

## 2024 Colonial Williamsburg Classic Important Player Information

### U.S. Kids Golf Participant,

We look forward to seeing your family in Virginia this weekend for the 7<sup>th</sup> annual [U.S. Kids Golf Colonial Williamsburg Classic](#). Included below are all the details you need to prepare for your weekend in Williamsburg!



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### Course Addresses

#### **Golden Horseshoe – Gold Course \*Registration Location\***

401 S. England St.  
Williamsburg, VA 23185  
(757) 220-7696

#### **Golden Horseshoe – Green Course**

651 S. England St.  
Williamsburg, VA 23185  
(757) 220-7696

### Tournament Information and use of Cell Phones

All tournament information (Local Rules, Hole Locations, Tee Sheets, etc.) will be made available online. Players and caddies will be permitted to use their cell phones to access the information during their rounds. Cell phones may only be used during your round to access tournament info, call the rules hotline, access GPS yardage apps, or in the case of emergency. Cell phones may not be used for any other purpose.

### Player Registration\*

Check-in will take place in the **Gold Course Lobby** at the times listed below. Players only need to attend one of the registration periods.

**Friday:** 1:00pm to 4:00pm

**Saturday:** 7:00am to 12:00pm

***\*Registration will take place in the Gold Course lobby only. Players only need to attend one of the registration periods.***

### Tournament Age Date & Priority Status Info

The Tournament Age Date is October 31, 2024. This determines a player's age group for the duration of the event. Priority Status earned from this event will be active from February 1, 2025 through January 31, 2026. For more information, visit our [Priority Status](#) homepage.

### Caddie Bibs

Players receive a universal U.S. Kids Golf Caddie Bib that they will keep and use for all future U.S. Kids Golf events. Additionally, an iron-on patch with the tournament logo will be available at every Major Championship. These patches will be available for no charge, and are designed to be worn as "pride stickers" for each event played.

**If you have already received a Caddie Bib, please remember to bring it with you to the event.**

Players that have preordered his/her last name will be able to pick up the name and caddie bib at Player Registration.

## Golf Genius

**Green Course Players in Boys 13-14, Boys 12, Boys 11 & Girls 12** will utilize electronic live scoring via the Golf Genius App. Your online scorecard will serve as your official scorecard this week. More information, including your unique GGID, will be emailed to competitors soon. We advise all players to download the Golf Genius App before arriving and to come to each round with their phones fully charged. The use of Golf Genius allows scores to be updated in real time on [uskidsgolf.com](http://uskidsgolf.com), so parents, spectators, and supporters can keep up with the action. **All other courses will use paper scorecards.**

## Spectator Carts

Spectator carts may be rented from the Gold/Green Course pro shops no earlier than 30 minutes prior to the participant's tee time. Due to the limited number of carts, **only 1 cart may be rented per player.** In order to ensure availability for all spectators, we ask that you please return your cart to the golf shop immediately following your player's round. Spectator carts can be rented for a cost of \$32 for 18-holes and \$26 for 9-holes. **Driver must have a valid Driver's License to operate the golf cart.** Please be aware that the golf courses have a limited number of carts available to rent.

## Caddie Use of Carts

**18-hole players and caddies may not use carts for play.** All players and caddies must walk during the play of each hole (tee to green). Penalty: Two strokes per hole at which any breach occurred; Maximum penalty per round: Four strokes.

Caddies for 9-hole players may rent a cart for use during play (Cart Path Only). **A 9-hole player must walk the duration of the hole and may only use the cart to be shuttled from green to the next tee box.** The caddie may leave the bag on the cart or carry it on the course for the player when needed. Penalty: Two strokes per hole at which any breach occurred; Maximum penalty per round: Four strokes.

Spectators are allowed rides with a 9-hole caddie, as only 1 cart is allowed per player.

## Practice Rounds

The Official Practice Round Fee for Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup> is included in your entry fee. You are able to book your tee time for the Official Practice Round online at the link here: [Practice Round Instructions](#). Please do not call the pro shop to book times for Friday. Players will still be able to book times any day prior to Friday by calling the pro shop. Practice round fees do not include carts. Carts will be available for an added cost (\$32/18 or \$26/9). You can adjust your tee time online up until Thursday at 12pm.

