



cognizant
FOUNDERS CUP

May 6-12, 2024
Upper Montclair Country Club

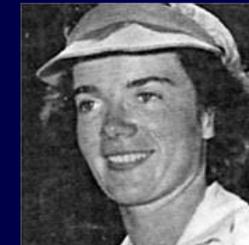
PAST, PRESENT, FUTURE

Inspired by the creative initiative and determination of the 13 Founders in 1950, the LPGA continues to “Act Like A Founder” each and every day. LPGA players and staff embody the spirit of the Founders and encourage others to live with the same Passion, Pride, and Perseverance.

The LPGA is the longest running women’s sports organization in the world. With such a title comes great responsibility. The words “Act like a Founder” greet all that enter the headquarters of the LPGA. The aged script and simple message convey the history and pride of all who have come before, and the amazing road ahead.

The Cognizant Founders Cup embodies all that our motto stands for. Our job is to grow the game of golf and to leave the game better than we found it.

Act Like a Founder



TITLE SPONSOR OVERVIEW

The Cognizant Founders Cup returns May 6th-12th, 2024 to Upper Montclair Country Club in Clifton, New Jersey for the third consecutive year as host of this prestigious event, which pays tribute to the 13 founding members of the LPGA Tour created in 1950. This will also mark the fourth year with Cognizant serving as the title sponsor since the tournaments transition to northern New Jersey in 2021.

Cognizant, headquartered in Teaneck, New Jersey is one of the leading technological services and consulting companies in the world. They have been a huge proponent of diversity and inclusion efforts across their company culture and have been leaders of moving the needle for more equality in women's sports, offering a \$3 million purse, the second largest of any LPGA Tour event outside of the majors and CME Group Tour Championship.





TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Monday	The John Shippen Cognizant Cup Monday Qualifier
Tuesday	Practice Rounds Pro-Am Pairings Party
Wednesday	Official Pro-Am Pro-Am Reception
Thursday	Round 1 Women's Leadership Day Luncheon
Friday	Round 2
Saturday	Round 3
Sunday	Final round Award ceremony, & Trophy Presentation
Other Events	LPGA*USGA Girls Golf clinic NJGF & USGA Junior Clinic Mother's Day Pavilion Activities LPGA Lesson Zone

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

MONDAY, MAY 6 7:00 AM - 4:00 PM 7:30 AM - 8:00 AM 9:30 AM - 12:15 PM	GATES CLOSED Player Registration The John Shippen Shootout Monday Qualifier
TUESDAY, MAY 7 7:00 AM 7:00 AM - 4:00 PM 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM	GATES CLOSED Official Practice Round Player Registration Pro-Am Pairings Party
WEDNESDAY, MAY 8	PRO-AM (FREE GENERAL ADMISSION COURTESY OF NEW JERSEY GOLF FOUNDATION)
5:30 AM 7:00 AM 7:40 AM - 9:00 AM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 12:00 PM - 1:40 PM 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Driving Range Opens Gates Open Pro-Am Begins (First Wave) Long Putt Challenge Presented by Rhone Pro-Am Begins (Second Wave) Pro-Am Reception
THURSDAY, MAY 9	ROUND 1
5:30 AM 7:00 AM 7:15 AM - 9:16 AM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 12:15 PM - 2:16 PM 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Driving Range Opens Gates Open First Round Tee Times Lesson Zone Long Putt Challenge Presented by Rhone First Round Tee Times Peacock Live Coverage Champions Dinner NBC Golf Channel Tournament Broadcast
FRIDAY, MAY 10	ROUND 2
5:30 AM 7:00 AM 7:15 AM - 9:16 AM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM 12:15 PM - 2:16 PM 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Driving Range Opens Gates Open Second Round Tee Times Lesson Zone Long Putt Challenge Presented by Rhone Peacock Live Coverage Second Round Tee Times NBC Golf Channel Tournament Broadcast
SATURDAY, MAY 11	ROUND 3 (TOP 65 & TIES)
6:00 AM 7:00 AM 7:40 AM - 1:40 PM 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM	Driving Range Opens Gates Open Third Round Tee Times Girls Golf Program Activation Long Putt Challenge Presented by Rhone Mother's Day Photo Op Cognizant STEM Activity Lesson Zone NJGF & USGA Jr. Golf Clinic Peacock Live Coverage NBC Golf Channel Tournament Broadcast
SUNDAY, MAY 12	ROUND 4 (PINK OUT! WEAR YOUR PINK IN CELEBRATION OF MOTHER'S DAY)
6:00 AM 7:00 AM 7:40 AM - 1:40 PM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM Immediately Following Play 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM	Driving Range Opens Gates Open Fourth Round Tee Times Long Putt Challenge Presented by Rhone Mother's Day Photo Op Girls Golf Program Activation Lesson Zone Peacock Live Coverage Trophy Ceremony / Check Presentation NBC Golf Channel Tournament Broadcast

