



2026 SDGA JUNIOR TOUR presented by Sanford International

The SDGA Junior Tour aims to provide accessible and competitive golf opportunities for junior golfers in South Dakota and the surrounding region.

Participants are expected to be able to navigate the golf course with minimal supervision, adhere to pace-of-play guidelines, and exhibit proper behavior at the host club and on the course. Courses will be set at appropriate lengths for each age division.

Eligibility for the various Tours is based on a junior's age as of June 1. Juniors who turn 19 by June 1 are only eligible if it is the summer immediately following their high school graduation. Players have the option to register for an older age division.

Note: The SDGA Junior Championships are separate from the *SDGA Junior Tour*. Age eligibility for the Championships is determined by the junior's age on the first day of the Championship.

The *Mini*, *Prep*, and *Series Tours* cater to different playing abilities: beginner, intermediate, and advanced, respectively. The *Series* is an invite-only tour.





SDGA Mini Tour

Beginner

The *Mini Tour* is designed for 7-13 year-olds with limited or no competitive golf experience. These 9-hole stroke play events include divisions for boys and girls in 9 & under, 10-11, and 12-13 age groups.

Juniors have the option to register and compete in an older age group in any tournament if they choose. There is also an intermediate boys 12-13 18-hole division as part of the *Prep Tour*. 12-13 year old girls that wish to play 18 holes at high school length have the option to play up to the 14-15 girls division on the *Prep Tour*. Both the *Mini* and *Prep Tours* hold competitions across four distinct Regions, and members are free to participate in any regional event. Caddies are permitted on the *Mini Tour*.

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SDGA Prep Tour

Intermediate

This Tour offers 18-hole competitions for golfers aged 12-18. It's ideal for juniors who want to develop their competitive skills in a relaxed setting, and also serves as excellent preparation for high school golf.

Divisions are available for both boys and girls with age groups spanning 14-15 and 16-18, as well as an 18-hole intermediate boys 12-13 division. Juniors can play-up into an older age group when registering for any event. Events for both the *Mini* and *Prep Tours* are held across four Regions, and members are welcome to compete in any regional event.

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Advanced

Designed for aspiring collegiate golfers, the *SDGA | Sanford International Series* helps players make an impact on their high school teams. It features several multi-day, 36-hole stroke play competitions, to prepare them for the collegiate level. There are divisions for boys

and girls. High school players are eligible to apply for membership. To be considered, please submit a cover letter and a competitive resume to SDGASanfordSeries@sdga.org. Priority will be given to sophomores, juniors and seniors, and players with *SDGA Prep Tour* experience and success.

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SDGA Mini Tour & SDGA Prep Tour presented by Sanford International 2026 Schedule



| Metro Region <i>NEW!</i> Prep Tour  | | Metro Region <i>NEW!</i> Mini Tour  | | Southeast Region Mini & Prep Tours   | | Northeast Region Mini & Prep Tours   | | West Region Mini & Prep Tours   | |
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| June 11 | Brandon GC Brandon | Hidden Valley GC Brandon | May 27 | The Bluffs GC Vermillion | June 10 | Whetstone Creek GC Milbank | May 28 | GC at Red Rock Rapid City | |
| June 15 | Elmwood GC Sioux Falls | Northern Links GC Sioux Falls | June 4 | Madison CC Madison | June 17 | Broadland Creek GC Huron | June 4 | Southern Hills GC Hot Springs | |
| July 2 | Willow Run GC Sioux Falls | Elmwood GC - East Sioux Falls | June 18 | Lakeview GC Mitchell | June 29 | Moccasin Creek CC Aberdeen | June 8 | Spearfish Canyon GC Spearfish | |
| July 6 | Prairie Green GC Sioux Falls | Hiawatha GC Canton | June 25 | Fox Run GC Yankton | June 30 | Lee Park GC Aberdeen | June 15 | Hart Ranch GC Rapid City | |
| July 8 | Rocky Run GC Dell Rapids | Kuehn Park GC Sioux Falls | July 1 | Two Rivers GC Dakota Dunes | July 6 | Prairie Winds GC Watertown | June 29 | Arrowhead CC Rapid City | |
| July 14 | Central Valley GC Hartford | River Ridge GC Garretson | July 13 | Worthington GC Worthington, MN | July 7 | Cattail Crossing GC Watertown | July 6 | Boulder Canyon GC Sturgis | |
| July 23 | Bakker Crossing GC Sioux Falls | Lenkota CC Lennox | July 16 | Brookings CC Brookings | July 13 | Lake Region GC Arlington | July 13 | The Elks GC Rapid City | |
| July 29 | Spring Creek CC Harrisburg | Kuehn Park GC Sioux Falls | July 22 | Edgebrook GC Brookings | July 21 | Hillsview GC Pierre | July 23 | Meadowbrook GC Rapid City | |

SDGA Junior Tour Cup - Monday, August 3 - Hillsview GC, Pierre

METRO vs SOUTHEAST vs NORTHEAST vs WEST

Top 2 Boys & Girls Point Leaders in each Age group from each Region qualify



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2026 Schedule

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| Southeast Region | June 8 - Dakota Dunes CC Dakota Dunes | June 9 - Hillcrest G & CC Yankton |
| West Region | June 15 - Hart Ranch GC Rapid City | June 16 - Meadowbrook GC Rapid City |
| Metro Region | June 29 - Prairie Green GC Sioux Falls | June 30 - Willow Run GC Sioux Falls |
| Northeast Region | July 6 - Moccasin Creek CC Aberdeen | July 7 - Lee Park GC Aberdeen |
| Black Hills Region | July 15 - Elkhorn Ridge GC Spearfish | July 16 - Spearfish Canyon GC Spearfish |
| Series Championship | July 20 - Sutton Bay GC Agar | <i>Top 24 Boys & 12 Girls Points Leaders Qualify</i> |





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2026 South Dakota Junior Majors

Boys Junior PGA Championship Qualifying - June 19

Central Valley GC, Hartford - [LEARN MORE](#)

SDGA Adult/Junior 16-18 Championship - June 21

GC at Red Rock, Rapid City - [LEARN MORE](#)

SDGA Boys & Girls Junior 16-18 Championships - June 22-24

GC at Red Rock, Rapid City - [LEARN MORE](#)

Notah Begay III Junior Golf National Championship Qualifier - July 15

(in conjunction with the Black Hills Series Event)

Elkhorn Ridge GC, Spearfish - [LEARN MORE](#)

SDGA Adult/Junior 15 & Under Championship - July 26

Hart Ranch GC, Rapid City - [LEARN MORE](#)

SDGA Boys & Girls Junior 13 & Under Championships - July 27

Hart Ranch GC, Rapid City - [LEARN MORE](#)

SDGA Boys & Girls Junior 14-15 Championships - July 27-28

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AJGA Junior at Red Rock - September 3-6

GC at Red Rock, Rapid City - [LEARN MORE](#)