department at (770) 955-4272 or via e-mail.
<b>THANK YOU TO CLUBS</b>	If players wish to send thanks to the host clubs upon conclusion of the tournament, click on the following link for contact information: <a href="#">Sunset Hills Country Club</a>