Course Map



SCAN FOR LEADERBOARD

COURSE MAP

OFFICIAL YARDAGE		
HOLE	PAR	YARDAGE
1	4	410
2	5	490
3	4	408
4	4	349
5	4	372
6	3	168
7	4	386
8	3	195
9	5	536
36		3314
10	4	323
11	4	406
12	5	474
13	4	399
14	5	525
15	3	164
16	4	414
17	3	178
18	4	339
36		3222
TOTAL	72	6536

MAP KEY	
	First Aid
	Restrooms
	Concessions
	Scoreboards
	Girls Golf
	Autograph Alley
	Cognizant Associates Patio
	LPGA Fan Zone
	1950 Club
	Founders Club
	Long Putt Challenge presented by Rhone
	Lesson Zone
	Main Entrance
	Public Bleachers
	Pioneer Pavilion
	The Perch
	LPGA Retail
	Aon Risk Reward Challenge



SCAN FOR DIGITAL SPECTATOR GUIDE



Volunteer Program

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Volunteer Packages

Standard Volunteer Package (\$90):

- Tournament Polo
- Tournament outerwear
- Headwear
- Tournament Lanyard with Credential (provides access to tournament Grounds)
- Meal(s) for each worked shift
- 5 Any Day Grounds Tickets
- Volunteer Appreciation Party Invite

Junior Volunteer Package (\$55):

- Must be 15-18 years of age.
- Tournament Polo
- Headwear
- Tournament Lanyard w/ Credential
- Meal(s) provided for each worked shift
- Volunteer Appreciation Party Invite

Link to Register/Login:

