



TO: ADMINISTRATORS AND GOLF COACHES
FROM: MARK APPLIGATE - 1A STATE MEET DIRECTOR
RE: BOYS 1A STATE GOLF MEET
DATE: MAY 21, 2018



We are happy to be hosting the 2018 1A KSHSAA State Golf Tournament. The Mariah Hills Golf Course, Dodge City KS. is a beautiful course that I am sure you will enjoy playing. Chris Robinson is the Head Golf Professional at Mariah Hills. We would not be able to host this tournament with out the help of him and his staff. He will answer any questions you have for him. His work number is provided below. I have included information below to help you with your stay in Dodge City. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to give me a call. I will list all my phone numbers below. I wish all of you the best of luck in your regional, and in the state tournament.

DATE: Monday, May 21, 2018 **Make Up Date:** Tuesday May 22

LOCATION: Mariah Hills Golf Course, 1800 Matt Down Lane, Dodge City Kansas.

TEE TIME: Tee-off will be @ 9:00 AM. We will send golfers off on #1 and #10. Golfers will be placed in groups of 4. There will be no less than 3 in a group.

COACHES MEETING: There will be a coaches meeting at 8:30 AM in the club house.

PLAYERS MEETING: There will be a players meeting at 8:45 AM

MARKERS MEETING: We will have a markers meeting on Sunday night 7:00 PM at South Gray High School.

MARKERS: SGHS and the SPIAA will supply all the markers for the tournament.

FLIGHT ASSIGNMENTS: KSHSAA will establish the flights for the tournament, and post this information on the KSHSAA web sight shortly after all the regionals are completed. Golfers will be assigned to tee off in ascending order; the regional medalists will tee-off last.

PRACTICE ROUNDS: *Tee times can be scheduled anytime Saturday or Sunday. Call the Pro shop to schedule a tee-time (620-225-8182). Be sure when you call to mention that you are a State qualifier. The Club has set a special rate of \$9.00 per green fee. We ask that you limit this to just the coaches and players, please. Carts will be available for practice rounds at \$15.00 a cart. Range balls will be \$4.00 a bucket. A Reminder: the course may not be used for practice the day of the tournament (this does not include the putting clock or driving range). You may visit their website at <http://www.mariahillsgolf.com> for details of the course.*

CONCESSION: There will be a concession stand available in pro shop to the participants and fans.

TIES: Ties for the medalists shall be decided by a "sudden death" play-off. Please refer to the Golf & Tennis manual for tie breaking procedures.

DRESS GUIDELINES: Review the KSHSAA golf manual pertaining to the appropriate dress. Clothes with ads promoting alcohol and/or tobacco, inappropriate statements, will not be allowed. The Mariah Hills Management would request that you wear a shirt that has a collar during the competition and during the tournament.

STATE T-SHIRTS: 2018 KSHSAA State Championship T-shirts will be available for sale the day of the tournament (while supplies last).

PRICE: Small-XL - \$16.00, XXL \$17.00.

AWARDS: We are planning a nice awards ceremony following the tournament. We hope everyone will stay and experience the entire tournament.

SPECTATORS: Please review the guidelines for spectators in the KSHSAA Manual and share it with all of your parents and other spectators that might follow your team. We strongly recommend that all spectators stay on the cart path. Spectators are to stay 30 yards behind the group they are watching (this includes when they are on the green). Carts: \$38.00 (30 available) It is first come first serv. You are welcome to bring your own, it will be a \$11.00 trail fee. Pro shop opens at 7:00AM.

HOTELS & RESTAURANTS: Dodge City has some very fine motels, and some of the finest steak houses in the state. If steak does not interest you, there are numerous other fine places to eat. I have included a web site that will help you <http://www.visitdodgecity.org>

HOSPITALITY ROOM: There will be a hospitality room for coaches and helpers. We will have a cinnamon roll and a bottle of water in the morning for all the golfers, coaches, and markers

LUNCH: There will be a lunch available for the golfers for \$6.00 at the club house (deli sandwich, pasta salad chips, cookie & drink). SGHS will provide lunch for one coach. Send me a e-mail with how many will be eating.

ARBITRATION COMMITTEE: This committee will have 4 members. We will have three members of the KGA, and Chris Robinson

Thanks for your cooperation in making this a very successful State Golf Tournament. Good luck to everyone. If you have a question or concern please give me a call.



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