



2023 U.S. Kids Golf World Van Horn Cup Red vs Blue

The Van Horn Cup will be contested on Sunday, August 6th on Pinehurst No. 4. The Van Horn Cup is a Team Four-Ball Stroke Play competition featuring the top players from each of the Boys and Girls age divisions. Please review the information below as you prepare for the event.

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Saturday, August 5th

Van Horn Cup Bag, Shirt and Hat Pick-up: Following the Awards Ceremony (Pinecrest Highschool)

Sunday, August 6th Schedule

6:00 AM: Player Continental Breakfast (The Deuce)
6:30 AM: Team Meeting with Captains in the Donald Ross Grill
6:45 AM: Team Introduction
7:00 AM: Warm up
7:30 AM: First tee time

Format: *Four-Ball Stroke Play Competition*

Two players play their better ball against the better ball of two other players. The team with the lowest stroke total after 18 holes will earn a point for their team. Matches that are tied will result in a ½ point for each team. If the teams are tied, a playoff will decide the Van Horn Cup winner.

Team Selection Process

The Red and Blue teams will be formed by seeding based on score.

Boys Divisions

The top twenty players in the 12-year-old age group will qualify for the Van Horn Cup. Teams will be selected by seeding. These players will compete against each other in the Red vs Blue format.

Girls Divisions

The top twelve players in the 12-year-old age group will qualify. Teams will be selected by seeding. These players will compete against each other in the Red vs Blue format.

Morrison Medal

Each year, the boys and girls pairings with the lowest rounds in the Van Horn Cup are awarded a Morrison Medal. The award is named in honor of the late Sir Garth Morrison, who served as Lord Lieutenant for East Lothian, and his wife Lady Gill Morrison.

Order of Play

7:30 AM – Group 1: Boys	Red Team: #20 & #17 vs. Blue Team: #18 & #19
7:40 AM – Group 2: Girls	Red Team: #9 & #12 vs. Blue Team: #10 & #11
7:50 AM – Group 3: Boys	Red Team: #13 & #16 vs. Blue Team: #14 & #15
8:00 AM – Group 4: Girls	Red Team: #6 & #7 vs. Blue Team: #5 & #8
8:10 AM – Group 5: Boys	Red Team: #9 & #12 vs. Blue Team: #10 & #11
8:20 AM – Group 6: Boys	Red Team: #5 & #8 vs. Blue Team: #6 & #7
8:30 AM – Group 7: Girls	Red Team: #2 & #3 vs. Blue Team: #1 & #4
8:40 AM – Group 8: Boys	Red Team: #1 & #4 vs. Blue Team: #2 & #3

Awards Ceremony

An awards ceremony will be held at the completion of play. The winning team in each match will receive trophies.