OFFICIAL RULES:

The 2020 Shenandoah University Virtual Homecoming Golf Tournament is a team Best Ball tournament, recorded within the free 18Birdies App. To qualify, you must play and post one (1) Qualified Round at a golf course of your choosing (par 70 or greater) between Oct. 1, 2020 and Oct. 31, 2020. Scores must be submitted through the 18Birdies App by 11:59 p.m. PST on Oct. 31, 2020. The 18Birdies App provides all the details you need regarding Qualified Rounds.

What is Best Ball?

Best Ball is a golf tournament format in which the multiple golfers who make up a team (up to four players) compare their scores on each hole, and the one lowest score among them - the "best ball" among them - counts as the team score.

Example: If the four scores on Hole 1 are 4, 4, 6 and 5, the team score is 4. On Hole 2, if the team members score 5, 4, 7 and 3, the team score is 3. And so on. Do that for 18 holes and add up the score for the team's total.

Tie Breaker

The USGA Recommended Method for tiebreakers will be used to determine the winner, if there is a tie. If a tie exists after using this method, the winner will be selected based on most birdies in their round. If a tie still exists after this, the tiebreaker will be awarded to whoever made birdie first in their round.

The right to contest and/or disqualify any questionable or suspect rounds is reserved by the 2020 Shenandoah University Virtual Homecoming Golf Tournament administrators.

Those participants who join the tournament agree to allow the Shenandoah University Alumni Association to use information submitted for their 18Birdies profile for promotional purposes, which includes but is not limited to social media posts via a range of social media platforms and channels, internal and external emails sent by Shenandoah University and the Shenandoah University Alumni Association, and announcement made via online broadcasts.

Eligibility

The Tournament is open to everyone in the Shenandoah University community including alumni, students, staff members, faculty members and friends of the university. All participants must be an active user of 18Birdies. Active user is defined by the participant using the 18Birdies app to score the tournament round.

Tournament rounds must be considered "Qualified" to be eligible for the prizes.

Prize Selection

Three (3) winners will be selected based on the top three tournament performers. The top three tournament performers are defined by the first three places on the tournament leaderboard.

Winner Selection and Notification

The odds of winning a prize are dependent upon the number of eligible entries received; attempted second entries will be discarded.

Winners will be announced in the 18Birdies App as well as on the Shenandoah University Alumni Association social media channels. Winners will also be notified by email or phone.

All prizes will be mailed out immediately after determining eligibility.