



**LPGA and Symetra Tour Qualifying Tournament  
Stage I Fact Sheet**  
**August 21 – August 27, 2017**  
**Dinah Shore, Palmer and Player Courses**  
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**Tournament Structure**

Format	Registration	Estimated Finish
72-hole stroke play *Players will play one round on the Dinah, Player, and Palmer courses. *A <b>CUT after 54 holes</b> will be made. Cut # TBD *The final round will be played on the Dinah course. * <b>88 Rule Applies.</b> Any player with a score of 88 or higher <b>in the first two rounds</b> will be withdrawn from the Qualifying Tournament and will not be eligible to receive any type of status for 2018.	<b>Monday, August 21, 2017 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.</b> <b>Tuesday, August 22, 2017 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.</b>  Registration will be located in the Mission Hills Country Club Ladies Locker Room. Entrants must register in person or state arrival time by close of registration to an LPGA official. In the absence of such notification, the LPGA will withdraw the player from the tournament.  <b>*Players should register before playing/practicing</b>	Sunday, August 27, 2017 6:00 p.m.  <b>Rain date:</b> Monday, August 28, 2017

**Tournament Office**

The Tournament Office will be located in the Men's Card Room, located on the far-right side of the clubhouse.

**Dress Code**

All courses have a dress code policy that will apply: either a collar or sleeves on shirts. No tank tops allowed. Shorts must have appropriate golf length. No denim of any kind. Dress code applies to players, observers, and caddies alike. Players shall present a neat appearance appropriate to the game of golf in both clothing and grooming. Mission Hills is a spike-less facility. Caddies must wear a smooth, rubber soled shoe, preferable tennis or basketball shoes. No golf shoes. Flip-flops, sandals or opened toed shoes are not allowed. (Caddie guidelines are attached).

**Cart Rule**

Each player will have her own cart for tournament competition. Carts will not be available prior to the tee time. Carts will be staged by the practice putting green. Caddies may ride with the player. **Small coolers are allowed on carts and highly recommended.** Once your round is complete, please return the cart to the staging area by the putting green.

**Practice Requirements**

Official practice rounds will be on Monday, August 21; Tuesday, August 22; and Wednesday, August 23. No additional fees will be charged for these days. **Practice round tee times will be made online. Information will be available after the entry deadline. Please do not call the pro-shop for official practice rounds.** Due to the large number of participants, only 2 carts will be allowed per group. Please abide by this request so we can accommodate all players.

**Practice Range**

Complimentary Titleist range balls will be available at Mission Hills practice range ONLY beginning Monday, August 21 through Sunday, August 27 from 5:45 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

**Advance Practice at Mission Hills Country Club**

The Mission Hills Country Club Membership is pleased to host the LPGA Q-School! We hope that the participants understand that Mission Hills is a private club and adhering to the club's policies and procedures are a must. As this event falls in the off season, players will have plenty of opportunity for practice rounds. Provided below is information on course availability and guidelines for use of the facility:

- Please call the golf shop directly **to schedule your advance tee times** 760-324-7336. Golf shop hours are 6:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
- Player rate is \$45 per player for participants; you may bring a guest for \$55 with approval of the golf shop.
- Official Tournament practice round tee times can only be scheduled online through the link (see practice requirements above)

**Dinah Shore Tournament Course Play is available as follows:**

July 1 – August 20	-Play available after 9:30 a.m. (except for dates listed below)
July 6 – July 9	-Closed for Amateur Event
July 15 and July 22	-After 9:00 a.m. on a space available basis only
July 16 – July 19	-Closed for Event
July 24	-NOT AVAILABLE due to course maintenance
August 7	-NOT AVAILABLE due to course maintenance
August 15 – August 17	-Ladies NWGA Tour Event

**Arnold Palmer Course Play is available as follows:**

July 1 – July 9	-NOT AVAILABLE DURING THIS TIME due to course maintenance
July 26 – July 28	-Cactus Tour Event
July 29	-After 9:00 a.m. on a space available basis only
August 3	-NOT AVAILABLE due to course maintenance
August 5 and August 8	-After 9:00 a.m. on a space available basis only
August 10 – August 12	-Ladies NWGA Tour Event

Players may have the option to play before 9:00 a.m., but tee times can only be made inside of 24 hours if space is available.

\*\*\*Tee Time availability is subject to change.

**Practice Facilities – Range, Putting Green and Chipping Area:**

Only available to players prior to or after the scheduled practice rounds. A tee time must be made in order to use the practice facilities!

\*\*Mission Hills reserves the right to alter this schedule at its sole discretion during advance weeks of the event.

Yardage books for Dinah and Palmer courses will be available in the Mission Hills Golf Shop. Books are \$25 USD CASH ONLY – there is no ATM on site.

**Advance Practice at The Westin Mission Hill Resort**

**Gary Player Course Play at the Westin Mission Hills Resort** will also be offering plenty of opportunities for advance practice rounds.

Below is information regarding course availability and guidelines for use of the facility:

- Please call the golf shop directly **to schedule your advance tee times** 760-770-2908
- Practice facility is available for a daily rate of \$20
- Beginning July 5, a player rate of \$40 will be available
- **Course will be closed for maintenance June 19 – 22; June 26 – 29; and July 10 – 13.**
- The course will not be available July 17 – 20 due to a Junior Event
- Official Tournament practice round tee times can only be scheduled online through the link (see practice requirements above)

Yardage books for Player course will be available in the Mission Hills Golf Shop. Books are \$25 USD CASH ONLY – there is no ATM on site.

