



2021 CHAMPIONSHIPS MEDIA INFORMATION

The 2021 NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Golf Championships will be held consecutively at Grayhawk Golf Club in Scottsdale, Arizona.

NCAA Division I Women's Golf Championships May 21-26, 2021
NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships May 28-June 2, 2021

Please note, from the second Sunday in March to the first Sunday in November, Scottsdale, Arizona shares the same time zone as Pacific Standard Time (PST). All times listed in daily schedules are local to Scottsdale.

Miscellaneous

Location: [Grayhawk Golf Club](#)
8620 East Thompson Peak Parkway
Scottsdale, AZ 85255

Yardage/Par: Men – 7,289 yards, par 70
Women – 6,429 yards, par 72

Television coverage: GOLF Channel

NCAA Women's Golf Home Page: <http://www.ncaa.com/sports/golf-women>

NCAA Men's Golf Home Page: <http://www.ncaa.com/sports/golf-men>

Host: Arizona State University

Host Website: <https://live-ncaa-golf.ws.asu.edu>

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Credentials

Media desiring credentials to cover the 2021 NCAA Division I Men's and/or Women's Golf Championships at Grayhawk Golf Club should apply online at <http://www.ncaa.com/media>. Credentials will not be mailed; they will be distributed onsite at Grayhawk Golf Club beginning Thursday, May 20 (Women's Championships) and Thursday, May 27 (Men's Championships). Recipients must present a government-issued photo ID to claim credential.

Media Lodging

There is not a designated media headquarters hotel property for the 2021 championships. A number of properties are available at a variety of price levels in the area (<https://www.hotels.com/de1481439/hotels-scottsdale-arizona/>).

Media Parking

Media in need of parking should request a parking pass through the credential application process. Those approved will be emailed a PDF Parking Pass for media parking in the Clubhouse Lot in front of the golf club.

Media Center

The Media Center, located in the Fairway House at Grayhawk, will serve as the media workroom throughout championship play. Media will be provided a socially distanced workspace that includes complimentary high-speed wireless access. Media Center hours are 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. each day of competition.

Records Books

Records books for both championships are available for reference and download here.

DI Women's Golf Championships: http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/stats/golf_champs_records/2021/D1Women.pdf

DI Men's Golf Championships: http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/stats/golf_champs_records/2021/D1Men.pdf

NCAA Digital Media Hub: Media Information, Courtesy Images

Due to COVID-19 protocols, a limited amount of printed materials will be distributed on-site. All results, tee sheets, team media guides, team notes, flip cards, etc. will be housed and available for download from the NCAA Box Library located in the NCAA Digital Media Hub at <https://ncaa.veritone.com>. Note: The only way to access this information is to log into the site. For directions on creating an account click [here](#). NCAA Photos will be on site for the Monday individual medalist championship and the Wednesday team national championship competition and will provide 15-20 courtesy images of each following via the Digital Hub.

Championship Week Interview Schedule

Friday through Sunday

- All interviews will be conducted on the course following rounds outside the 9th and 18th greens and scoring tent. It will be mandatory that all media are masked and that all interviews are conducted maintaining a six-foot distance between interviewer and interviewee.
- School media relations directors are encouraged to conduct virtual interviews with student-athletes and coaches throughout championship play.
- Golf Channel sit-down interviews will be conducted Sunday following play with several of the top individuals in contention for individual championship.

Monday

- NCAA will coordinate virtual interviews with the individual medalist and runner-up following the fourth-round of stroke-play competition. National media will be invited to participate in the interviews. ASAP transcripts provided following.
- Additional interviews will be conducted on the course following rounds outside the 9th and 18th greens and scoring tent. It will be mandatory that all media are masked and that all interviews are conducted maintaining a six-foot distance between interviewer and interviewee.
- School media relations directors are also encouraged to conduct virtual interviews with student-athletes and coaches throughout championship play.
- Golf Channel interviews with individual medalist, runner-up and coaches as time allows.
- Quarterfinal pairings in clubhouse (not televised).

Tuesday

- NCAA will coordinate virtual interviews with one student-athlete and the head coach from the winner of Semifinal Match #1 and Semifinal Match #2 following competition. National media will be invited to participate in the interviews. ASAP transcripts provided following.
- Additional interviews will be conducted on the course following all matches outside the 9th and 18th greens and scoring tent. It will be mandatory that all media are masked and that all interviews are conducted maintaining a six-foot distance between interviewer and interviewee.
- School media relations directors are also encouraged to conduct virtual interviews with student-athletes and coaches throughout championship play.
- Golf Channel live interviews with student-athletes and coaches will take place immediately following competition and continue as time allows. Golf Channel will televise live the championship match pairings outside clubhouse. Golf Channel will conduct sit-down interviews with starters and head coach from two teams advancing to national championship match. That will occur following play on Tuesday in and around other interviews taking place.