https://www.cuetoems.com/founders_2024/Volunteer.aspx



Volunteer Uniforms

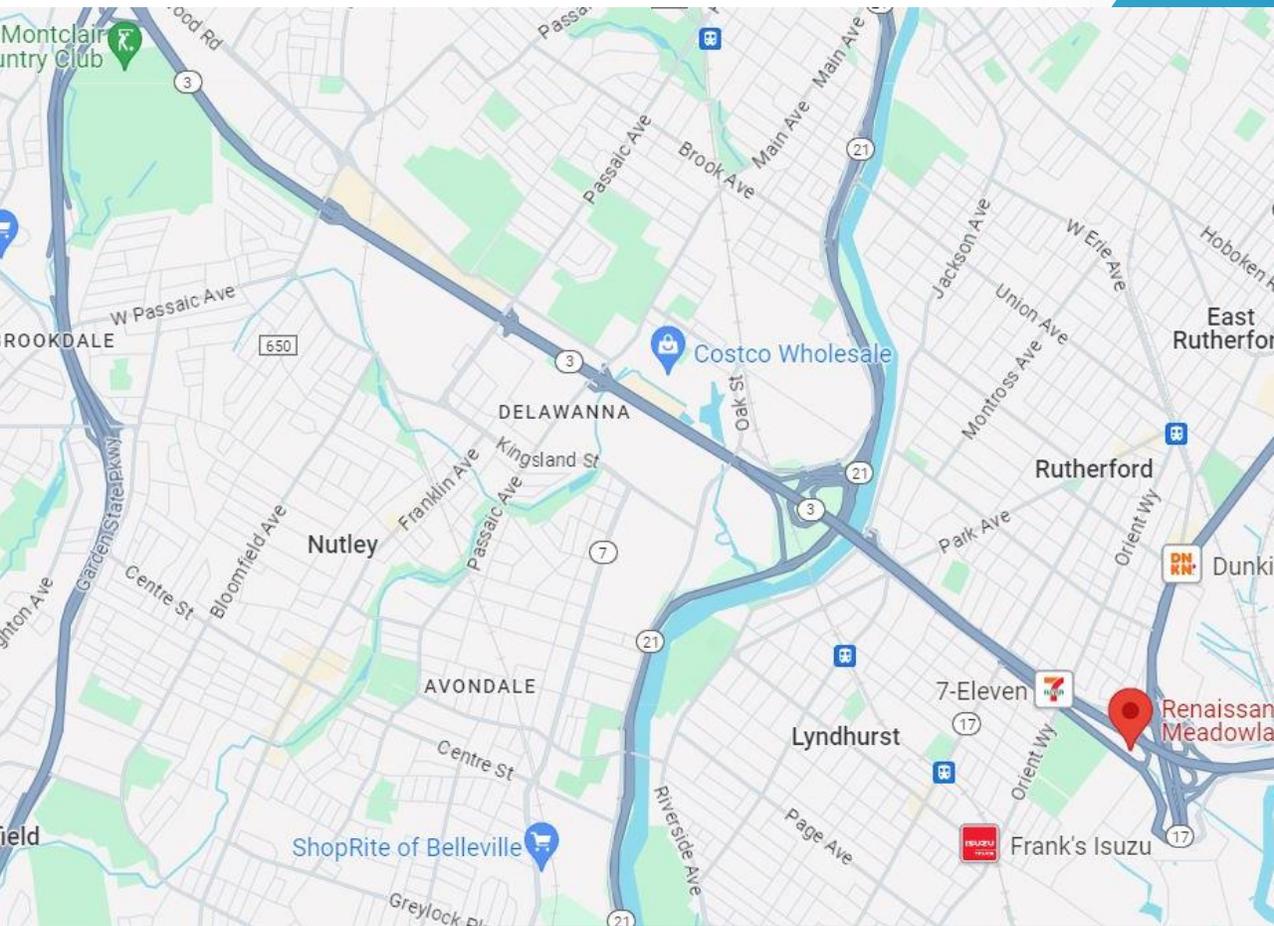


All volunteers will be required to wear the following while on duty!

- Tournament Polo
- Tournament Outerwear
- Headwear
- Tournament Lanyard with Credential (provides access to tournament Grounds)
- All volunteers to wear Grey/Navy bottoms

- **Rain Gear:** If there is rain in the forecast volunteers are allowed to wear their own rain gear. Please note that rain gear is not part of the volunteer packages. Please plan accordingly!

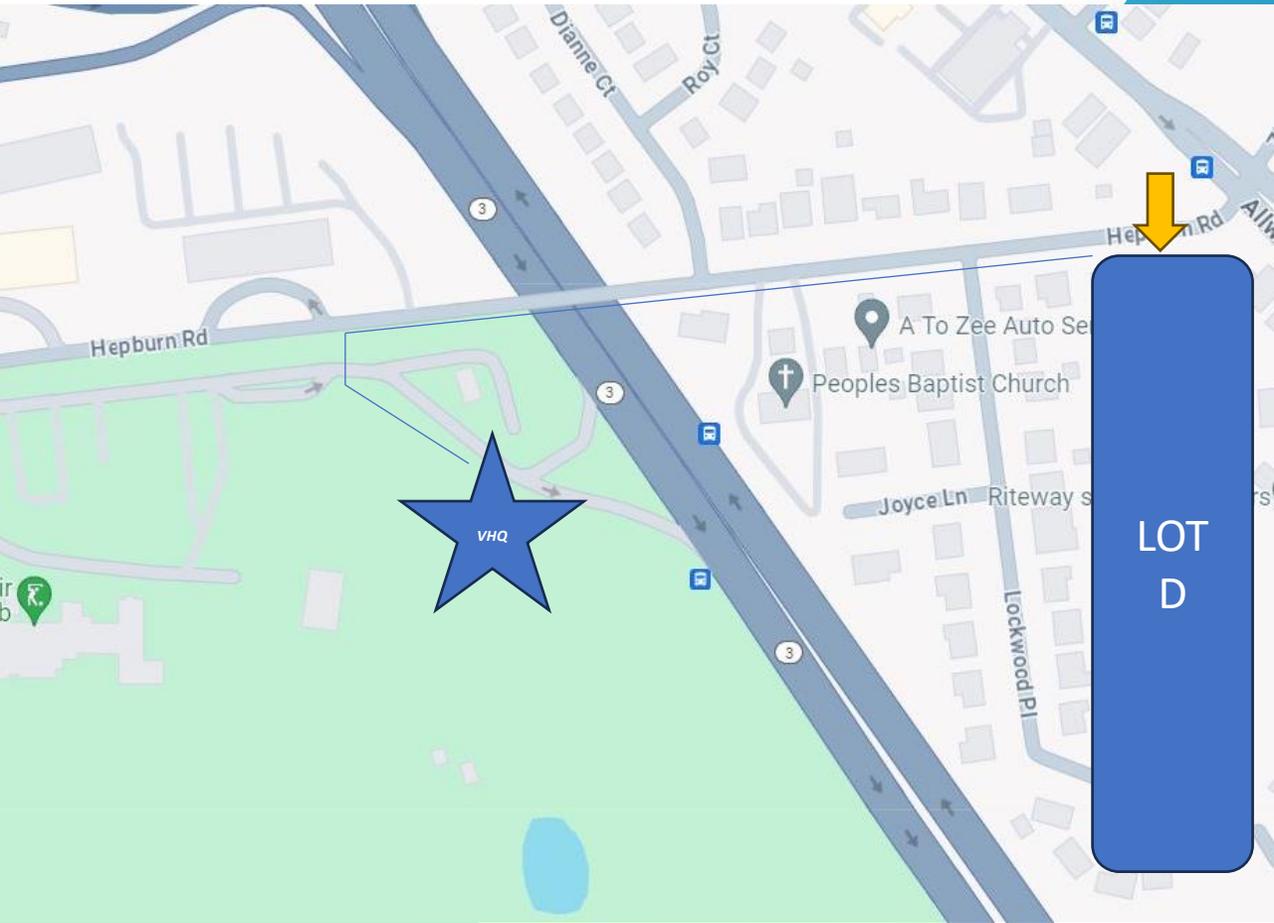
- No jeans or cargos! Closed toe shoes only, no golf spikes!



