



90th Annual
Michelob Ultra Snohomish County Amateur Championship
May 29, 30 & 31, 2021
TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS OF PLAY

FORMAT: 54 Hole Stroke Play. USGA Rules of Golf will govern all play including the following local rules:

STARTING TEE: Players are responsible to report to the 1st Tee, 7 minutes prior to their Tee Time. Local rules pertaining to each golf club will be distributed on the 1st Tee prior to your starting time.

HANDICAP INDEX: Handicap Indexes as of May 16, 2021 are being used for the duration of the Championship. All players are responsible for confirming their Handicap Index and Course Handicap prior to starting the Round. Maximum Handicap Index is 15.0.

OFFICIAL SCORING: The Individual printed scorecard is the OFFICIAL SCORECARD. The starter will give each player their fellow competitors scorecard. **MANDATORY DIGITAL SCORING: Each group will be required to designate one person to input Gross Hole-by-Hole by scores into the Golf Genius App.** Please, download the free Golf Genius App onto your Smartphone before the start of the Championship.

After completing the round, players must certify their scores on the printed scorecard. Players are expected to report to the Scoring Area to resolve any rules questions and any other questions. A player's scorecard is deemed returned, and no changes may be made, after the marker and player have certified the scores and the group has left the Scoring Area. Scores will only be displayed on TVs and viewable thru the Golf Genius App.

CADDIES & MOTORIZED CARTS: Players are permitted to use caddies or motorized carts.

DEFINITION OF BOUNDARIES AND MARGINS:

Out of Bounds: Defined by the inside edge, at ground level, of fence posts of both chain-link and wood fencing and/or white stakes.

Red Penalty Areas: Defined by red stakes or lines.

Yellow Penalty Areas: Defined by yellow stakes or lines.

Ground Under Repair: Defined by white lines.

PROHIBITED USE OF AUDIO EQUIPMENT: Rule 4.3 is modified in this way: During a round, a player is not allowed to use an electronic device to listen to music or other audio (such as podcasts or the like), including by using headphones or earbuds. Penalty for breach of Local Rule – see Rule 4.3.

DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES (DMD): Per the USGA Rules of Golf Rule 4-3, players may obtain distance by using a Distance Measure Device (DMD). Any DMD that measures other variables, like Slope, may be used but the Slope Feature MUST BE TURNED OFF. If during a stipulated round, a player uses any feature, other than distance, (for example - gradient, wind speed, temperature, etc), the player is in breach of Rule 4-3a.

PACE OF PLAY: Rule 5.6; Please keep pace as stated with the times on the printed scorecards. Groups will receive a warning if they are out of position and will be allowed 2 holes to regain their position. Failure to retain your position will result with a 1 stroke penalty to each player in the group. **If the first group fails to finish within the time on the scorecard, each player in the group will receive a 1 stroke penalty.**

RULES COMMITTEE

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Thank You for your participation in the 90th Annual Snohomish County Amateur!