24th Connecticut Women's Open

Presented by Crescent Point Private Wealth Rolling Hills Country Club June 5-6, 2023



General Information:

The Rules of Golf as adopted by the United States Golf Association govern play. This information sheet, the CSGA Hard Card and any site-specific Local Rules and Conditions of Competition sheets are supplements to the Rules of Golf. Local Rules of the host course do not apply.

Practice Rounds:

Practice rounds will be available to players during the weeks of May 22nd & May 29th. Players with travel to CT arriving the weekend before the event will have preferred practice round availability on Sunday, June 4th. Tournament yardage will most closely correlate to the yardage played from the silver tees at approximately 5750 yards. To arrange a practice round, please email PGA Professional, Ray Ford at *ray1putt@gmail.com* and include your cell phone number. Practice rounds are complimentary with an optional cart fee of \$30pp.

Schedule of Events:

Monday, June 5th – 18 holes of stroke play. Round two pairings will be based on round one scores. Tuesday, June 6th – 18 holes of stroke play. The players with the lowest 36-hole total will be declared the Conn. Women's Open Champion and the Conn. Women's Open Senior Division Champion.

Registration:

All players must stop at the registration table located outside of the Pro Shop upon arrival to check in. Players who are taking a cart (\$30) or push cart (\$15) will be asked to pay at that time, <u>cash only</u>.

Practice Range:

The practice range will be available beginning at 7:00am. Players are limited to distances 250 yards or less.

Caddies & Push Carts:

The use of a caddie and/or push cart is permitted. Rolling Hills Country Club has a limited number of club caddies available. To reserve a caddie or push cart, please contact Jon Schukal at *starter@rhcconline.com*.

Golf Carts:

The use of a golf cart is permitted but not included in your entry fee. The cost for a golf cart will be \$30pp for each round. Players must have a valid driver's license to drive the golf cart. Caddies may ride in the golf cart to drive the cart for a minor. Caddies may ride in the golf cart with a non-minor player if there are a sufficient amount of carts and a vacant seat is available in the pairing. Players will be asked to pair up in golf carts as there is a two cart maximum per group.

Attire:

Proper golf attire is required at all times by players, caddies and spectators. Jeans of all kinds, cargo pants/shorts, tee shirts and tank tops are prohibited. Hats must be worn in a traditional manner.

Footwear:

Rule 4.3a is modified in this way: During a round, a player must not wear shoes with traditional spikes (that is, spikes having single or multiple points designed to penetrate deeply into the surface of the ground (regardless of whether made of metal, ceramic, plastic, or other materials)) or spikes of any design that are entirely or partially made of metal, if such metal may come in contact with the course.



Course Setup:

Rolling Hills Country Club will play as a par 73 at approximately 5750 yards with a time par of 4 hours and 30 minutes.

Scoring

Players will be provided physical scorecards that must be certified by the player and marker at the conclusion of the round. However, the Committee requires that one player in each group provide hole by hole scores throughout the round through use of the unique Golf Genius ID (GGID) in the Golf Genius mobile app. The scores entered through the mobile app will be unofficial.

Food & Beverage:

Lunch will be available to all contestants each day from 12:30pm – 4:30pm and is included in your entry fee. Spectators and caddies are welcome to purchase lunch (\$25-\$30) inclusive of tax and gratuity, <u>cash only</u>. Complimentary coffee will be available in the morning outside by the Pro Shop.

Trophies & Prizes:

The Champion will have her name engraved on the permanent Valerie Bulkeley trophy. The champion, runnerup and low amateur, senior division champion and senior division low amateur will receive keepsake trophies. Additionally, low amateur finishers will receive merchandise credit redeemable at the Rolling Hills Country Club Pro Shop.

Withdrawals:

You must contact the CSGA at (860) 257-4171 if you must withdraw from this championship. A competitor who fails to notify the CSGA of her withdrawal may be subject to disciplinary actions. If you need to withdraw any time after 5:00pm on Friday, June 2nd, please send your withdrawal via email to Marsha Rupp at <u>mrupp@csgalinks.org.</u>

