



2017 IGA Men's Senior State Championship

Minimum age 55, played from Jug Mt "Blue" Tees

Conducted by the Idaho Golf Association

Jug Mountain Ranch, McCall, ID

September 14-16, 2017



IGA Men's Super-Senior Classic

Minimum age 65, played at Jug Mt "White" tees

Conducted by the Idaho Golf Association

Jug Mountain Ranch, McCall, ID

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IGA Women's Senior State Championship

Played from Jug Mt "Red" tees

Conducted by the Idaho Golf Association

Jug Mountain Ranch - McCall, ID

September 14-16, 2017 (Thursday-Friday-Saturday)

Online registration: www.theiga.org.

Eligibility

Entries are open to amateur golfers who must have an up-to-date Handicap Index® under the USGA Handicap System™ (at the time of entry). A Handicap Index must be issued from an IGA District I, II, or III member "golf club" (as defined in the "USGA Handicap System Manual") which is licensed to use the USGA Handicap System™. Or, for bona fide residents of the State of Idaho, Panhandle District, have and up-to-date men's USGA Handicap Index® issued from a WSGA licensed member "golf club."

Players requesting permission to use items on the List of Equipment Permitted Conditionally for Medical Reasons under Exception 1 to Rule 14-3, please refer to www.usga.org/equipment/medical/general_guidelines.html for details.

The IGA may reject an entry application, revoke an accepted application, expel from the Championship and/or suspend a player from future championships if the player engages in conduct detrimental to the integrity and image of the game of golf and/or public confidence in the IGA. Such conduct may include, but is not limited to, damage to the golf course or the player's equipment, verbal or physical abuse of spectators, officials, volunteers, or staff, blatant or excessive profanity, disorderly behavior, failure to abide by club rules or any other unbecoming conduct.

Age: A player is required to list his age and date of birth on all IGA entry forms.

Amateur Status: All players must conform to the "USGA Rules of Amateur Status."

Entries: Form, Fee, Closing Date, Final Field of Players

Each competitor must complete an entry application. Golfers are encouraged to file online at the IGA website (www.theiga.org).

Entry fee of \$150 must be paid by each competitor. Entry fee will be refunded regardless of reason if the IGA (208-342-4442) is notified before the close of entries. A \$25 service fee charge will be deducted from all refunds. After the close of entries, fee will not be refunded.

**ENTRY APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY IGA
NO LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2017**

Entry applications may be filed online at
www.theiga.org

Late applications are not acceptable and will be automatically rejected. Time limit for entries means time of receipt at IGA (not time entry is transmitted to IGA). Entries should be submitted early to allow ample time for delay or error in transmission. The risk of delay or error in transmission lies solely with the entrant and the IGA will have no liability with respect to any such delay or error and the consequences therefrom, including rejection of the entry.

The Men's Division of the Championship is limited to the first 66 golfers, 33 men's super-seniors, 33 female golfers to enter to enter. In the event of an unfilled Division (Women's or Super Seniors) at the close of entries, waitlisted golfers in the Men's Division will be confirmed into the Championship to fill available unused spots. Flights will be determined by the IGA according to Course Handicaps at the close of entries.

Schedule

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13: Player Registration (player packet pic-up)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14: First round, 18 holes

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15: Second round, 18 holes

Lowest scorer for 54 holes will be winner. In the event of a tie for the tournament, a hole-by-hole play-off will be held immediately following play, play will continue until winner is determined. The play-off holes and their order of play will be determined by the IGA.

All merchandise payouts (gross and net) will be credited in the player's name with the host club golf shop.

Practice Privileges

Practice rounds will be available for confirmed competitors in the championship field after close of entries (5:00 p.m., 9/11/17). Call Jug Mountain Ranch (208) 634-5072 to make arrangements for a practice round. Green fee for one practice round following close of entries, included in entry fee.

Prizes

CHAMPION: IGA Championship Trophy.

