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HAWAII HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

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 Golf Coordinator Stephen Perry

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

Host School Lahainaluna High School
 Tournament Director Scott Soldwisch
 MIL Executive Director Joseph Balangitao, Jr.
 Rules Stephen Perry & Mary Bea Porter-King
 Practice Round Assignments Stephen Perry
 Pairings Stephen Perry
 Starter Matt Walsh
 Marshals MIL
 Scorers Stephen Perry & MIL
 Spotters MIL

SPECIAL THANKS

David S. Ishii Foundation David & Lorraine Ishii
 Royal Kaanapali Golf Course Ed Kageyama, General Manager
 Sutee Nitakorn, Head Golf Professional
 Melissa Ludwig, Marketing Director

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TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

I. HHSAA GOLF REGULATIONS

HHSAA Golf Regulations may be found in the HHSAA Handbook section in this packet.

II. TOURNAMENT REPRESENTATION

Individual and Team Representation

The following format was determined based on the number of golfers participating during the 2009 season:

Total number of golfers allotted for 2009 Tournament: 80.5
Total number of golfers participating during 2009 season: 161

League	Golfers	Ratio	Berths
OIA	41	20.63	21
ILH	56	28.17	28
BIIF	26	13.08	13
MIL	25	12.58	13
KIF	13	6.54	7
Total	161	Total	82

III. ENTRY FORM

The Official Entry Form must be submitted to the HHSAA Office by **Wednesday, April 29, 2009.**

IV. SCHEDULE

MONDAY, MAY 4, 2009

- Optional Practice Round – From 10:00 am at the Royal Kaanapali Golf Course. Cost is \$25.00 (plus tax) per golfer.

NOTE: To arrange a practice round, you must contact the HHSAA's Golf Coordinator, Stephen Perry, at sperry@hpa.edu.

- Coaches' and Tournament Officials' Meeting - 7:00 p.m., Sheraton Maui Reef's Edge Restaurant.

NOTE: Courtesy of Kaanapali Golf Resort, a Welcome Reception that will include complimentary food and drinks will be provided to all girls state tournament golfers and their coaches from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Sheraton Maui Reef's Edge Restaurant (please, no parents or other non-golfers or non-coaches). Additionally, tee gifts will be provided to all participants at the reception by Kaanapali Golf Resort and the David S. Ishii Foundation.

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2009

- First Round—1st tee from 7:00-10:54 a.m. (nine minute intervals) at the Royal Kaanapali Golf Course.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 2009

- Second Round—1st tee from 7:00-10:54 a.m. (nine minute intervals) at the Royal Kaanapali Golf Course

*** Driving range will open at 6:00 a.m. on each day of the tournament.

*** Per golf course regulations, spectators are welcome, but will not be allowed to use golf carts. Golf carts shall only be used by course officials and other authorized tournament personnel.

*** Awards Ceremony will follow immediately upon completion of the tournament at the golf course.

V. CODE OF CONDUCT

- A. The coach shall have direct responsibility for conduct of team members prior to, during and after tournament competition (in the hotel, in public, at the tournament, transportation to and from sites).
- B. The HHSAA Executive Director may establish a common curfew hour as necessary.
- C. The drinking of alcoholic beverages, smoking, drug use, loud, unruly or destructive behavior will not be tolerated.
- D. Coaches are requested to inform their athletes of hotel rules and regulations. Please emphasize the importance of appropriate conduct and behavior and consideration for other hotel guests. Schools and students will be charged for any damages incurred by them at the hotel.
- E. It is recommended that schools inform parents regarding Code-of-Conduct in writing.

VI. STATE TOURNAMENT DISQUALIFICATION RULE

Any student-athlete or coach disqualified before, during, or after a state tournament game/match/event for unsportsmanlike conduct, flagrant verbal misconduct, or flagrant physical misconduct shall be disqualified from his/her next scheduled state tournament game/match/event for that sport. The student-athlete or coach has the right to appeal any such disqualification to an appeals committee for the particular sport. Should a student-athlete or coach be disqualified from the final state tournament game/match/event for that sport, said disqualification shall NOT carry over to the following school year's state tournament for that sport. Instead, the student-athlete's or coach's league shall determine any appropriate penalty or sanction.

GIRLS GOLF TOURNAMENT

I. Specific Objectives

- A. To determine the individual and team HHSAA golf championships.
- B. To promote interest and to give opportunity for wider and greater competition in golf.
- C. To promote the highest principles of citizenship in tournament competition.

II. Officials

Course rules shall be determined by the HHSAA Executive Director, Sport Coordinator and the Golf Course Management.

