



# 88<sup>th</sup> U.S. Amateur Public Links Championship, July 15 - 20

THANK YOU AND WELCOME  
*Volunteer Training*

Laurel Hill Golf Club



# VOLUNTEER TRAINING

- Housekeeping...cell phones off, restrooms, etc.
- TODAY'S OUTLINE
  - 6:00 - 7:00pm GENERAL SESSION
  - 7:00 - 7:10pm BREAK
  - 7:10 - 8:00pm BREAKOUT SESSIONS
  - 8:00 - 9:00pm UNIFORM PICK-UP



# VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE

## Volunteer Committee:

Andy Elkins, Volunteer Coordinator

Mary Cline, Recruiting

Jim Jullien, Scheduling

Tom Harkin, Training

Larry Pringle, Volunteer HQ

Bernie Forte, On Course Support



# CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE

## APL Host Site Laurel Hill Golf Club:

Peter Furey, Co-Chairman

Kirk Mason, Co-Chairman

Gene Orrico, PGA Director of Golf

Rick Owens, Golf Course Superintendent

## USGA APL Championship Chairman & Director:

Bill Fallon, Chairman

Bill McCarthy, Director

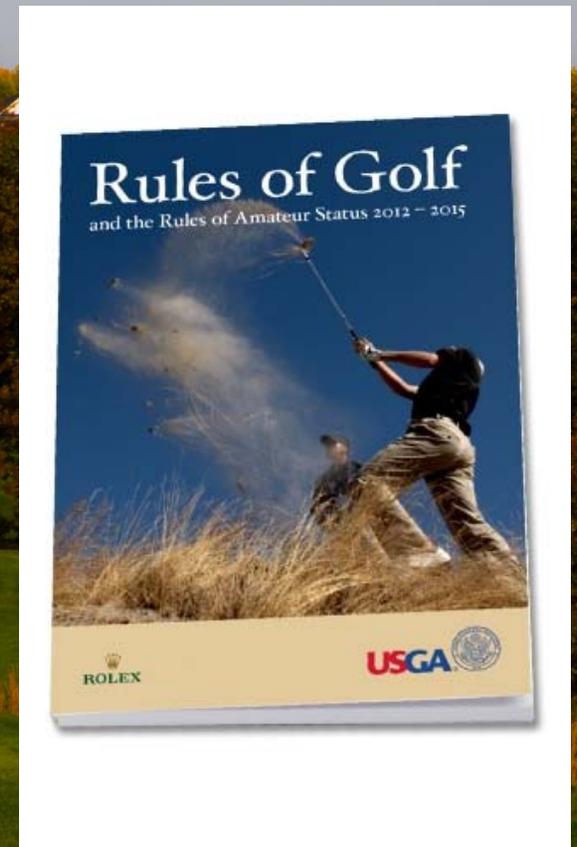


- The United States Golf Association has served as the national governing body of golf since its formation in 1894.
- **A nonprofit organization, the USGA sponsors programs that serve everyone who loves and respects the game of golf. These essential services affect all golfers, whether they are amateurs or professionals, public or private course players.**
- More than 9,000 private and public courses, golf clubs and facilities comprise the USGA.



# USGA Operations

- Conduct National Championships
- Write and Interpret the Rules of Golf
- Regulate and Test Golf Equipment
- Maintain the Handicap and Course Rating Systems
- Fund Turfgrass and Environmental Research
- Celebrate Golf's History





# Virginia's National Golf Champions

- Curtis Strange (1988 and 1989 U.S. Open)
- Len Worsham (1947 U.S. Open)
- Lanny Wadkins (1970 U.S. Amateur Championship)
- Vinny Giles (1972 U.S. Amateur Championship and 2009 USGA Senior Amateur Championship)



# Laurel Hill GC

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Laurel Hill Golf Club opened October 2005 and is the flagship complex of the Fairfax County Park Authority's portfolio of eight courses. The facility occupies 280 acres of a 3,000 acre site that was once the D.C. Department of Corrections Lorton prison. Old buildings, walls, and silos that were once part of that facility can still be seen.

