

Welcome to the Thirty-Seventh Annual Northern Virginia Senior Amateur Championship

Defending Champion: Bob Digby

- Play will be from the **Blue** tees- **Senior Div** ~ 6500yds.; **White** tees-- **Super Seniors** ~ 6200 yds.
- USGA Rules Apply – See Local Rules Sheet
 - If you have a doubt as to how to proceed play a second ball (Rule 3-3). Before proceeding under this rule announce to your fellow competitors your intention to do so and select which ball you wish to count if the rules permit. Report to the committee that you played a second ball and the details *before submitting your scorecard.*
 - ***Covid-19 modifications: A ball in a sand bunker may be lifted cleaned and placed within one club length no closer to the hole (no penalty). The area may be smoothed before placing the ball. Flag sticks have a lifting device to allow removing the ball from the hole using the putter to minimize hand-touching. Flag sticks may be removed from the hole at the player's discretion.***
- Format is Individual Stroke Play (gross)
- **TURN IN ALL CARDS AT SCOREBOARD OUTSIDE THE PRO SHOP AREA IMMEDIATELY UPON COMPLETION OF PLAY**
Covid-19 precaution: Scorecards will not be exchanged. The Marker will read the player's scores to the Scorer; the Scorer will repeat the scores back to the Marker and the Player; the Player will then confirm the scores are correct.
- Pace of Play: Please keep up with the group in front of you. Course marshals will be requesting groups out of position to speed up play. Your cooperation is appreciated.
- Measuring Devices (including GPS devices) are allowed if the device measures only distance
- Trophy will be awarded to the overall Champion (gross)
Gift certificates for the Loudoun Golf & Country Club pro-shop will be awarded at the end of 36 holes by division.
 - Playoff for Championship (1st Place Overall Senior Gross) only
 - Ties breakers for gift certificates: Back 9 score, last 6, last 3, last 1, etc.
- In the event of dangerous or severe weather, the tournament committee may adjust the competition to less than 36 holes. Each day of competition shall consist of two stipulated rounds of 9 holes each. If first day is shortened to 9 holes, results will be to par, not total, for the first nine holes played .
- ***LIGHTENING KILLS!*** Discontinuance of Play: When play is suspended for a dangerous situation by sounding the warning system horn, players **must discontinue play immediately**. Players must not resume play until the Committee has ordered resumption of play. All practice areas shall be closed until the Committee has declared them open.
Penalty for breach of rule – Disqualification. NOTE: *A player has the right to stop play if they think lightning threatens them, even though the Committee may not have authorized it specifically by signal.*

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