



62nd NEBRASKA GIRLS' MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP 35th NEBRASKA JUNIOR MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP Norfolk Country Club July 8-11, 2024

MEMORANDUM TO PLAYERS

Thank you for entering the 62nd Nebraska Girls' Match Play Championship and 35th Nebraska Junior Match Play Championship. We welcome you and trust you'll enjoy the experience of playing Norfolk Country Club in a championship conducted by the Nebraska Golf Association.

The following information will help answer questions and explain many details before arriving on site in Norfolk. Please keep this memo for reference.

LOCATION

Norfolk Country Club 1700 Riverside Blvd Norfolk, NE 68701 (402) 379-1188 General Manager - Jeff Kuhn Head Golf Professional - Tom Johnson Director of Agronomy - Jeff Wrage <u>norfolkcountryclub.biz</u>

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, July 8

7 a.m. - Practice Areas Open
7 a.m. - 10 a.m. - Player Registration
8 a.m.- 10 a.m. - Boys' Starting Times (1 & 10 Tee)
12 p.m. - 3 p.m. - Player Registration
1 p.m. - 3:20 p.m. - Girls' Starting Times (1 Tee)
1:20 p.m. - 3 p.m. - Boys' Starting Times (10 Tee)

Tuesday, July 9

7 a.m. - Practice Areas Open 8 a.m.– 9:50 a.m. - Round One - Match Play (1 & 10 Tee) 1 p.m. - 2:50 p.m. - Round Two - Match Play (1 Tee)

Wednesday, July 10

6:30 a.m. - Practice Areas Open 7:30 a.m. - 8 a.m. - Boys' Quarterfinals (1 Tee) 8:10 a.m. - 8:20 a.m. - Girls' Semifinals (1 Tee) 12:30 p.m. - 12:40 p.m. - Boys' Semifinals (1 Tee) 12:50 p.m. - Girls' 18-Hole Final (1 Tee)

Thursday, July 11

6:30 a.m. - Practice Areas Open 7:30 a.m. - Boys' 18-Hole Final (1 Tee)

CHAMPIONSHIP WEB SITE

Complete championship information is available at the official championship web sites – <u>nebgolf.org/</u> <u>nebraskagirlsmatchplay</u> and <u>nebgolf.org/nebraskajuniormatchplay</u>. Included are links to championship history, course set-up, groupings and starting times, real-time scoring updates and the match play bracket.

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PRACTICE ROUNDS

Each player is entitled to one practice round, free-of-charge (walking), the week prior to the championship. Tee times are based on availability (see restrictions below), so please call the Norfolk CC golf shop at (402) 379-1188 and reserve your time as soon as possible. Carts are available for rent for \$25 (must be 16-or-older to operate).

Practice Round Restrictions

July 4 - No Availability July 6 - Available 12 p.m. or later July 7 - Available 12 p.m. or later

REGISTRATION

Registration will be located outside the golf shop, behind the main clubhouse, beginning at 7 a.m. Monday. Players **ARE REQUIRED** to check in prior to starting their first round.

PRACTICE FACILITIES

Practice areas will open at 7 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday, and 6:30 a.m. on Wednesday and Thursday. Range balls will be available on the range. The practice range at Norfolk CC is located just north of the golf shop building. In addition, Norfolk CC features two practice greens, one near the clubhouse and another in the lawn between the 9th and 18th greens.

STARTING TIMES

See the pairings tab on the championship web site following the close of entries (July 1) for your assigned starting tee and time. Match play brackets will be posted following play on Monday, July 8. It is your responsibility to be present at your assigned starting tee and ready to play at the assigned time.

CADDIES

A player may provide his/her own caddie. *Exception: A player may not use a parent or guardian as a caddie during the championship.*

SCORING

Scorecards will be used during the championship. One player (or caddie) in each group will be required to enter hole-by-hole scores digitally via an electronic device (cell phone) through the Golf Genius app. Players are asked to download the Golf Genius app prior to the start of their first round. Complete instructions on how to download the GG app, login, and keep score will be at the starter's table. Upon completion of the round players will enter the designated scoring area to review, verify and sign their scorecards.

FORMAT

A) Stroke Play – 18-holes to determine 32 qualifiers for boys match play championship and 16 qualifiers for the girls match play championship. A tie for the last qualifier's place in either championship will be decided immediately by a hole-by-hole playoff. MONDAY, JULY 8.

B) Match Play – General numerical draw will be used. For purposes of determining places in the draw, ties in qualifying rounds shall be decided by a blind draw, except that places of those participating in a playoff shall be determined by order on the public scoreboard summary and by performance in the play-off. TUESDAY A.M., JULY 9, First Round, Boys and Girls, 18-holes.

TUESDAY P.M., JULY 9, Second Round—Boys and Quarterfinal Round—Girls, 18-holes. WEDNESDAY A.M., JULY 10, Quarterfinal Round—Boys and Semifinal Round—Girls, 18-holes. WEDNESDAY P.M., JULY 10, Semifinal Round—Boys and Final—Girls, 18-holes. THURSDAY A.M., JULY 11, Boys Final, 18-holes.

If a match is tied after the final hole, (a) the match is extended one hole at a time until there is a winner and (b) the round is deemed to extend to as many holes as are required for a match to be won.

FOOD & BEVERAGE

Water stations will be available on-course, along with complimentary snacks/fruit on the starting tees. The clubhouse will be open for food & beverage service each day of the championship.

LODGING

Visit the championship website to view lodging options.

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

If you must withdraw, notify the NebGolf office immediately. Please call Ben Vigil at (402) 505-4653, ext. 105, or via email (bvigil@nebgolf.org). Failure to comply may render you liable to disqualification from future NebGolf Championships.

PERSONAL EFFECTS

Please take care of your valuables. Neither Norfolk CC nor NebGolf can assume responsibility for articles lost or stolen.

SPECTATORS

Spectators are allowed. Carts will be allowed, based on availability, for spectators to rent through the golf shop at Norfolk CC.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE

Players must be neat in appearance with respect to personal grooming and clothing.

SCORE POSTING

All qualifying scores will be posted for handicap purposes. Players should not post these scores individually. Match Play scores will not be posted by NebGolf. Players should post these scores individually as competitions scores in accordance with the Rules of Handicapping under the World Handicap System.

PRIZES

WINNER: Custody of championship trophy, gold medal and a NebGolf trophy to keep. RUNNER-UP: Silver medal and a NebGolf trophy. SEMIFINALISTS: Bronze Medal. LOWEST QUALIFYING SCORE: Bronze medal; if a tie, duplicate medals will be awarded.