Designer Bill Love has created an impressive 18 hole course that is worthy of inclusion in the list of top 100 public access facilities in the Mid Atlantic. By all accounts he has succeeded in creating a course that is "one-of-a-kind" and "visually stunning" and preserves the delicate environmental and historical assets.

Links Magazine ranks Laurel Hill the 7<sup>th</sup> Top Municipal Course, nationwide.



# U.S. AMATEUR PUBLIC LINKS CHAMPIONSHIPS

*Open to amateur golfers who (in the past year) have been bona fide public-course players and have not held privileges of any private club or course that does not extend playing privileges to the general public...*



## *U.S. AMATEUR PUBLIC LINKS*

- 1922 - The first U.S. Amateur Public Links Championship
- HNCP: 4.4 max
- Starting Field: 156 players
- 36 holes of stroke play
- 126 holes of match play

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# 71 QUALIFYING SITES

- MD Frederick - Clustered Spires GC
- WA Bremerton - Gold Mountain GC
- HI Hilo - Hilo Municipal GC
- HI Honolulu - Honolulu Ala Wai GC
- AZ Laveen - Aguila GC
- CA Chino Hills - Los Serranos G & CC
- NY Macedon - Blue Herson Hills CC
- OH Cincinnati - Sharon Woods GC
- OH Port Clinton - Catawba Island Club
- VA Midlothian - Independence GC
- WV Lavalette - Sugarwood GC
- WY Gillette - Bell Nob GC
- CA Pasadenda - Brookside GC
- CA Fairfield - Smith Richardson GC
- GA Canton - Woodmont G & CC
- WA Pullman - Palouse Ridge GC
- IL Swansea - Clinton GC
- AL Mobile - The Crossings/Magnolia Grove
- KS Wichita - Auburn Hills GC
- KY Lexington - Lakeside GC
- KS Kansas City - Fred Arbanas GC
- OK Broken Arrow - Forest Ridge GC
- CA El Cajon - Sycuan Resort
- 24. NV Las Vegas - Silverstone GC
- 25. CA Antioch - the Golf Club at Roddy Ranch
- 26. ME Brunswick - Brunswick GC
- 27. MI Cedar Springs - Cedar Chase GC
- 28. OH Chesterland - Fowlers Mill GC
- 29. IN Noblesville - Purgatory GC
- 30. NM Sandia Park - Paa-Ko Ridge GC
- 31. AR Fayetteville - Paradise Valley AC
- 32. IA Ankey - Otter Creek GC
- 33. IL Channahon - Heritage Bluffs GC
- 34. MA Bellingham - Maplegate CC
- 35. MN Maple Grove - Rush Creek GC
- 36. MT Ronan - Mission Mountain GC
- 37. NE Elkhorn - Indian Creek GC
- 38. PA Grantville - Manada GC
- 39. SC Greenville - Furman University GC
- 40. SD Sioux Falls - Elmwood
- 41. TX Garland - Firewheel GC (Lakes Course)
- 42. UT Saratoga Springs - Talons Cove GC
- 43. FL Plantation - Jacaranda GC (East Course)
- 44. FL Sorrento - East Dunes GC
- 45. FL St. Augustine - St. Johns G & CC
- 46. FL Trinity - Fox Hollow GC
- 47. TX El Paso - Painted Dunes Desert GC
- 48. ID Eagle - BanBury GC
- 49. NV Washoe Valley - Thunder Canyon
- 50. NY Bethpage State Park (Blue)
- 51. TN Nashville - Harpeth Hills GC
- 52. TX Houston - Memorial Park GC
- 53. IL Normal - Ironwood GC
- 54. NH Keene - Bretwood GC
- 55. NJ Colts Neck - Hominy Hill GC
- 56. NY Ossining - Hudson Hills GC
- 57. MS Bay St. Louis - The Bridges GC
- 58. OH Beavercreek - Beavercreek GC
- 59. PA Media - Paxon Hollow CC
- 60. PA State College - Penn State University GC
- 61. HI Waihee - Waiehu Municipal GC
- 62. CA Sacramento - Alister MacKenzie GC
- 63. IN Evansville - Cambridge GC
- 64. MN Grand Rapids - Pokegama GC
- 65. NC Southport - The Clubs at St James
- 66. OR Portland - Broadmore GC
- 67. WI Erin - Erin Hills GC
- 68. AK Anchorage - Anchorage GC
- 69. CO Windsor - Highland Meadows GC
- 70. HI Koloa - Poipu Bay GC
- 71. TX Spring Branch - River Crossing Club



# VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

## Player Registration

Is the first impression of the championship to the contestants. This is where the player will receive all of his pertinent information regarding the championship.

## Forecaddie

Assist in spotting balls and managing spectators golf etiquette.

## Scoring

Will be in charge of assisting the following areas:

- (1) Scorecard Runners
- (2) Copying Scorecards
- (3) Scoreboard Assistant
- (4) Walking Scorer

## Standard Bearers

- Standard Bearers will be responsible for carrying a two-sided scoring standard sign and posting the status of the match on the standard.

## Volunteer Headquarters

- Checking in volunteers for the various areas, answering questions, ensuring that the volunteer effort runs smoothly.

## Greeters

- Volunteers will staff the hospitality at the Hilton. They will provide local information to APL Players and Guests.



# VOLUNTEER POSITIONS con't

## Transportation

Transportation Volunteers will be responsible for:

- (1) Transportation of players to and from hotels and Laurel Hill Golf Club
- (2) Transport players via shuttle carts at USGA designated shuttle locations
- (3) Provide on course transportation for volunteers when needed

## Parking

Will direct traffic to the appropriate parking lots





# PLAYER REGISTRATION

This will be the competitors first impression of the event so it is vital that we make it a good one! Volunteers for this area will begin on Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup> and will be led by **Mary Cline and Katie Beattie.**



## FORECADDIES (SPOTTERS)

Forecaddies will be positioned on both sides of the drive zones, fairway's and greensides on par 5's. On par 4's they will be positioned in the fairway landing zones and greenside. On Par 3's they will be positioned greenside. Each forecaddie will have red irrigation flags with them to mark the position of the golf ball.

### ***THINGS TO KNOW!***

- *Do not move or touch contestants golf ball*
- *Do not give advice or rulings to players*
- *Bring a set of binoculars to help track shots*

Marshals may be used in the final days of match play. The primary responsibility for this function will be to assist in crowd control.

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# SCORING

## Stroke Play Scoring

### Morning Wave:

- 4 volunteers to assist scoring verification and act as scorecard runners

### Afternoon Wave:

- 4 volunteers to assist scoring verification. 8 total for the day

## Match Play Scoring

### Scoreboard Volunteers

Two volunteers are needed at the scoreboard from 8:00am to approximately 6:00pm

### Walking Scorers

This volunteer will walk alongside the USGA Referee for the match. The walking scorer will enter in scores on the hand-held device at the end of each hole. This information will be transmitted electronically to the scoreboard



# SCORING CONTINUED

## Additional On Line Hand-Held Training

[www.ghin.com/usga/matchplayscoring/index.html](http://www.ghin.com/usga/matchplayscoring/index.html)

The following training presentation provides an overview of the match play Walking Scorer responsibilities. The presentation takes approximately 16 minutes from start to finish. To begin the presentation, click on the LINK and once the presentation is displayed, simply press the VCR style PLAY button. *We appreciate you taking the time to learn about Match Play scoring for USGA championships and want to thank you for your time and efforts in assisting us at the upcoming championship. It is only through the efforts of you and thousands of volunteers like you each year that the USGA is able to conduct its national championships!*



# STANDARD BEARING

Standard Bearers are the volunteers who will be walking with each match indicating the match status.

