



Wyoming High Schools Activities Association



3A Boys and Girls State Golf Tournament

September 13,14 & 15

Riverton Country Club Riverton, WY

Hosted by Riverton High School

- Course Location:** 4275 Country Club Dr
- Meet Director(s):** Collin Hopkins RCC club professional,
Reggie Miller RHS Activities Director
- Rules Committee:** Terry Berg, Collin Hopkins, PJ Thomas
- Practice Rounds:** Shotgun start at 1:00
- Range Balls:** Range Balls will be provided on Friday and Saturday
- Contact:** Riverton Country Club 307-856-4779
- Tee Times:** Friday, September 14, 2018,
- Pro Shop Opens-7:30 AM
 - Driving Range Opens-8:00 AM
 - Tee Times begin at 9:00 off both the front and the back
- Saturday, September 15, 2018
- Pro Shop Opens -7:00AM
 - Driving Range- 7:00AM
 - Tee Times begin at 8:00 off both the front and the back
- Dress Code:** Collared shirts tucked in and no denim. Hats must be worn forward.
- General:** No participant will be permitted to play the course on Friday or Saturday before his/her tee off time. Putting green, chipping green, and driving range will be available.
- T-Shirts:** Fine Designs will be selling official State Tournament t-shirts and memorabilia.
- Pro Shop:** The Pro Shop will be available for any necessary equipment on each day of the tournament.
- Markers:** Each school is asked to provide one person who can be a marker each day.

Awards: The top three teams will receive trophies. Awards will be presented at the end of play on Saturday. As per WHSAA Rule 7.8.68 in case of a tie in the team event (1st , 2nd , or 3rd) , or in case of a tie for first place in the individual standings, the tie will be broken by a sudden death playoff.

Team Dinner: At Riverton Country Club after the practice round

Coaches Meeting: There will be a coaches meeting in the clubhouse following the practice round

Entry Deadline: Entry form E3 (can be found on the WHSAA Website at www.whsaa.org) needs to be emailed to:

Reggie Miller

Riverton High School

rmiller@fremont25.org

Deadline: **Tuesday, September 11, 2018 at 12:00p.m. Late entries will not be accepted.**

Hospitality: Riverton Country Club will have food and snacks available both Friday and Saturday for players to purchase.

Weather: Discontinuance of Play: The Committee will sound a horn due to weather delays. Please be advised that all Competitors will immediately stop play and take shelter/proceed to Clubhouse after marking ball position. See new WHSAA rule policy regarding a complete stoppage in play.

Spectators: Spectators must check in with the course supervisor.

All spectators must follow the guidelines set forth by the WHSAA and Riverton Country Club. Carts will not be allowed unless medically approved per WHSM. (See attached Spectator policy)

Tees: Boys will play Green Tee's, Girls will play Silver Tee's

WHSAA Rules of Play

The class 3A WHSAA State Golf meet shall consist of 36 holes of medal play- 18 holes on Friday and 18 holes on Saturday. As per WHSAA Rule 7.868, in case of a tie in the team event (1st, 2nd, or 3rd), or in case of a tie for first place in the individual standings, the tie will be broken by a sudden death playoff.

Team playoff procedures: Playoff will begin on hole #1. Draw for tee box honors. Alternate between teams until all players have taken their drive. All five players from each team will play the hole with the best four scores (boys) or three scores (girls) used to break the tie. If a tie still exists, continue on the next hole until the tie is broken.

Individual playoff procedure: Playoff will begin on hole #18. Draw for tee box honors. Play each hole until tie is broken.

Coaches Supervising on course of Play: As per WHSAA Rule 7.8.83, golf coaches are allowed to supervise on the golf course during play. This supervision and assignment is the responsibility of the Meet Director. There shall be a minimum of one adult monitor per hole at the State Meet. Coaches will not be allowed to play during the State Meet.

The USGA rules shall prevail in the State Golf Meet. Please refer to the 2018-19 WHSAA Handbook, pages 50-53, for WHSAA Golf Rules and Regulations. Local rule sheets will be provided by the host site.