Wednesday

- NCAA will coordinate virtual interviews with one student-athlete and the head coach from the national championship team and runner-up following competition. National media will be invited to participate in the interviews. ASAP transcripts provided following.
- Additional interviews will be conducted on the course following all matches outside the 9th and 18th greens and scoring tent. It will be mandatory that all media are masked and that all interviews are conducted maintaining a six-foot distance between interviewer and interviewee.
- School media relations directors are also encouraged to conduct virtual interviews with student-athletes and coaches throughout championship play.
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On-Course Photography

The 2021 NCAA Men's and Women's Golf Championships will utilize the **Rules of Conduct for Photographing PGA TOUR**

Events:

- Photographers must not disrupt play or distract golfers at any time.
- Do not fire your camera until AFTER the golfer has made contact with the ball.
- Those with "inside the ropes" access MUST remain within ONE-ARM'S LENGTH of the ropes at all times.
- If an NCAA representative, official or golfer asks you to move, do so quickly and without discussion.
- When around a tee box, ensure you are not on the teeing surface.
- Avoid moving around the putting green while golfers are hitting from the fairway.
- When greenside, avoid being directly in the player's line of vision.
- When players are on the green, limit movement to a minimum to avoid distracting players.
- DO NOT ask players to pose during a competitive round.
- All credentialed photographers are expected to conduct themselves as professionals.
- Rule violations may result in loss of credential.

Live Streaming and Social Media Usage Guidelines

GOLF Channel is the exclusive broadcast home of the 2021 NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Golf Championships. From Monday through Wednesday of each respective championship week, when live coverage is being aired on GOLF Channel, use of any device that produces live streaming of the event through social media outlets or other distribution methods is **NOT ALLOWED**.

Those wishing to use live streaming technology when GOLF Channel is not on air may do so with proper streaming rights/approval from Turner Sports, which owns the NCAA Championships digital rights. Please apply at <http://www.ncaa.com/rights-request>. Please use the #NCAAGOLF hashtag on any streams and save those feeds to your device, if possible. If you capture a great shot or a fun video that would be good to use in the broadcast, GOLF Channel might be interested in securing that from you with your permission.

Use of live streaming technology in the media interview room will be permitted if that news conference is not being carried live by GOLF Channel.

Telephone and Data Services

Complimentary wireless services will be provided for all credentialed media.

Championships Format

Finals play for both championships consist of three days of stroke play on Friday thru Sunday (54 holes), after which the top 15 teams and nine individuals not on an advancing team will be determined. That is followed by a final day of 18 holes of stroke play (Monday) to determine the top eight teams that will advance to match play as well as the 72-hole individual champion. The team national champion will be determined by a match-play format that will consist of quarterfinals and semifinals conducted on Tuesday, followed by the finals on Wednesday.

The 2021 championships competition schedule will be as follows:

Wednesday	Teams arrive.
Thursday	Practice round.
Friday	First day of stroke play competition (18 holes).
Saturday	Second day of stroke play competition (18 holes).
Sunday	Third day of stroke play competition (18 holes); to determine the top 15 teams along with the top nine individuals not on an advancing team for final 18 holes of stroke-play competition.
Monday	Final round of stroke-play competition; to determine the top eight teams determined for match-play competition and 72-hole individual champion crowned.
Tuesday	Quarterfinals and semifinals of team match play.
Wednesday	Championship match to determine team champion.

2021 NCAA DIVISION I WOMEN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS SCHEDULE

SELECTIONS

Wednesday, April 28, 2 p.m. ET, GOLF Channel

WOMEN'S REGIONALS

May 10-12 – Four regionals of 18 teams and six individuals. The top six teams and the low three individuals not on an advancing team from each regional site advances to the finals site.

Baton Rouge, Louisiana – Louisiana University Club (host - LSU)

Columbus, Ohio – OSU Golf Club - Scarlet Course (host – Ohio State)

Louisville, Kentucky – University of Louisville Golf Club (host - Louisville)

Stanford, California – Stanford Golf Course (host - Stanford)

The 24 teams and 12 individuals advancing to the national championships are identified.

WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

May 21-26 — 2021 Finals Schedule of Events

(All Times Local – Pacific Time – Arizona does not use Daylight Savings Time)

Grayhawk Golf Club, Scottsdale, Arizona; Arizona State University, host

Thursday, May 20

8 a.m. Range Opens/Coaches Meeting
9 a.m. Shotgun practice round begins

Friday, May 21

6:30 a.m. First-round of stroke play competition

Saturday, May 22

6:30 a.m. Second-round of stroke play competition

Sunday, May 23

6:30 a.m. Third-round of stroke play competition
(Top 15 teams and 9 individuals not on an advancing team are determined)

Monday, May 24

10 a.m. Tee times begin for final round of stroke play competition
7:10 p.m. Individual awards ceremony (runner-up followed by medalist)
7:25 p.m. Quarterfinal match play pairings determined

Golf Channel Coverage

2 - 6 p.m. Individual National Championship (Live)
7 - 11 p.m. Individual National Championship (Re-Air)

Tuesday, May 25

6:20 a.m. Quarterfinal - Match #1 and #2 begin (1st and 10th tees)
7:10 a.m. Quarterfinal - Match #3 and #4 begin (1st and 10th tees)
12:45 p.m. Semifinal - Match #5 begins (winners of match #1 and #2)
1:35 p.m. Semifinal - Match #6 begins (winners of match #3 and #4)
Following play Semifinalist awards ceremony outside media interview room
Championship match play pairings determined

Golf Channel Coverage

12 a.m. – 3 a.m. Individual National Championship (Re-Air)
6 - 8:30 a.m. Individual National Championship (Re-Air)
9 – 11:30 a.m. Team Match Play Quarterfinals (Live)
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Team Match Play Quarterfinals (Re-Air)
2 – 6 p.m. Team Match Play Semifinals (Live)
7 – 11 p.m. Team Match Play Semifinals (Re-Air)

Wednesday, May 26

Approx. 1:35 p.m. Championship match begins (winner Match #5 vs. winner of Match #6)
Following Play Awards ceremony

Golf Channel Coverage

12 – 2 a.m. Team Match Play Semifinals (Re-Air)
2 - 6 p.m. Team Match Play National Championship (Live)
7 – 11 a.m. Team Match Play National Championship (Re-Air)

SELECTIONS

Wednesday, May 5, 2 p.m. ET, GOLF Channel

MEN'S REGIONALS

May 17-19 – Six regionals – three of which will have 13 teams and 10 individuals and three will have 14 teams and five individuals. The top five teams and the low individual not on an advancing team from each regional site advances to the finals site.

Tallahassee, Florida – Golden Eagle Golf & Country Club (host: Florida State)

Noblesville, Indiana – The Sagamore Club (host: Ball State)

Albuquerque, New Mexico – Championship Course at UNM (host: New Mexico)

Stillwater, Oklahoma - Karsten Creek Golf Club (host: Oklahoma State)

Nashville, Tennessee – Golf Club of Tennessee (host: Vanderbilt)

Cle Elum, Washington – Tumblecreek Golf Club (host: Washington)

MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

May 28-June 2 — 2021 Finals Schedule of Events

(All Times Local – Pacific Time – Arizona does not use Daylight Savings Time)

Grayhawk Golf Club, Scottsdale, Arizona; Arizona State University, host

Thursday, May 27

7 a.m. Range Opens/Coaches Meeting

8 a.m. Shotgun practice round begins

Friday, May 28

6:10 a.m. First-round of stroke play competition

Saturday, May 29

6:10 a.m. Second-round of stroke play competition

Sunday, May 30

6:10 a.m. Third-round of stroke play competition

Monday, May 31

10 a.m. Tee times begin for final round of stroke play competition

Following play Individual awards ceremony

Quarterfinal match play pairings determined

Golf Channel Coverage

2 - 6 p.m. Individual National Championship (Live)

7 - 11 p.m. Individual National Championship (Re-Air)

Tuesday, June 1

6:20 a.m. Quarterfinal - Match #1 and #2 begin (1st and 10th tees)

7:10 a.m. Quarterfinal - Match #3 and #4 begin (1st and 10th tees)

12:45 p.m. Semifinal - Match #5 begins (winners of match #1 and #2)

1:35 p.m. Semifinal - Match #6 begins (winners of match #3 and #4)

Following play Semifinalist awards ceremony

Championship match play pairings determined

Golf Channel Coverage

12 a.m. – 3 a.m. Individual National Championship (Re-Air)

6 - 8:30 a.m. Individual National Championship (Re-Air)

9 – 11:30 a.m. Team Match Play Quarterfinals (Live)
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Team Match Play Quarterfinals (Re-Air)
2 – 6 p.m. Team Match Play Semifinals (Live)
7 – 11 p.m. Team Match Play Semifinals (Re-Air)

Wednesday, June 2

1:35 p.m. Championship match begins (winner Match #5 vs. winner of Match #6)
Following Play Awards ceremony

Golf Channel Coverage

12 – 2 a.m. Team Match Play Semifinals (Re-Air)
2 - 6 p.m. Team Match Play National Championship (Live)
7 – 11 a.m. Team Match Play National Championship (Re-Air)

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