## *THINGS TO KNOW!*

- *Make sure you are up to the task of walking Laurel Hill Golf Club*
- *Wear comfortable shoes*
- *Shadow walking scorer as they will assist you with match status*
- *Always trail players when walking*
- *Hold sign so it can be visible from the left and right sides of the fairway*
- *The actual sign will weigh approximately 10 pounds*





## VOLUNTEER HQ

Assist with volunteer check in, distribution of volunteer credentials, meal tickets, and/or any other area of volunteer needs.

### ***THINGS TO KNOW!***

- *Is located inside South County High School, Door 12, various classrooms*
- *Open from 5:30 a.m. to the end of play*



## GREETERS

Volunteers will staff the hospitality area at the Hilton. They will provide local information to APL Players and Guests. Greeters will also assist at the clubhouse and Volunteer HQ.



# TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING

## Transportation

Transportation Volunteers will be responsible for:

- (1) Transportation of players to and from hotels and LHGC
- (2) Transport players via shuttle carts at USGA designated shuttle locations
- (3) Provide on course transportation for volunteers when needed

## Van Drivers

Training will take place at South County High School on Saturday, June 22 and Tuesday, July 2.

## Parking

Will direct traffic to the appropriate parking lots





# ADDITIONAL MISC. VOLUNTEERS

On Course Services  
Food & Beverage  
Practice Areas  
Hospitality  
Clubhouse





# CUSTOMER SERVICE EXPECTATIONS

- Good presentation
- Pleasant demeanor
- How can I help mentality
- Provide correct information or refer to correct committee person

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# CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

## Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>

Players, USGA Officials Start to arrive

## Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>

Player Registration opens

## Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>

Shuttles begin from hotels

Practice Rounds begin

Player Registration open

## Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>

Hotel Shuttles

Practice Rounds

Player Registration

## Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup>

First day of stroke play

Hotel Shuttles

## Tuesday, July 16<sup>th</sup>

Second day of stroke play

Hotel Shuttles

## Wednesday, July 17<sup>th</sup>

First round of match play

Hotel Shuttles

## Thursday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

Second and third round of match play

Hotel Shuttles

## Friday, July 19<sup>th</sup>

Quarterfinals and Semifinals

Hotel Shuttles

## Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup>

Final Match

Hotel Shuttles



When am I scheduled  
to work?

GOOGLE DOCS

The Volunteer Schedule is located on

[2013 APL Volunteer Schedule](#)

Please call VOLUNTEER HOTLINE

[703-646-4000](tel:703-646-4000)

for any changes to your schedule

FORECADDIES					
TYPE	Time	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	Key	
Forecaddie 1FL	6:30-12:00	Russ	Gustin	G	Putting Green
Forecaddie 1GL	6:30-12:00			GL	Green Left
Forecaddie 1G	6:30-12:00	Jim	Langemeir	GR	Green Right
Forecaddie 2FL	6:30-12:00	Edward	Niles	FL	Fairway Left
Forecaddie 2BG	6:30-12:00			FR	Fairway Right
Forecaddie 3FR	6:30-12:00	Jessica	Strother	GS	Green Short
Forecaddie 3FL	6:30-12:00	Irene	Kratsky	FLG	Fairway Long
Forecaddie 3G	6:30-12:00	Vincent	Harmon	GSR	Green Short Right
Forecaddie 3GL	6:30-12:00			LA	Landing Area
Forecaddie 4G	7:00-12:30	Bruce	Willey		
Forecaddie 5FR	7:00-12:30	Pete	Russell		
Forecaddie 5FL	7:00-12:30	Jim	Delgado		
Forecaddie 5G	7:00-12:30	Lou	Possanza		
Forecaddie 6FL	7:00-12:30	Dan	Bernard		
Forecaddie 6FR	7:00-12:30	Grant	Fulkerson		
Forecaddie 6G	7:00-12:30	Gary	Cerney		
Forecaddie 7FL	7:30-1:00				
Forecaddie 7G	7:30-1:00	Eugene	Davis		
Forecaddie 8GL	7:30-1:00				
Forecaddie 8G	7:30-1:00	Bill	Dawson		
Forecaddie 9FL	7:30-1:00	Connie	Dorsey		



