



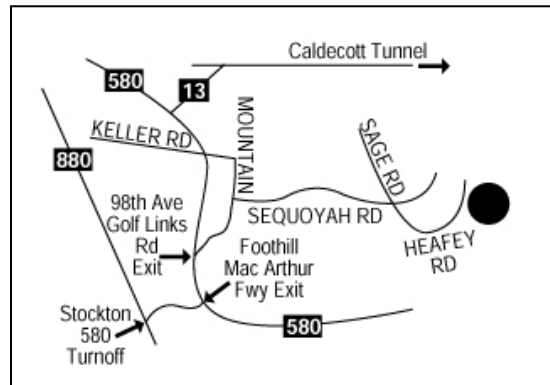
U.S. Women's Amateur Qualifying
SEQUOYAH COUNTRY CLUB
OAKLAND, CA
THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2013



CONTESTANT INFORMATION SHEET

Listed below is IMPORTANT tournament information pertinent to the qualifying site where you have been assigned.

CLUB LOCATION:



4550 Heafey Rd. Oakland, CA 94605
Golf Shop: (510)632-4069

FORMAT: 18-hole stroke play. Contestants will play from the **WHITE** tees. Those who qualify will advance to the championship at **The Country Club of Charleston in Charleston, South Carolina on August 5-11, 2013.** There will be a playoff immediately following play to determine the last qualifying spot and/or alternates if necessary. The final number of qualifying spots will be available from tournament officials on the day of play.

QUALIFYING SPOTS: The number of spots available at each qualifying site will be determined based on the total number of national entrants and the final field at each site. The final number of spots will be available from the Committee on the day of qualifying. If you are a qualifier, it is important that you pick up your certificate from the Committee prior to leaving the qualifier.

RULES OF PLAY: The **2012-2015 USGA Rules of Golf** are in effect and are supplemented by the USGA Hard Card. The Committee will provide any additional Local Rules needed at the qualifying or championship site. It is the individual player's responsibility to know the conditions of the competition. **The "One-Ball Rule" is in effect.**

GLOBAL POSITIONING SYSTEMS AND HAND HELD RANGE FINDERS are **NOT** permitted during USGA Championships and Qualifiers. Penalty - **DISQUALIFICATION**

AUTOMOTIVE TRANSPORTATION: **The use of automotive transportation is not allowed.** Players and Caddies must walk at all times during stipulated round. Pull-carts are allowed. Spectator carts will not be allowed.

DRESS CODE: PLAYERS, CADDIES and SPECTATORS must be properly attired both on the golf course and premises of the club. Blue jeans, designer jeans, T-shirts and tank tops are prohibited. Collared shirts must be worn and be tucked. Shorts, if worn, must be no shorter than mid-thigh (no jean shorts). **DRESS CODE IS THE SAME FOR MEN AND WOMEN.**

FOOTWEAR: Shoes with traditionally designed spikes (regardless of composition, i.e., ceramic) or spikes, regardless of design, comprised either entirely or partially of metal (when such metal comes in contact with the surface of the putting green) are prohibited. Penalty for breach of this condition: **DISQUALIFICATION.**

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Practice rounds are currently available for **CONTESTANTS ONLY** after 1:00 PM on any day except for the 4th of July. If a player is unable to make those dates special arrangements can be made at the discretion of the Pro Shop. Greens fee is \$50. Cart fee is \$16/player.

PRO SHOP & RANGE: The Pro Shop and driving range will open at 7:00 AM on the day of the competition. Payment in the Pro Shop may be made by Visa/Mastercard **ONLY.** **The driving range is a "limited flight" range with limited space.** Metropolitan GL has a full-flight turf range about 25 minutes from the course (standard rates apply). Please plan extra time for possible travel delays if practicing off-site.

FOOD SERVICE: Limited breakfast menu available at the Snack Bar starting at 7:30 AM. The Grill will open at 11:00 AM. Payment for food and beverage is by Visa/Mastercard **ONLY.**

WITHDRAWALS & NO SHOWS: Notify the NCGA Championships & Events Office at (831) 625-4653.

REFUNDS: The USGA will refund the entry fees in the event of injury or illness, if requested by August 5, 2013. A \$30.00 service charge will be deducted from all refunds. No refunds for any reason after August 5. **REQUESTS FOR REFUNDS MUST BE DIRECTED TO THE USGA AT (908) 234-2300.**