

# 2025 6A REGION II GOLF HANDBOOK



April 14-15 Girls April 16-17 Boys



## 6A Region II Regional Golf Championship Eagles Bluff Country Club Bullard, Texas April 13-17, 2025

## **Tournament Information**

#### **Sponsored By:**

Rockwall ISD

Tournament Director: Greg Priest greg.priest@rockwallisd.org
Cell – 254-709-4634

#### **Eagles Bluff Country Club:**

700 Eagles Bluff Blvd Bullard, TX 75757

Course Web Site: www.eaglesbluffcc.com

Director of Golf: James Bates

Office: (903) 825-1123 Pro Shop: (903) 825-2999

Tournament Committee / Rules: James Bates, Greg Priest

NOTE: Tee times and groupings WILL NOT be given out over the pro shop phone!

#### **District Results/Regional Entries:**

Immediately upon the completion of the district tournament, email entries to Greg Priest, greg.priest@rockwallisd.org. On entry forms, list each player's full name. No initials or nicknames. If handwritten, please make sure names are legible.

Coaches are asked to call the tournament director for any team roster changes immediately upon being determined.

#### **Tournament Fees:**

For the regional tournament entry fee, make checks payable to <u>Rockwall ISD</u>. Listed below are the charges for the Regional Golf Championship. Prices includes practice round, tournament green fees, practice balls, and coaches' cart.

(Entry due at Coaches Meeting – Please do not mail)

Team Entry Fee: \$850 (Meals not included) Medalist Fee: \$170 (Meals not included)

#### **Additional Fees:**

Spectator Cart Rental: \$TBD (Limited availability) No outside carts are permitted due to liability issues.

Schools should be prepared to present tax-exempt documentation.

#### **Practice Round:**

After completion of the district certification, each player may play the regional site once, prior to the start of the regional competition. The practice round will only be permitted for girls on Sunday, April 13 and the Boys on Tuesday, April 15. The tee times will be assigned by the tournament director. The driving range is the only practice area that may be used prior to the practice round. Putting and Chipping is prohibited until 12:00 pm on the day preceding the regional tournament.



#### **Coaches Meeting:**

A mandatory coach's meeting will be held in the Men's Grill:

Girls - Sunday, April 13 at 4:00 p.m.

Boys – Tuesday, April 15 at 5:00 p.m.

Substitutions, spellings of name, course rules, course marking, etc., will be reviewed.

#### **Tournament Competition:**

The Regional Championship will be a 2-day 36-hole competition with play beginning on holes #1 & #10. Ladies will play the RED tees; Gentlemen will play GOLD tees. The driving range will be open 1 hour prior to the first tee time.

4A Girls - Monday, April 14 & Tuesday, April 15 at 8:00 a.m. tee times

4A Boys - Wednesday, April 16 & Thursday, April 17 at 8:00 a.m. tee times

Note: In case of rain, and only 18 holes are completed, the 18 holes will stand as a completed tournament.

**Round 1 pairings** will be based on District Results. Champions and 1st Medalists out will go off #1 in order of the District Results. District Runner-Ups and 2nd Medalists out will go off #10 in order of the District Results.

**Round 2 pairings** will be based off day 1 results. Low nine scoring teams from 1st round and low three medalists shall begin play on the #1 tee. Remaining seven teams and medalists from 1st round shall begin play on the #10 tee.

Tee times shall be posted at Eagles Bluff CC CC Pro Shop, tournament SportsYou page, and will be emailed to coaches.

#### Scoring Method

Team honors shall be determined by adding the best four scores for each 18-hole round of the five players who enter as a team. The team with the lowest score will be the team winner.

#### **Ties**

In the event of a tie in either the team scoring or medalist scoring, we will proceed with the playoff format attached to this packet. We must have an outright place finisher from 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> place in both the Team standings and Medalist standings.

#### **Substitution**

There shall be no substitution allowed in the individual competition. Once the tournament has begun, no substitution (except for injury or illness) shall be allowed on a team, as a team is composed of five players.

#### **Protests**

Any protest must be initiated by a contestant or coach representing a participating school before the tournament director finalizes scores.

#### Coaching (2 Coaches per team or medalist)

The designation of each team's 2 coaches (2023-2024 UIL Rule Amendments) shall be determined before tournament play. No spectator or non-employed individual of a member school district may coach any competitor during the competition. Penalty Structure: First Offense - Warning, Second Offense - Stroke penalty for player and loss of coaching privileges for the coach, Third Offense - Disqualification of the player for the entire tournament.



