

TEAM INFORMATION 55th GIRLS' FOUR-STATE MATCHES ELKS COUNTRY CLUB, COLUMBUS, NEBRASKA

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SCHEDULE:	<i>Monday, June</i> 26 1:30 p.m. 3 p.m. Following Golf <i>Tuesday, June</i> 27 6:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m8:25 a.m. Between Matches 1:30 p.m2:15 p.m. <i>Wednesday, June</i> 28 6:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m8:58 a.m. Following Golf	Registration Begins and Practice Areas Open Practice Round (Shotgun Start) Hosted player dinner and program in the clubhouse Practice Areas Open Four-Ball Matches (1 Tee) Hosted Lunch Foursomes Matches (1 Tee) Practice Areas Open Singles Matches (1 Tee) Hosted luncheon buffet and awards	
REGISTRATION:	On Monday, teams are requested to check in upon arrival at the registration table located on the patio outside the golf shop. Registration will open at 1:30 p.m.		
PRACTICE ROUNDS:	All teams will play a practice round Monday, June 26 beginning with a 3 p.m. shotgun start. Practice areas will open at 1:30 p.m.		
PRACTICE AREAS:	Range balls will be available on the practice range prior to the practice round and each match play session. Practice areas will open at 1:30 p.m. Monday and 6:30 a.m. Tuesday and Wednesday.		
FOOD AND BEVERAGE	NWAGA will host a dinner for teams in the clubhouse following Monday's practice round, lunch between rounds Tuesday and an awards luncheon following play Wednesday. Breakfast is available each morning at the host hotel. Team's will be on their own for dinner Tuesday evening. Recommendations for local restaurants will be available at registration. Should you need information in advance, please contact Craig Ames (402.658.5827).		
	If desired, tab arrangements have been made for each team in the grill room (located on the lower level of the clubhouse) for other team related food and beverage items. Please reference your team's state when making purchases for billing purposes.		
TEAM COOLERS:	Team coolers are welcome for snack related items and beverages. These coolers should remain on the team cart.		

FORMAT	The Girls' Four-State Matches are a team match play competition between the top 6 girls from lowa, Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska. Each team assigns their players to a 1-6 position. Team members then compete in each match play session based on that numeric assignment, with each golfer having the opportunity to play against each of the other teams and never with the same partner. The team match play sessions on day one consist of Four-Ball and Foursomes. Singles conclude the event on the final day. Each match is worth one point, if a match is tied each team receives a 1/2 point. The team that wins the most points wins the competition.			
FOUR-BALL	In Four-Ball Match Play, sides of two partners compete, with each player playing their own ball. A side's score for a hole is the lower score of the two partners on that hole. A side wins a hole in the match by completing the hole in fewer strokes (including strokes made and penalty strokes). The match is won when a side leads the opponent by more holes than remain to be played.			
FOURSOMES	In Foursomes Match Play, two partners compete as a side by playing one ball in alternating order on each hole. A side wins a hole in the match by completing the hole in fewer strokes (including strokes made and penalty strokes). The match is won when a side leads the opponent by more holes than remain to be played.			
SINGLES	In Singles Match Play, a player plays directly against an opponent in a head-to-head match. A player wins a hole in the match by completing the hole in fewer strokes (including strokes made and penalty strokes). The match is won when a player leads the opponent by more holes than remain to be played.			
PAIRING SCHEDULE	The following schedule will be followed when creating pairings for each match play session. Team captains should submit team rosters in their desired numeric order (1-6) following the practice round. Matches will be published and announced at Monday's team dinner.			
	Four-Ball Session 1 Iowa 1,2 vs. Kansas 1,2 2 Missouri 1,2 vs. Nebraska 1,2 3 Iowa 3,4 vs. Missouri 3,4 4 Kansas 3,4 vs. Nebraska 3,4 5 Iowa 5,6 vs. Nebraska 5,6 6 Kansas 5,6 vs. Missouri 5,6	Foursomes Session 1 Iowa 2,3 vs. Nebraska 2,3 2 Kansas 2,3 vs. Missouri 2,3 3 Iowa 4,5 vs. Kansas 4,5 4 Missouri 4,5 vs. Nebraska 4,5 5 Iowa 1,6 vs. Missouri 1,6 6 Kansas 1,6 vs. Nebraska 1,6		
	Singles Session 1 Iowa 3 vs. Kansas 3 2 Iowa 6 vs. Kansas 6 3 Missouri 3 vs. Nebraska 3 4 Missouri 6 vs. Nebraska 6 5 Iowa 2 vs. Missouri 2 6 Iowa 5 vs. Missouri 5 7 Kansas 2 vs. Nebraska 2 8 Kansas 5 vs. Nebraska 5 9 Iowa 1 vs. Nebraska 1 10 Iowa 4 vs. Nebraska 4 11 Kansas 1 vs. Missouri 1 12 Kansas 4 vs. Missouri 4			

- **SPECTATORS:** Spectators are welcome on competition days. Food and beverage service for these guests is available in the club's grill room located on the lower level of the clubhouse. Spectator carts are be available for rent in the golf shop.
- CADDIES: Caddies are not permitted.
- **DRESS CODE**: Players must be neat in appearance with respect to clothing and personal grooming. Traditional spikes are prohibited.
- WEB SITE: Complete details for this event (including links to pairings and scoring) are accessible through the NWAGA Four-State web site, located within the competitions section of nwaga.org or by linking here: <u>https://www.nwaga.org/four-state/</u>
- LOCAL RULES: A pair of rules documents pertinent to this competition are available for review prior to this competition. Link here to access the NWAGA's Local Rules and Terms of the Competition and the Notice to Players (specific to Elks Country Club).
- **PACE OF PLAY:** Participants must play without undue delay and in accordance with any pace of play guidelines established by the Committee.

COURSE SET-UP:	Hole 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Par 4 5 3 4 5 4 3 4	Yards 350 390 481 160/142 370 455 353 153/140 350
	Front	36	3,062
	10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18	4 3 4 5 4 5 4 3 4	343 133 320/295 513 400 484 360 178/165 415
	Back	36	3,146
	Total	72	6,208