



Host a WOSGA State Championship

WOSGA | Championships Since 1920

Did you know the Women's Ohio State Golf Association has hosted Ohio's State Amateur Golf Championships for women since 1920?

And, your support of WOSGA allows us to continue that tradition as well as create more state championships for your members to take part in and enjoy. Our events draw 60 to 80 players from across Ohio and include social hours and flighted play. WOSGA hosts four state championships each year, the State Amateur, State Senior Amateur, State Mid-Amateur and the Ohio Junior Girls. Through our championships, we offer opportunities for players across a range of ages and abilities. All championships, except the Ohio Junior Girls which Marion Country Club hosts, move to a new site each year. The 2020 WOSGA State Championships are:

- 22nd State Senior Amateur • Piqua Country Club, June 8 - 9
- 44th Ohio Junior Girls • Marion Country Club, July 13 - 14
- 97th State Amateur • The Belmont Country Club, July 20 – 23
- 4th State Mid-Amateur • The Belmont Country Club, July 20 – 23

WOSGA also hopes to host the first ever Ohio Team Championship in 2020. The Team Championship is an exciting opportunity to invite elite women golfers to your club as we plan to open the event up to non-Ohio players. We are looking for a site to host this NEW and EXCITING Championship.

Basic Championship Hosting Requirements

STATE SENIOR AMATEUR

Flighted 2-day stroke play tournament for Ohio women amateur golfers ages 50 and over

- The event consists of three rounds of golf on consecutive days with carts being mandatory for all players. The first round is a practice round which is usually limited to afternoon play permitting club members full access to their course in the morning. The first tournament round is a straight tee from #1. The second round is a morning shotgun allowing full member play in the afternoon.
- The Senior field is limited to 80 players and typically draws between 60 and 75 players.
- On the evening of the first round, the host club provides dinner. On the second day, after play, the host club provides lunch. The club also provides snacks at the turn. Food and beverage are available at other times for cash and charge paid by the player.
- The Senior is typically held in June.

Senior Schedule of Events

Sunday

1:00 P.M. – Practice Rounds

Monday

7:30 A.M. - 11:00 AM Registration - Check in with the starter 20 minutes before tee time

8:30 A.M. - First Round – Tee times from #1 tee

6:00 P.M. - Player's Dinner with Cash Bar - Included with entry fee; a guest(s) may attend for a fee

Tuesday

Final Round – Shotgun, tee times announced on Monday

Closing Luncheon - Immediately following the close of play; awards are presented at the luncheon



STATE AMATEUR AND MID-AMATEUR

Flighted match play tournament for Ohio women amateur golfers with no age limit. The Mid-Amateur division, which runs concurrently with the State Amateur, is for women ages 30 and over.

- The event requires five consecutive days at the club with limited access to the course by members on two of the five days. The first two rounds engage the full field and use most starting times, except for late afternoon play. However, since the event is elimination, the field shrinks after each match and during the last two days of the event, with fewer players left in the field each day, members can play between waves and after the last tee time. On the final day of the event, usually only four or six tee times are required in the morning.
- Play is from #1 tee each day.
- The field is limited to 88 players and typically draws 50 to 65 players.
- Players can walk or ride during the tournament.
- The club provides lunch on the first and second day of the event when the full field is present; at other times, food and drinks are offered for cash or charge paid by the player.
- The tournament is typically held in July.

State Amateur and Mid-Amateur Schedule of Events

Sunday

12:30 - 3:00 P.M. - Registration

10:30 A.M. - Practice Rounds

Stroke Play

Monday

Qualifying Round - 18 Holes Stroke Play; All Divisions

Match Play

Tuesday

First Round - All Flights, All Divisions

Wednesday

A.M. - Second Round. All Flights, All Divisions

P.M. - Semifinals Championship and First Flights Open Division and Final Match Second Flight Open Division; Semifinals Championship and First Flight Mid-Amateur

Thursday

A.M: Finals - Championship and First Flight Open and Mid-Amateur Division

NEW OHIO TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

Flighted 2-day stroke play tournament for women amateur golfers; we intend to open the field to non-Ohio players

- The event requires three rounds of golf on consecutive days. The first round is a practice round which is usually limited to afternoon play permitting club members full access to their course in the morning. The first tournament round is either straight tee off of #1 or in waves from #1 and #10 tees. The second round is a morning shotgun allowing for full member play in the afternoon.
- The field is limited to 80 players.
- On the evening of the first round, the host club provides dinner. On the second day, after the shotgun, the host club provides lunch. The club also provides snacks at the turn. Food and beverage are available at other times for cash or charge by the player.



Anticipated Team Championship Schedule of Events

Sunday

11:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M Registration
Noon – Practice Rounds

Monday

8:00 A.M. - First Round – Times from #1 tee
6:00 P.M. - Player's Dinner with Cash Bar - Included with entry
fee; a guest(s) may attend for a fee

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Final Round – Shotgun, tee times announced on Monday
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WOSGA offers per player pricing and will collaborate with you to accommodate member play throughout the event. I cannot stress enough how important it is for WOSGA to continue to offer these championships. Many of our competitors are Ohio private club members. Many of our competitors are aspiring golfers who need high-level events to play in to help them improve their game and become collegiate and professional athletes. And, many play because they enjoy the camaraderie and food. Please consider asking your members to host a WOSGA championship.

WOSGA is not a charity outing or fundraiser nor are we a for-profit organization. WOSGA is a non-profit Ohio corporation which hosts Ohio's premier state golf championships for women. We are 100% volunteer run and 100% of the money we receive from entry fees and membership dues support the organization and tournament play. Please help us continue to offer excellent venues for our championships. We hope to bring a major event to your club soon!

Please contact Shirley Vaughn at 330-639-8274 or contact@wosga.org if you are interested in hosting the Team Championship or any future state championship.

Sincerely,
Shirley Vaughn

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