

#### **FACT SHEET-REVISED 9.19.16**

QUALIFYING TOURNAMENT-STAGE II OCTOBER 17<sup>th</sup>- OCTOBER 23, 2016 PLANTATION GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB 500 ROCKLEY ROAD, VENICE, FL 34293 Golf Shop 941-493-2000



#### **Phone Numbers**

| Title                     | Name           | Email Address               | Phone Number |
|---------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------|
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| Advance Rules Official    | Kelly Wergin   | Kelly.wergin@lpga.com       | 386-214-6820 |

#### **Tournament Structure**

| Format  | Purpose of Competition   | Estimated Finish Time                     |
|---|--|---|
| 72 hole stroke play-No cut                            | Top 80 players (subject to change) and ties advance to   | Sunday, October 23 <sup>rd</sup> - 6:00pm |
| ~Players will be required to walk (No electric carts) | the final stage November 28 <sup>th</sup> - December 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2016 at LPGA International, Daytona Beach Fl. |   |
| ~Players may carry their own                          | *Players that do not advance to the final stage will   |   |
| bag, use a pull cart or employ a                      | receive 2017 Symetra Tour status depending on  | Rain date:                                |
| caddie  | completion of 72 holes.  | Monday, Oct. 24 <sup>th</sup>             |
| ~Electric pull carts will not be permitted            | Competition is played on the Bobcat and Panther courses  |   |
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#### **Player Registration**

| Date                          | Location               | Time  |   |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|---|---|
| Monday, Oct. 17 <sup>th</sup> | LPGA Tournament Office | 8:00am-4:00pm EDT (must register before playing/practicing) |   |
| Tuesday, Oct. 18th            | LPGA Tournament Office | 8:00am-4:00pm EDT (must register before playing/practicing) | ĺ |

Additional Details: All entrants must register in person or state arrival time to an LPGA official by 4:00 pm EDT Tuesday, Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> In the absence of such notification, the LPGA will withdraw the player from the event. No refund will be made for such withdrawals. Tournament tee times will be available Tuesday afternoon.

## Advance Practice A player list has been sent directly to Plantation G&CC.

Official LPGA practice round privileges and complimentary Titleist range balls will begin for all contestants Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup>. The qualifying tournament will be played on both Plantation's Bobcat and Panther courses, two rounds each course.

Plantation is a private, member owned club. Plantation will extend "advance" practice round opportunities to all contestants in the Stage II Qualifying tournament starting September 1st. Carts will be required for all play. Tee times may be made three days in advance. Practice rounds, use of the range, chipping and putting areas will be available after 11:00am daily on a space available basis. The 18 hole cart fee will be \$50.00, which includes tax and range balls. Non-playing guests of a contestant (caddie or other) will be required to pay a riding fee of \$25.00. All persons (including caddies, family, and spectators) going onto the golf course before the official practice rounds are required to take a cart. The Practice Facility, including: the range, chipping and putting areas will be available after 11:00 am daily at a cost of \$50.00 per day, per person. Caddies & spectators may not walk at any time on the courses prior to the official practice rounds. No more than two carts per group. When reserving tee times for any advance date, please indicate how many people will be in your party, including all riders. Again, only two carts per group. Plantation will extend a guest playing rate of \$60.00 (inclusive) for your playing guests. Contact the golf shop, 941-493-2000, for those available times and reservations. You may play only one ball during these "advance" practice opportunities and any delay of member play will result in revocation of privileges. Metal spikes may not be worn before October 17th or at any time by your guests accompanying you on the course. Please ask the pro shop staff about proper attire for the course and range prior to October 17th Club Rule: Golf Carts may not be driven in the parking lot and must not cross at the traffic signal until the pedestrian light indicates it is safe. Plantation will have professional and very detailed yardage books available for \$25 per book, per course.

#### **Practice Requirements**

Contestants will receive complimentary practice rounds beginning Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup>. Tee Times are 'first come first serve' with the following guidelines: (players are required to walk for practice and competition rounds)

Players are responsible for maintaining their position on the course with respect to the group ahead of them.