**Schedule of Events**

Date	Function	Time	Location
Monday, August 21	Player Registration Official Practice Rounds	8:00 a. m. – 4:00 p.m. Tee Times	Mission Hills CC Ladies Locker Room Dinah/Palmer/Player Courses #1 and #10 tees
Tuesday, August 22	Player Registration Official Practice Rounds	8:00 a. m. – 4:00 p.m. Tee Times	Mission Hills CC Ladies Locker Room Dinah/Palmer/Player Courses #1 and #10 tees
Wednesday, August 23	Official Practice Rounds <b>Rules meeting</b>	Tee Times <b>6:00 p.m.</b>	Dinah/Palmer/Player Courses #1 and #10 tees <b>The Westin-Mission Hills – Room TBD</b>
Thursday, August 24	Round 1	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah/Palmer/Player Courses
Friday, August 25	Round 2	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah/Palmer/Player Courses
Saturday, August 26	Round 3	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah/Palmer/Player Courses
Sunday, August 27	Round 4	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah Course
Monday, August 28	Rain Date	TBD	Dinah Course

**Accommodations – Private housing will not be available for the event**

Property/Address	Rate
<b>The Westin-Mission Hills</b> (located 0.5 miles from Mission Hills 71-333 Dinah Shore Drive Rancho Mirage, CA  Complimentary internet and fitness facility use	<a href="https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/lpgaagust">https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/lpgaagust</a> Hotel questions: Andrea Snare <a href="mailto:Andrea.Snare@westin.com">Andrea.Snare@westin.com</a> 877-253-0041 <b>Reference LPGA2017</b> \$89.00/night plus tax <b>Cut-Off date: August 4, 2017 at 5:00 p.m. Pacific Time</b>
Vacation Rental by Owner <a href="http://www.vrbo.com">www.vrbo.com</a>	Browse the web site for rates and information

**Airports:**

Palm Springs, CA (8 miles)

Ontario, CA (75 miles)

Los, Angeles, CA (125 miles)



**MISSION HILLS COUNTRY CLUB  
DINAH SHORE COURSE  
RANCHO MIRAGE, CALIFORNIA**

**2017 WHITE LINE YARDAGE Q-SCHOOL**

<u>HOLE</u>	<u>PAR</u>	<u>YARDAGE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
1	4	375	Even with ANA marker – back tee
2	5	517	Even with ANA marker
3	4	409	11 yards in front of 420 block
4	4	382	Back of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee
5	3	158	5 yards behind 153 block
6	4	385	4 yards behind 381 block
7	4	378	Back of tee left & behind the one with 363 block
8	3	168	2 yards behind 166 block
9	5	531	4 yards behind 527 block
OUT	36	3303	
* 10	4	375	Even with 375 block
11	5	507	3 yards behind 504 block
* 12	4	387	12 yards up from 399 block
13	4	408	16 yards up from 424 block
+ 14	3	148	Back of tee (golfers right)
15	4	387	Back of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee
16	4	390	6 yards behind 384 block
17	3	179	9 yards behind white block
18	5	526	Even with 526 block on 3rd tee from the front
IN	36	3307	
TOTAL	72	6610	

\* Yardage change from 2016      + Same location – updated yardage



**MISSION HILLS COUNTRY CLUB  
ARNOLD PALMER COURSE  
RANCHO MIRAGE, CALIFORNIA**

**2017 WHITE LINE YARDAGE Q-SCHOOL**

<u>HOLE</u>	<u>PAR</u>	<u>YARDAGE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
1	4	392	Back of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee
2	4	400	Back of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee
3	5	522	Back of rear tee
4	3	150	3 yards back of 147 plate (tee on right)
5	4	393	Even with yardage plate – 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee
6	5	494	Back of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee (2 yards behind 492 plate)
7	3	177	Back of tee with 174 plate
8	4	376	Back of tee with 372 plate
9	4	405	3 yards back of 402 plate
OUT	36	3309	
10	4	376	Back of rear tee
11	3	154	Back of 2 <sup>nd</sup> tee
* 12	4	379	Even with 379 plate
13	4	390	Back of tee with 389 plate
14	4	379	Back of tee with 369 plate
15	5	502	Back of rear tee
16	4	378	9 yards up from 387 plate
17	3	171	Back of tee with 167 plate
18	5	482	Back of tee with 474 plate
IN	36	3211	
TOTAL	72	6520	

\* Yardage change for 2017



**GARY PLAYER SIGNATURE COURSE  
RANCHO MIRAGE, CALIFORNIA**

**2017 WHITE LINE YARDAGE Q-SCHOOL**

<b>HOLE</b>	<b>PAR</b>	<b>YARDAGE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
1	4	393	Third Tee
2	4	387	Third Tee
3	5	516	Second Tee
* 4	4	390	Fourth Tee
* 5	3	162	Fourth Tee (Left)
6	4	374	Second Tee
7	5	491	Third Tee
8	3	175	4 paces from 179 plate
9	4	404	Third Tee
	36	3292	
10	4	344	Second Tee
11	5	488	Third Tee
12	3	136	Second Tee
13	4	386	Back Tee
14	4	383	Second Tee
15	3	167	Back Tee
16	4	389	Third Tee
17	5	542	Third Tee
18	4	383	Second Tee
	36	3218	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>6510</b>	

\* Changes for 2017



## 2017 CADDIE REGULATIONS

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

1. All caddies must complete the caddie registration form available at player registration.
2. 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.
3. 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).
4. 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.
5. Caddies shall not walk on greens when checking hole positions. When not caddying during a round, caddies are not 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, caddies may walk on the greens to chart information provided this does not interfere with the practice of any player.
6. 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.
7. 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.
8. Caddies and Players may use the cart for transporting items such as water bottles, rain gear and extra clothing.
9. Caddies may only be employed by one Player during a tournament round, and if fired, may not be re-hired during the same tournament round.