All merchandise payouts will be based on gross and net scores and will be credited in the player's name with the host club golf shop.

Rules of Golf; Close of Competition

Play will be governed by "The Rules of Golf" as approved by the USGA. Questions will be settled by the on-site Rules Committee, whose decision will be final. The competition is deemed to be closed when the Championship trophy has been presented.

Golf Balls; Driver Heads

Only brands of golf balls on the most current USGA List of Conforming Golf Balls and driver heads on the most current USGA List of Conforming Driver Heads may be used. Updated lists may be found on the USGA web site at www.usga.org or by contacting the USGA Technical Department at (908) 234-2300.

Distance Measuring Devices

A player may obtain distance information by use of a distance-measuring device. If, during a stipulated round, a player uses as distance-measuring device to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g., elevation changes, wind speed, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3.

Caddies

A player may provide his own caddie, but is not required to employ a caddie for the Championship.

Caddies must not ride on any form of transportation during a stipulated round unless authorized by the Committee. The optional condition prescribed in "Appendix I" of "The Rules of Golf will be in effect for caddies, but not for players. A player using a golf cart (automotive transportation) during the stipulated round must not permit a spectator to ride in his cart.

PENALTY FOR BREACH OF CONDITION:

Stroke play – Two strokes for each hole at which any breach occurred; maximum penalty per round: Four strokes.

In the event of a breach between the play of two holes, the penalty applies to the next hole. Players permitting use of any unauthorized form of transportation must be discontinued immediately upon discovery that a breach has occurred.

Otherwise the player is disqualified.

Any caddie seeking a golf cart due to a permanent disability as defined under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) should contact the IGA at (208) 342-4442 to obtain information on procedures for submitting such requests. All required information must be submitted to the IGA and be received by the IGA at the time the player's entry is received. Requests due to temporary injuries or impairments will not be granted.

Only caddies who have complied with the above procedures and met all of the IGA requirements to demonstrate a permanent disability that prevents the caddie from walking the course will be permitted the use of a golf cart.

Transportation

Competitors may ride during a stipulated round. Cart rental fees will be paid by the player during the online registration process. No more than two (2) carts per group will be allowed.

Groupings and Starting Times

Groupings and starting times will be available online at www.theiga.org, Wednesday, September 13, 2017.

Eligible Competitors must:

1. Register (pick up player packet) at Jug Mountain Ranch (3:00 – 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, September 13, 2017); or
2. Register (pick up player packet) at least one hour prior to their tee time, Thursday, September 14.
3. Players who fail to register on-site may lose their spot in the championship.

Dress Code

Players must abide by the IGA dress code during practice and championship rounds: Players attire and personal grooming must be neat in appearance: golf attire, no blue jeans, t-shirts or tank tops. Dress code will also apply to caddies. Caddies must wear flat soled shoes (no golf shoes with spikes or alternative spikes).

Penalty for breach of IGA dress code – player may be expelled from the Championship and/or suspended from future IGA championships.

Player Information

Name: _____ GHIN #: _____ Current Index: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Email (for confirmation): _____ Phone: _____

Birthdate: ____ / ____ / ____ Home Club: _____ Division: **Men** **Super Sr.** **Women**

Cart fee \$45 (for 3 days)

Method of Payment

_____ Check – Make checks payable to IGA

_____ Credit Card # (Visa & MC) _____ Exp. Date: _____

_____ Total Enclosed

By signing and submitting this entry application to the Idaho Golf Association, I acknowledge that I am an IGA member in good standing and have read and fully understand the IGA Championship policies and procedures as set forth by the IGA Championship Committee. For more information visit www.theiga.org or call (208) 342-4442.

Signature (required) _____ Date _____

Mail entry application and appropriate fee to:

Idaho Golf Association
Attn: Vanessa Sinclair
232 S. Whisperwood Way
Boise, ID 83709

Fax: (208) 345-5959

Office Use Only

Amount Received _____ Date _____ Staff Initials _____