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LPGA and Epson Qualifying Tournament
Stage II – October 16 – 21, 2022
Bobcat and Panther Courses
Plantation Golf and Country Club -
500 Rockley Road, Venice, FL 34293

Title	Name	Email Address	Business Phone	Cell Phone
Director of Golf	Julie Edgar	jedgar@plantationgcc.com	941-493-2000	N/A
Tournament Director	Kathy Lawrence	Kathy.lawrence@lpga.com		386-589-8344
Administrative Manager	Kathy Moore	Kathy.moore@lpga.com		386-212-7622
Advance Rules Official	Kelly Wergin	kelly.wergin@lpga.com		386-214-6820

FORMAT	PURPOSE OF COMPETITION	ESTIMATED FINISH TIME
72-hole stroke play – No cut - Players will be required to walk for practice and competition rounds. (No electric carts) - Players may carry their own bag, use pull carts or employ a caddie. - Electric pull carts will not be permitted. - Distance measuring devices are allowed.	Top TBD and ties will advance to Q-Series; final number will be determined prior round one. Players who complete 72 holes but do not advance to Q-Series will earn 2022 Epson Tour status in either Category I or Category K in accordance with finish position at Stage II.	Friday, October 21, 6:00 p.m. Rain date: Saturday, October 22, 2022

YARDAGE BOOKS

Available in the pro-shop for \$25 per book, per course; payment is by CREDIT CARD ONLY.

PLAYER REGISTRATION	LOCATION – In Person ONLY Tournament Office Lower Level	
Sunday, October 16 10:00 a.m. ET – 3:00 p.m. ET	Headshots for Online Profiles and for LPGA Credentials will be taken at Registration	Parking passes and Player lunch voucher will be distributed at registration.

CADDIE REGISTRATION	LOCATION	
A link to the caddie registration form will be distributed after the conclusion of Stage I.	Online	Caddie bibs will be distributed at the range on Tuesday, October 18 to registered caddies only.

ADVANCE PRACTICE (Practice prior to Sunday, October 16)

Plantation is a privately owned club and will extend “advance” practice round opportunities to all contestants entered in Stage II beginning September 1st. A list of entered players will be sent directly to Plantation G&CC. **Bobcat course will not be available September 6th-September 22nd** due to aerification.

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. 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 3 days in advance, 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 16th 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.

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OFFICIAL PRACTICE ROUND BOOKING AND REQUIREMENTS

Official practice rounds (complimentary) will be on **Sunday, October 16 and Monday, October 17**. Tee times for official practice rounds will be made in the Portal app and are open now. **Please do not call the Pro-Shop to book official practice rounds tee times.**

Please make note of the following guidelines:

- ~Players are required to walk.
- ~Players are responsible for maintaining their position on the course with respect to the group ahead of them.
- ~**Single may not begin play between 8:00 am-12:30 p.m.**
- ~**All Practice times will start from #1 tee only beginning at 7:45 a.m.**
- ~Players should play in groups of 3.
- ~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
Sunday, October 16	Official Practice Round – Walking Only	7:45 a.m.	Bobcat/Panther Courses #1 Tee
Monday, October 17	Official Practice Round – Walking Only Player Rules Meeting	7:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	Bobcat/Panther Courses #1 Tee Plantation Clubhouse
Tuesday, October 18	Round 1	8:00 a.m. – estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Wednesday, October 19	Round 2	8:00 a.m. – estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Thursday, October 20	Round 3	8:00 a.m. – estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Friday, October 21	Round 4	8:00 a.m. - estimated	Bobcat/Panther Course #1-10 tees
Saturday, October 22	Rain date	TBD	TBD

TRAINER

Ann Medvar will be available for stretching by appointment only beginning Monday, October 17. Anne will be located in the PGCC Fitness Center. Contact information to be provided at player registration.

ACCOMMODATIONS

RATE

Fairfield Inn & Suites (5.5 miles to course) 2935 Executive Drive, Venice Florida 34292 941-488-4343	\$119.00 plus tax Limited number of rooms available at this rate. Q School rate for Ladies Professional Golf Association Cutoff date: October 10th
Holiday Inn Express (5.5 miles to course) 380 Commercial Ct, Venice, FL (941) 584-6800	\$89.00 plus tax (2 queen beds) Limited number of rooms available at this rate Call (941) 584-6800 Cut-off date: Monday, October 3 rd

AIRPORTS

Sarasota Airport- (45 minutes) (SRQ)

Tampa Airport- (90 minutes) (TPA)