III. Eligibility (See Part II, Administrative Regulations, HHSAA Handbook)

IV. Rules Governing Tournament

- A. The United States Golf Association (USGA) rules shall govern with modification of local course rules.
 - 1. Etiquette and citizenship on the course shall be emphasized by tournament officials.
 - 2. The Protest Committee shall include:
 - a. HHSAA Executive Director, Chairperson
 - b. Sport Coordinator
 - c. Tournament Director
 - d. Other personnel selected by the HHSAA Executive Director
- B. The HHSAA Executive Director, Sport Coordinator and Golf Course Management shall determine the hole placements, tee markers and any other modification to the course that is necessary for the tournament.
- C. The HHSAA Executive Director, with the assistance of the Tournament Committee, will select a tournament site(s).
- D. Caddying

There shall be no caddying during the tournament. No advice or consultation will be permitted by an outside agency. Only after the competitors have completed playing nine holes, a coach or advisor may instruct, give advice, or consult with his/her player(s) prior to teeing off on their 10th hole without undue delay. Infraction of Rule: Two Stroke Penalty.
- E. Notify schools/coaches of any change to the tournament schedule at least two working days prior to the start of the event.
- F. Establish a procedure for check-in (have a check-in table, define an area at the golf site).
- G. Soft spikes golf shoes shall be worn during state tournament play by all state tournament golf participants.
- H. Teeing ground information shall be provided to the golf coaches prior to the state tournament practice round.
- I. Set a schedule for warm-ups, with coaches to monitor flow of players at the driving range.
- J. All tournament participants shall have an opportunity to complete one 18-hole practice round prior to the tournament coaches' meeting at the tournament venue.

V. Tournament Representation

A. Individual and Team Players

1. The Official Entry Form must be submitted to the HHSAA Office no later than seven days prior to the tournament.
2. GIRLS: A school may enter two or less participants to compete for the individual championship.
3. GIRLS: To be eligible for team competition, a school must have a minimum of three players or a maximum of five who must be designated for the team championship. Additional qualifiers may compete for the individual championship.
4. GIRLS: Four players participating and taking the three best scores each day (36 holes). A substitute may be entered for the second round.
5. Change in entries shall not be permitted after the entry deadline, except in case of illness or injury to team member. All changes shall be approved before the scheduled tee time of the first round.
6. Each league shall determine the method of selecting their entries subject to the limitation of golfers allocated to the first round. Each league is guaranteed at least one team entry.
 - a. GIRLS: Representation for the Girls Tournament shall be (a) the same percentage as the boys (i.e., total number of boys tournament qualifiers/total number of boys participants); or (b) 50% of the total number of girls golfers statewide, whichever number is greater. Representation by a league shall be determined by dividing the league's total number of girls golfers by the total number of girl golfers represented in the various leagues. All fractions of more than one-half shall be counted to the next whole number. Highest percentage fractions shall determine the league's total allocation.
7. The slot for a qualified participant who cannot participate in the tournament belongs only to the league in which that athlete participates. Substitutes will come from the list of league alternates, following that league's rule for qualifiers to the state tournament. If a league cannot fill the vacancy with an alternate, then the vacancy will remain unfilled.
8. If a player competing for the individual championship only does not post a score for the first round of play, then the player does not participate in the second round of play.

B. Coaches' Responsibilities

1. Each team shall be represented by a coach or his/her designee at all times. A team without a coach, whether it is a team of one or two, shall NOT be entered in the tournament unless a coach is designated.
2. A coach must be designated by the school on the Official Entry Form. The coach must assume responsibilities for his/her school and golfers.
3. Players should report to their respective tees 15 minutes prior to their starting time.

VI. Tournament Format

- A. Team scoring shall be aggregate team medal scoring.
- B. 36 holes shall prevail—18 holes on each day.
- C. GIRLS: Play-off format to determine Team Championship in case of a tie: There will be a sudden death play-off among the three players, from each team, who had the lowest scores for the final round. All six golfers will participate in one "group." Team members may give advice only during play-off for team championship. Team members and other players not involved in the play-off will not be permitted to caddy or give advice. Penalty of two strokes will be assessed to player(s) involved in the infraction.

- D. When a golfer is tied for the individual championship and is also a member of a team which is tied for the team championship, the individual championship will be played first. The individual will then take part in the team play-off with the other team members.
- E. Whenever possible, postponement because of inclement weather should be completed on the succeeding day with time and course designated by the HHSAA Executive Director and Tournament Committee.

VII. Size of Traveling Team

Schools are requested to bring only the official golfers accompanied by authorized coaches. Names of golfers and coaches must be listed on the Official Entry Form.

VIII. Seeding/Pairing

- A. Pairing Committee:
 - B. HHSAA Executive Director, Chairperson
 - C. Sport Coordinator
 - D. Tournament Director
 - E. Other personnel selected by the HHSAA Executive Director
- F. Coaches shall provide all scores (18 holes) of regular season play to the League Executive Secretary of their respective league.
- G. The League Executive Directors or his/her designee shall evaluate each golfer's average.
- H. Medal Play and Low Individual Gross. Whenever there is a tie for the individual championship, there shall be a sudden death playoff to determine the individual championship.
- I. Pairings shall be made on the basis of scoring for the first 18-hole round. On the second round of play, players with the similar scores for the first day of play shall be matched together in groups, except when two or more players represent the same team or school. The Tournament Pairing Committee shall place these players in separate groups.
- J. Whenever possible, the golfers should tee-off from both the 1st and 10th tees, upon approval from the management of the golf course.

