



**2019 LPGA TOUR QUALIFYING TOURNAMENTS
CADDIE REGISTRATION FORM**

Caddie Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Email Address _____

Cell Number () _____ Emergency Contact Number () _____

I acknowledge that the LPGA Tour reserves the right to revoke and cancel all associated caddie privileges for failure to adhere to the guidelines described in this Caddie Registration Form or abide by the 2018 LPGA Caddie Regulations. Further, I hereby agree and attest to the following:

1. I have been provided with a copy of, read, understand and will abide by the LPGA Caddie Regulations. Furthermore, I understand and agree that a violation of the LPGA Caddie Regulations may result in a fine, suspension or loss of the privilege to caddie on the LPGA Tour.
2. I will abide by all instructions given to me by an LPGA Official in connection with the Tournament, Pro-Am or any other event conducted in conjunction with the Tournament or Pro-Am.
3. At any time, and particularly on site at Tournament, I will refrain from engaging in conduct or actions contrary to the integrity of the game, or that may reflect unfavorably upon the LPGA, its tournaments, business partners or members, as determined in the LPGA's sole discretion. I further understand that the LPGA shall have the sole authority to declare a violation under this section, and violations may result in a fine, suspension or loss of the privilege to caddie on the LPGA Tour.
4. This registration is contingent upon, and at all times remains subject to, the satisfactory completion of a background check, including but not limited to criminal and/or civil records. This registration may be rescinded or rejected, and all related privileges terminated, based upon data received in background check report(s). I hereby consent to such background checks, and agree to timely complete any documents or to take any other actions reasonably necessary or desirable to facilitate performance of such background checks, by the LPGA or its designated agency upon request.
5. I have never been found guilty of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere (i.e. no contest) to, a crime determined to be a felony or a crime otherwise involving violence, force, or a sexual offense. I further attest that I have never been judicially determined to have committed abuse or neglect against a person or animal.
6. In connection with my participation in the Tournament and any events or activities related thereto, other LPGA controlled, sanctioned, endorsed or authorized events or activities, and any other events that I participate in as a caddie, I willingly consent to and hereby grant and assign, without compensation, to the LPGA and its licensees, successors and assigns the right to use my name, picture, image, likeness, voice and/or words, and other identifying, performance and/or biographical information ("Appearance") throughout the world in connection with television, radio, video, audio, internet, film, motion picture, digital signal, photographs, computer network, IPTV, wireless distribution, mobile communications device, print or any other medium or method of distribution which is now known or hereafter may exist, including, without limitation, free over-the-air broadcast, cablecast, satellite, broadband, wireless, pay television, subscription television and on-demand platforms. LPGA is not obligated to use my Appearance in any manner, and materials embodying any aspect of my Appearance do not need to be submitted to the Player for approval. I release and discharge LPGA, its licensees, successors and assigns from any claims arising from the consented to use of my Appearance. As between LPGA and the Player, LPGA shall, as contemplated above, own all right, title and interest, including the copyright(s), in and to any works created by LPGA, its licensees, successors, and assigns that include all or a portion of my Appearance. The above grant of rights shall be binding on my heirs, executors, and administrators. With respect to the consented to use permitted herein, I waive all privacy, publicity, defamation, libel, and proprietary rights in relation to my Appearance.

Caddie Signature _____ Date _____

Please print the name of the Player you are working for during the Tournament:



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All players in LPGA co-sponsored tournaments shall employ caddies for all practice, Pro-Am and tournament rounds, though golf carts may occasionally be authorized by the LPGA Rules Committee for Pro-Am rounds. Caddies shall be paid promptly. The fee is to be resolved early in the week between the player and the caddie.

The LPGA Tour shall determine who is eligible to be employed as a caddie. Players who wish to bring their own caddie to LPGA Tour co-sponsored tournaments may do so. Players shall be responsible for the conduct and behavior of their caddies at tournaments.

The following practices and policies shall be adhered to in all Co-Sponsored Tournaments:

1. LPGA Caddie Regulations shall be in effect for all qualifying, practice, Pro-Am and tournament rounds of any Co-Sponsored Tournament. Persons who register and are accepted as caddies must abide by these Regulations from the first day of the Tournament Week, until midnight of the day the final results are posted.
2. When permitted to bring their own caddies, Players shall provide the caddie's full name to the host tournament at registration. All caddies must complete the caddie registration form each week. The final list of caddies shall be given to the LPGA after the close of registration. Failure to complete the caddie registration form shall result in a \$200 fine to the caddie's player.
3. All caddies not employed by a Player in advance of any given event may obtain a bag through the local Caddie Chairman/Caddie Master.
4. Caddie privileges extend only to those caddies registered and employed at the tournament site. Caddies not otherwise employed at the tournament, and those under suspension (if permitted on tournament site), must abide by all rules governing spectators.
5. Caddies shall not have or consume alcoholic beverages, including without limitation beer, while "inside-the-ropes" at tournament site.
6. Caddies shall wear uniforms and caddie credentials/identification badges as prescribed by the LPGA and host tournament. A caddie can obtain an LPGA caddie credential only if his/her player has signed the caddie credential application. Uniforms shall be determined with consideration given to the heat index and other environmental conditions.
7. Caddie credentials/badges are non-transferable. If a caddie does not have an LPGA-issued caddie credential, he/she must secure a local caddie badge from the Caddie Master upon acceptance and registration at the tournament site. Caddie credentials from other professional golf tours are not acceptable.



