



10TH US AMATEUR FOUR-BALL & WOMEN'S AMATEUR FOUR-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP

JOINT QUALIFYING

The Wilds Golf Club 3151 Wilds Ridge, Prior Lake MN 55372 Monday, September 30, 2024 <u>Local Rules and Information Sheet</u>

WOMEN'S QUALIFYINGTEES:WHITE USGA MARKERSFORMAT:18 holes, stroke play.QUALIFIERS:1ALTERNATES: 2WEBPAGE:Click HERE

<u>MEN'S QUALIFYING</u>

TEES:BLUE USGA MARKERSFORMAT:18 holes, stroke play.QUALIFIERS:2WEBPAGE:Click HERE

Rules are governed by the Rules of Golf, the USGA Rules Card and the following local rules. Disregard any and all local rules printed on the local card.

TIES & PLAYOFFS: In the event of a tie for the final qualifying spot and/or any alternate position, a hole-by-hole playoff will be conducted immediately following play.

ELECTRONIC MEASURING DEVICES: Per the USGA Terms of Competition, distance measuring devices <u>*ARE permitted*</u>; however, a device must measure <u>*DISTANCE ONLY*</u>. Please be sure any functionality is turned off.

ELECTRONIC SCORING: Per the information posted on the Qualifying webpage, the official method of scoring will be by use of the *Golf Genius Mobile App*. At the conclusion of each round, players should report to the Scoring Area for verification of scores prior to certifying the scores through the app.

PACE OF PLAY/UNREASONABLE DELAY (RULE 5.6): Players are expected to play without delay, and groups are expected to remain in position with the group immediately in front of it. Timing sheets for each round showing the time by when each hole must be completed are posted on the Qualifying webpage. Groups who fall out of position are subject to monitoring and timing by a Rules Official. Players are expected to play a stroke within 40 seconds of when it is their time to play. Players who receive a bad time will be warned. Players who receive multiple bad times are subject to penalty. The expected pace of play is **4:43** for 18 holes. Penalty for Breach of Rule 5.6a: **First breach:** *Warning;* **Second breach:** *One penalty stroke;* **Third breach:** *Two penalty strokes;* **Fourth breach:** *DISQUALIFICATION.*

CONFORMING GROOVES: The player's clubs must conform to the groove and punch mark specifications in the Rules of Golf that are effective from January 1, 2010.

OUT OF BOUNDS: Boundaries are defined by white stakes and property fences. In addition, a ball coming to rest in or through the tunnel between Holes #3 & 4 is OB. NOTE: A ball going out of bounds and coming to rest on another part of the course remains out of bounds.

PENALTY AREAS: If penalty areas are marked with both stakes and lines, the stakes *identify* while the lines *define* the edge.

GROUND UNDER REPAIR: The following areas are ground under repair:

(1) Areas circled with white lines

DROPPING ZONES: There is a dropping zone available on the forward teeing area on Hole #7 as an additional option for a ball in the Yellow Penalty Area short of the green.

EVACUATION PLAN: In the event play is suspended for a dangerous situation, please return immediately to the Clubhouse.

SCORING AREA: Weather permitting, the Scoring Area will be located on the patio behind the 18th green; otherwise, it will be located within the Clubhouse.

DRINKING WATER: Drinking water is found at the Clubhouse and Holes #3, 8, 12 & 16

REST AREAS: Rest areas are located at the Clubhouse and Holes #5 & 14 tees

RULES COMMITTEE: Doug Hoffmann©, Rob Tennant & Ede Rice