



Fact Sheet

LPGA Q-Series Pre-Qualifying Stage - California
Indian Wells Country Club-Classic Course
46000 Club Drive, Indian Wells, CA
9/23/2025 to 9/26/2025

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Tournament Contacts			
Title	Name	Email	Phone Number
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Director of Golf	Paul Cox	Paul.cox@invitedclubs.com	760-834-6005

*Please direct entry and eligibility questions to Tori Gomez at Tori.Gomez@lpga.com and Rules questions to Kyle Jacobs.

Tournament Structure			
Field Size	120 Players	Cut	Top 65 and ties after 36 holes
+16 Rule Applies	Any player with a score of +16 or higher <u>in the first two rounds</u> will be withdrawn from the Pre-Qualifying Stage and will not be eligible to receive any type of status for 2026.	Holes	54

* The number advancing from each Pre-Qualifying Site to the Qualifying Stage in Venice, FL will be announced at the conclusion of registration. **Players that do not advance to the Qualifying Stage will not earn 2026 Epson Tour status.**

Schedule of Events			
Date	Event	Time	Location
Saturday, September 20	Player/Caddie Online Registration	9:00 a.m. - 5:00p.m. PT	Player Portal
Sunday, September 21	Player/Caddie Online Registration	9:00 a.m. - 5:00p.m. PT	Player Portal
Monday, September 22	Unofficial Practice Round Fee \$100	Call Pro-Shop to reserve tee time 760-834-6005	Classic Course
Tuesday, September 23	Official Practice Rounds	7:20 a.m. 7:20 a.m. – 8:20 a.m. (reserved in portal app)	#1 tee #10 tee – 9 holes, no priority at turn
Wednesday, September 24	Round 1 Estimated Finish Time	7:20 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. 11:50 a.m. – 1:20 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	#1 and #10
Thursday, September 25	Round 2 Estimated Finish Time	7:20 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. 11:50 a.m. – 1:20 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	#1 and #10
Friday, September 26	Round 3 Estimated Finish Time	7:20 a.m. – 9:10 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	#1 and #10
Saturday, September 27	Rain Date (in necessary)	TBD	Classic Course

Player & Caddie Registration

Player Registration will be online in the Portal App. Players must check-in on the Portal App and enter caddie details **between the hours of 9:00 a.m. local time on Saturday, September 20 through 5:00 p.m. local time on Sunday, September 21.** Any registration issues need to be addressed with Tori Gomez at Tori.Gomez@lpga.com or by phone 830-220-**There will be NO in-person registration.**

Caddie Registration will be online and must be completed by 5:00 p.m. local time on Sunday, September 21. Players will receive a link to the Caddie Registration Form (to be shared with the caddie) after entries close.

Practice Rounds

Advance Practice:

Classic course will be closed for maintenance, August 5 – 18

Below is information regarding course availability and guidelines for use of the facility:

- To schedule your advance tee times, contact the golf shop. (760) 834-6005.
- Practice facility is available when player has a confirmed tee time for that day.
- Player rate: \$100 per player; \$50 rider fee (not unlimited rate)

**** Indian Wells reserves the right to alter this schedule at its sole discretion during advance weeks of the event.****

Official Practice Rounds: Official practice rounds will be on Tuesday, September 23. No additional fees will be charged for these days. **Official Practice round tee times will be made online. Information will be available after the entry deadline. Please do not call the pro-shop for official practice rounds.** Due to the large number of participants, only two (2) carts will be assigned to each tee time. Please abide by this request so we can accommodate all players for practice rounds.

Practice Range

Complimentary range balls will be available on the Monday, September 22 – Friday, September 26 from 5:45 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. PT (subject to change)

Cart Rule

Each player will have her own cart for tournament competition. Carts will not be available prior to the tee time. Carts will be staged by the practice putting green. Caddies may ride with the player. Bottled water will be placed in the carts prior to play. **Coolers are allowed on carts and highly recommended.** Once your round is complete, return the cart to the staging area.

Tournament Office

Tournament Office is located in the Ladies Card Room – 1st floor of clubhouse.

Scoring

Scoring will be in the Ladies Card Room – 1st floor of clubhouse.

Yardage Books

All players will receive a Yardage/Metric Book, and they will be available beginning September 1 in the Golf Shop. Caddies may purchase a yardage book by going to <https://noi-golf.com/tour-shop/> and choosing Q-Series and the appropriate golf course. All purchases must be by credit card. Once purchased, the Caddie can show the receipt to the golf shop to receive a yardage book.

Due to 2023 rules change regarding the use of greens reading materials (MLR G-11), a Player may not use a yardage/metric book purchased prior to 2023. Only LPGA/Epson Tour approved books are permitted during tournament rounds. Any questions, please contact a rules official.

Dress Code

All courses have a dress code policy that will apply either a collar or sleeves on shirts. No tank tops allowed. Shorts must have appropriate golf length. No denim of any kind. Dress code applies to players, observers, and caddies alike. Players shall present a neat appearance appropriate to the game of golf in both clothing and grooming. Indian Wells is a spike-less facility. Caddies must wear a smooth, rubber-soled shoe, preferable tennis, or basketball shoes. No golf shoes, flip-flops, sandals, or open-toed shoes are not allowed.

Accommodations

Property	Rate	Phone Number	Reservation Link or Notes
Indian Wells Resort (located ¼ mile from course) 76-661 Hwy 111 Indian Wells, CA	\$99 per night plus tax 15.25 %	760-345-6466	Call the hotel directly and request G9773 Or click HERE to book Online When booking online select Group Code from the promo code drop list. Enter Code: G9773
Host Housing			NOT AVAILABLE