







## Contestant Information Sheet Tour Championship Poppy Hills Golf Course – July 27-28, 2015

Listed below is IMPORTANT tournament information. Please read carefully.

Club Location:

Poppy Hills G.C. 3200 Lopez Road Pebble Beach, CA 93953 831-625-2035 www.Poppyhillsgolf.com

**Format:** 36 holes stroke play; 18 holes per day.

## **Start Times**:

Monday, July  $27^{\text{th}}$  – Double Wave 7:30/ 12:30 Tee Times off 1 and 10 Tuesday, July  $28^{\text{th}}$  – Double Wave 7:00/ 12:00 Tee Times off 1 and 10

**Registration:** There will be no registration; please know your tee time and be at your hole 10 in advance of your starting time.

**Food Service:** Box lunches will be available before or after your round (depending on tee time) in the clubhouse on Monday. A taco bar luch will be available after the round on Tuesday.

**Time of Starting:** Players are responsible for showing up and ready to play on time to their correct tee. The player will be penalized for arriving after their time and disqualified for showing up after 4 minutes 59 seconds after their starting time. The official starting time will be posted at itnc.org.

**Second Round Pairings:** Second round pairings will be available after all the scores are posted. The pairing will be available at itnc.org on the contestant information page as well as the approximate second round times.

**Rules of Play:** The **2012-2015** USGA Rules of Golf are in effect and are supplemented by the JTNC rules card. The committee will provide any additional Local Rules needed on the tournament days. It is the individual player's responsibility to know the conditions of the competition.

**Practice Round:** Practice rounds are available by calling the pro shop. The junior rate is \$50 Monday-Thursday, the NCGA adult rate will be available on the weekend. YOC members will receive a \$5 rate in the afternoon specified by the golf course available all weekdays. Tee times are first come first serve, players must call the golf shop.

Range: Driving range will be available both days; it will open at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday and 6:30 a.m. on Wednesday.

A limited number of spots are available on the range, so players are asked to limit their practice. Players who have hit an excessive number of balls may be asked to step aside to allow others to warm up.

**Dress Code:** Players and Spectators must be properly attired both on the golf course and on the premises of the club. Blue jeans, designer jeans, T-shirts and tank tops are prohibited. Golf shirts must be worn and shorts must be of appropriate length (no jean shorts). This dress code will be used at all JTNC competitions in conjunction with any additional dress code restrictions of the particular golf course involved. A violation of this dress code must be rectified without undue delay or the player will not be allowed to continue play. Spectators violating will be asked to change or leave the club.

**Spectators:** Spectators must wear proper attire while at the club. Please see the Dress Code policy above. Food service will be available at the restaurant.

The use of electronic devices should be limited to areas where their use will not distract players on the course. Spectators should maintain at least 25 yards from the players and avoid even the appearance of imparting advice or assisting the player in any way. A spectator may approach a player briefly to hand clothing, food or beverages to the player, but should not have prolonged conversations. Please walk ahead of the group you are following and stay in the rough or near the cart paths. Do not delay groups by walking slowly. Spectators must stay off the greens and out of the bunkers at all times. Spectators violating these policies may be asked to leave the course. Spectators are prohibited from using golf carts.

**Transportation:** Players must walk at all times, except as authorized by the Committee. Caddies are not permitted. Pull or push carts are permitted. Spectator carts are prohibited. Handicap carts will be available. Individuals must have documentation and be cleared by the JTNC staff. Visit the registration tent to be approved. For questions contact Kelly at kcimino@ncga.org.

**Awards:** The boy and girl player with the most points after the Tour Championship will be awarded the players of the year. Awards will be given to the top three players with the lowest score in each flight.

**Ties:** In the event of ties, there will be a play-off for first place. Ties for second and third will be decided using the USGA's method for matching cards. In a competition with a multiple tee start, the last nine holes will be holes 10-18.

**Late Appearance:** It is the responsibility of the players to be at their assigned tee at the time that the Committee orders play to begin. The course will not page players to the tee.

**Withdrawals & No Shows:** Players who enter a JTNC event and wish to withdraw for any reason MUST notify the JTNC/NCGA staff at the Rules and Competitions department at (831) 622-8209. Failure to notify the JTNC/NCGA will result in a NO SHOW and the player will receive a one-year suspension from all JTNC events for the following calendar year following the infraction. A player who only contacts the course and NOT the JTNC/NCGA will incur the suspension.

**Footwear:** Non-metal spikes required. Shoes with traditionally designed spikes (regardless of composition, i.e., ceramic) or spikes, regardless of design, comprised either entirely or partially of metal (when such metal comes in contact with the surface of the putting green) are prohibited. Penalty for breach of this condition: Disqualification.

**Hotel Block:** Hotels in the area offer an NCGA member discount, follow this link for more information: http://www.ncga.org/2013/10/20/hotel-discounts/

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS EVENT TO THE JTNC/NCGA STAFF DURING NORMAL WEEKDAY BUSINESS HOURS AT (831) 625-4653. FOR WEEKENDS OR AFTER BUSINESS HOURS CONTACT KELLY CIMINO AT (831)622-8209 OR KCIMINO@NCGA.ORG.