# NCHSAA Women's 4A West Regionals Stonebridge GC

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## October 18, 2022 9am

- We will be Starting from double tees (1 and 10)
- Boxed lunches will be available for advanced order/purchase for \$10 (detailed info will come in a later email); there is a small grill with limited lunch and snack items for purchase also
- Hotel blocks have been reserved at the Holiday Inn Express in Monroe on Hwy 74 (information below); there are a lot of food options and stores around the area; there are also other hotels in that same area if you are not interested in HIE.
- Practice rounds will be \$20 per girl and will include 1 coach cart per school
- You may call the course and reserve practice round tee times 1 week in advance of the practice round for Monday Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>.
- Carts will be provided for all coaches on the day of the event
- Spectator carts will be on a first come first serve basis and will cost \$20
- Yardages will be a max of 5200 yards per the NCHSAA
- Scoring will be done using traditional scorecards
- NCHSAA Regional T-Shirts will be sold at the event on a first come first serve basis
- Conditions of Competition and specific rules will be sent out closer to the day of the event

### **Hotel Booking Info:**

#### Holiday Inn Express

2505 W. Roosevelt Blvd. Monroe, NC 28110

**CUSTOM BOOKING LINK:** 

**Reservation Details & Requirements** 

**Booking Methods:** 

Guest can book through the avenues listed below:

1. Reservations by Phone- (704) 774-1779 (Property Direct) or 1-800-HOLIDAY (1-800-465-4329) (Central Reservations Line)

2. Reservations made online- visit <a href="https://www.hiexpress.com/monroenorth">www.hiexpress.com/monroenorth</a> (Use Group Code **G4A**)

Cancellation Policy:

Individual reservations have up to 48 hours prior to arrival to cancel without penalty. If a reservation is cancelled within 48 hours of check in, one nights' room and tax will be charged to the guaranteeing credit card on file for the reservation.

Check-In Time:

\*\*\*Early check-in is based upon availability and will need to be approved by Management prior to arrival\*\*\*

Check-Out Time:

11 AM

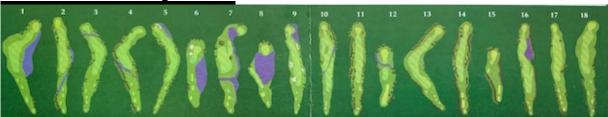
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\*\*\*Late check-out is based upon availability and will need to be approved by Management prior to arrival\*\*\*

This rate is guaranteed until the cut off **Tuesday 10/4/22.** After this date then the price will be the normal rate of \$159-189+tax.

Please keep in mind when you use either link above, you must enter the date of the block to display the rate so you would need to make sure to use any date between 10/16/22 to 10/18/22 is used.

**Course Layout:** 





# **Basic Reminders from the State:**

Coaching: The NCHSAA will allow TWO designated coaches from each school to coach during the regional and state championships. It is a conference option during the regular season. The following regulations must be followed: (1) The TWO coaches who are allowed to give advice must be identified during the match via armband, neck tag or other identification measure. (2) The two designated coach may give advice, of a short and quick duration, from the tee to the greens and the walk between holes. NOTE: Coaches may not provide continuous coaching while walking with a player. Once finished, coaches must return immediately to the cart path. (3) Any violation of the coaching rule can result in a two-stroke penalty and may cause the coach to lose his privilege to communicate with players the remainder of the event during the round/rounds. (4) Prior to any stroke, the coach must step back from the player. (5) Coaches may not be on the tee box or enter onto the green(s) at any time.

Use of radios, walkie-talkies, cell phones and other electronic devices by players or coaches is not allowed. All cell phones must be turned to silent. Violation results in disqualification. A cell phone with a range finder application is illegal. (7) Use of USGA approved range finders is permitted at any time (except for cell phone applications). (i) Yardage measuring devices and information may be shared among players. (ii) A player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. (iii) If, during a round, a player uses a distance-measuring device that is designed to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect play (e.g. Slope/gradient, wind speed, 86 temperature, etc.), the player is in breach of USGA Rule 14-3, for which the penalty is disqualification, regardless of whether any such additional function is actually used.

