

Media & Recording Policy

U.S. Kids Golf welcomes families to capture personal memories during the World Championships while maintaining a fair, distraction-free competitive environment for all players.

Personal Photography & Video

- Spectators may use mobile phones or small handheld cameras to capture personal photos and videos, provided they do not interfere with play or distract competitors.
- All spectators capturing photos or video must comply with the U.S. Kids Golf Spectator Policy, including, but not limited to, remaining off tees, fairways, putting greens, and other restricted areas and maintaining an appropriate distance from players at all times.

Professional Media & Production Equipment

- Any player, family member, sponsor, content creator, or media organization wishing to bring professional cameras, recording equipment, or production crews onto the golf course during competitive rounds **must receive prior approval from U.S. Kids Golf**.
- Requests for approval should be submitted to U.S. Kids Golf before the start of the tournament. Approved media personnel may be issued event credentials and must follow all instructions provided by tournament staff.
- Spectators without prior approval may not use professional-grade production equipment, including, but not limited to:
 - Drones
 - Large professional video cameras
 - Boom microphones
 - External audio recording equipment
 - Production lighting
 - Camera stabilizers, gimbals, tripods, monopods, or similar production equipment that may distract players or impede spectator movement.

On-Course Restrictions

- Unless otherwise approved by U.S. Kids Golf, no more than **two (2)** individuals may capture audio or video content for any one player during a competitive round.
- Approved media personnel must remain at least **25 yards** from players whenever possible and must stay off tees, fairways, greens, and other player-only areas.
- Media personnel may not interact with players during the round or otherwise delay or influence play.
- Tournament staff or Rules Officials may restrict or suspend any photography or recording activity that, in their sole judgment, distracts players, interferes with competition, or creates safety concerns.

Failure to comply with this policy may result in removal from the golf course, revocation of media privileges, or dismissal from the tournament grounds.

If you have any questions, please contact U.S. Kids Golf Tournaments at tournaments@uskidsgolf.com.