

## SOUTHERN GOLF ASSOCIATION

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### 119<sup>th</sup> Southern Amateur Championship On-Site Qualifier Player Information Blessings Golf Club, Fayetteville, AR July 14, 2025

Please review the following information for the **Southern Amateur Championship On-Site Qualifier** at Blessings Golf Club in Fayetteville, AR on Monday, July 14, 2025. Remember that we are guests of the club, and we need to conduct ourselves in a proper manner. Good luck and we look forward to seeing you soon.

**SGA Officials-in-Charge:** Jeremy Gardner ([jeremy@southerngolf.org](mailto:jeremy@southerngolf.org)) and Brian Scheufler ([brian@southerngolf.org](mailto:brian@southerngolf.org))

**Qualifier Website Portal:** [Click Here](#)

**Sectional Qualifying and Championship Fees:** Your qualifying round course fee is included in the entry fee and paid by the SGA. For players who successfully qualify, the SGA will charge the credit card used to register for this qualifier the remaining championship balance of \$160.00. Range fees for championship rounds at the Championship site will be paid by the SGA. Players and caddies are required to walk during the qualifier and championship rounds (No Carts).

**Practice Rounds and Facility Access:** You are entitled to one practice round on July 13th when tee times are available. Cart rental is mandatory for practice rounds payable at the host club for \$25. You may begin calling for practice tee times on July 7th. Make sure to identify yourself as a Southern Amateur participant when calling. It will be helpful if you contact other qualifier participants and make your own game before calling. Par is 36-36—72. Approximate yardage is 7100 yards. Yardage is subject to change.

**Starting Times:** Qualifying round starting times will be available beginning Friday, July 11 before 5:00pm on the SGA website, emailed and texted to players. Be at your assigned tee ready to play at least 5 minutes before your tee time. Starting tee time block is 8:00am-10:10am off #1 and #10 tees. Practice range opens at 7:00am.

#### Host Club Information

General Manager/COO: Eric Slack, PGA  
PGA Head Golf Professional: Justin Sellin  
Director of Agronomy: Troy Fink, CGCS  
Physical Address: 5826 Clear Creek Blvd., Fayetteville, AR 72704  
Club Website: [www.arkansasrazorbacks.com/facility/the-blessings/](http://www.arkansasrazorbacks.com/facility/the-blessings/)  
Golf Professional Shop Phone: 479-444-6330  
Golf Shop Hours: 6:00am-9:00pm  
Practice Facility Hours: 6:30am-4:00pm  
Food & Beverage Hours: 6:30am-9:00am (Breakfast); 11:00am-3:00pm (Lunch)  
Championship Yardage: 7527 yards (Par 36-36—72). Rating: 77.3/154  
Course Architect: Robert Trent Jones, Jr., Kyle Phillips  
Course Turfgrass: Tees/Fairways (Cavalier Zoysia); Putting Greens (A1/A4Bentgrass)

#### Clubhouse and Parking Lot Access

**Cell Phone Policy:** Cell phones may only be used on the golf course in case of an emergency, entering scores into live scoring, to call the golf shop in need of a ruling, view tournament leaderboard or as a distance measuring device. We ask that phones are set to silent while on club grounds. Silent communications (text, email) may be used inside buildings. Verbal communication (phone calls) should be conducted outside buildings.

**Parking:** There are three parking lots at Blessings Golf Club. The main lot is located adjacent to the clubhouse and golf course. Auxiliary parking lots are located directly across the street from the club and 100 yards up Clear Creek Blvd. We ask players and family members to carpool as much as possible.

**Dress Code:** Appropriate golf attire must be worn. Slacks or Bermuda shorts. No cut-offs, no denim, no cargo pants, or cargo shorts. Men must wear shirts with collars and sleeves, always tucked in. Non-metal spikes only. The dress code applies to caddies and spectators. Please remove hats while inside the clubhouse.

**Coolers:** A small backpack cooler is permitted. Spectators may carry food and drinks for players. Reminder that outside food and beverages

are prohibited. All food and beverages must be purchased from Blessings Golf Club. Complimentary bottled water will be available throughout the course for players and spectators. Otherwise, traditional personal coolers are not allowed.

*Personal Items:* Make sure not to leave any valuable personal items unattended such as jewelry, wallets, etc. even if they are tucked away inside your golf bag. It is best to leave your valuables locked in your automobile. Neither the SGA nor the host club will be held responsible for any lost or stolen personal items.

*Accepted Forms of Payment:* Club accepts Cash for Food & Beverage. Golf Shop accepts Credit Card and Cash payments.

#### **Live Scoring**

- We will request a player or a caddie to enter scores into Golf Genius during the round for live scoring.

#### **Host Club Policies**

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*Coolers and Bottled Water:* A small backpack cooler is permitted. Spectators may carry food and drinks for players. Reminder that outside food and beverages are prohibited. All food and beverages must be purchased from Idle Hour. Complimentary bottled water will be available throughout the course for players and spectators. Otherwise, traditional personal coolers are not allowed.

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*Food & Beverage:* Limited food & beverage (snacks & grab 'n go items) will be available at The Café located behind #1 tee.

*Accepted Forms of Payment:* Club only accepts Credit Cards for Food & Beverage. Golf Shop accepts Credit Card and Cash payments.

#### **Caddies; Spectators; Carts**

- Personal Caddies are allowed for the On-Site Qualifier. Caddies will not be available at the host club.
- Qualifier is Walking Only for players and caddies.
- Personal push carts are allowed.
- SGA welcomes spectators at our championships. For your safety, we request that spectators always walk near the cart path. Spectator carts are not available.

#### **Hotels and Area Lodging**

There are several hotels located within a few miles of Blessings Golf Club. Below are the hotels in the area that are offering SGA discounted group rates.

##### **Holiday Inn Express and Suites**

- Rate: \$110+ per night
- Cut-Off Date: June 30<sup>th</sup>
- Booking Link: [Click Here](#)

##### **Hyatt Place Fayetteville/Springdale**

- Rate: \$140+ per night
- Cut-Off Date: June 14<sup>th</sup>
- Booking Link: [Click Here](#)

\*Please note that players are responsible for their own accommodation and transportation. Your stay at SGA recommended hotels supports the tournament's overall success.

#### **Championship Policies**

- [Pace of Play Policy](#)
- [Code of Conduct Policy](#)
- [Hard Card Rules Sheet](#)
- This is a soft-spike facility. The penalty for non-compliance is disqualification.

#### **Refund Policy**

If an accepted player withdraws for any reason before the close of registration at **11:59pm CST on Monday, July 7, 2025**, the entry fee will be refunded, subject to a \$50.00 service fee. If an accepted player withdraws for any reason after the close of registration and before **11:59pm CST on Saturday, July 12, 2025**, 50% of the entry fee will be refunded. No refunds will be made for withdrawals after **11:59pm CST on Saturday, July 12, 2025**. Alternates not gaining entry into the field will receive a full refund.