



# 108<sup>th</sup> Alabama State Amateur Championship

June 5-8 2024

Shoal Creek Club, Shoal Creek AL



Entries Open: March 4

Entries Close: May 9

Entry Fee: \$325 Exempt (\$125 Qualifying) (Includes Qualifying/Championship Cart/Range Fees)

## EXEMPTIONS FROM QUALIFYING

Players in the following categories will be eligible for exemption in the 2024 Championship only. The AGA reserves the right to revise any of the exemption categories. Exempt players who wish to participate in the Championship must file an entry by May 9, 2024 except those players for whom blank entries are filed as noted below. Exempt players must meet all the eligibility requirements set forth in Eligibility Section.

**1. All former winners of the AGA State Amateur Championship:**

2023-Tyler Watts	2021-Gordon Sargent	2020-Gordon Sargent	
2019-Jack Goldasich	2017-Taylor Eyster	2012-Andy McRae	2006-Ben Moody
2002, 2005-Will Swift	2004-Lance Goodson Jr.	1997-Richard Jeffers	1998-Scott Weatherly
1989-John Wright			

**2. Winners of the AGA State Match Play Championship last ten years:**

2023-Will Patrick	2022-Jack Goldasich	2021-Matthew Myers	2019-Ethan Hagood
2017-Matt Gourgeot	2014-Tyler Hitchner		

**3. Winners of the AGA State Mid-Amateur last five years:**

2023-Connor Elder	2022-Haymes Snedeker	2021-Tyler Hitchner/Will McCurdy	2020-Robby Prater
2019-Vic Kyatt			

**4. Winner of the 2023 AGA Boys State Junior Championship:**

Michael Crocker

**5. Winners of the AGA State Senior Championship last three years:**

2024-TBD	2023-Shaw Pritchett	2022-Robert Nelson
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(NOTE: Blank entry will be filed by the AGA for player who becomes exempt after close of entries.)

**6. Winners of the AGA State Four-Ball Championship last five years:**

2024-TBD	2023-Blake Watts/Will McCurdy	2022-Clay Guerin/James Salter
2021-Alex Balog/Daniel Burns	2020- Tim Harwick	

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**7. Winner of the 2023 AGA State Senior Match Play Championship:**

Shaw Pritchett

**8. From the 2023 AGA State Amateur Championship, any player that posted a 72-hole score:**

Tyler Watts	Carter Goodwin	Ryley Heath	Josiah Gilbert	Trip Duke
Max Johnson	George Burch	Blake Watts	Jones Free	John Snoddy
JP Cave	Michael Crocker	Brantley Scott	Haymes Snedeker	Trey Rouse
Conner Elder	Daniel Burns	Will McFadden	Cole Imig	Thomas Crane
Price Brown	Ryan Eshleman	Blair Hamm	William Stelt	Ken Goforth
Will McCurdy	Jordan Plunkett	Wil Clowdus	Tanner Guthrie	Vincent Cave
Harrison Sims	Sam Audia	Charles Warren	Garrison Guthrie	Jonathan Peters
Austin Hynson	Clay Guerin	Hal Dove	Jack Goldasich	Trent Trousdale
Trent Alexander	Shaw Pritchett	Matt Ritchie	Jackson King	James Mitchell
Tom Fischer	Robert Nelson	Cole Komyati	Matthew Streitman	Will Patrick
Colton Boyce	John Gaal	Trip Smalley	Tobin Ayers	Billy Andrews
Arrington Mooney	Dawson Farni	Gary Glassman	Zackery Coker	Tyden Steele
Hayden Carner	Gavin Isbell	Brinson Holder	Parker Moellinger	Eric Howle
Prather Reaves				

**9. From the 2023 AGA State Match Play Championship, those players who advanced to the Quarterfinals:**

Tanner Guthrie	Daniel Burns	Jack Lawson	Trace Bracknell	Ken Goforth
Alex Balog	Will Patrick	Elad Sebbag		

**10. From the 2023 AGA State Mid-Amateur, the 10 lowest scores and anyone tying for 10<sup>th</sup> place:**

Connor Elder	Hunter Hawkins	Blake Kelley	Chris Hummel	Trent Alexander
Daniel Burns	Daniel Keddie	Alex Balog	Will McCurdy	Wil Clowdus

Woodie Eubanks

11. From the 2023 AGA Boys State Junior, the 3 lowest scores and anyone tying for 3<sup>rd</sup> place:

Michael Crocker      Andrew Hinson      Trip Duke

12. From the 2023 Alabama Open, amateurs finishing among the top 5 overall:

John Bruce      Josiah Gilbert

13. Any player who played in either the 2023 USGA Open Sectional Qualifying or 2023 USGA Senior Open Championship:

Gordon Sargent      Bradley Funderburk      Scott Cornette

14. Any player who played in the 2023 USGA Amateur, Mid-Amateur, Senior or Junior Championships:

Gordon Sargent      Chris Devlin      Thomas Ponder      Trent Alexander  
Will Patrick      Chase Kyes      Blair Hamm      Hunter Hamrick      Jon Ed Steed  
Blake Watts      Will McCurdy      Stewart Whitt      Tyler Watts      Steve Hudson  
Emile Vaughan      Stewart Alexander

15. Any player who played in the 2024 USGA Amateur Four-Ball Championship:

Mac Scott      Wesley Pate      Clint Provost

16. The 2023 Alabama Men's Player of the Year:

17. The 2023 Alabama Senior Men's Player of the Year:

Shaw Pritchett

18. The 2023 Alabama Junior Boys Player of the Year:

Tyler Watts

19. Any player who ranks within the top 25 point leaders and anyone tying for 25<sup>th</sup> place of the Alabama Men's Amateur Rankings as of March 1, 2024:

Gordon Sargent      Thomas Ponder      Tyler Watts      Blake Watts      Will Patrick  
Ryley Heath      Daniel Burns      Carter Goodwin      Josiah Gilbert      Conner Elder  
Jack Lawson      Will McCurdy      Hunter Hawkins      Chris Devlin      Kem Goforth  
Hunter Battles      Alex Balog      George Burch      Jones Free      Trip Duke  
Blair Hamm      Ford Goldasich      Trent Alexander      Max Johnson

20. Any player who ranks within the top 10 point leaders and anyone tying for 10<sup>th</sup> place of the Alabama Junior Boys Rankings as of March 1, 2024:

Tyler Watts      Andrew Hinson      Chase Kyes      Jon Ed Steed      Michael Crocker  
Jackson Skinner      Trip Duke      Jonathan Peters      Bailey Sutter      Mason Crowder

21. Players ranked within the Top 5000 of the World Amateur Golf Rankings (WAGR) as of date of entry.

22. One exemption for Championship Host Club.

23. Special exemptions as selected by the AGA.