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8. A caddie credential grants access only to the tournament grounds and caddie area. Caddies cannot enter an area reserved by the host tournament for other credential holders without proper authorization. The Caddie Chairman and/or Caddie Master will supervise caddies and identify an area for caddies to rest while not on duty.
9. In addition to any prescribed uniform, caddies shall at all times comply with the following LPGA caddie dress code, unless otherwise modified by the LPGA in its sole discretion. Unless otherwise stated/posted on tournament site, caddies may wear shorts, skirts or skorts when on tournament site property. Shorts must be hemmed and of an appropriate length. T-shirts, jeans, culottes, swimming trunks, cut-off shorts, gym shorts and cargo-style shorts are not permitted. Caddies shall wear flat, smooth, closed-toe, rubber-sole (preferably tennis or basketball) shoes. Golf shoes with spikes/nubs (metal, plastic, rubber, etc.), "duck" shoes, flip-flops, sandals or other open-toed shoes are not allowed. Acceptable colors for shorts and shoes shall be determined at the discretion of the LPGA.
10. Caddies' clothing must also conform to any Player Endorsement Policy in effect from time to time.
11. Caddies are not permitted to walk on the greens when checking hole locations. When not actively caddying during a qualifying, pro-am or tournament round, caddies are not allowed "inside-the-ropes" on any hole that has been played or is being played, until the final group has completed play on that hole for that day. During practice rounds, caddies may walk on the greens to chart information provided this does not interfere with the practice of any player.
12. Unless otherwise posted on tournament site, caddies are not permitted on practice greens, except to retrieve pitch and run shots (no lofted shots) and/or to assist the player in a teaching capacity (i.e. helping the player with alignment, putting stroke technique, etc.). Retrieving putts is not permitted.
13. At no time may a caddie lie or sit on a putting green.
14. Caddies may not use a club to pick golf balls out of the hole on either the golf course or on the practice putting green. Caddies will assist in maintaining the course by replacing divots and raking bunkers as soon as practical after their Player has played. Caddies must carry their Player's clubs. Pull carts and the like are not permitted.
15. No cell phones are to be used "inside-the-ropes".
16. During Tournament Week, caddies shall not play (hit shot or putts) the tournament golf course, nor shall they use the practice facilities while at the tournament site. (Exception: A caddie may participate in the Pro-Am event.)



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17. During Tournament Week, caddies shall not play (hit shot or putts) the tournament golf course, nor shall they use the practice facilities while at the tournament site. (Exception: A caddie may participate in the Pro-Am event.)
18. A caddie shall not park in the Player's parking lot or any other area prohibited to caddies. A Player parking credential/pass is not valid unless a Player is in the car or a proper authorization slip to park a Player's car has been received from the LPGA. (A caddie who holds an LPGA Player VIP Guest Credential may park a Player's car provided he/she is dropping off or picking up the Player who gave them the LPGA Player VIP Guest Credential and it is their only car in the lot.)
19. Caddies may not park campers or mobile homes overnight on the premises of the tournament site.
20. Caddies may only use tournament transportation if their Player accompanies them, or if the tournament has offered transportation to caddies. Caddies shall not request transportation through the tournament Transportation Committee, and they must not take a seat needed for another Player.
21. Caddies shall not drive courtesy cars without the express permission of the tournament and after signing the required liability forms.
22. LPGA caddies may cash checks drawn on Members' accounts up to a limit of \$1,500.00 (unless posted otherwise) per check. Caddies may NOT cash third-party checks, Government-issued photo identification (i.e. driver's license or state photo I.D.) with a signature must be shown to the Finance Committee when cashing any check.
23. Caddies shall not engage in conduct unbecoming a professional caddie, as determined in the sole discretion of the LPGA. In addition, caddies shall not engage in any conduct that is prohibited for Players under the LPGA Tour Anti-Doping Program.
24. A caddie who violates any LPGA Caddie Regulation or LPGA policy, or whose actions or conduct reflects unfavorably upon the LPGA, will subject his/her Player to penalties and the caddie will be subject to losing the privilege to caddie on the LPGA Tour, depending on the conduct. Fines levied against a Player for a caddie's minor, intermediate and major violation must be paid by the Player within fifteen (15) days of the imposition of the fine. If the fine is not paid within fifteen (15) days, the privileges of the caddie will be suspended until the fine is paid. Penalties levied against a Player for a caddie's minor, intermediate and/or major violation shall be determined by the LPGA, in its sole discretion.

Minor Violations:

Minor violations include, but are not limited to, the following instances: uniform violations, interference with player practice rounds, walking on greens to check hole locations on the day of a competition round, hospitality violations, practice putting green violations, hitting shots and/or playing the tournament course during the week of the event. As a result of a minor violation, a caddie's Player shall receive a fine of \$100.00.



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Intermediate Violations:

Intermediate violations include, but are not limited to, the following instances: parking in the player lot or any other unauthorized area on tournament site, parking campers or mobile homes on tournament site and/or requesting tournament transportation without the accompaniment of a player.

As a result of an intermediate violation, a caddie's Player shall receive a fine of \$250, and/or the caddie will receive a penalty of suspension, ranging from a minimum of one (1) Official Tournament up to a maximum of two (2) Official Tournaments.

A suspension for an intermediate violation shall become effective at the Official Tournament immediately following the imposition of the suspension, unless the suspension was imposed after the deadline for committing for the next Official Tournament. In this case, the suspension shall become effective at the subsequent Official Tournament.

Major Violations:

Major violations include, but are not limited to, the following instances: drunk and/or disorderly conduct, inappropriate language while at tournament site, misappropriation of tournament property, and/or driving a tournament courtesy car (when not allowed under these Regulations).

As a result of a major violation, a caddie's Player shall receive a fine of \$500 and/or a caddie shall receive a penalty of suspension ranging from a minimum of two (2) Official Tournaments up to a maximum of a lifetime suspension. A suspension for a major violation shall become effective immediately after notice of the suspension is given to the caddie.

25. All additional caddie regulations or notices made available at the caddie check-in area of each Official Tournament shall be incorporated herein by reference.