Tee Time structure: (First come, First serve)

Play will start on #1 only unless otherwise noted

~Bobcat Monday 7:30am #1 tee

Bobcat Tuesday 7:30 am #10 tee

Bobcat Wednesday 7:30 am #1 tee

- ~Panther Monday 7:30am #10 tee
- ~Panther Tuesday 7:30 am #1
- ~Panther Wednesday 7:30am #10
- ~Single may not begin play between 7:30 am-12:30 pm
- ~Players should play in groups of 3 or 4 after 9:00 am
- ~One additional ball may be played from a tee or to a green in addition to the original ball.
- ~Only two (2) chip shots or two (2) bunker shots may be played on a given hole.

#### **Dress Code**

Plantation Golf and Country Club dress code is as follows: either a collar or sleeves on shirts. No tank tops/razor back tops allowed. Shorts must be of appropriate length and no denim of any kind. Dress code applies to players, observers and caddies alike.

#### **Schedule of Events**

| Date                         | Function   | Time             | Location                             |
|------------------------------|--|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Mon. Oct. 17 <sup>th</sup>   | Player Registration/Practice Round-"First        | 8:00am-4:00pm    | LPGA Tournament Office               |
|                              | come/First serve"                                |                  |                                      |
| Tue. Oct 18th                | Player Registration                              | 8:00am-4:00pm    | LPGA Tournament Office               |
|                              | Practice Round-"First come/First serve"          | All day          | Plantation Golf Shop at 941-493-2000 |
| Wed. Oct 19 <sup>th</sup>    | Practice Round- "First come/First serve"         | 8:00 am-4:00pm   | Bobcat/Panther Course                |
|                              | (Starting tees close at 3:00 pm for all practice |                  |                                      |
|                              | rounds—must turn by 3:00pm)                      |                  |                                      |
|                              | Rules meeting                                    | 6:00 pm          | Plantation Clubhouse                 |
| Thurs. Oct. 20 <sup>th</sup> | Round 1  | 8:00am-estimated | Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees     |
| Fri. Oct. 21st               | Round 2  | 8:00-estimated   | Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees     |
| Sat. Oct. 22 <sup>nd</sup>   | Round 3  | 8:00-estimated   | Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees     |
| Sun. Oct. 23 <sup>rd</sup>   | Round 4  | 8:00-estimated   | Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees     |
| Mon. Oct. 24 <sup>th</sup>   | Rain Date  | TBD              | Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees     |

#### **Accommodations**

| Property/Address                                       | Rate   |
|--|--|
| Fairfield Inn & Suites (5.5miles to course)            | \$79.00 plus tax (breakfast included)                  |
| 2935 Executive Drive, Venice Florida 34292             | ( Call 941-488-4343) (Request LPGA Q-School rate)      |
| 941-488-4343   |  |
| Vacation Rental by Owner                               | Browse the web site for rates and information          |
| www.vrbo.com   |  |
| Michael Saunders & Company                             | Call for rates at the Plantation Golf and Country Club |
| Contact: Zandra Clemens/Condo agent for the Plantation | 941-284-8062   |
| Office: 941 284-8062 <u>www.michaelsaunders.com</u>    |  |