# Directions

**GPS DOES NOT WORK**

**“LAUREL HILL GOLF CLUB”**

**KNOW ALTERNATE ROUTES**



# WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING?

## Uniform

- APL Red & White Striped Shirt
  - APL Stone Hat/Visor
  - Khaki Pants/Shorts
  - Comfortable Shoes
- APL Credential after 1<sup>st</sup> day



## Suggested Items

- Water Bottle
- Sunscreen
- Umbrella
- Rain Gear or Poncho
- Fold up chair or stool
- Insect/Tick Repellent





Please park at South County High School.

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# WHERE DO I PARK?

## From Hooes Road

A large yellow arrow with a black outline, pointing to the left. It is positioned over the road, pointing towards the intersection of Stallion Fields Drive.

Volunteer Parking

## Volunteer Parking

Will be in South County High School on the left slightly past the Laurel Hill GC. Turn left on to Stallion Fields Drive



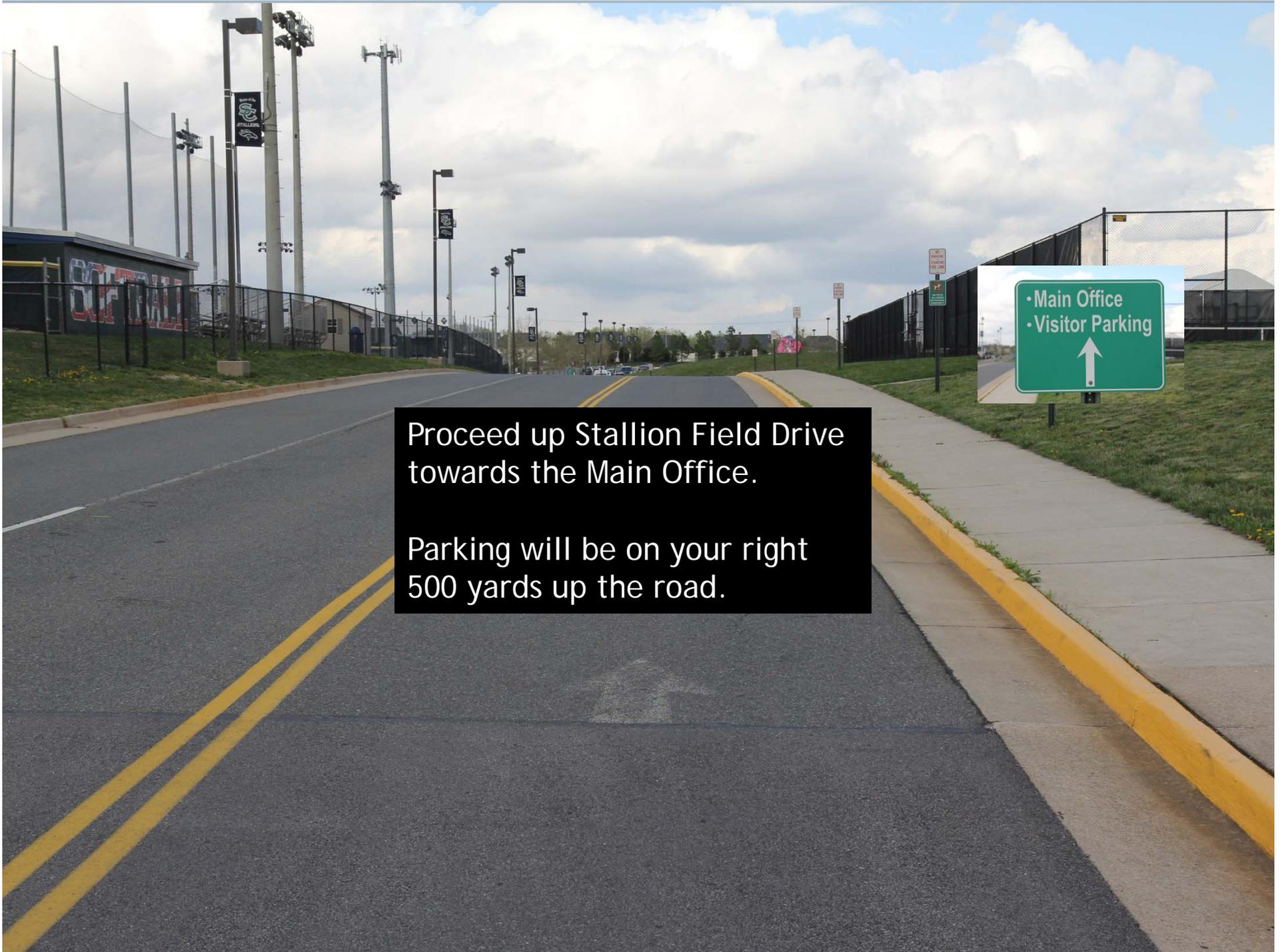
# WHERE DO I PARK From Silverbrook Road



## Volunteer Parking

Will be in South County High School. Turn right on to Stallion Fields Drive, just prior to the Laurel Hill GC





Proceed up Stallion Field Drive  
towards the Main Office.

Parking will be on your right  
500 yards up the road.

**USGA**



Display your parking  
pass prominently

**SOUTH  
COUNTY  
HIGH  
SCHOOL  
PARKING PASS**



**DISPLAY ON DASH**





WHERE DO I CHECK IN?

← Volunteer Parking

→ Proceed to Door 12





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From Volunteer  
Parking

WHERE DO I CHECK  
IN?

# HOW TO I GET TO MY ASSIGNMENT



## Volunteer Shuttles

- Vans and golf cart shuttles will be used to drop off volunteers at various points around and throughout the golf course.



