



Ohio Golf Association

**2026**

# Ohio Junior Championship

Shaker Run GC

Lebanon, Ohio

June 15-17



# FORMAT

- 54 Hole stroke play competition with two divisions (16-18, 15 & Under)
- There will be 108 players in the 16-18 Division and 36 players in the 15 & Under Division.
- Round 1 – Monday, June 15<sup>th</sup>
- Round 2 – Tuesday, June 16<sup>th</sup>
  - Cut to low 40 & ties for 16-18
  - Cut to low 14 & ties for 15 & Under
- Round 3 – Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>
- Both divisions will play the same tees at approximately 6,600 yards.
- Players may book practice rounds using Shaker Run's online tee time system or by calling the golf shop at 513.727.0007

## ENTRY FEE & PROCEDURE

- \$295 Entry Fee for all entries, includes range use and daily lunches.
- 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](http://OhioGolf.org)
- Late or incomplete entries not accepted. No telephone or fax entries.
- **Deadline for application is June 8, 2026 at 11:59 PM or when field is full.**

***\*All entries shall be deemed an invitation and are subject to board approval\****

# CHAMPIONSHIP ACCOLADES

- Overall Champion earns a 5 year exemption into the Ohio Amateur Championship
- Ohio Golf Association trophy awarded to Top 10 Overall & Top 5 15 & Under
- Inclusion to **AJGA's** Performance Based Entry Recognition System for Overall Results only.
  - Champion – full exemption
  - Top 5 – 12 performance stars
  - Top 10 – 8 performance stars
  - Top 15 – 4 performance stars
  - Top 25 – 2 performance stars



- This Championship will be reported to **Junior Golf Scoreboard** & is a part of the **Ohio Junior Series**

## ELIGIBILITY

- Must be a male who has not reached their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday on or before June 17, 2025
- All entrants must have a WHS handicap index of **5.4 or better**.
- Must have active GHIN account at a club in Ohio.
- Must be (I) a resident of the state of Ohio or in the case of a minor, their parent/legal guardian must be a resident.
- A resident is defined as meeting four (4) of the following nine (8).
  1. Ownership or leasing Ohio residence
  2. Proof of payment of utilities of property where residency is being claimed
  3. Ohio homestead exemption declared on residence
  4. Place of employment in Ohio
  5. Ohio driver's license
  6. Ohio vehicle registration
  7. Ohio address listed on federal income tax
  8. Voter registration in Ohio

# Parents, Caddies, & Transportation

- Parents must remain a reasonable distance from play. Parents are prohibited from teeing areas and putting greens during tournament play. After the first warning, the player will be disqualified.
- A player may not have a caddie during any tournament round.
- A player must not ride on any form of motorized transportation except as authorized or later approved by the committee. See Local Rule G-6.

# Shoes & Specifications of Club & Ball

- Players must 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. 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 effect. Local Rule G-1.
- List of conforming golf balls: Local Rules as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures in in affect. Local Rule G-3.