#### **AIRPORTS**

# PLANTATION GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB VENICE, FLORIDA

## BOBCAT COURSE WHITE LINE YARDAGE

| <u>HOLE</u> | <u>PAR</u> | <u>YARDS</u> | <u>LOCATION</u>                 |
|-------------|------------|--------------|---------------------------------|
| 1           | 4          | 374          | 5 yards behind 369 block        |
| 2           | 4          | 385          | 10 yards behind 375 block       |
| 3           | 3          | 174          | 7 yards behind 167 block        |
| 4           | 5          | 490          | Rear of second tee              |
| 5           | 4          | 398          | 6 yards behind 392 block        |
| 6           | 3          | 153          | Even with 153 marker            |
| 7           | 4          | 395          | Rear of back tee                |
| 8           | 4          | 351          | Rear of back tee                |
| 9           | 5          | 515          | Even with 515 marker            |
|             | 26         | 2225         |                                 |
|             | 36         | 3235         |                                 |
| 10          | 4          | 410          | 10 yards in front of 420 marker |
| 11          | 4          | 402          | Rear of back tee                |
| 12          | 3          | 181          | Even with 181 block             |
| 13          | 5          | 509          | Rear of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee     |
| 14          | 4          | 360          | Even with 360 block             |
| 15          | 3          | 159          | Even with 159 block             |
| 16          | 5          | 508          | Even with 508 block             |
| 17          | 4          | 375          | Rear of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee     |
| 18          | 4          | 397          | Even with 397 block             |
|             | 36         | 3301         |                                 |
| TOTAL       | 72         | 6536         |                                 |

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### **PANTHER COURSE**

### WHITE LINE YARDAGE

| <u>HOLE</u> | <u>PAR</u> | <u>YARDS</u> | <u>LOCATION</u>               |
|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| 1           | 4          | 396          | Rear of back tee              |
| 2           | 3          | 165          | 3 yards in front of 168 block |
| 3           | 5          | 537          | Rear of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee   |
| 4           | 4          | 357          | Rear of back tee              |
| 5           | 4          | 379          | Rear of back tee              |
| 6           | 4          | 352          | Rear of back tee              |
| 7           | 3          | 174          | Rear of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee   |
| 8           | 4          | 371          | Rear of back tee              |
| 9           | 5          | 479          | Rear of back tee              |
| OUT         | 36         | 3210         |                               |
| 10          | 4          | 381          | Even 381 block                |
| 11          | 3          | 175          | Rear of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee   |
| 12          | 4          | 339          | Rear of back tee              |
| 13          | 5          | 485          | Rear of back tee              |
| 14          | 4          | 373          | Rear of back tee              |
| 15          | 3          | 153          | Even with 153 marker          |
| 16          | 5          | 492          | Even with 492 marker          |
| 17          | 4          | 370          | Rear of back tee              |
| 18          | 4          | 385          | Rear of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee   |
| IN          | 36         | 3153         |                               |
| TOTAL       | 72         | 6363         |                               |



#### 2016 CADDIE REGULATIONS

A Player may be penalized for the actions of her caddie and caddies are subject to suspensions.

- 1. Caddies must wear smooth, rubber-soled shoes, preferably tennis or basketball shoes. No golf shoes. "Duck" shoes are not considered to be smooth, rubber-soled shoes. Flip-flops, sandals or opened toed shoes are not allowed.
- 2. Caddies shall not wear cut-off shorts or gym/running shorts at any time while on tournament property. Shorts must be hemmed and of appropriate length (no cut-offs).
- 3. Caddies shall not be permitted on practice putting greens except to retrieve pitch and run shots (no lofted shots). Provided the putting green is not damaged and is not crowded, caddies may retrieve (shag) putts.

AT NO TIME MAY A CADDIE SIT OR LIE ON A PUTTING GREEN.

- 4. Caddies shall not walk on greens when checking hole positions. When not caddying during a round, caddies are not on permitted on any hole that has been played or is being played until the final group has completed play on that hole. During practice rounds, they may walk on the greens to chart information as long as this does not interfere with the practice of any player.
- 5. Caddies shall not have or consume alcoholic beverages, including beer, except in designated areas at the tournament site. Cell phones are prohibited during tournament rounds. Any behavior deemed inappropriate by the Director of Tournament Operations may result in an immediate suspension of the caddie from tournament property and/or from one or more tournaments.
- 6. Caddies are not permitted to play the tournament course or use the practice facilities of the host venue from Registration day through the end of the tournament.
- 7. Caddies and Players may use the cart for transporting items such as water bottles, rain gear and extra clothing.
- 8. Caddies may only be employed by one Player during a tournament round, and if fired, may not be rehired during the same tournament round.