



UNITED STATES GOLF ASSOCIATION
2012 U.S. JUNIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP
SECTIONAL QUALIFYING ROUND
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA GOLF COURSE
ATHENS, GEORGIA
JUNE 25, 2012



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.**

CLUB INFORMATION: 2600 Riverbend Road, Athens, GA 30605. Click on www.golfcourse.uga.edu for more information and directions.

FORMAT: 36 Holes of Stroke Play, 18 holes a.m./18 holes p.m. ***see note***

NOTE: All entrants will play 18 holes on Monday morning, June 25. After 18 holes, the field will be reduced to the players with the lowest 27 scores and ties, and all players within 8 strokes of the lowest score. The committee will determine groupings for the second round on Monday afternoon. Qualifying places and alternates positions will be based on 36-hole totals.

QUALIFYING PLACES: 89 players will compete for an undetermined number of spots and 2 alternate positions in the U.S. Junior Amateur Championship. The U.S. Junior Amateur Championship will be held July 16-21 at the Golf Club of New England in Stratham, NH.

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Practice rounds will be available based on club availability, anytime prior to June 25. Players must call the golf shop at (706) 369-5739 to make arrangements for a starting time. One complimentary practice round per player will be allowed, and practice rounds will be limited to contestants only. Additional practice rounds may be available for \$23/30 walking, and an additional \$17 cart fee if players take a cart.

CADDIES: No caddies are available at University of Georgia Golf Course. The player is solely responsible for making arrangements for a caddie. A player may provide his own caddie. Players may not use parents, step-parents or guardians as caddies during Sectional Qualifying or the Championship proper. A player is not required to employ a caddie for any stage of the Championship.

CARTS: Carts will be available for persons transporting players' bags on June 25. Cart rental fee is \$17 inclusive, per 18 holes. Cash and credit cards will be accepted.

PRACTICE ON COURSE: PROHIBITED. Players are asked to play one ball during practice round. Players shall not play more than one ball to a green.

FOOD SERVICE: Food and beverage service will be available starting at 6:30 a.m. through the end of play for the day. Players may pay with cash or credit cards for purchases.

GOLF SHOP/DRIVING RANGE: The golf shop and driving range will open at 6:30 a.m. on the day of the qualifying round.

STARTING TIMES: Players may check the GSGA website (www.gsga.org) to obtain their starting times or call GSGA at (770) 955-4272 or (800) 949-4742.

PREFERRED LIES: Per the United States Golf Association, for all USGA championship and qualifying rounds the following policy is in effect: A Local Rule authorizing “Preferred Lies” or “Winter Rules” is **NEVER** permitted.

RULES OF PLAY/PACE OF PLAY POLICY: The GSGA Rules of Play and Pace of Play Policy shall be in effect. They can be found under the competitions menu tab at www.gsga.org

HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS: The following hotels are conveniently located to the golf course:

- Holiday Inn – (706) 549-4433
- Holiday Inn Express – (706) 546-1722
- Courtyard by Marriott – (706) 369-7000
- Country Inn & Suites – (706) 612-9100

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