



40TH

U.S. SENIOR OPEN

CHAMPIONSHIP

Player Memorandum

— Warren Golf Course at Notre Dame | Notre Dame, Ind. —

June 24 - 30, 2019



conducted by the



PLAYER ACCOMMODATIONS

Hotels

The Morris Inn and the Embassy Suites will serve as the host hotels for players and their families during the 2019 U.S. Senior Open Championship. Please note that any player wishing to check into either of the hotels prior to Monday, June 24 will be allocated a room pending availability.

Each exempt player is entitled to reserve a maximum of two (2) rooms. Each qualifier is guaranteed one room and additional upon availability. All reservations and any subsequent changes to the reservations must be made through the Player Services Office by emailing Jenny Pritchard at jpritchard@usga.org or calling 908.748.4770. Reservations or changes may not be made through the hotel directly.

Morris Inn

130 Morris Inn
 Notre Dame, IN 46556
<https://morrisinn.nd.edu/>

Rate: \$179/night

Room Options: King or Two Queens

Parking: Valet and Self-Parking are available

The Morris Inn is Notre Dame's only University hotel located in the heart of campus.

Morris Inn Hotel Amenities include:		
<p><u>Dining</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sorin • Rohr • Wind Family Fireside Terrace 	<p><u>Guest Services</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Room Service • Concierge Service • Nightly Turn Down Service • Complimentary High-Speed Wireless Internet • Business Center • Dry-Cleaning & Laundry Services • Overnight Shoe Shine Service 	<p><u>Fitness & Recreation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24-Hour Fitness Center • Notre Dame Fitness Facilities

Embassy Suites by Hilton South Bend at Notre Dame

1140 E. Angela Blvd
 South Bend, IN 46617
<https://embassysuites3.hilton.com/en/hotels/indiana/embassy-suites-by-hilton-south-bend-at-notre-dame-SBNESES/index.html>

Rate: \$205/night for King Studio Suite

\$225/night for King Two Room Suite

\$225/night for 2 Queen Two Room Suite

Parking: \$11/day : Garage Self-Parking

The Embassy Suites is located adjacent to campus and is only 5 minutes from the Warren Golf Course.

Embassy Suites features include:		
Dining	Guest Services	Fitness & Recreation
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complimentary Made-To-Order Breakfast• Complimentary Evening Reception• Traditions restaurant	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Room Service• Complimentary High-Speed Wireless Internet• Business Center• Dry-Cleaning & Laundry Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 24-Hour Fitness Center• Heated Indoor Pool

Private Home Rental

The Player Services Office has a limited number of homes on file to rent during the 2019 U.S. Senior Open Championship. If you are interested in renting a private home, please contact the Player Services Office at 908.748.4770 or jpritchard@usga.org.

ARRIVAL INFORMATION

South Bend International Airport (SBN) is the closest commercial airport and Atlantic SBN (located at SBN airport) is the closest FBO that services private jet travel.

Commercial Air Travel

South Bend International Airport (SBN)

4477 Progress Drive
South Bend, IN 46628
<https://flysbn.com/>

Distance to Warren Golf Course: 7 miles
Distance to Morris Inn: 5 miles
Distance to Embassy Suites: 5 miles

Private Air Travel

Atlantic SBN

4302 Lathrop Street
South Bend, IN 46628
Phone: 574.233.8285
<https://www.atlanticaviation.com/location/sbn>

Distance to Warren Golf Course: 7 miles
Distance to Morris Inn: 5 miles
Distance to Embassy Suites: 5 miles

Alternate Arrival Locations

If you are planning to arrive at any airport other than SBN, you will be responsible for your own transportation to South Bend.

Lexus SUV Courtesy Car Distribution

Each player will be provided with a Lexus courtesy car for use during the week of the 2019 U.S. Senior Open. Pertinent directions and procedures will be found within the vehicle as well as a built-in navigation system for your convenience.

Upon your arrival into SBN, please check in with the transportation representative located near the information desk in baggage claim. The representative will assist with your luggage and escort you to your courtesy vehicle curbside.

Upon your arrival into Atlantic Aviation SBN, you will be greeted by the transportation representative who will have your courtesy car available curbside.

For players arriving by other methods, your courtesy car will be available for pick up upon arrival to the Warren Golf Course.

PLAYER INFORMATION

Credentials

Credentials will be distributed at Player Registration beginning Sunday, June 23 (see “Registration”). Each player will receive a credential for himself and may request a maximum of ten (10) complimentary credentials for family and/or guests. Of that quantity, a player may request all of the following:

- **Four (4) “Player Guest” credentials** for guests (including a spouse) which allow week-long access into the Player Hospitality tented facility located adjacent to the Notre Dame Golf Facility at the far end of the practice range. Player Hospitality is only for players, their spouses and guests who have “Player Guest” credentials. **“Player Guest” credentials do not allow inside-the-ropes access.** Due to space limitations, players will be strictly limited to a maximum of four (4) “Player Guest” credentials.
- **Two (2) complimentary Irish Club ticket packages** which will allow week-long access to the championship grounds and the Irish Club; an exclusive climate-controlled tent located players’ right of hole 17 featuring comfortable seating and live television coverage of the U.S. Senior Open. Food and beverage is available for an additional charge.
- **Four (4) complimentary Gallery ticket packages** which will allow week-long access to the championship grounds.

In addition to the complimentary credentials above, each player may request up to two (2) complimentary credentials for their designated instructors. The “Player Instructor” credential will provide access to the Practice Facilities all week. **This “Player Instructor” credential cannot be used by managers, agents or family members under any circumstance.** The Instructor credential can be obtained during Player Registration onsite and the Player Services office thereafter.