#### **Dress and conduct**

Players shall wear school approved attire, collared shirts, and soft spikes. Players may not speak privately with non-players; exception-a coach tee to green. Unsportsmanlike conduct, such as illegal coaching, inappropriate language, throwing clubs, course abuse, or improper actions may result in penalty stroke(s) or disqualification.

#### **Caddies and carts**

Contestants may **NOT** use caddies or electric carts during district, regional, or state matches without approval by the UIL (golfer must bring approval paperwork). A pull cart can be used.

#### Electronic equipment

Range Finders (all types such as GPS, watches, etc.) are the **ONLY** electronic equipment allowed at the tournament. Range finders that measure **DISTANCE ONLY** may be used during competitive rounds. Range finders that offer any other function (even if disabled) are illegal. A player using such a device will be subject to the UIL penalty structure.

#### Cell phones / radios

Cell phones and radios are not permitted for players during competition. The first offense is a warning, and the second offense is disqualification.

#### **UIL** penalty structure

- First Offense Warning
- Second Offense Stroke penalty for player and loss of coaching privileges for the coach
- Third Offense Disqualification of the player for the entire tournament

#### **Spectators**

Please make sure all cell phones are turned off or on silent mode. Spectators may encourage but NOT coach nor give advice during play. Spectators shall remain off fairways and maintain an average of 30 yards from players. (Spectator Rules Sheet. Attached)



## **2025 Regional Golf Tournament (Format & Ties)**

#### **Tournament Format**

• The tournament will consist of 9-18-27 or 36 holes completed by the entire tournament field from a scoring standpoint.

## Team Ties (First, Second, & Third will go to playoff, 4<sup>th</sup> place ties should proceed straight to #5 below)

- 1. There will be a playoff for all ties immediately on the tournament course after all scores have been posted if possible.
- 2. Team ties will be represented either by the five players, or four players with four player teams.
- 3. The aggregate score of the four low players per hole will determine the team score per hole.
- 4. If a tie cannot be played on the scheduled tournament date, a future date may be scheduled between the teams tied (for advancement purposes only) with approval of the participating schools and permission from the UIL Athletic Director.
- 5. In the event that a playoff is not possible, the individual's score that was not used for each team on Day 2 will be used as the tie-breaking score. If still tied, the team's highest individual tournament total will be used. Continue to use this process until the tie is broken.

## Individual (Medalists) Ties (First, Second, & Third will go to sudden death, 4<sup>th</sup> place ties should proceed straight to #3 below)

- 1. Sudden Death Playoff.
- 2. If a tie cannot be played on the scheduled tournament date, a future date may be scheduled between the individuals tied (for advancement purposes only) with approval of the participating schools and permission from the UIL Athletic Director.
- 3. In the event that a playoff is not possible, per USGA Rule 33-6, the method of matching cards is to determine the winner on the basis of the best score for the last nine holes. If the tying players have the same score for the last nine, determine the winner on the basis of the last six holes, then last three holes and finally the 18th hole. If this method is used in a competition with a multiple tee start, it is recommended that the "last nine holes, last six holes, etc." is considered to be holes 10-18, 13-18, et

#### \* 9 Stroke Rule \*

- In regional and state competition, a player shall pick up the ball and record a score of 9 after the 8<sup>th</sup> stroke of the hole. If a player continues to play, the player is not disqualified but must count all shots played.
- For example: If a player picks up his/her ball after the 8th stroke, a score of 9 is recorded. If a player picks up his/her ball after the 9<sup>th</sup> stroke, a score of 10 is recorded.



## **2025 Regional Golf Tournament (Play-Off Details)**

#### Team

• Team ties are going to be broken by a five-man team playoff. The four low scores per hole in the playoff will count for the team score. If a team has four players, all four scores will count.

#### Honor

- Will be determined by drawing numbers through a tournament official.
- 2 numbers will be provided. One team member will draw a number for the team.
- The team that draws the lowest number will have the honor for both groups.

#### Order

- The two high scores from Day 2 will be paired up as (2).
- The third and fourth from each team's Day 2 round will make up the second group.
- The first and second players from Day 2 will make up the third group.
- All players will complete the hole prior to moving to the next hole.
- The four aggregate scores will comprise the team.

\*If a 3-team playoff exists the order will be:

3-6-6 with the same procedures as a two-team playoff.

## This is still a stroke play competition. Coaching rule still applies.

Regardless of the number of teams in the playoff, the players will be paired according to score with the highest scores going first.

#### Individual

• The player with the lowest second day score will have the honor. If the second day scores are tied, numbers will be drawn and the player who draws the lowest number will have the honor.



