## Girls 15-18 Participants,

Congratulations on qualifying for the 2024 World Teen Championship! We are excited to see you and your family in Pinehurst!

As you all know, Pinehurst hosted this year's U.S. Open on Pinehurst No. 2. In hosting, there are areas of the main clubhouse facility still affected, namely the practice areas. Please read the information below regarding the course set up and practice information for your age group.

## **Course Adjustments**

- On Tournament Rounds, **all players will start on Hole #18.** This will be the designated starting hole for all players in Girls 15-18. After completion of the hole, you'll simply fill in your score in the Golf Genius App for Hole #18, then move on to #1, #2, #3 and so on, ending on #17.
- Players will complete their round on Hole #17 and head back across the street to the Donald Ross Grill in the main clubhouse for scoring.
- Please note: Prior to Wednesday, Pinehurst will start all rounds on Hole #1. For the Official Practice Round on **Wednesday** and **Tournament Rounds Thursday – Saturday**, play will start on Hole #18. Please be sure to check the tournament yardages for detailed hole by hole information.

## **Practice Areas**

The practice range and short game areas at the main Pinehurst Clubhouse are under construction and there is currently a large net for players to hit into. Additional practice options are listed below:

- Girls 15-18 participants may hit into the large net or use the range at Pinehurst No. 9 to practice and warm up during the week. The Range hours at No. 9 are 6:30am 7:00pm. On July 23<sup>rd</sup>, the range will close for the day at 2:00pm.
- Other practice options for tournament days and days earlier in the week include the range at Pinehurst No. 6, Longleaf, and players can purchase range balls at the large range at Knollwood (1470 Midland Road). Please note that No. 6, No. 9 and Longleaf will be hosting other large age groups and range space may be limited.
- A designated chipping area has been added to the back of the Main Clubhouse's Thistledhu putting course to give players a short game option in addition to putting.
- You are responsible for getting to your starting tee on time. We ask all players to be at the starting hole, ready to play, 10 minutes prior to your tee time.