

**OHIO GOLF ASSOCIATION** 

# 2024 Ohio Mid-Amateur Championship

Coldstream CC Cincinnati, Ohio August 19-21



#### **Format**

- 54 Hole Stroke Play competition with a field size of 144 and a cut after 36 holes
  - Round 1 Monday, August 19th
  - Round 2 Tuesday, August 20th
    - Cut to low 40 and ties
  - Round 3 Wednesday, August 21st
- Approximate yardage: 6,900 yards
- Top 10 & ties will be exempt for 2025 Ohio Amateur Championship
- Practice Rounds can be scheduled after entry is accepted and based on club availability between August 5-18; \$60 including cart

### **Eligibility**

- Must be a male who has reached their 25th birthday on or before August 19, 2024
- Must be a resident of the state of Ohio
- All entrants must have a WHS handicap index of 6.4 or better
- In order to pay the member fee, entrants must have their WHS handicap established through an OGA member club. A list of member clubs can be found at <a href="OHIOGOLF.org">OHIOGOLF.org</a>
- A resident is defined as meeting four (4) of the following nine (9).
  - 1. Ownership or leasing of Ohio residence
  - 2. Proof of payment of utilities at property for which residency is being claimed
  - 3. Ohio homestead exemption declared on residence
  - 4. Place of employment in Ohio
  - 5. Ohio drivers license
  - 6. Ohio vehicle registration
  - 7. Ohio address listed on federal income tax return filed by player
  - 8. Has a WHS handicap at a golf club in Ohio
  - 9. Voter registration in Ohio

## **Entry Fee & Procedure**

- \$275 Member fee, \$335 Non-member fee
- Range use, cart fees, and lunches included for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday
- No refunds after the deadline unless submitted with a medical excuse. All refunds are subject to a \$15 service fee
- Contestants, shall apply online at OHIOGOLF.org
- Late or incomplete entries not accepted. No telephone or fax entries.
- Deadline for application is August 12, 2024 at 11:59 PM or when field is full
- \* ALL ENTRIES SHALL BE DEEMED AN INVITATION AND ARE SUBJECT TO BOARD ACCEPTANCE \*

### **Caddies, & Transportation**

- Caddies and carts are permitted.
- A player must not have another player who has or will compete in the same round as his or her caddie during the round
  - Breach of Local Rules result in the general penalty for each hole during which the player is helped by such a caddie. If the breach occurs between holes, the player gets the general penalty for the next hole. <u>SEE MODEL LOCAL RULE 8H</u>

#### **Shoes & Specifications of Club & Ball**

- Players may not wear the following shoes
  - Traditional spikes having single or multiple points designed to penetrate deeply into the surface of the ground, regardless of material
  - Spikes of any design that are entirely or partially made of metal, if such metal may come in contact with the course. See Rule 4.3. Model Local Rule G-7
- List of conforming driver heads: Local Rules as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in affect. Local Rule G-1
- List of conforming golf balls: Local Rules as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in affect. Local Rule G-3