## **Practice Round Details**

Individuals and/or teams qualifying for regional golf may be permitted one practice round of 18 holes at the site of the regional tournament if permitted by the director of the tournament. There shall be no more than one-day loss of school time involved in practice or travel in relation to practice preceding the tournament. Once a practice round has been completed, neither teams nor individuals are allowed to return to the site on another day to **chip and/or putt**.

### **Sunday Prohibition (Section 1206 of UIL Constitution and Contest Rules)**

A League participant school shall not participate in any athletic contest or conduct any practice, or teach any plays, formations, or skills on Sunday.

#### Exceptions.

(A) Golf. If the regional and/or state golf tournaments are scheduled on a Monday, one 18-hole practice round is allowed at the regional and/or state tournament site and may be played on the Sunday afternoon preceding the meet (no earlier than 12:00 noon) if permitted by the regional or state meet director.

## **General Questions and Answers**

May we schedule our 'one practice round' at a time/day other than the day prior to tournament?

No, Eagles Bluff CC is not allowing practice rounds other than Sunday, April 13 for girls and Tuesday, April 15 for boys.

May we leave the course & return later that same day to practice putt or chip after our practice round?

No! However, once your coaches' meeting begins players may return to practice putt or chip!

May players use the "range" once the "one practice round" has been played?

Yes! Putting or Chipping is prohibited once the practice round has been played, but players may use the range as long as they are in compliance with UIL Constitution and Contest Rules practice regulations. Putting and Chipping is prohibited until 12:00 pm on the day preceding the regional tournament.

May players go out and walk the course at a time other than their practice round?

No! Walking the course is considered playing the course.



## PRACTICE ROUND

- After completion of the district certification, each player may play the regional site once, prior to the start of the regional competition. The practice round will only be permitted for girls on Sunday, April 13 and the Boys on Tuesday, April 15. The tee times will be assigned by the tournament director.
- If a team(s) chooses not to play on Sunday; tees times of the remaining teams/medalists will be moved up. Therefore, teams/medalists should be prepared to play earlier than their assigned time.
- Teams/medalists missing their assigned tee time may lose their right to their practice round.
- To maximize time usage for Sunday practice rounds; parents, coaches, alternates and other non-qualifiers shall be PROHIBITED from playing the practice round with five qualifiers.
- Non-qualifiers may observe the qualifying players on Sunday by following them on the course, but they must remain off the fairway and on the cart paths.

## **Slow Play**

## The following conditions and policies shall govern the regulation of the pace of play by the Rules Committee:

- 1. Each player is responsible for playing without undue delay.
- 2. Each player is responsible for his/her group's maintaining proper position on the course in relation to the rest of the field. Each group should be approximately a starting interval behind the preceding group throughout the whole round. The position of the group following has no bearing in determining whether or not a player's pace of play is satisfactory. A group is deemed to be out of position if it reaches any spot on the course as much as fourteen (14) minutes behind the preceding group.
- 3. A group that is out of position for as many as three holes during one round, not necessarily in consecutive order, will be considered in violation of Rule 6-7 (Undue Delay). Players contributing to the delay will be automatically penalized.
- 4. If a player walks ahead of the ball to check the position of the hole or to walk yardage once he/she is at his ball and it is his turn to play, the player will be penalized for undue delay if he/she had previously been warned during the round for slow play.
- 5. Penalties may be assessed <u>without</u> a player having been given prior warning during the round by a Rules Official. It is the responsibility of each player to be aware of his position on the golf course.



- 6. If a group's pace of play warrants a penalty to be assessed, only players who contributed to slow play will be penalized, not necessarily every member of the team.
- 7. Officials will use discretion concerning the pace of play of early groups. The first players will be expected to play at a reasonably fast pace. However, the groups immediately following may not be expected to maintain position behind an exceptionally fast group.

## **UIL Golf Disqualifications**

## Subchapter C. Section 1260. U.I.L. Constitution and Contest Rules.

- (8) **Disqualifications:** A player disqualified (for other than an unsportsmanlike conduct violation) shall have the disqualification apply only to the 18-hole round in which the infraction occurred.
  - (a) For example, a contestant disqualified (for a violation that is not unsportsmanlike) during the first or second 18-holes will not have his/her score used for the team score in the 18-hole round in which the violation occurred.
  - (b) A contestant disqualified for unsportsmanlike conduct during the first 18-holes will not be allowed to continue. Scores from the first 18-hole round for a contestant disqualified during the second 18-holes will also be cancelled. Neither the first day 18-hole score nor the second day 18-hole score may be used for the individual or team score.