IX. Uniforms

Participants shall wear identical school designated uniforms.

- A. Players of each school shall wear golf shirts and shoes.
- B. Penalty for failure to wear designated school uniform shall result in disqualification of the offending player(s) from team and individual competition.

X. Awards and Trophies

- A. Permanent team trophy to the championship team.
- B. Permanent team trophy to the runner-up team.
- C. Medals
 - 1. GIRLS: Six medals to members of the championship team.
 - GIRLS: Medals for the first 15 girls place winners
 - A. Individual low gross champion - gold medal
 - B. Individual low gross runner-up - silver medal

C. 13 bronze medals for the 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 places.

If there is a tie for places two through 15, then the tie(s) shall be broken by the USGA – recommended method (Rules of Golf – Appendix I – Section 11C) using the scores from the final day of play.

Method:

1. Best score over holes #10 - #18.
2. If still tied, then best score over holes #13 - #18.
3. If still tied, then best score over holes #16 - #18.
4. If still tied, then best score on hole #18.
5. If still tied, then medal given to both players.

XI. Evaluation

A report shall be submitted to the HHSAA Executive Director within two weeks following the tournament. The complete results of the tournament must be provided by the Tournament Director.

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OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

SCHOOL _____ COACH _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ FAX _____

	GOLFERS (Last Name, First) (Designate min. of three and a max. of five team members.)	Scoring Averages (pairing purposes)	Date of Birth	Date of 1 st Entry into 9 th Grade
1				
2				
3				
4				
Alt				

Athletic Director's Signature: _____ DATE: _____

SEND ENTRY FORM TO: HHSAA
P.O. Box 62029
Honolulu, HI 96839
Phone: (808) 587-4495 Fax: (808) 587-4496

Entry Deadline: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 2009

SOUVENIR T-SHIRT PRE-TOURNAMENT ORDER FORM



_____ requests to order the following sizes of the 2009
(School)

David S. Ishii Foundation Girls Golf State Championship Souvenir T-shirt(s) at \$15.00 per shirt.

Size	Quantity	Price/T-shirt	Total
Small		\$15.00	
Medium		\$15.00	
Large		\$15.00	
X-Large		\$15.00	
XX-Large		\$15.00	
		GRAND TOTAL	

Send pre-orders to Lahainaluna High School (host school) by Monday, May 4, 2009. Checks payable to HHSAA may be sent with pre-orders or brought to the coaches' meeting/tournament. **Note: preorders must be paid in full by first day of the tournament or shirts will be released to the general public.**

Scott Soldwisch, Athletic Director
Lahainaluna High School
980 Lahainaluna Road
Lahaina, HI 96763
Phone: (808) 662-3979 · Fax: (808) 662-3997

Contact person: _____ Daytime phone: _____ Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Check placed in mail on _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Will drop off at coaches meeting.

HHSAA GIRLS GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS

YEAR	TEAM CHAMPION	SCORE	INDIVIDUAL CHAMPION	SCHOOL	SCORE	COURSE
1994			Anna Umemura	Punahou	76-77-153	Wailua Municipal
1995			Anna Umemura	Punahou	76-77-153	Kapalua
1996			Elisha Au	Kamehameha	78-77-155	Hapuna
1997			Anna Umemura	Punahou	75-78-153	Wailua Municipal
1998			Melanie Matsumura	Waiakea	74-78-152	Kaanapali
1999	Hilo	239-249-488	Shayna Miyajima	Baldwin	77-75-152	Hapuna
2000	Waiakea	240-245-485	Merynn Ito	Aiea	68-75-143	Princeville Makai
2001	Kauai	230-227-457	Rachel Kyono	Kauai	72-71-143	Kaanapali
2002	Waiakea	229-230-459	Leah Whiting	Waiakea	74-75-149	Hawaii Prince
2003	Hilo	221-223-444	Kira-Ann Murashige	Hilo	71-69-140	Waikoloa Beach
2004	Kauai	229-231-460	Britney Choy	Leilehua	73-74-147	Wailua
2005	Waiakea	241-238-479	Christine Kim	Waiakea	78-75-153	The Dunes at Maui Lani
2006	Moanalua	225-226-451	Stephanie Kono	Punahou	64-72-136	Turtle Bay Fazio Course
2007	Punahou	246-249-495	Anna Jang	Punahou	78-81-159	Waikoloa Kings' Course
2008	Punahou	220-221-441	Kristina Merkle	Moanalua	71-75-146	Wailua Municipal

Special Recognition:

Lori Castillo - World Champion. The only girls entry in 1977 Tournament--scored a 74 at Wailea Golf Course played from the men's tee.

First hole-in-one by Shari Horio, Aiea High, May 13, 2004, Wailua Golf Course, 17th hole-112 yards, 7 iron.