

WPS 2023 Golf Team



Tournaments

DATE	LOCATION	TIME
March 6th	Silliman	TBD
March 9th	Brookhaven	TBD
March 20th	BGS @ Quail Hollow	TBD
April 3rd	BGS @ Franklinton CC	TBD
April 11th	Brookhaven	TBD
Week of April 17th	South State	TBD
Week of April 24th	All Classes Golf Tournament	TBD

Practices

Date	Location	Time
Thursday, February 23	Shadow Ridge Golf Club	Leave WPS @ 3:40PM - Pick-up @ 6PM
Tuesday, February 28	Shadow Ridge Golf Club	Leave WPS @ 3:40PM - Pick-up @ 6PM
Thursday, March 9	Shadow Ridge Golf Club	Leave WPS @ 3:40PM - Pick-up @ 6PM
Tuesday, March 21	Shadow Ridge Golf Club	Leave WPS @ 3:40PM - Pick-up @ 6PM
Tuesday, March 28	Shadow Ridge Golf Club	Leave WPS @ 3:40PM - Pick-up @ 6PM

Pricing

\$100

- Includes at least 5 practice sessions, at Shadow Ridge Golf Club (we have access to the range and the course)
- Transportation and refreshments will be provided
- Entry fee to a tournament is separate. This normally ranges from \$20-\$30 per tournament

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Open Golf Rules

1. Dates and Sites

The North / South and Class Tournaments will be held on a date set by the Academy Activities Commission.

- Sites: Upon invitation or availability, the AAC will make selection of golf course for play. (North/South, Class)
- Entry Fee: To be set by the AAC or the Director of Activities. This should be paid when the participation form is returned to the Director of the Tournament.

- **Qualifying Requirements**

Schools entering post-season play (their respective N/S Tournament) must meet the following requirements:

- Minimum Team Qualifying Score (team - 350; individual - 85)
 - Must be an inter-school tournament or match involving at least one other school
 - Must be 18 holes
 - Qualifying scores must be sent to N/S Tournament director
- Play In Minimum of 3 Qualifying Matches - Each team/individual must compete in at least 3 stroke-play matches to qualify for the North/South Tournament. Two of the matches can be 9-hole matches with the qualifying score being an 18-hole match.

2. Tournament Rules

- Etiquette - Proper golf etiquette is expected.
- Attire - Proper golf attire is required.
 - Shirts must have collars.
 - No jeans.
 - No cut-off shorts.
- Tobacco Products - Use of tobacco products is prohibited.
- Putting Out - All putts must be putted out. Failure to putt out any hole will result in that player being disqualified.
- Rules of Play - USGA and course rules will apply. The pace of play should be emphasized to all participants.

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- Coaching - Only one (1) designated person may coach the team. No greens coaching.
- Schools Must Supply Markers - Each school must supply at least one marker for a tournament.
- Reporting Promptly - Teams must report at least fifteen (15) minutes before first scheduled tee time. Teams that are late in reporting will not be allowed to participate.
- Range Finders - Range finders are permitted; considered part of equipment and cannot be loaned out to anyone (either your team or another team).
- Female Players - Girls players will play as closely as possible to 90% of the boys' yardage*. We hope to play the boys' course at approximately 6600 yards and the girls' course approximately 5900 yards.

* This is in reference to tournaments that girls and boys participate together.

- Pull Carts - Pull carts will be allowed in any regular-season or post-season tournaments.

3. Scoring

- Team Scoring - The team with the lowest total score (four low scores) will be the champion. Teams may have a maximum of six (6) players.
- Individual Scoring - The individual player with the lowest total will be low medalist.

4. Qualifying For Class Tournaments

- Teams (all classes): the four (4) teams with the lowest total scores from both the North and South Tournaments will advance to their respective Class Tournament.
- Individuals (all classes): the four (4) low medalists from each of the North and South Tournaments will advance to their respective class tournament (this group would not include the medalists advancing with the teams that qualify). Please note that individual advancers must shoot an 85 or lower.

5. Awards (North / South Tournaments)

- First & second place trophy to the top two teams.
- Plaques will be awarded to the four (4) individuals with the lowest score regardless of whether they are part of a team or are simply participating as individual players.

6. Awards (Class Tournaments)

- Trophies & medallions to champion and runner-up.
- Plaques to the 6 individual low medalists (best six individuals in the tournament).

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7. Marshals / Scorers For Tournaments

- Beginning with the North/South Tournaments, all host schools will be responsible for organizing scorers/marshals for every group. Each school must provide at least one (1) marker.
- Marshals/scorers are responsible for verifying scores and helping with rules interpretations.

8. Designated Area For Turning In Scorecards

All tournament sites will have a designated area for players to turn in scorecards. USGA rules will apply to procedure of turning in cards, which includes the proper signatures. Any player who either fails to turn in their card or who turns a card in that is not properly signed will be disqualified.

9. Sixth Grade Participation

A sixth (6th) grader, who is a student of a MAIS member jr. high school or secondary school, may participate on the jr. high and varsity level in golf. No student below the sixth (6th) grade may participate on the jr. high or varsity level in athletics.

10. Girls' District Tournaments

Districts will be allowed to have girls' division tournaments. They can be held separate from the boys' tournament, or in conjunction with the boys' tournament.

11. Limitation On Number Of Matches

There is no restriction on scheduling golf matches other than the 'early dismissal' rule that reads: 'Students are allowed only one (1) early dismissal per week per sport. An early dismissal would include academic classes only.'