

## **Venice Open Participant,**

As you travel to Padova, Italy for the third annual Venice Open, we would like to provide you with some important event information:

[Detailed Schedule of Events](#)

[Pace of Play Policy](#)

[Caddie Policy](#)

## **Player Registration**

Wednesday, August 16: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. at The Majestic Hotel.

Thursday, August 17: 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. at The Majestic Hotel

## **Caddie Bibs**

Players that have already received a Tournament Player Association (TPA) caddie bib should bring it with them to the Venice Open.

Remaining players will receive a bib at Player Registration. The TPA caddie bib should be used for all future U.S. Kids Golf Foundation events.

## **Dress Code**

Only acceptable golf attire is permitted. PLAYERS AND CADDIES are prohibited from wearing shoes with metal spikes, short shorts, swimwear, and 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. The Tournament Committee will review any questionable attire. 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 caddies 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.

### **Caddie use of Carts**

No caddie or spectator carts will be permitted.

## **Official Practice Round**

Thursday, August 17th

### **Golf della Montecchia**

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[info@golfmontecchia.it](mailto:info@golfmontecchia.it)

### **Terme di Galzignano Course**

+39 049 919 4000

[termegolf@galzignano.it](mailto:termegolf@galzignano.it)

### **Golf Frassanelle**

+39 049 9910722

[info@golffrassanelle.it](mailto:info@golffrassanelle.it)

## **Driving Range**

Practice balls on the days of each tournament round are included in the entry fee. On the official practice round day, and any days prior, each bucket is (2.50 Euro).

Pull carts (trolley) available for rent at each venue - 5 Euro

Official practice rounds costs:

Terme di Galzignano Course - 10 Euro

Golf Frassanelle and Golf della Montecchia - 25 Euro

## **Tee Times**

Players will be paired randomly for the first round and by score for the final round, unless prohibited by weather. Tee times for the first round

will be posted [online](#), at registration and around the golf course two days prior to the first round.

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. Players and parents are advised to look at pairings sheets personally to assure accuracy of tee times.

### **Awards Ceremonies**

The awards will be presented at each course — La Montecchia, Galzignano, Frassanella — shortly after the conclusion of the final rounds. A schedule will be posted after round one.

### **Priority Status**

There are four levels of [Priority Status](#) that players may earn based on their order of finish at the Venice Open: Green Status, Orange Status and Blue Status. All players must meet the [Scoring Requirement](#) at the event in which he or she qualifies. This Priority Status is good for one year and covers all events that are played in that span.

The Priority Status earned from the Venice Open, based on order of finish, is listed below. Players who earn **Burgundy Status** through this tournament will receive an automatic invitation to the 2018 World or Teen World Championship in Pinehurst, North Carolina.

- **Burgundy Status:** 1st — 2nd
- **Green Status:** 3rd
- **Orange Status:** 4th — 10th
- **Blue Status:** 11th — 20th

## Upcoming Events

There are currently **FOUR** Major Championships open for registration: [Seaview Open](#), [Palm Springs Open](#), [PGA Golf Club Invitational](#), and [Monterey Challenge](#). Registration is limited, so make sure you don't miss these great events!

We look forward to seeing you in Italy!

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