



LPGA and Symetra Tour Qualifying Tournament
 Stage I Fact Sheet
 Dinah Shore and Palmer Courses
 34600 Mission Hills Drive, Rancho Mirage, CA 92270
 Shadow Ridge Golf Course
 9002 Shadow Ridge Rd, Palm Desert, CA 92211
 760-324-7336



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Tournament Structure

Format	Registration	Estimated Finish
72-hole stroke play *Players will play one round on the Dinah, Palmer, and Shadow Ridge courses. *A CUT after 54 holes will be made. Cut #TBD *The final round will be played on the Dinah course. * 88 Rule Applies. Any player with a score of 88 or higher in the first two rounds will be withdrawn from the Qualifying Tournament and will not be eligible to receive any type of status for 2019.	Monday, August 20, 2018 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 21, 2018 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. 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. *Players: Please register before playing/practicing.	Sunday, August 26, 2018 6:00 p.m. Rain date: Monday, August 27, 2018

Airports:

Palm Springs, CA (8 miles)

Ontario, CA (75 miles)

Los, Angeles, CA (125 miles)

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 20; Tuesday, August 21; and Wednesday, August 22. 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 20 through Sunday, August 26 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 9 – August 19	-Play available after 9:30 a.m. (except for dates listed below)
July 16 – July 9	-Closed for Amateur Event
July 25 – July 26	-Ladies Cactus Tour Event
August 15	-Ladies NWGA Tour Event

Arnold Palmer Course Play is available as follows:

July 9 – August 19	-Play available after 9:30 a.m. (except for dates listed below)
July 9 – July 22	-NOT AVAILABLE DURING THIS TIME due to course maintenance
July 27	-Ladies Cactus Tour Event
August 16 – August 17	-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 Shadow Ridge Golf Club

Shadow Ridge Golf Club will be offering opportunities for advance practice rounds. Below is information regarding course availability and guidelines for use of the facility:

- A Summer Access Pass is available at Shadow Ridge. See details on flyer included in this fact sheet.
- Please call the golf shop at 760-674-2633 **to schedule your advance tee times.**
- Practice facility is open dusk to dawn, with the exception of Wednesday, when it closes at 4:00PM and on Thursday when it opens at 7:30AM.
- Practice facility is available for a daily rate of \$20 (Must mention LPGA Q school participant)
- A player rate of \$59 will be available (Summer Pass also available)
- **Course will be 9 holes only July 16th – 21st (AERIFICATION)**
- The course will not be available August 14th due to NWGA event
- Official Tournament practice round tee times (August 20th-22nd) can only be scheduled online. A link will be provided after entries close.

Yardage books for Shadow Ridge will be available in the Golf Shop. **Books are \$25 USD CASH ONLY**

Schedule of Events

Date	Function	Time	Location
Sunday, August 19	Player Registration	8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Mission Hills CC Ladies Locker Room
Monday, August 20	Player Registration Official Practice Rounds	8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Tee Times	Mission Hills CC Ladies Locker Room Dinah/Palmer/Shadow Ridge Courses #1 and #10 tees
Tuesday, August 21	Official Practice Rounds	Tee Times	Dinah/Palmer/Shadow Ridge Courses #1 and #10 tees
Wednesday, August 22	Official Practice Rounds Rules meeting	Tee Times 6:00 p.m.	Dinah/Palmer/Shadow Ridge Courses #1 and #10 tees The Westin-Mission Hills – Room TBD
Thursday, August 23	Round 1	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah/Palmer/Shadow Ridge Courses
Friday, August 24	Round 2	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah/Palmer/Shadow Ridge Courses
Saturday, August 25	Round 3	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah/Palmer/Shadow Ridge Courses
Sunday, August 26	Round 4	7:00 a.m. - estimated	Dinah Course
Monday, August 27	Rain Date	TBD	Dinah Course

Accommodations – Private housing will not be available for the event

Property/Address	Rate
The Westin-Mission Hills (located 0.5 miles from Mission Hills) 71-333 Dinah Shore Drive Rancho Mirage, CA Hotel questions: Molly DuVall Complimentary internet and fitness facility use	molly.duvall@westin.com 877-253-0041 Mention LPGA Q School when booking \$99.00/night plus tax – double; \$89.00/night plus tax – king Cut-Off date: August 3, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. Pacific Time
Marriott's Shadow Ridge II – The Enclaves 9003 Shadow Ridge Drive Palm Desert, CA	Booking Link Group Sales – group.booking@vacationclub.com 800-850-6674 Ext. 6520 \$99.00/night plus tax Cut-Off date: August 3, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. Pacific Time
Discounted hotel booking through LPGA Travel	https://lpga.hotelplanner.com/
Vacation Rental by Owner www.vrbo.com	Browse the web site for rates and information



2018 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.

2018 Summer Access Pass

Marriott's
SHADOW RIDGE
FALDO CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF

\$99 for purchase of the pass

\$30 green/cart fee for each round

Valid May 21st - September 30th 2018

Tee times may be reserved
up to 7 days in advance

10% off Food and Beverage
(excludes alcohol and tobacco)

20% off Instruction at the
Marriott Golf Academy

10% off Merchandise
in the Golf Shop

