



13th Vicki DiSantis Junior Girls' Championship

Pine Island Country Club, Charlotte, NC

May 12-13, 2018

Exempt Entries Open: February 6 (8:00 pm) | Qualifying Entries Open: January 23 (8:00 pm)
Entries Close: March 23 (11:59 pm)

ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any female amateur golfer ages 12 to 18 as of May 13, 2018, 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 or cell phone use during a stipulated 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

Exempt Player Entry Fee: \$125 (registration through CGA website)
Sectional Qualifying Fee: \$60 (registration through PKBGT website)
Successful Qualifier Championship Fee: \$125 (registration directions will be emailed after sectional qualifying)

ENTRIES

All players must register online. Exempt players are accepted into the championship at time of entry. Non-exempt players gain entry into the championship proper through sectional qualifying (see "Sectional Qualifying" for more information)

Fax, e-mail, telephone, incomplete, or entries received after the closing date are not accepted. Entries are **only** accepted between the open and close dates as stated above. Players who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) are suspended from the following year's Vicki DiSantis Girls' Championship.

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 stipulated round(s) at any time during the championship. The competition is closed when the championship trophy has been presented. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted.

REFUND POLICY

Players in the championship will receive a refund minus a \$30 administrative fee if withdrawing prior to the first day of the championship. No refunds are given on or after the first day of the championship for any reason. Alternates not gaining entry into the tournament will receive a full refund.

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 USGA recommended scorecard playoff.

FORMAT

36 holes stroke play competition

YARDAGES & DIVISIONS

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

MID-ATLANTIC GIRLS' TEAM MATCHES

The champion will be invited to represent the Carolinas in the Mid-Atlantic Girls' Challenge Team Matches at Indian Creek Golf & Yacht Club in Kilmarnock, VA on July 31-August 1, 2018.

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 2017 Vicki DiSantis Junior Girls' Championship
2. Top 15 from 2017 Carolinas Junior Girls' Championship
3. Top 10 from 2017 Twin States Junior Girls' Championship
4. Quarterfinalists from 2017 NC Junior Girls' Championship
5. Top 8 from 2017 SC Junior Girls' Championship
6. Semifinalists from 2017 SC Junior Girls' Match Play
7. Top 6 from 2017 Dogwood State Junior Girls' Championship
8. Top 4 from 2017 Carolinas Girls' 15 & Under Championship
9. Top 6 from 2017 CPGA Junior Girls' Championship
10. Top 4 from 2017 CPGA Tilghman Girls' Championship
11. Top 6 from 2017 Jimmy Anderson Girls' Invitational
12. Top 8 from 2017 SCJGA Beth Daniel Junior Azalea
13. Top 8 from 2017 SCJGA Blade Junior Classic
14. Top 8 from 2017 SCJGA Cheraw Fall Challenge
15. Top 5 from 2018 SCJGA Caddie Classic
16. Top 10 from 2017 PKBGT Women's Health Classic Junior Challenge Symetra Qualifier
17. Top 10 from 2017 PKBGT Invitational
18. Top 10 from 2017 PKBGT Tournament of Champions
19. TYGA North Carolina Middle School Girls' Medalist
20. Top 5 from 2018 TYGA Archdale-Trinity Junior Championship
21. Players ranked in the top 20 of the TYGA Junior Girls' Rankings (as of February 1, 2018)
22. Players ranked in the top 20 of the SCJGA Junior Girls' Rankings (as of February 1, 2018)

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.

March 30 – [Pinewood Country Club](#), Asheboro NC

March 31 – [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 12

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Tournament Registration
12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Round 1 starting times
5:00 pm – 7:30 pm.	Tournament cookout for players and spectators

Sunday, May 13

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Round 2 starting times
2:30 p.m.	Awards presentation

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.

CONTACT INFORMATION

CGA: 910-673-1000

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