



2018 MATCH PLAY

July 14th & 15th

DETAILS

The 2018 Match Play will be divided into two divisions: Men & Women. All players with a WSGA handicap are eligible to participate. Sign up deadline is Saturday, July 7th.

Men

Format: Hybrid Stroke & Match Play

Stroke play qualifier July 14th & 15th with match play rounds completed by August 26th

Cost: \$20 plus applicable greens fee & cart fees

Details:

Upon finalizing the field of participants, the players will be divided into flights according to their current WSGA handicap. The goal is to have 16 players per flight.

On Saturday, July 14th, all participants will complete 18 holes by 3:00pm. May make their own tee times. The results of Saturday's stroke play will be collected and will determine the pairings for Sunday, July 15th. The pairings and tee times will be posted in the clubhouse and emailed to all competitors by 5:30pm.

On Sunday, July 15th, the men will play stroke play in the groups that have been determined by Saturday's round. Tee times will begin at 8:30am, starting with the championship flight and will conclude with the women's flight. For the men, the results of this 18 hole round will be combined with Saturday's 18 hole round and will be used as a combined 36 hole qualifier to determine a match play bracket.

The goal is to have each flight reduced to 8 players. The remaining players in each flight will be put into new brackets that will be seeded based upon the 18 hole qualifier. These rounds will be played as match play with NO HANDICAP. There will be about two weeks given to complete each round of match play. If the time frame is longer, it is because of a busy course schedule that would limit opportunities to play. These matches have definite completion dates but NOT definite competition dates. The competition dates are to be determined by the two competitors. There will be one predetermined individual that is responsible to get a hold of the other to set up a competition date (the name at the top of the bracket). The completion dates are as follows.

Qualifier: Sunday, July 15th

Quarter Finals: Sunday, July 29th

Semi Finals: Sunday, August 12th

Championship: Sunday, August 26th

Women

Format: Hybrid Stroke & Match Play

Stroke play qualifier July 14th with match play rounds completed on July 15th

Cost: \$20 plus applicable greens fee & cart fees

Details:

Upon finalizing the field of participants, the players will be divided into flights according to their current WSGA handicap.

On Saturday, July 14th, all participants will complete 18 holes by 3:00pm. Players are allowed to play in whatever group they choose. The results of Saturday's stroke play will be collected and will determine the match play pairings for Sunday, July 15th. The pairings and tee times will be posted in the clubhouse and emailed to all competitors by 5:30pm.

On Sunday, July 15th, the top two scores from Saturday's qualifier will play for the women's championship, the second two scores will play for third and fourth place and the third two scores will play for 5th and 6th place. All match play matches will be played with handicap. Tee times will begin at 8:30am, starting with the men's championship flight and will conclude with the women's flight match play. These 36 holes will determine a champion and the women's flight will be concluded.

Other Tournament Info

Match Play Championship Party:

Whispering Springs will host a Match Play Championship celebration on Sunday, July 15th, following the completion of the men's qualifier, the women's final. We will celebrate a women's champion and the men's match play finalists that will continue onward. The men's match play champions will be announced on Sunday, August 26th following the last match

Rain Policy:

Should the weekend of July 14th & 15th get rained out, we will reschedule to July 28th & 29th. Should this occur, the men's and women's divisions will be formatted in identical fashion as only a 2-day event with the final and party occurring on the 29th. Should only one of the two days get rained out, the men's division will use only 18 holes as a qualifier and the women would play their day of match play on Sunday, July 29th.