

Round 1 - Monday, July 27, 2020

# 2020 Alabama State Parent-Child Championship

RTJ Oxmoor Valley (Ridge Course), Birmingham, AL

## NOTICE TO PLAYERS

The Rules of Golf as approved by the USGA and R&A effective January 1, 2019 and the local rules on both sides of this sheet govern play at the Southern Junior Cup. Disregard local rules printed on the club scorecard.

### FORMAT, PLAYOFFS, AWARDS

Format is 18 holes of gross modified alternate shot where both team members may play from the teeing ground, then select the ball to be played and alternate shot(s) from there until the ball is holed. A team must complete each hole with the ball selected for play for that hole. \*Note: Penalty strokes do not affect the order of play. Ties for Overall Champions in each division (Father-Son, Mixed, Open) will be determined by an on-course sudden-death playoff. Playoff holes will be determined by the AGA. Ties to determine a flight winner (trophy and merchandise) will be broken using the USGA recommended scorecard playoff procedure. All other ties for merchandise will be shared equally. See scoring area for Prize Distribution and Awards.

### PROVISIONAL BALL

If a provisional ball is played, the alternate shot order must be maintained. (i.e. Player A plays provisional ball for Player B's ball then it must be played from the spot of Player B's previous stroke or teeing ground)

### TRANSPORTATION AND CADDIES

- a) Players from the same household may ride together. If not, players must ride in individual carts.
- b) Caddies are not permitted for this Championship. Disregard the Caddie/Spectator Cart Policy for this event.

### OUT OF BOUNDS

Defined by the line between the course-side points, at ground level, of white stakes and inside edge of curbs on all public roads including the parking lot behind #9 green, entrance driveway, sidewalk right of #17 and #18; by the split-rail fence left of #17. A ball which crosses a public road defined as out of bounds and comes to rest beyond that road is out of bounds, even though it may lie on another part of the course.

### TREE REMOVAL AREAS

Tree removal areas are played as general area unless marked as Ground Under Repair.

### BUNKERS

A player is entitled to relief under Rule 16.1c (Abnormal Course Conditions - Relief from Bunker) when his or her ball, in any bunker, has interference from damage clearly identifiable as having been caused by another player's stroke. Relief under Rule 16.1c is not available for interference only with the player's stance. You may drop a ball in the bunker no nearer the hole without penalty in the nearest point of complete relief. You may also drop a ball outside the bunker with a one stroke penalty using back on the line relief.

### OBSTRUCTIONS

- a) Stones and gravel adjacent to artificially surfaced cart paths are deemed part of the cart path.
- b) Birdhouses and their support posts, wave siren posts are immovable obstructions.
- c) Areas encircled by cart path adjacent to putting greens and wood rail fences when not located inside a penalty area are deemed part of the cart path.
- d) Ropes and stakes supporting newly planted trees are immovable obstructions. Relief is from the ropes and stakes, not the tree itself.

### GENERAL

- a) Tees: Amateur Men 14-64; Professional Men: AGA Red  
Amateur Females 14-50; Amateur Males 65+; Professional Women: AGA Blue  
Amateur Boys 13 & Under & Girls 14 & Under; Amateur Females 50+: USGA White
- b) Scorecards must be returned following play to the scoring area located inside the clubhouse dining room.
- c) Pace of Play: See scorecard for specific Pace of Play times.
- d) Weather Evacuation: Players should proceed to the clubhouse in case of a suspension of play for a dangerous situation.
- e) Comfort stations and shelters: #5 green, #12 tee/#14 green, clubhouse
- f) Rules Committee: Andy Priest, Jeremy Gardner

### COURSE MEASUREMENTS:

1. Hole locations are measured from the front of the green along the line of play from the center of the fairway or teeing ground.
2. Yardage Adjust (i.e. +7/-5) is the yardage to add/subtract to any yardage indicators, i.e. sprinkler heads or permanent markers.
3. Yardage on scorecards are to center of the green. Yardage on sprinkler heads and permanent markers on course are to the center of the green.

