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# York Region Athletic Association **GIRLS' GOLF OPEN**

- New Coaches Meeting: **Wednesday September 22nd 2021**
- Virtual Meeting - All coaches must attend!! Link to come

**1. Convenor:** DAVID ALMEIDA - ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE CHS  
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NOTE: All communications will be by Email.

**2. Constitution:**

- Please refer to the YRAA to ensure all guidelines are being followed.

**3. Eligibility:**

- Enrolled in no more than their fifth consecutive year from the initial date of entry to secondary school and born no more than 19 years prior to the start of the school year in which the competition is held.
- School/Team Registration and Eligibility available on the Sports Administration at [www.yraa.com](http://www.yraa.com).

School/Team Registration and Eligibility Deadline: **Wednesday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

Important Note: Schools are allowed to register six (6) athletes but only five (5) are eligible to play in the tournament with one (1) being the alternate. If you register more than five (5) players, please email the convenor by September 29th, 2021 at [david.almeida@ycdsb.ca](mailto:david.almeida@ycdsb.ca) and indicate which five (5) athletes will be participating in the tournament.

**4. Transfer Eligibility:**

- Any student/athletes who have transferred to a school in the previous 12 months is ineligible to participate in the YRAA inter school events or OFSAA sanctioned tournaments until he/she is deemed eligible by the YRAA Transfer Eligibility Committee.

- For this year only, new students enrolled in your school by Sept 15, 2021 will not need to go through transfer. If a player is listed as ineligible on the YRAA site please contact Mark Arsenault at the YRAA

## 5. **Playing Regulations:**

- Playing Regulations available at [www.yraa.com](http://www.yraa.com)
- Teams
  - Teams consist of maximum of six (6) players
  - Any five (5) may play in the qualifying round and/or championship round. Golfers must compete in a qualifier in order to compete in the championship. No substitutes allowed.
  - Top four (4) scores count for team championship. Teams of four (4) can compete.
  - Teams of less than four (4) are eligible for individual title only
  - **A students-athlete who has competed in a provincial or national tournament within the past 12 months outside of the high school program, shall be classified as an “Open participant” within the individual division. (This player’s score will not be counted as part of your school’s team score (4 – players).**
- Playoffs
  - All teams/individuals participate and qualify to play in two (2) tournaments.
  - The qualifying tournament will rank teams to determine which teams/individuals play in the Championship Tournament and the Consolation Tournament.
  - Teams/individuals must participate in the qualifying tournament to be eligible for the YRAA Championships.
  - A minimum of three (3) teams will qualify for the Championship tournament. Additional teams will be determined based on entries and qualifying round scores.
  - The top four (4) individuals (not already qualified by a team) will advance to the championships. Additional individuals may be considered based on the qualifying round scores.
  - Individual scores count towards individual low gross championship.
- Tie Breaking Procedure – see Playing Regulations

## 6. **Tournament Dates and Location:**

Location: **Bathurst Glen Golf Course**  
 12481 Bathurst St, Richmond Hill, ON L4E 2B4  
<https://bathurstglengolf.ca>  
 Directions: [google maps](#)

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| ✓ Qualifying Round:   | Wednesday October 6th 2021 – 9:30 a.m. Shotgun   |
| ✓ Championship Round: | Wednesday October 13th 2021 – 9:30 a.m. Hole 1   |
| ✓ Consolation Round:  | Wednesday October 13th 2021 – 10 a.m. Hole 10-15 |

- ✓ Dress Code – will be forwarded in a separate email
- ✓ Caddies, spectators and other walkers are not allowed on the course.
- ✓ Players are not allowed to use power carts.

## **7. Registration and Meeting for tournaments:**

- Registration on Wednesday October 6th 2021 will begin at 8:45 a.m. and finish at 9:15 a.m.
- Registration for Wednesday October 13th 2021 will begin at 8:45 a.m. and finish at 9:15 a.m. Players and coaches must be present for registration on both days, regardless of tee off time.

## **8. Tournament Costs:**

- **\$82 for competition in the tournaments.** That's \$41 each round. If coaches declare that a player will be competing and they do not show on the day of the competition, schools will be charged. There will be no refunds if a player does not compete on the tournament days. ALL GOLFERS WILL PLAY BOTH DAYS – DEPENDING ON HOW THEY PLACE ON OCTOBER 6TH. WILL DETERMINE IF THEY PLAY IN THE CONSOLATION OR CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT.
- Cost includes golf only, meals are not included. Golfers can get food at the clubhouse, half-way house or bring their own. Athletes will be able to choose what they want to eat and when they would like to eat.
- Payment – the YRAA will bill each school directly for payment once costs have been determined upon completion of the tournaments. Payment is based on the number of athletes each school registers on **September 29th, 2021**. It is the responsibility of the coaches to have money on the school account to cover the costs – I will inform you of how much you owe. Please see your Athletic Designate and/or Budget Secretary for your school's policy.

## **9. OFSAA**

- OFSAA IS CANCELLED THIS YEAR. SORRY.

## **10. Volunteers and Coaches' Responsibilities:**

- all coaches will be assigned duties on both days
- If you have another coach/volunteer helping, please let me know.