Uniform Distribution

Uniform Distribution will take place:

- **When:** *Saturday, May 4th from 9AM-3PM.*
 - **Where:** *Renaissance Meadowlands Hotel (801 Rutherford Ave, Rutherford, NJ 07070)*
- We ask that all volunteer chairs attend uniform distribution. You will be able to ask about committee shifts and updates!
 - Great time ask for training materials needed.
 - Volunteers unable to attend will need to pick up prior to their first shift at VHQ.
 - You can have a friend/family member pick up your uniform for you as well!



Volunteer Parking

All volunteers will park at Lot D (same as last year).

- **Address:**
 - 15 Hepburn Rd
- **Cart Shuttle:**
 - The shuttle committee will be running 6-seater cart shuttles from the pickup tent at Lot D to/from VHQ.

Volunteer Shuttle



Cart Barn and Shuttles Committee will be running the shuttle Monday – Sunday (6 Seaters)

- Shuttle Schedule (Lot D to/from VHQ)
 - Monday 6AM – 7PM
 - Tuesday 6AM – 7PM
 - Wednesday 5:30AM – 7:30PM
 - Thursday 5:30AM – 30 minutes after play
 - Friday 5:30AM - 30 minutes after play
 - Saturday 6:30AM - 30 minutes after play
 - Sunday 6:30AM - 30 minutes after play
- UMCC members will also be parking at Lot D
- Please allow up to 5 minutes for shuttles!

Volunteer Shift Check In & Catering



Volunteers will report to VHQ for shift check In unless directed otherwise by the committee chair.

- VHQ will be in same position as last year (Clubs Driving Range).
- Please arrive 15 minutes early to your shift report time!

Volunteer Catering

- **Coffee/Grab-n-Go Breakfast Items**
 - Located each Morning in VHQ
 - 6AM – 9AM
- **Lunch**
 - Located each day in VHQ
 - 11AM – 1:30PM
- **Boxed Lunches**
 - Limited box lunches will be provided for volunteers working double shifts and in on-course roles. Please connect with your committee chair if you have questions.

Volunteer Assignments/Schedules



Volunteers shift schedules are visible to all volunteers in your volunteer account!

- Please login and review your schedule.
- Chairs contact info can be found at the bottom of your home page or on slide 6.
- Please contact your committee chair ASAP if you need a schedule change.
- Schedules will also be sent out by your committee chairs and the LPGA on *Monday, April 29th*

If unable to login to your volunteer account, please contact your committee chair or foundersvolunteer@lpga.com



Mobile Tickets

- LPGA has now partnered with SeatGeek! We have added a new Ticketing Department with the LPGA to run our events.
- Tickets will be sent out Friday, May 3rd
- Need help with your SeatGeek Account? Contact Ticketing@lpga.com
- No screenshots or print tickets! Spectators must download the SeatGeek App!



Merchandise Sale

- Cognizant Founders Cup apparel will be on sale in VHQ!
- The sale will begin Wednesday, May 8th at 12PM. Merchandise will be sold through Sunday, May 12th while supplies last!
 - Jackets: \$30
 - Polos: \$20
 - Hats: \$10
 - Pin Flags: \$25
 - Drawstring Bags: \$5



PGA TOUR SUPERSTORE



Volunteer Appreciation Party

- **When:** Monday, May 6th from 5-7PM
- **Where:** PGA Tour Superstore (295 NJ-17, Paramus, NJ 07652).
- **Who:** Only Cognizant Founders Cup Volunteers can attend!

Enjoy a drink, snack, and raffle prizes on the LPGA! The PGA Tour Superstore will put on a long putt, closest to the pin, and long drive contest.

Volunteers will have a \$20 off coupon of purchases of \$100 or more! Only valid 5/06 from 5-7PM.

Volunteer Counts

360+ *Volunteers*

Thank you for your support of the LPGA and the
Cognizant Founders Cup!





THANK YOU

**We look forward to seeing you on
the course!**

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Any Questions? Please contact your committee chair!