# 14th Vicki DiSantis Junior Girls' Championship

Conducted by the Carolinas Golf Association

# Pine Island Country Club, Charlotte, NC August 24-25, 2019



### ELIGIBILITY AND FIELD SIZE

Entry is open to any female amateur golfer ages 12 to 18 as of August 25, 2019, who has not started college, maintains a residency in North Carolina or South Carolina, is a member in good standing of a club which is a member of the Carolinas Golf Association (CGA) and has a current USGA Handicap Index® at a CGA member club that does not exceed 18.3. Entries are subject to rejection at any time, including during the event, by the CGA or the host club. The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct as defined by the CGA Code of Conduct Policy or cell phone use during a round. All players must conform to the "USGA Rules of Amateur Status" as specified in the "Rules of Golf". For complete residency and eligibility requirements, refer to the CGA Tournament Manual.

Championship Field Size: 84 players

#### **ENTRY FEES**

Sectional Qualifying Entry Fee: \$60 (registration through PKBGT website)

Successful Qualifier Championship Entry Fee: \$150 (registration directions will be emailed after sectional qualifying)

Exempt Player Entry Fee: \$150 (registration through CGA website)

#### ENTRY WINDOW AND ONLINE REGISTRATION

All players, including those exempt, must register online at www.carolinasgolf.org (exempt and successful qualifiers) or www.pkbgt.org (sectional qualifying). Mail-in applications are not accepted for this event. Fax, mail, e-mail, telephone, incomplete, illegible, or entries received before the opening date and after the closing date, are not accepted.

Exempt Players: Entries open on March 12, 2019 and close on April 8, 2019. Entries are accepted into the championship proper at time of entry.

Non-exempt Players: Entries open on January 1, 2019 and close on April 8, 2019. Non-exempt players gain entry into the championship proper through sectional qualifying (see "Exemptions from Sectional Qualifying" and "Sectional Qualifying" sections).

The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any internet service provider. Entries are only accepted between the open and close dates as stated above. Confirmation of acceptance is sent to players when their status is determined. The appropriate entry fee must be paid at time of registration. Players who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) are suspended from next year's Vicki DiSantis Girls' Championship.

#### REFUND POLICY

Entry fee refund policy schedule:

Open Date to Day Prior to Championship or Qualifying Date\*: Full refund minus \$30 administrative fee regardless of reason if entry accepted into championship.

Withdraw on Championship or Qualifying Date; No-Shows\*: No refund for any

\*The PKBGT has full control of refunds at CGA-PKBGT sectional qualifying.

## **INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY**

Every effort will be made to complete 36 holes. There are no refunds if the tournament is shortened to 18 holes due to weather. If the entire tournament is cancelled, a full refund will be issued to all players.

#### **RULES**

USGA Rules of Golf govern play. Questions will be decided by the on-site Rules Committee whose decision will be final. Notice to Players and local rules are posted at host club and distributed at the starting tee(s). The CGA reserves the right to alter the conditions or schedules as stated, including alteration of the round(s) at any time during the championship including sectional qualifying. The competition is closed when the championship trophy has been presented. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted.

#### **PRIZES**

Trophies are awarded to the top 10 players. A tie for the overall championship is decided by an on-course playoff. All other ties will be broken by the CGA scorecard playoff method.

# MID-ATLANTIC GIRLS' TEAM MATCHES

The champion will be invited to represent the Carolinas in the Mid-Atlantic Girls' Challenge Team Matches at Brook Valley Country Club in Greenville, NC on August 10-11, 2019.

#### CHAMPIONSHIP FORMAT

The championship format is 36 holes of stroke play. A tie for the overall championship is decided by an on-course playoff.

#### YARDAGES AND DIVISIONS

All competitors will compete in the same division and play from approximately 6,000

#### EXEMPTIONS FROM SECTIONAL QUALIFYING

Players in the following categories are exempt from sectional qualifying if otherwise eligible and may register for the championship directly. All other players must qualify through sectional qualifying.

- 1. Top 25 from 2018 Vicki DiSantis Junior Girls' Championship
- Top 15 from 2018 Carolinas Junior Girls' Championship
- 3. Top 10 from 2018 Twin States Junior Girls' Championship
- 4. Quarterfinalists from 2018 NC Junior Girls' Championship
- 5. Semifinalists from 2018 SC Junior Girls' Match Play
- 6. Top 6 from 2018 CGA Dogwood State Junior Girls' Championship
- Top 4 from 2018 Carolinas Girls' 15 & Under Championship
- 8. Top 6 from 2018 CPGA Junior Girls' Championship
- 9. Top 4 from 2018 CPGA Tilghman Girls' Championship
- 10. Top 6 from 2018 Jimmy Anderson Girls' Invitational
- 11. Top 8 from 2018 SCJGA Beth Daniel Junior Azalea 12. Top 8 from 2018 SCJGA Blade Junior Classic
- 13. Top 8 from 2018 SCJGA Cheraw Fall Challenge 14. Top 5 from 2019 SCJGA Caddie Classic
- 15. Top 8 from 2018 WSCGA Junior Girls' Championship
- 16. Top 10 from 2018 PKBGT Women's Health Classic Junior Challenge Symetra
- 17. Top 10 from 2018 PKBGT Invitational
- 18. Top 10 from 2018 PKBGT Tournament of Champions
- 19. Top 2 from 2018 Hope Valley Junior Invitational
- 20. Top 5 from 2019 TYGA Archdale-Trinity Junior Championship
- 21. 2018 TYGA North Carolina Middle School Girls' Medalist
- 22. 2018 TYGA/PKBGT North State High School Challenge Medalist
- 23. 2018 WSCGA High School Invitational Medalist
- 24. Players ranked in the top 40 of the Carolinas Junior Girls' Rankings (as of March 6, 2019)

# SECTIONAL QUALIFYING

Sectional qualifying is 18 holes of stroke play competition. The number of qualifying spots at each site is determined by the CGA after the close of entries, based on field size at qualifying site. All ties for the final qualifying spot will qualify for the championship (no alternates will be determined). A player may only register for one qualifying site.

April 20 - Siler City Country Club, Siler City, NC April 20 - Green Valley Country Club, Greenville, SC

The Peggy Kirk Bell Girls' Golf Tour is hosting qualifying for the Vicki DiSantis Girls' Championship. Players must register through the PKBGT website (tournament links are above). Membership to the PKBGT is not required to compete in the qualifier.

# **CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE**

Saturday, May 11

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

5:00 pm - 7:30 pm.

Sunday, May 12 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

2:30 p.m.

Tournament Registration Round 1 starting times

Tournament cookout players

and spectators

Round 2 starting times Awards presentation