



2023 Optimist International Junior Golf Championship

Iowa District Qualifier

Friday, June 16, 2023

Bos Landen Golf Club

Pella, IA

The 2023 OIJGC Iowa District Qualifier will take place on Friday, June 16, 2023 at Bos Landen Golf Club in Pella, IA. The qualifier is sponsored by the Iowa District Optimist and is run by the Iowa PGA Junior Golf Tour and Iowa District Optimist. The qualifier will consist of three boys divisions (12-13, 14-15 and 16-18) and two girls divisions (13-14 and 15-18).

The entry fee for the qualifier is \$60.00. Registrants must also be a member of the Iowa PGA Junior Tour to register; the Iowa PGA Junior Tour membership fee is \$60.00 for the 2023 season. Iowa PGA Junior Tour membership information and a link to register can be found at

<https://www.iowapgajuniorgolf.com/membership/>. Registration for the 2023 OIJGC Iowa District Qualifier will open on March 24, 2023 and will close on June 12, 2023. Registration should be completed through Iowa PGA Junior Tour website; the direct link to the qualifier registration web page, which includes registration details, is

<https://iowapgajr.bluegolf.com/bluegolf/iowapgajr23/event/iowapgajr2384/index.htm>. The Iowa PGA Junior Golf Tour suggests registrants pay their registration fee by debit or credit card; however a check can be mailed also.

The 2023 OIJGC International Championship will take place during the month of July at the Trump National Doral Resort, located in Miami, FL. The Boys 12-13 division will be held July 14-19, 2023, the Boys 14-15 and Girls 13-14 division will be held July 19-24, 2023 and the Boys 16-18 and Girls 15-18 will be held July 24-29, 2023. For specific details and more information on the 2021 OIJGC International Championship, please visit <https://www.optimist.org/golf/golf-championships.cfm>.

Depending on monetary funds available, the Iowa District Optimist plans to once again pay the \$660.00 full registration fee to the International Championship for the first-place finisher in each age division at the Iowa District Qualifier. Optimist International requires the Iowa District Optimist to pay the full registration fee for the Boys 16-18 and Girls 15-18 age division, however the District is not required to pay full registration fees for the other three age divisions. A final decision will be made on whether the District has enough monetary funds available to cover all age division's full registration fees when registration to the Iowa District Qualifier closes on June 12, 2023. Age division first place finishers will be responsible for the payment of their own travel to the International Championship, however the Iowa District Optimist suggests qualifiers reach out to their local Optimist Clubs to see if additional funds are available from the local Clubs to help with travel expenses.

Additional qualifiers in each age division will be responsible for payment of their registration fee and travel to the International Championship, however the Iowa District Optimist suggests qualifiers reach out to their local Optimist Clubs to see if additional funds are available from the local Clubs to help with travel expenses.

Please contact John Danielson, Iowa District Optimist Chair of the Optimist International Junior Golf Championship, at (641-750-4024) or danielsonjohn44@gmail.com for questions and additional information.

Optimistically yours,

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