Should weather become an issue, the WHSAA Commissioner or designee will work with the Tournament Director and/or golf pro of the host site to evaluate options to complete the tournament. The proper action will depend on the circumstances in each case. Depending on the weather forecast, the tournament may be moved to the following week or the practice round may be eliminated and the tournament will start on Thursday, with Saturday being used as a backup in case the tournament could not be finished on the previous two days. Should this option be utilized, no one will be allowed to have a practice round. However, once the schools have all arrived at the site and the weather changes to where 36 holes cannot be completed, a minimum of 18 holes will determine the individual and team placing. If 27 holes can be completed, as long as each gender plays the same nine holes, the 27 holes total will be used.

7.8.76 SPECTATORS ON THE COURSE DURING TOURNAMENT PLAY

1. As spectators enter the tournament venue they will be given a list of Wyoming High School golf "spectator guidelines" and be required to sign-in (indicating they understand the rules and risk). This will be done on all tournament days. Coaches are expected to share these guidelines with spectators and fans from their school.
2. No spectator carts are allowed on the course with the following exception: If a spectator has a disabling condition they may rent a cart from the pro shop but will not be allowed to carry another spectator in that cart. Questions of disabling conditions and carts will be handled by the tournament director.
3. Spectators **MUST** remain in designated viewing areas, on the cart paths or at least 25 yards from all contestants at all times. Spectators are not allowed on the tee, fairway or greens at any time.
4. Spectators are specifically instructed not to give any advice, rulings or have any contact with players. Any verbal and non-verbal contact could be construed as giving advice (Rule 8). Therefore, conversations with players in any form are not permitted. A two (2) stroke penalty may be assessed by the Rules Committee for violation.
5. Spectators must understand there is a risk of injury and assume that risk while they are on or near the golf course.
6. Cell phones must be set on silent and cannot be used to communicate with any player.

7. Coaches will be available to monitor and enforce spectator rules on assigned holes, as part of the tournament staff, determined by the meet director.

*If a spectator is in violation of these WHSAA Guidelines, tournament staff will escort the spectator back to the clubhouse.



Wolverine Golf

Preparing ourselves to be our best when our best is needed

2018 3A State Golf Info

Practice round -- Shotgun start for all teams@ 1:00

- ▶ Carts can be purchased for the practice round. Drivers must have a valid driver's license

Complimentary Tournament dinner

- ▶ Buffet at Riverton Country Club following the practice round

First round

- ▶ Tee times starting at 9:00 off both the front and the back
- ▶ Foursomes for the first round will be by a "modified team wave".

If we have solid players whose teams are not solid we will match them with similar skilled players

Second round

- ▶ Tee times TBA -- RCC has a wedding scheduled Saturday night.

Ideally Tee times at 8:00, but if that is not possible we may have to shotgun so we can be done before the wedding. We will decide the starting procedures September 13th

- ▶ Foursomes for the second round will be by individual scoring of the first round

Markers

- ▶ State track asks each school to bring one volunteer to help with the state meet. We are doing the same. Each school is asked to provide one person who can be a marker each day. That person can be a coach, a knowledgeable bus driver, fan, parent (if they don't want to watch their child) or any other golf person.

Carts

- ▶ Each team will be provided with one complimentary cart to use.

Range Balls

- ▶ Will be provided Friday and Saturday

Carts for elderly or handicap

- ▶ Please go through Lars Flanagan so that can be provided. RCC will not rent any carts to fans or spectators unless they are elderly or handicapped

Online scoring

- ▶ Unofficial scoring will be updated during the round by volunteers.

Still working on what site we will be using.

Lunches

- ▶ RCC Clubhouse will sell brown bag lunches both Friday and Saturday

Please answer and email the 4 questions below to Lars Flanagan (lflanagan@fremont25.org)

by Tuesday Sept 11 @ noon

- 1) Total number of tee times needed for practice round
- 2) Number who will be dining with us Thursday night
- 3) Will team fan's need any handicap/elderly carts
- 4) Number of Brown Bag lunches needed for Friday and Saturday