

PACIFIC NORTHWEST GOLF ASSOCIATION

119th WOMEN'S AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP



The Home Course, DuPont, Wash. | July 13-17, 2020

Field Limit: 48 | Entry Fee: \$200 | Deadline for Entry: June 22, 2020 at 4:30 p.m.

ELIGIBILITY

Entries are open to female amateur golfers who: (1) have an up-to-date USGA Handicap Index or Golf Canada Handicap Factor not exceeding 8.4, and (2) are members in good standing of a PNGA member club.

Age: Player's date of birth is required on all entry forms. An application for a player who is a minor upon the date of submission, must be submitted by a parent/guardian, and list parent/guardian's name, phone number, and email address. The parent/guardian must agree to be bound by all terms and conditions on their behalf and on behalf of the minor player.

Presidential Invitations: A maximum number of 16 Presidential Invitations may be extended to individuals who are not PNGA members. Requests for Presidential Invitations must be submitted via email to championships@thepnga.org by June 15, 2020. All requests must include a golfing resume outlining major accomplishments.

FIELD LIMIT

Field will be limited to 48 qualified entrants. At the close of entry, the field of 48 will be filled by the lowest USGA Handicap Indexes and Golf Canada Handicap Factors in addition to Presidential Invitees and exempt players.

This championship runs concurrently with the PNGA Women's Mid-Amateur, which has a field limit of 48. The PNGA reserves the right to modify either field limit to achieve a full field of 96 players.

ENTRIES: FORM, FEE, CLOSING DATE

All players, including those who are exempt, must have an entry application submitted either by: (1) at the PNGA website (thepnga.org) with a credit card, or (2) by mail with a completed paper application form and check or credit card authorization form.

Entry fee of \$200 (USD) must be paid by every player. Payment will be processed at the time of entry. A full refund will be issued to players who are placed on a waiting list and do not make the starting field.

Entry applications, along with the appropriate fee, must be completed or received by the PNGA by 4:30 p.m. on Monday, June 22, 2020.

Late entry applications may be accepted and used to fill spots if they become available up until a time that the PNGA staff establishes. Late entry applications will not be accepted unless they are accompanied by the correct entry fee, plus an

additional administrative fee of \$25. Contestants must contact the PNGA in order to submit a late entry application.

REFUND POLICY

Refunds due to cancellation before the close of entry are subject to a \$10 service charge. After the close of entry and up until round one pairings are released, refunds for documented and approved medical reasons are subject to a \$25 service charge. No refund for any reason will be issued after round one pairings have been released.

CONDITIONS

The PNGA reserves the right to alter any of the conditions and schedules herein. The Committee reserves the right to reject the entry of any applicant, at any time, for any reason. Any decision by the Committee, on any matter, shall be final.

DRESS CODE

Players and caddies must be neat in appearance with respect to personal grooming and clothing while on host club property. The PNGA Dress Code Policy is available at the following link: thepnga.org/policies and will be provided to all players, along with any additional measures required by the host club, in the Player Memorandum.

CODE OF CONDUCT

The PNGA may reject an entry application, revoke an accepted application, expel from the Championship and/or suspend a player from future championships if the player engages in conduct detrimental to the integrity and image of the game of golf and/or public confidence in the PNGA. The PNGA Code of Conduct Policy is available at the following link: thepnga.org/policies and will be provided to all players in the Player Memorandum.

CADDIES

A player may provide her own caddie. Host club caddies will not be available.

CARTS

The Local Rule prohibiting the use of motorized transportation as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect.

As a general rule, players and their caddies must walk the course at PNGA Championships. But consistent with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), a disabled player or caddie may be permitted to use a golf cart as an accommodation to his or her disability. As required by the ADA, the PNGA will evaluate such requests on a case-by-case basis. The

required form entitled Golf Cart Request Form (as well as additional important information for first time and subsequent requests for a cart) is available at the following link: thepnga.org/policies

PRACTICE ROUND

All players will be allowed one complimentary practice round prior to the Championship.

Consideration will be made for out-of-town players with regard to reserved starting times the day prior to the Championship. Contestants can reserve practice round times directly through the golf shop. All practice round times are at the discretion of the host club.

SCHEDULE

Championship - 48 players eligible

(A) STROKE PLAY: 36 holes stroke play to determine 32 qualifiers for match play. A tie for lowest qualifying scorer or last qualifier's place will be decided immediately by a hole-by-hole play-off.

