



2026 Memorial Amateur Championship

ELIGIBILITY EXEMPTIONS

Amateurs who meet one or more of the following categories are exempt from invitation:

WAGR Ranking & Distinction Exemptions

- Top 500 on the World Amateur Golf Ranking® (as of date of entry)
- Member of a Walker Cup and Top 10 World Amateur Team prior 5 years
- Any male amateur exempt from qualifying for any USGA Championship prior 5 years
- Any U.S. Open, British Open, U.S. Amateur, Mid-Amateur contestant prior 10 years

Golfweek / AmateurGolf.com Player Ranking

- Top 500 Men's Ranking (as of date of entry)
- Top 150 Men's Mid/Am Ranking (as of date of entry)
- Top 50 Men's Senior Ranking (as of date of entry)

Collegiate Ranking & Distinction Exemptions

- Top 100 Golfstat Collegiate D1 final ranking prior year
- Top 25 Golfstat Collegiate D2 final ranking prior year
- Top 10 Golfstat Collegiate D3 final ranking prior year
- Top 10 Golfstat Collegiate NAIA final ranking prior year
- NCAA Division I All-Americans (First, Second, third team, or Honorable Mention, and all named to All-Region teams) prior year
- NCAA Division II All-American (First or Second Team) prior year
- NCAA Division III or NAIA All-Americans (First Team) prior year

Sacramento Golf Council Tournament Exemptions

- State Fair Men's Championship Top 20 prior year.
- Any prior State Fair Men's Championship First Place within the prior 10 years.
- State Fair Junior Championship First Place and Runner-up prior year
- State Fair Masters Championship First Place and Runner-up prior year
- Sacramento County Men's Championship First Place and Runner-up prior year
- Sacramento City Men's Championship First Place and Runner-up prior year

Junior Ranking & Distinction Exemptions

- AJGA All-Americans (First or Second Team) prior year
- Top 20 on Boys AJGA or Junior Scoreboard (at time of entry)
- First Tee of Greater Sacramento Junior Tour Low Stroke Average (at time of entry)

Other

- NCGA Current Player of the Year
- NCGA Current Senior Player of the Year
- Memorial Amateur Championship Tournament Director Approved