## U.S. Kids Golf Demo and Player Swing Speed Development

During the practice round on Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, our products team will provide Player Swing Speed Development sessions onsite. Assessments will take place from 10:00am - 4:00 pm on the Monterey Pines practice range. Each session is scheduled for 20 minutes. Please click the following link to for more information and to schedule your time: [Swing Speed Assessment](#)

## \*Range Hours/Fees\*

The Gold Course and Green Course both have practice ranges available; however, space on tournament days will be extremely limited. In effort to ensure all players an equal chance to warm up, **each player will be allowed one complimentary small basket only (approx. 30 balls).** Players will check in at the practice range with the range attendant to receive your basket. **We ask that you each player arrive to the course no earlier than 1 hour prior to his/her tee time.**

## Dress Code

Only acceptable golf attire is permitted. PLAYERS AND CADDIES are prohibited from wearing shoes with metal spikes, short shorts, swimwear, denim of any kind, t-shirts, or tank tops. Shirts must be tucked in at all times. Players and caddies not appropriately attired will not be permitted to participate.

### REQUIRED DRESS AT THE GOLF COURSE:

- Hats/visors must be worn with brim forward
- Males must remove hat/visor while indoors
- Shirts must be tucked in at all times
- Girls' fitted shirts do not have to be tucked in, but should be an appropriate length

### PROHIBITED DRESS AT THE GOLF COURSE:

- Tank tops, T-shirts
- Denim
- Short shorts, skorts or skirts
- Cut-off shorts
- Gym shorts or pants

*Proper attire is required at all times at the host facility. This includes practice rounds, Family Nights and Awards Ceremonies. Questionable attire will be reviewed by the Tournament Committee. Should a host golf course or resort have a stricter dress code, its policy will take precedence. Players and caddies in violation will not be allowed to tee off.*

## Care for the Course

U.S. Kids Golf is committed to keeping our host tournament sites in the best condition possible. During the round, we encourage players and a caddie to fill or replace their divots, repair ball marks and dispose of trash properly. These simple things will keep the course in better condition and leave the host facility with a positive impression of junior golf and U.S. Kids Golf families. Thank you for helping make a positive impact on the golf course.

## Tee Times

Players will be paired randomly the first round and by score for the final round, unless weather conditions prohibit this. Tee times for the first round will be posted online by **noon on Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup>**.

Times for the final round will be posted approximately one hour after the completion of play for each age/gender division on our website and at the golf course. Please do not call the front desk of the hotel seeking tee time information. Players and parents are advised to look at pairings sheets personally to assure accuracy of tee times.



## Junior Golf Scoreboard

U.S. Kids Golf will report tournament scores to [Junior Golf Scoreboard](#) for players ages 11 and older. Junior Golf Scoreboard is a ranking system that groups players by high school graduation year.

## AJGA Performance Based Entry

Champions in the Boys 11, Boys 12, Boys 13-14, Girls, 11, Girls 12 and Girls 13-14 divisions will earn two AJGA Performance Stars. Top 5 in Boys 11, Boys 12, and Boys 13-14 and the Top 3 in Girls 11, Girls 12 and Girls 13-14 will earn one Performance Star.

## Priority Status

When your young player participates in U.S. Kids Golf events, they have the opportunity to earn [Priority Status](#) – a qualification that determines when players receive invitations for multi-day events.

## U.S. Kids Golf on Social Media

Be sure to follow us on all social media outlets: Visit us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) & [Instagram](#).

### U.S. Kids Golf Event Staff

Tournament Director/Gold Course Ops – **Kyle Scott**

Tournament Operations/Green Course Ops – **Niall King**

Tournament Operations – **Connor Murphy**

Tournament Support – **Greg Hubbard**, Sr. Director of Tournaments

Tournament Communications – **Rachel Wohn**

Green Course Director – **Michelle Holmes**, Hampton Roads LT

Green Course Director – **Laura Landon**, Richmond LT

Gold Course Director – **Dona Lerner**, U.S. Kids Golf

Gold Course Director – **Kathy Bounds**, U.S. Kids Golf

U.S. Kids Golf Demo Day – **Jeff Cowell**, U.S. Kids Golf

U.S. Kids Golf Demo Day – **David Fischer**, U.S. Kids Golf

Golden Horseshoe Head Golf Professional – **Jeff Winters**, PGA

U.S. Kids Golf Rules Official – **Mike McCarthy**

We look forward to seeing you in Williamsburg!

