

2A Boys and Girls Wyoming State Golf Championship

September 22-23 2026

Purple Sage Golf Course

Evanston, WY

Course Location: 401 Kindler Dr, Evanston, WY 82930

Meet Director: Jennifer Benson, Head Golf Coach

Rules Committee: Lisa Dutton, Allan Patz, Ed Fullmer, Jennifer Benson

Range Balls/Practice Rounds: Teams will purchase practice rounds at Jr. Rate of \$14 for 9 holes, \$24 for 18 holes. Carts are \$13 for 9 holes, \$23 for 18. Range pass for 3 days is \$125 per team, or option of purchasing individual buckets, \$10 for small bucket and \$14 for a large bucket. Practice rounds can be scheduled for September 21, 2026, all (307) 789-2383

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Tee Times: 8 AM shot gun start on both the 22nd and the 23rd. Pro shop will be open at 7AM both days. There is one driving range and two practice putting greens.

Tees: Boys will play Blue tees, Girls will play Green tees.

Dress Code: Per WHSAA Rules – Collared Shirt, No Metal Spikes, No Jeans, Hats must be worn facing forward

T-Shirts/Hoodies: WHSAA will have shirts available for purchase at the course.

Practice Rounds:

Phones: Golf apps only-violations will cause possible disqualification.

Pro Shop: The Pro Shop will be open to all golfers, coaches and spectators.

Markers: Please refer to the schedule for assignments.

Awards: The first place team will receive a plaque/trophy. Awards will be presented at the end of play on Wednesday. As per WHSAA Rule 7.8.68 in case of a tie in the team event (1st, 2nd, or 3rd), or in case of a tie for first place in the individual standings, the tie will be broken by a sudden death playoff. Top five individual players boys and girls will receive medals.

Coaches Meeting: There will be a coaches meeting on September 23, 2026 at 11:00 AM in the Purple Saige Club House.

Live Scoring: We will be using the iwanamaker app that provides live scoring for fans. Fans can purchase a subscription by downloading the app from the google play store or apple store on your smartphone.

Entry Deadline: September 17, 2026 . Player names will be given to Purple Sage by September 18th.

- Hospitality:** Pro shop will have snacks and drinks available both Tuesday and Wednesday for players to purchase.
- Team Lunches:** Teams may call the Purple Saige Grill at (307) 789-2383 to order lunches for purchase.
- Weather:** Discontinuance of Play: The Committee will sound a horn due to weather delays. Please be advised that all Competitors will immediately stop play and take shelter/proceed to Clubhouse after marking ball position. See WHSAA rule policy regarding a complete stoppage in play.
- Spectators:** All spectators must check in at the clubhouse prior to spectating on the course. All spectators will adhere to the WHSAA guidelines.
- Equipment:** Each Player should bring own Tees, Pencils, Ball Markers and Sharpies

WHSAA Rules of Play:

The class 2A WHSAA State Golf meet shall consist of 36 holes of medal play- 18 holes on Tuesday and 18 Holes on Wednesday. As per WHSAA Rule 7.868, in case of a tie in the team event (1st, 2nd, or 3rd), in case of a tie for first place in the individual standings, the tie will be broken by a sudden death playoff.

Team playoff procedures:

Playoff will begin on hole #1. Draw for tee box honors. Alternate between teams until all players have taken their drive. All five players from each team will play the hole with the best four scores (boys) or three scores (girls) used to break the tie. If a tie still exists, continue on the next hole until the tie is broken.

Individual playoff procedure:

Playoff will begin on hole #1. Draw for tee box honors. In the event of a tie, players will continue until a winner is determined.

Coaches Supervising on course of Play:

As per WHSAA Rule 7.8.83, golf coaches are allowed to supervise on the golf course during play. This Supervision and assignment is the responsibility of the Meet Director. There shall be a minimum of one adult monitor per hole at the State Meet. Coaches will not be allowed to play during the State Meet.

The USGA rules shall prevail in the State Golf Meet. Please refer to the WHSAA Handbook,

pages 52-54, for WHSAA Golf Rules and Regulations. Local rule sheets will be provided by the host site.

Should weather become an issue, the WHSAA Commissioner or designee will work with the Tournament Director of the host site to evaluate options to complete the tournament. The proper action will depend on the circumstances in each case. Depending on the weather forecast, the tournament may be moved to the following week or the practice round may be eliminated and the tournament will start on Thursday, with Saturday being used as a backup in case the tournament could not be finished on the previous two days. Should this option be utilized, no one will be allowed to have a practice round. However, once the schools have all arrived at the site and the weather changes to where 36 holes cannot be completed, a minimum of 18 holes will determine the individual and team placing. If 27 holes can be completed, as long as each gender plays the same nine holes, the 27 holes total will be used.

7.8.76 SPECTATORS ON THE COURSE DURING TOURNAMENT PLAY

1. As spectators enter the tournament venue they will be given a list of Wyoming High School golf “spectator guidelines” and be required to sign-in (indicating they understand the rules and risk). **Lanyards will be made available with policy so spectators can visibly display that they have agreed to the guidelines.** This will be done on all tournament days. Coaches are expected to share these guidelines with spectators and fans from their school.
2. No spectator carts are allowed on the course with the following exception: If a spectator has a disabling condition they may rent a cart from the pro shop but will not be allowed to carry another spectator in that cart. Questions of disabling conditions and carts will be handled by the tournament director.
3. Spectators **MUST** remain in designated viewing areas, on the cart paths or at least 25 yards from all contestants at all times. Spectators are not allowed on the tee or greens at any time. **Tournament directors reserve the right to not allow spectators on their course at any time.**
4. Spectators are specifically instructed not to give any advice or rulings with players. Any verbal and non-verbal contact could be construed as giving advice (Rule 8). Therefore, conversations with players in any form are not permitted. A two (2) stroke penalty may be assessed by the Rules Committee for violation. **Spectators may assist in searching for golf balls to help speed up pace of play.**
5. Spectators must understand there is a risk of injury and assume that risk while they are on or near the golf course.
6. Cell phones must be set on silent and cannot be used to communicate with any player.
7. Coaches will be available to monitor and enforce spectator rules, as part of the tournament staff, determined by the meet director.

*** Enforcement of this policy will be implemented as follows: 1st offense – verbal warning; 2nd offense – the spectator will be asked to leave the golf course.**

For a serious breach of the spectator policy, decisions on future suspensions will be left to the discretion of WHSAA staff.

Accommodations

- Best Western Dunmar Inn
- Hampton Inn Evanston
- Holiday Inn Express & Suites Evanston
- Quality Inn Evanston Near Wyoming Downs
- Days Inn by Wyndham Evanston WY
- Super 8 by Wyndham Evanston
- Comfort Inn Evanston I-80
- Prairie Inn
- Knights Inn Evanston
- Affordable Inns Evanston
- Roundhouse & Railyards

Dining

- Don Pedro Family Mexican Restaurant
- Jody's Diner
- Sud's Brothers Brewery
- Pizza Hut
- Domino's Pizza
- Little Caesars Pizza
- Papa Murphy's Take 'N' Bake Pizza
- Subway
- Taco Time
- Taco Bell
- Wendy's
- McDonald's
- Burger King
- Arby's
- KFC
- Chinese Chef
- Ichiban Japanese Steakhouse & Sushi
- Legal Tender Restaurant
- The Roundhouse & Railyards Restaurant
- Main Street Deli
- Costa Vida Fresh Mexican Grill
- Fresh Donuts & Deli