Others will not be allowed to give advice and must limit conversations to words of encouragement only. Any other types of conversations could be considered advice, which would result in a two-stroke penalty.

Pull Carts: Non-motorized pull carts are allowed at any time; however, courses may prohibit use of pull carts.

Players may not ride on any form of transportation during a stipulated round unless authorized by the NCHSAA.

Conditions of Competition: Please refer to the NCHSAA website for specific conditions of competition for playoffs.

Supervision: All individuals participating in playoff competition must be supervised. If not, they will be eliminated from competition. (1) If anyone besides school personnel accompanies participants, a letter from the principal must be sent to the NCHSAA authorizing this and a copy of the letter must be in hand at the tournament.

Filming, Videotaping or Video Streaming: Reference 4.1.25.

4.6.2 Regional Playoffs: (a) Dates and Sites: Women's regional tournaments will be October 18 or 19. (b) Regional Assignments: Regional assignments, along with the most current information about regional sites, dates and times, are posted on the NCHSAA website. (c) Playoff Entries: Schools qualifying for the regionals will be permitted to enter five players, and entries are to be submitted by 9:00 p.m. October 12 (women) (1) late entries may be submitted to the NCHSAA and must be in by 9:00 a.m. the Friday prior to the regional. Use the form on the NCHSAA website. A \$50 fee will be assessed for each individual entry. No entries after this will be accepted. (2) Once entries have been submitted to the regional director, coaches can substitute any or all team members up to the start of the tournament. Individuals cannot be substituted. (d) Women's Regional Qualifying Standard: (1) Teams (a) Conference champions will receive an automatic berth. (i) Top 3 players on the team. (ii) Players 4 and 5 may qualify through the Individual Qualifying Standard. (2) Individuals (a) 1A/2A and 3A - Golfers must average a 55.0 or better for 9 holes during regular season high school matches. (b) 4A - Golfers must average a 50.0 or better for 9 holes during regular season high school matches. (c) The average score will be calculated using the best five (5) 9-hole scores from throughout the season. Double-par rule will apply. (i) Example 1: Golfer plays three 9-hole matches and an 18-hole conference match for the year. The total number of 9-hole matches is five (5). Golfer must count all five 9-hole scores when determining her average. (ii) Example 2: Golfer plays six 9-hole matches and an 18-hole conference match for the year. The total number of 9-hole matches played is eight. Golfer may drop the three highest 9-hole score; therefore, the average will come from the best five 9-hole scores. (iii) Example 3: Golfer plays in four 9hole matches. Golfer is not eligible for regional competition due to failure to meet the qualifying standard of a minimum of five 9-hole matches. (e) Verification Process for Reporting Women's Scores: Please refer to the NCHSAA website for the template and instructions for reporting.

Playing Rules: (1) Eighteen (18) holes stroke play (3) USGA rules shall prevail, except where modified by local course rules and approved by the games committee (check with the local pro for any unusual ground rules). (4) A games committee must be established and decisions of the committee are final. There should be a minimum of three people knowledgeable about golf rules on the committee,

preferably including the local course pro. (5) All spectators must stay on the cart paths. (6) Caddies are prohibited in the state playoffs, with the exception of those necessitated for physical handicap reasons (this does not include injuries).

Team Scores: (1) The three lowest women's individual scores from a five-player team will be totaled to determine the women's team score.

Awards: Regional champion and runner-up plaque and awards for the individual medalist and runner-up will be given. Ties will be broken according to the tie- breaking procedure in the conditions of competition.

Expenses: Each team will bear its own travel expenses to the regional.

Regional Site Determination: At the regional, a meeting of coaches must be held to select a site and a director for the upcoming season. (1) This is a mandatory meeting that will be conducted by the current regional director. (2) The current director will then notify the NCHSAA office within 10 days after the completion of the tournament, of the host school and director for the next season.

Women's State Championship Qualifiers: 26 golfers per regional will advance to the state championship: (1) Top 3 teams automatically qualify with the best 3 scores. (2) Top 17 individuals not on a qualifying team. (3) If a school does not finish in the top 3, but qualifies at least 3 individuals, that school will also advance to the state championship as a team. (4) A top 3 team could still qualify players #4 and #5, if among the top 17 individuals qualifying.