# WHERE DO I GET MY MEAL?

Pro Shop

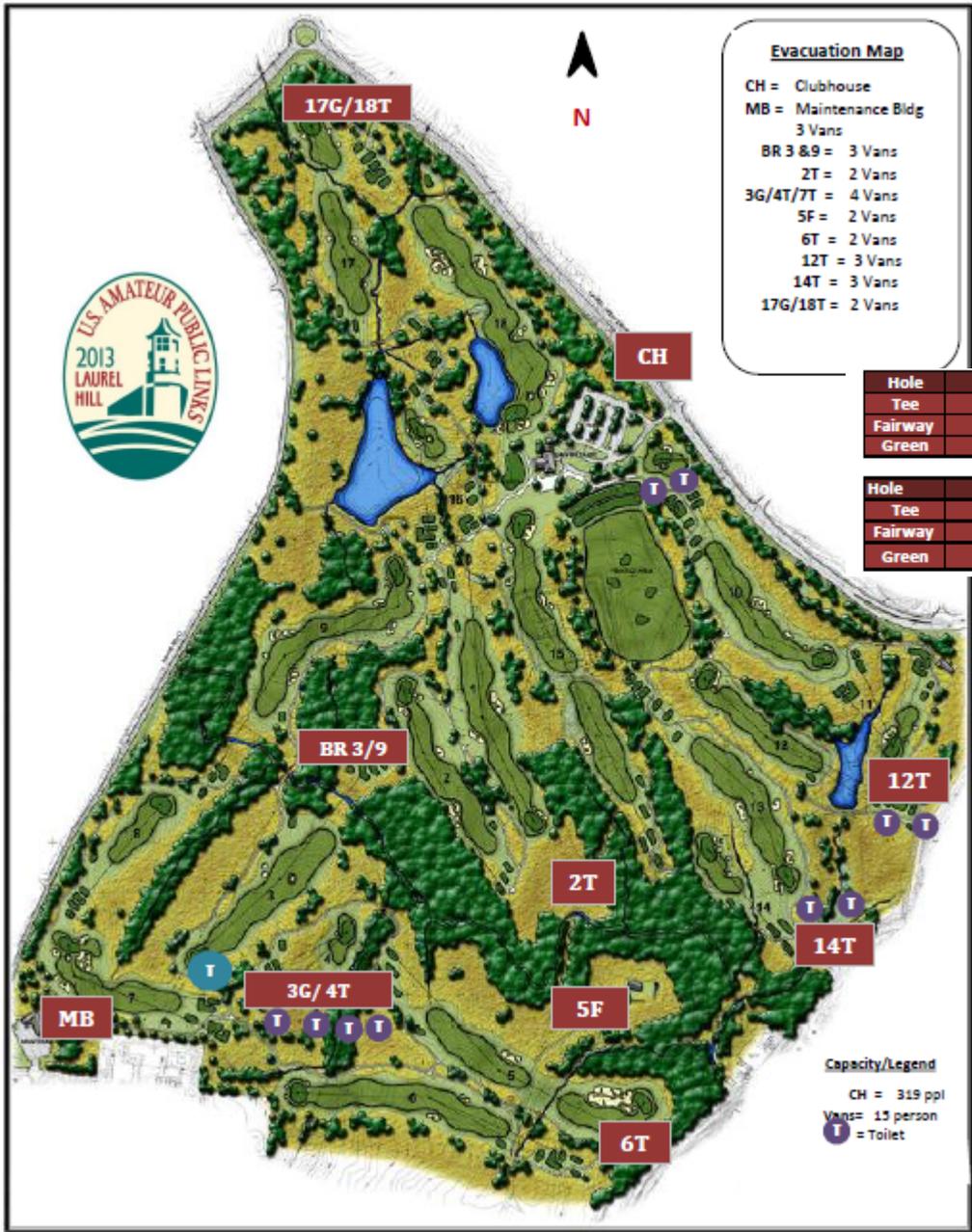
Volunteer Meals

## VOLUNTEER BREAKFAST OR LUNCH

- All volunteers will be given a meal ticket that they can redeem at the Clubhouse. Please note that your lunch ticket can only be used on the same day as your volunteer duty

## BEVERAGES

- Volunteers will receive complimentary water and fountain soda during their shifts



Hole	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tee	CH	2T	BR	4T	5F	6T	MB	MB	BR
Fairway	CH	CH	3G	4T	5F	6T	MB	BR	CH
Green	2T	CH	3G	4T	6T	4T	MB	BR	CH
Hole	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Tee	CH	12T	12T	CH	14T	CH	CH	CH	18T
Fairway	CH	12T	12T	14T	14T	CH	CH	17G	CH
Green	CH	12T	CH	14T	14T	CH	CH	17G	CH

# Evacuation Map



# MEDICAL

Be watchful. If you see something, please say something.

If a USGA Official is present:

- Have that official call the Medical Staff
- The Medical Staff will respond and coordinate a 911 response
  - EMS response varies based upon the location of the Emergency

If a USGA Official is not present:

- Call 911 and attempt to inform USGA official and Medical Staff

Medical Facilities will be located near the scoreboard at the Clubhouse



# THINGS TO REMEMBER

## Uniform

- Complete Volunteer Contribution Form and pick-up shirt and headwear before you leave today.

## Application/Waiver

- Complete today and submit

## Schedule

- Confirm your shift(s) with Committee Chair

## Handbook

- Available at LHGC website, left side... "APL"

**USGA**



Once Again,  
**THANK YOU!**

**Questions?**

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**703-646-4000**

for any changes to your schedule



# BREAKOUT SESSIONS

**BUBBLE: FORECADDIES**

F103 HEALTH: VOLUNTEER HQ

**F102 SPORTS MED: SHUTTLE DRIVERS**

F107 HEALTH: ON COURSE SERVICES / NOT YET ASSIGNED

**F110 DRIVERS ED: REGISTRATION**

G115 ORCHESTRA: WALKING SCORERS

G123: STANDARD BEARERS

G131 CHORAL OFFICE: SCORERS