



Contestant Information Sheet

Fall Series III Spring Valley Golf Club September 6-7, 2015

Listed below is IMPORTANT tournament information. Please read carefully.

Club Location:

3441 E. Calaveras Blvd.
San Jose, Ca 95033
408 262-1722
[Website](#)

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

Start Times:

Sunday, Sept. 6 - Shotgun starting at 1:30 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 7 - Tee Times on holes #1 starting at 10:00 a.m.

Registration:

Sunday: Located in the bar and grill, registration will open at 11:30 a.m.

Monday: There will be no registration on Monday. Players should arrive at their correct tee 10 minutes before their tee time.

Shuttling/Announcements:

Sunday: Players will be shuttled to holes further away from the clubhouse, those holes will be announced on the day of the event.

Announcements will occur at 1:00 on the putting green and will include special course instructions.

Shuttling will start at 1:15 p.m. on the putting green.

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 jtnc.org.

Range: Golf balls will be set up on the range.

Sunday: The range will open at 11:30 a.m.

Monday: The range will open at 9:00 a.m.

Practice Round: Practice rounds are available; please contact the golf shop for tee time. Youth on Course rate is \$5 after 3:00 pm and non-Youth on Course is \$24. Any non-tournament players may play for the going rate.

Food Service: Sunday, a BBQ lunch will be available at registration, additionally on Sunday a buffeted style dinner will be available when players complete the round. On Monday there will be a lunch ticket handed out which can be used at the Bar and Grill or the on course Snack Bar at any time. The day one BBQ and buffet will be available to purchase by any spectators interested. **Players with special dietary needs: There will not be any special pre made lunches, check with the registration table for options that are available.*

Restaurant: The restaurant will be open for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Restaurant hours are 7:00a.m.-9:00p.m.

Second Round Pairings: Second round pairings will be available after all first round scores are posted. The pairing will be available at jtnc.org on the contestant information page.

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.

Walking: 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.

Distance – Measuring Devices: A player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. However, if, during a stipulated round, a player uses a device that is designed to measure other conditions that might affect his play, the player is in breach of Rule 14-3, for which the penalty is disqualification, regardless of whether any such additional function is actually used.

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 must 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.

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.

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.

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.

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 AARON HARTESVELDT AT AHARTESVELDT@NCGA.ORG.