Please note that in accordance with Rule 6-8 of the USGA Golf rules, a player that must discontinue play due to illness or injury may not be subject to disqualification if the Rules Committee is notified and the reason, such as illness, is considered satisfactory to the Committee. A student, who discontinues play but is not disqualified the first day, may be allowed by the Committee to return and play 18 holes on the second day. The score of the second day, in this instance, may be counted for team honors.



## **Spectator Rules**

Spectators must stay on cart path at all times. **EXCEPTION:** when watching play on or around the green spectators may go up on the mounds that surround the green to watch. Spectators need to stay 30 yards from the players.

Spectators **MAY NOT** walk down the fairway with the players.

Spectators need to stay 30 yards from the players at all times.

Spectators are allowed to help search for lost golf balls.

Spectators are **NOT** allowed to give players snacks or drinks during the stipulated round.

**ONLY** the designated coach may give the players snacks or drinks.

Spectators are **NOT** allowed in the scoring area at any time.

Spectators MAY NOT give any advice during play. ONLY the designated coach may give the player advice during a stipulated round. Any other communication could be deemed advice. The player could be penalized 2 strokes for every breach or disqualified.

Spectators **MAY NOT** shuttle players at any time. **EXCEPTION:** In the event of inclement weather or dangerous situation, spectators **MAY** transport players to safety.



### **HOTELS NEAR EAGLE'S BLUFF GOLF CLUB**

Hampton Inn & Suites Tyler -South 8962 S Broadway Ave Tyler, TX 75703 (903) 630-7272

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott - Tyler 1945 W Southwest Loop 323 Tyler, TX 75701 (903) 561-2535

Holiday Inn Tyler - Conference Center 5701 S Broadway Ave Tyler, TX 75703 (903) 561-5800

Residence Inn Tyler 350 Heritage Dr. Tyler, TX 75703 (903) 787-5899

Hilton Garden Inn Tyler 220 E Grande Blvd Tyler, TX 75703 (903) 509-1166



#### Girls UIL 6A Regional Championship

#### **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

#### Sunday, April 13

• Practice facilities open 11:30 p.m.

• Practice round 12:00 p.m. #1 Tee

• Coaches Meeting 4:00 p.m. *Men's Grill* 

Monday, April 14

• Pro Shop opens 6:30 a.m.

• Driving range opens 7:00 a.m.

• First round 8:00 a.m. *Tee times off (#1 & #10)* 

Tuesday, April 15

• Pro Shop opens 6:30 a.m.

• Driving range opens 7:00 a.m.

• Final round 8:00 a.m. *Tee times (#1 & #10)* 

• Awards ceremony Immediately following *Scoreboard* 

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#### **Boys UIL 6A Regional Championship**

#### **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

#### Tuesday, April 15

• Practice facilities open 12:30 p.m.

• Practice round 1:30 p.m. *Tee times off (#1& #10)* 

Coaches Meeting 5:00 p.m. *Men's Grill* 

Wednesday, April 16

• Pro Shop opens 6:30 a.m.

• Driving range opens 7:00 a.m.

• First round 8:00 a.m. *Tee times off (#1 & #10)* 

Thursday, April 17

• Pro Shop opens 6:30 a.m.

• Driving range opens 7:00 a.m.

• Final round 8:00 a.m. *Tee times off (#1 & #10)* 

• Awards ceremony Immediately following *Scoreboard* 

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Girls Practice Round Tee Times		
Sunday, April 13, 2025		
#1 Tee		
12:00pm	District 9	Champion
12:10pm	District 10	Champion
12:20pm	District 11	Champion
12:30pm	District 12	Champion
12:40pm	District 13	Champion
12:50pm	District 14	Champion
1:00pm	District 15	Champion
1:10pm	District 16	Champion
1:20pm	District 9	Runner Up
1:30pm	District 10	Runner Up
1:40pm	District 11	Runner Up
1:50pm	District 12	Runner Up
2:00pm	District 13	Runner Up
2:10pm	District 14	Runner Up
2:20pm	District 15	Runner Up
2:30pm	District 16	Runner Up
2:40pm	District 9 & 10	Medalists
2:50pm	District 11 & 12	Medalists
3:00pm	District 13 & 14	Medalists
3:10pm	District 15 & 16	Medalists

No alternates, parents, coaches, or other non-qualifiers will be allowed to play.



