

# *Songbird Hills Golf Club*

## 2024 Match Play Championship

**Event Cost: \$30.00** (plus WSGA handicap fee, green fees & cart fees if applicable)

The event cost includes the prize fee, as well as the Champion's Golf & Luncheon that will be scheduled for a weekend day after the Champion has been determined.

**All golfers must have a verified WSGA Handicap Index prior to competing in any matches.**

The WSGA Handicap fee is -not- included in the event cost but is available for \$28.00 if you wish to register at SHGC. No cost for SHGC Members.

Non-members will pay a discounted rate for match green fees & riding cart (25% discount). There are no additional costs for SHGC Members.

### **Event Information:**

Format: 'Match Play' as outlined in the USGA Rules of Golf, with strokes given according to current WSGA Handicap at time of each individual match. 18 holes will be the length of each match, unless fewer/more are needed to determine a winner.

***Initial matches will be determined once registration closes (May 1<sup>st</sup>).***

This is a "double elimination" event, which means that even with one loss, you still have a chance to win the Championship. Initial seeding will be done by blind draw. Successive pairings will be determined by wins & losses. Golfers will arrange their own match times.

1. Since WSGA handicaps update daily, it is extremely important that all rounds of golf be posted to the WSGA upon completion. This includes all 9-hole & 18-hole league, match play and casual rounds. All rounds should be posted using hole-by-hole scoring, rather than total score. SHGC Management reserves the right to adjust a competitor's handicap, when necessary, as allowed by USGA/WSGA handicapping rules & guidelines. If a competitor fails to post rounds in a timely manner, SHGC Management may post the scores for the competitor.
2. Matches **MUST** be played within (or prior to) the timeframes designated on the official brackets. Failure to do so may result in disqualification for one or both competitors. **Communication is a top priority.** All email communications between competitors should include a 'cc' to SHGC: ([info@golfsongbird.com](mailto:info@golfsongbird.com)). Phone/text communications are also recommended, as they generally lead to quicker responses.
3. If competitors are unable to schedule a head-to-head match during the allotted timeframe, they will be permitted to play individually within the timeframe allowed but must have a witness to verify the score. Preferably, the witness would be another Match Play competitor, but that is not required. However, the witness must be a golfer with understanding of rules/scoring. Non-golfing spectators are not considered witnesses.

All match scorecards must be turned in to the Golf Shop after attested by both golfers. Updated results & pairings will be posted in the Clubhouse and online as soon as they are available.

Please direct any questions to: **Vince Joaquin** at (262) 246-7050, or email: [vince@golfsongbird.com](mailto:vince@golfsongbird.com).

# 2024 MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP REGISTRATION FORM

*\* REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MAY 1, 2024 \**

COMPETITOR: \_\_\_\_\_

WSGA MEMBER #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)

Amount Pd: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

POS #: \_\_\_\_\_