(B) MATCH PLAY: A draw based on qualifying scores will be used. Ties in qualifying rounds will be decided by a blind draw, except that places of those participating in a play-off will be determined by performance in the play-off.

UNOFFICIAL WITHDRAWAL

After the entry deadline and during play of the Championship, players must notify the PNGA and state her need to withdraw. Entrants who unofficially withdraw (by not notifying the PNGA or without having sufficient reason) will not be granted entry into any future PNGA Championship for a minimum of two years.

ONSITE CHAMPIONSHIP REGISTRATION

Register in person at location and time listed in the Player Memorandum. Players must register prior to starting round one play.

EXEMPTIONS

All past PNGA Women's Amateur Champions; 2019 PNGA Women's Amateur runner-up, Jacqueline Bendrick; semifinalists, Mary Parsons and Susan Xiao. Other exempt players: Anna Kittelton, Angel Lin, Gihoe Seo, Ellie Slama, Isabelle Taylor.

LODGING

The PNGA recommends that players make their lodging arrangements at the earliest possible date. The PNGA provides highly discounted rates on hotels. Players can access hotel deals on the PNGA Women's Amateur web page (thepnga.org).

Registration form on reverse side.

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STROKE PLAY

Monday, July 13

First round, 18 holes

Tuesday, July 14

Second round, 18 holes

MATCH PLAY

Wednesday, July 15

A.M. Match Play - First round, 18 holes

P.M. Match Play - Second round, 18 holes

Thursday, July 16

A.M. Match Play - Quarterfinal round, 18 holes

P.M. Match Play - Semifinal round, 18 holes

Friday, July 17

A.M. Match Play - Final, 36 holes

PLEASE READ ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS AND CHAMPIONSHIP POLICIES ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM

**** PREFERRED STARTING TIME REQUESTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED ****

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____ Home Club _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Postal Code _____

Cell Phone _____ E-Mail Address _____

Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Handicap Index/Factor _____ GHIN#/Golf Canada # _____

Shirt Size (Circle One): Small Medium Large X-Large XX-Large Other: _____

By submission of this entry I agree to the following: I have noted the requirements for acceptance into this Championship. I am qualified by the rules of eligibility and agree to abide by the Championship regulations. I have noted the Dress Code, Code of Conduct and Photo Release Policy and understand that entries are subject to approval or rejection at any time (including during the Championship) by the PNGA, at its discretion. The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct.

X _____ Date _____

(Signature of entrant required)

I certify that facts stated in this application are correct and approval is given to participate. Should my child, named above, become ill or injured, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the PNGA Championship Committee, in the event I cannot be reached, to administer any medical or surgical treatment deemed necessary.

X _____ Date _____

(Signature of parent required if under 18 years of age)

I would like to make a \$ _____ tax-deductible contribution to the PNGA Patrons of Golf Program (please include with entry fee).

Make checks payable to PNGA Women's Amateur and mail with entry to:

Pacific Northwest Golf Association: 1010 S. 336th Street, Suite 310, Federal Way, WA 98003 or via email to.

Entries by email must accompany a credit card authorization form and can be sent to: **championships@thepnga.org**

Register Online (thepnga.org/championships)



PACIFIC NORTHWEST GOLF ASSOCIATION
1010 South 336th Street, Suite 310
Federal Way, WA 98003

PNGA Championship Entry Credit Card Authorization Form

Date: _____

Name on Card: _____

Type of Card: _____ Visa _____ Mastercard

Card Number: _____

Expiration (MM/YY): _____ Security Code: _____

Billing Address

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Please Select:

<u>Championship</u>	<u>Entry Fee</u>	<u>Cart Fee</u>
• Senior Men's Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$275	<input type="checkbox"/> \$54
• Super Senior Men's Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$275	<input type="checkbox"/> \$54
• Senior Women's Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$275	<input type="checkbox"/> \$54
• Super Senior Women's Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$275	<input type="checkbox"/> \$54
• Men's Master-40 Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50
• Men's Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	N/A
• Women's Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200	N/A
• Women's Mid-Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200	<input type="checkbox"/> \$36
• Junior Boys' Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$175	N/A
• Junior Girls' Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/> \$175	N/A
• Men's Mid-Amateur Championship	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200	<input type="checkbox"/> \$54

By signing this form, you authorize the Pacific Northwest Golf Association to charge your credit card in the amount(s) selected above.

X _____ Date _____
(Signature Required)