

Tennessee Senior Olympics

2021 Golf Tournament

Dates: Monday, June 21 and Tuesday, June 22

Location: Two Rivers Golf Course

2235 Two Rivers Pkwy

Nashville, TN 37214

(615) 889-2675

Time: **8:00 am shotgun start each day.**

Format: 36-hole tournament/scratch. Golfers are divided into five -year age groups 50-54, 55-59, 60-64 etc.

Slow Play Rule: **A triple bogey maximum will be allowed at each hole.** Balls should be picked up once this occurs and score should be recorded. Survey comments prompted this change as to help with slow play.

Pairings: Click here to view:

<http://www.tnseniorolympics.com/sites/default/files/Golf%20Pairings%202021.pdf>

Awards: Medals will be awarded to first, second, and third place winners in each age group.

Tees:

Women:	Red
Men 85+:	Red
Men 70-84:	Gold
Men 50-69	White

Driving Range: *There is no driving range at Two Rivers. They do allow some warm-up drives in one area.*

There is a driving range down the street at Gaylord Springs Golf Links, 18 Springhouse Lane | Nashville, TN 37214. Monday, the range opens

at 7am. A bucket of ball is \$15. Proper dress is required. Denim is not allowed and a collared shirt is required. The course undergoes routine maintenance on **Tuesdays and the range will not open until 8am (after our shotgun start).**

Golf Check-In Information: The gates will open around 6:30am. You may start checking in as soon as we get set-up on Monday, June 21st. Please allow us a little time to unload cars and get everything organized. **Please have a photo ID with you.**

Format:

1. The tournament will be 36-hole medal play with 18 holes per day except for men and women in age divisions 90 and older. Competitors in age divisions 90 and older will play 9 holes per day, competing for 18 total holes.
2. Handicaps will be utilized to assist with placement in a foursome on the first day of competition. The second day will be based on the first day scores.
3. In the event of a tie between 1st, 2nd or 3rd place the USGA tie-breaking procedure of matching scorecards will be implemented. The player with the best score on the last nine holes will win the higher medal. If players have the same score for the last 9 holes, the last 6 holes will be compared, then 3 holes and then finally the 18th hole.
4. Awards - Medals will be awarded to first, second, and third place winners in each age group.

Local Rules:

Penalty Areas – Red or Yellow Stakes or Lines. Penalty Areas not having an opposite boundary extend into infinity.

Out of bounds – white stakes and lines. A ball which crosses a road defined as out of bounds and comes to rest beyond that road, is out of bounds, even though it may lie on another part of the course.

Two Rivers – Road to the left of #1; Greenway path along #1, #2, #4 and #5; Fence to the left on hole #7 and #8

Ground under repair: Ground under repair is marked by enclosed white lines. Washed out areas along the sides of the cart path, material piled for removal, holes made by greens keeper, newly laid sod, old tree holes and stumps are ground under repair even if not marked. Irrigation lines and French drains in the fairway and rough are to be consider ground under repair.

Accidental Ball Movement of the Green: When a player's ball lies on the putting green, there is no penalty if the ball or ball marker is accidentally moved by the player, his opponent, or equipment. The ball must be replaced in its original position.

Spectators: Spectators are allowed on the course; however, they will be required to walk. Spectators must remain at least 25 feet away from tee boxes, fairways, and greens.

Range Finders: Range finders of any type are permitted.

Water: Water will be available at various stations on the course. We will also provide some water bottles.

Lunch (provided): Lunch choices: Plain hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hot dogs.

Nationals Qualifying: All first-place names and those meeting minimum scores will be turned into Nationals as to be eligible to be able to register during the priority registration period for the 2022 Nationals. Minimum scores will be posted at the course.

In competitions with more than an 18-hole competition, any single 18-hole score meeting the golf minimum performance standard will qualify a competitor for the NSGA tournament.

Practice Rounds: Please call Two Rivers Golf Course for information. 615-889-2675.

Inclement Weather: **Unless the weather is very threatening with lightning or torrential downpours we plan to play.** Please call the course at 615-889-2675 to check for changes in the event of this type of weather.

Questions: info@tnseniorolympics.com or 615-200-8760