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LPGA and Symetra Tour Qualifying Tournament Stage II Fact Sheet October 14 – 17, 2019

Plantation Golf and Country Club
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Phone Numbers

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Tournament Structure

Format	Purpose of Competition	Estimated Finish Time
72-hole stroke play – No cut ~Players will be required to walk (No electric carts) ~Players may carry their own bag, use a pull cart or employ a caddie ~Electric pull carts will not be permitted	Top TBD players and ties advance to the Q-Series October 23 – November 2, 2019 in Pinehurst, NC. *Players who complete 72 holes but do not advance to the Q-Series will receive 2020 Symetra Tour status. Competition is played on the Bobcat and Panther courses	Thursday, October 17 6:00 p.m. Rain date: Friday, October 18, 2019

Player Registration

Date	Location	Time
Saturday, October 12	LPGA Tournament Office	8:00am-3:00pm EDT (Please register before playing/practicing)

Additional Details: All entrants must register in person or state arrival time to an LPGA official by 3:00 pm EDT Saturday, October 12.

Advance Practice

A player list will be sent directly to Plantation G&CC.

Official LPGA practice round privileges and complimentary Titleist range balls will begin for all contestants Saturday, October 12. 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 advance practice 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. **NOTE: The range is under renovation and will not be available for use before September 15, 2019.** 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 16th.

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. **Please note: Carts will be used for advance practice only. Players must walk for official practice rounds.**

Yardage Books: Plantation will have professional and very detailed yardage books available for \$25 per book, per course; NO CASH.

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Practice Requirements

Contestants will receive complimentary practice rounds **beginning Saturday, October 12**. Practice Round Tee Times will be made online. Information will be available and emailed to you when the booking site is opened. Please do not call the Pro-Shop to book official practice round tee times. Please make note of 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: Play will start from the course and tee noted below only:**
- Bobcat Saturday 7:30am from #1 tee only.**
- Bobcat Sunday 7:30 am from #10 tee only.**
- Panther Saturday 7:30am from #10 tee only.**
- Panther Sunday 7:30 am from #1 tee only.**
- 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
Saturday, October 12	Player Registration Practice Round – must book online	8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. -	LPGA Tournament Office Bobcat/Panther Courses
Sunday, October 13	Practice Round – must book online Rules Meeting	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Bobcat/Panther Courses Main Dining Room
Monday, October 14	Round 1	8:00a.m. – estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Tuesday, October 15	Round 2	8:00a.m. – estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Wednesday, October 16	Round 3	8:00a.m. – estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Thursday, October 17	Round 4	8:00a.m. – estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Friday, October 18	Rain Date	TBD	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees

Accommodations

Property/Address	Rate
Fairfield Inn & Suites (5.5miles to course) 2935 Executive Drive, Venice Florida 34292 941-488-4343	\$84.00 plus tax (breakfast included) A limited number of rooms will be available at this rate. Click HERE to book; must book before October 6, 2019 or before all available rooms are booked.
Vacation Rental by Owner www.vrbo.com	Browse the web site for rates and information
Michael Saunders & Company Contact: Zandra Clemens/Condo agent for the Plantation Office: 941 284-8062 www.michaelsaunders.com	Call for rates at the Plantation Golf and Country Club 941-284-8062

AIRPORTS

Sarasota Airport- (45 minutes) (SRQ)

Tampa Airport- (90 minutes) (TPA)