

# OHIO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

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**To:** Media Representative

**From:** Tim Stried, OHSAA Director of Media Relations

Welcome to the 2024 Ohio High School Athletic Association State Golf Tournaments. We are pleased to have you as our guests and would like to thank you for your coverage.

Enclosed in your media packet are a media credential and a program that lists tee times, participants and state tournament history. Please refer to this letter and media packet for any questions you may have while covering the tournament.

We ask that while following the tournament you adhere to these guidelines.

1. Remain a half hole behind the participants you are following.
2. Media are not permitted to use a motorized golf cart.
3. Interviews are only permitted during crossover (from 9 to 10 or from 18 to 1) or after a round has been completed. Do not converse with participants during play.
4. Photographers and all media must remain off the greens and surrounding close proximity spaces and do not shoot as a player is swinging or putting.

**Tournament Format:** At NorthStar and NCR, groups begin teeing off at 9 a.m. At Firestone, play is scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m. Threesomes will tee off on holes 1 and 10. Twelve teams and 12 individuals (72 golfers) will participate in each division, where a team champion and individual medalist will be crowned. The 36-hole tournament will consist of 18 holes on Friday and 18 on Saturday. Team scores will be determined by using the best four of five scores each day.

Media workspace with wireless internet access will be available in the clubhouse at each course.

Results will be posted on the OHSAA web site as soon as possible following each day of competition.

Thank you for your attendance and coverage of the state golf tournaments!

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