



April 9, 2019

MEMORANDUM

TO: FHSAA Representative, Athletic Director, & Head Golf Coach
FROM: **Ed Thompson—Director of Athletics**
RE: 2019 FHSAA Regional Golf Tournaments

The Florida High School Athletic Association is currently making plans for the 2019-20 school year. Accordingly, we are interested in establishing the host schools and sites for the 2019 FHSAA Region Golf Tournaments. It is part of an overall goal for advanced planning which we believe will benefit the potential host institution and those schools participating in the FHSAA State Series in golf.

If your school is interested in serving as host for one of the regional golf tournaments to be held on October 21-23, 2019, (Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday) please submit the bid to host to the FHSAA Office as soon as possible. Email the application to golf@fhsaa.org.

A number of rules changes have been made since the conclusion of the 2018 season:

- Districts and Regions are condensed—16 districts per class and 4 regions per class
- The regional field has increased to 72 players per gender.
- Seeding at regionals is based upon ratings using score, course rating, and slope (from the FHSAA-designated medium to be announced in summer 2019) established in the district round.
- Advancement from Region to State has changed:
 - The top 3 teams and top 3 individuals advance automatically.
 - The next four teams and next four individual best scores overall from across the state will advance on an at-large basis based upon a rating established using score, course rating, and slope.
- The field at the state finals will remain at 96 per gender/class.

FHSAA will work directly with regional hosts after they have been selected to arrange officials and collect necessary data from each course to implement new system.

For your information, the regional breakdown is below:

Region 1	Districts 1-4
Region 2	Districts 5-8
Region 3	Districts 9-12
Region 4	Districts 12-16

Applications are due on or before 5:00 PM on May 31, 2019. All applications will be evaluated on an ongoing basis. Site selections will be announced on June 6, 2019. We look forward to receiving your region golf application.



APPLICATION TO HOST – 2019 FHSAA REGIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

CLASS:		REGION:		DATE:	
BOYS	<input type="checkbox"/>				
GIRLS	<input type="checkbox"/>				
HOST SCHOOL:					
TOURNAMENT MANAGER:	MANAGER EMAIL:				
	MANAGER CELL:				
	SCHOOL PHONE:				
HOST GOLF COURSE:	COURSE PHYSICAL ADDRESS:				
	COURSE PHONE:				
	COURSE CONTACT PERSON:				

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPATING TEAMS					
TOURNAMENT COST:					
COACHES' MEETING TIME:					
STARTING TEE TIMES	BOYS:		GIRLS:		
RAIN DATE (IF NECESSARY):					
Please list any other information below that you feel would be appropriate for selection of this site. Please attach/send hotel information and map/directions to the golf course.					

REGULAR SEASON INFORMATION				
Will this course be available to schools in your region during the regular season for play?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Will fees be reduced for high school play?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>

Signature of Tournament Manager (As Listed Above)

Position at Host School

Signature of Host School Principal

Date

Email To: golf@fhsaa.org