Boys Practice Round Tee Times		
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Tuesday, April 15, 2025		
#1 Tee		
1:30pm	District 9	Champion
1:40pm	District 10	Champion
1:50pm	District 11	Champion
2:00pm	District 12	Champion
2:10pm	District 13	Champion
2:20pm	District 14	Champion
2:30pm	District 15	Champion
2:40pm	District 16	Champion
2:50pm	District 9 & 10	Medalists
3:00pm	District 11 & 12	Medalists
#10 Tee		
1:30pm	District 9	Runner Up
1:40pm	District 10	Runner Up
1:50pm	District 11	Runner Up
2:00pm	District 12	Runner Up
2:10pm	District 13	Runner Up
2:20pm	District 14	Runner Up
2:30pm	District 15	Runner Up
2:40pm	District 16	Runner Up
2:50pm	District 13 & 14	Medalists
3:00pm	District 15 & 16	Medalists

No alternates, parents, coaches, or other non-qualifiers will be allowed to play.



Group	Тее	Time	Day 1 Tee Times Girls/Boys		
1	#1	8:00	Champ Low #1	Champ 2nd #1	Champ 3rd #1
2	#1	8:09	#2	#2	#2
3	#1	8:18	#3	#3	#3
4	#1	8:27	#4	#4	#4
5	#1	8:36	#5	#5	#5
6	#1	8:45	Champ 4th #1	Champ 5th #1	Champ 6th #1
7	#1	8:54	#2	#2	#2
8	#1	9:03	#3	#3	#3
9	#1	9:12	#4	#4	#4
10	#1	9:21	#5	#5	#5
11	#1	9:30	Champ 7th #1	Champ 8th #1	Med Low
12	#1	9:39	#2	#2	Med 2nd
13	#1	9:44	#3	#3	Med 3rd
14	#1	9:53	#4	#4	Med 4th
15	#1	10:02	#5	#5	Med 5th
16	#1	10:11	Med 6th	Med 7th	Med 8th
17	#10	8:00	Runner Up Low #1	Runner Up 2nd #1	Runner Up 3rd #1
18	#10	8:09	#2	#2	#2
19	#10	8:18	#3	#3	#3
20	#10	8:27	#4	#4	#4
21	#10	8:36	#5	#5	#5
22	#10	8:45	Runner Up 4th	Runner Up 5th	Runner Up 6th
	"40	0.54	#1	#1	#1
23	#10	8:54	#2	#2	#2
24	#10	9:03	#3	#3	#3
25	#10	9:12	#4	#4	#4
26	#10	9:21	#5	#5	#5
27	#10	9:30	Runner Up 7th #1	Runner Up 8th #1	Med 9th
28	#10	9:39	#2	#2	Med 10th
29	#10	9:44	#3	#3	Med 11th
30	#10	9:53	#4	#4	Med 12th
31	#10	10:02	#5	#5	Med 13th
32	#10	10:11	Med 14th	Med 15th	Med 16th



		Final Round Tee Times				
Group	Tee	Time	Day 2 Girls/Boys - based off day 1 scores			
1	#10	8:00	Medalist #4	Medalist #5	Medalist #6	
2	#10	8:09	Medalist #15	Medalist #16	#5 Team #16	
3	#10	8:18	Medalist #13	Medalist #14	#4	
4	#10	8:27	Medalist #11	Medalist #12	#3	
5	#10	8:36	Medalist #9	Medalist #10	#2	
6	#10	8:45	Medalist #7	Medalist #8	#1	
7	#10	8:54	#5 Team #13	#5 Team #14	#5 Team #15	
8	#10	9:03	#4	#4	#4	
9	#10	9:12	#3	#3	#3	
10	#10	9:21	#2	#2	#2	
11	#10	9:30	#1	#1	#1	
12	#10	9:39	#5 Team #10	#5 Team #11	#5 Team #12	
13	#10	9:44	#4	#4	#4	
14	#10	9:53	#3	#3	#3	
15	#10	10:02	#2	#2	#2	
16	#10	10:11	#1	#1	#1	
17	#1	8:00	Medalist #1	Medalist #2	Medalist #3	
18	#1	8:09	#5 Team #7	#5 Team #8	#5 Team #9	
19	#1	8:18	#4	#4	#4	
20	#1	8:27	#3	#3	#3	
21	#1	8:36	#2	#2	#2	
22	#1	8:45	#1	#1	#1	
23	#1	8:54	#5 Team #4	#5 Team #5	#5 Team #6	
24	#1	9:03	#4	#4	#4	
25	#1	9:12	#3	#3	#3	
26	#1	9:21	#2	#2	#2	
27	#1	9:30	#1	#1	#1	
28	#1	9:39	#5 Team #1	#5 Team #2	#5 Team #3	
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30	#1	9:53	#3	#3	#3	
31	#1	10:02	#2	#2	#2	
32	#1	10:11	#1	#1	#1	



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## 6A Region 2 Golf

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