Equipment Conformance Issues

Players with any doubt over the conformance of their equipment should contact John Spitzer, Managing Director, Equipment Standards, at 908.310.5407 or jspitzer@usga.org. It is recommended that any concerns are raised before the start of the championship.



Locker Room

The Player Locker Room will be in the Notre Dame Golf Team facility located adjacent to Player Hospitality. A credential checkpoint will be located outside the Locker Room area. Proper credentials will be required in order to gain entry. There will be Locker Room attendants available to assist players and act as a messenger service during the week of the championship. Caddies will not be permitted in Player Hospitality or the Locker Room.

Merchandise

Merchandise for the 2019 U.S. Senior Open Championship will be available in two (2) locations; the Main Merchandise Tent will be located near the Main Admission Gate and a secondary Merchandise tent will be located adjacent to the practice range. Players, their spouses and their immediate family members will be offered a 15% discount on U.S. Senior Open Merchandise. Only "Player" and "Player Guest" credentials are entitled to the discount.

Parking

Complimentary valet parking will be available to all players and will be in the parking lot adjacent to the Player Locker Room and Player Hospitality. Each player will be issued one (1) Lot V decal which will be available in your courtesy car. Please follow the directions provided in your Lexus courtesy car as other routes may be detoured due to championship traffic patterns.

Player Hospitality

Player Hospitality will be a climate controlled tented facility located near the Player Locker Room. Breakfast, lunch and afternoon snacks will be served daily, compliments of the USGA. Only players and their guests with the proper credentials may gain access into Player Hospitality. A credential scanning check-point will be located just outside the Player Hospitality area. Only "Player" and "Player Guest" credentials will grant access into this area.

Player Mail and Package Delivery

All player mail and packages will be delivered to the 2019 U.S. Senior Open Championship Office. The Championship Office has one address for both standard mail and packages. All mail and packages will be thoroughly screened at a postal inspection facility prior to arrival on-site. Please use the following address:

Player Name
Attention: Player Locker Room
2019 U.S. Senior Open Championship
110 Warren Golf Course Clubhouse
Notre Dame, IN 46556

Practice Facility

Players will have access to the practice range and a short game area located at the Warren Golf Course. A credential check-point will be located at the entrance to the Practice Facilities and proper credentials will be required in order to gain access. Only a player, his caddie and his instructor will have access to the Practice Facilities.

The Practice Facilities will be open during the following hours:

Friday, June 21 – Sunday, June 23 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Monday, June 24 – Sunday, June 30 6:00 a.m.



Practice Rounds

The Warren Golf Course will be accessible, pending availability, for any player wanting to make an advance trip prior to the U.S. Senior Open Championship. Please contact Robbie Zalzneck, Director, U.S. Senior Open, via cell 910.409.0465 for further details.

Players arriving early to the championship will have access to play practice rounds Friday, June 21 through Sunday, June 23 on a first-come-first-served basis. Official championship practice rounds are scheduled to begin on Monday, June 24. Practice round tee times for Monday-Wednesday can be secured by calling the Player Services Office (908.748.4770) or upon arrival at player registration.

The schedule for official practice round tee times is as follows:

<u>#1 Tee</u>	<u>Monday, June 24</u>	<u>Tuesday, June 25</u>	<u>Wednesday, June 26</u>
A.M. Start Times	7:30 a.m. – 9:42 a.m.	7:30 a.m. – 9:42 a.m.	7:30 a.m. – 9:42 a.m.
P.M. Start Times	1:00 p.m. – 3:12 p.m.	1:00 p.m. – 3:12 p.m.	1:00 p.m. – 3:12 p.m.
<u>#10 Tee*</u>			
A.M. Start Times	7:35 a.m. – 9:47 a.m.	7:35 a.m. – 9:47 a.m.	7:35 a.m. – 9:47 a.m.
P.M. Start Times	1:05 p.m. – 3:17 p.m.	1:05 p.m. – 3:17 p.m.	1:05 p.m. – 3:17 p.m.

Practice Rounds Attire

The USGA has approved a change in our Player Appearance Guidelines. Players will be able to wear golf shorts during practice rounds. Shorts must be knee-length, tailored and neat in appearance. Compression leggings worn underneath shorts must be solid in color.

Please note that long pants are still required during championship rounds.

Registration

Player Registration will be conducted in the official **Notre Dame Football Stadium Team Locker Room** located at the North Gate of the Stadium.

Players may register beginning Sunday, June 23 at 8:00 a.m. Registration officially closes at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 25.

Registration hours are the following:

Sunday, June 23	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Monday, June 24	6:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday, June 25	6:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Players must register in person during the hours listed above, unless they officially notify the USGA. Any player who has not registered on-site or has not notified the USGA by 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 25, is subject to having his spot in the championship replaced by an alternate.

If a player has any questions about the registration process, please contact the Player Services Office at 908.748.4770. If any player has a question about the actual conduct of the championship, the player may contact Ben Kimball, Director, U.S. Senior Open Championship, by cell phone at 908.217.3811.

Withdrawals

If a player must withdraw from the championship, the player must advise Robbie Zalzneck, Director, U.S. Senior Open, without delay by calling 910.409.0465.



Two-Tee Start

The 2019 U.S. Senior Open will utilize a two-tee start, from the 1st and 10th tees, during the Thursday and Friday championship rounds. In addition, the two-tee start format will be used during the official practice rounds.