THE 46TH ANNUAL
IHSAA GIRLS GOLF STATE FINALS
Sept. 28-29, 2018
Prairie View Golf Club, Carmel, Ind.

A total of 15 teams have advanced five golfers each and 25 individuals have made it without their squads for a total of 100 participants. All teams and players will play 36 holes. Groups will be teeing off the 1st and 10th tees at 8:30 am ET / 7:30 am CT on Friday and at the same time on Saturday.

Live Scoring | Day 1 Tee Times & Pairings | State Championship Records Book

- Top-ranked and defending state champion Zionsville, which won its first state championship a year ago, is making its fourth consecutive state finals appearance. The Eagles’ Annabelle Pancake is the highest finishing returnee from last season’s state finals finishing fourth overall. Two weeks ago, she fired a 64 to win the Brownsburg Sectional at West Chase, which stands as this state tournament’s best outing.

- Second-ranked Evansville North is making its eighth consecutive appearance in the state finals and will be aiming for their fourth state title in the last five years. Columbus North and Evansville Memorial are making their fourth straight visit. After Zionsville, No. 3 Homestead, No. 4 Carmel and No. 11 Hamilton Southeastern are each making their third straight showing.

- Ten of last year’s 15 competing teams have returned to this year’s state finals including eight of the top 10 teams in the final coaches poll from the Indiana High School Golf Coaches Association. Also, seven of the top 10 finishing teams have returned from last year’s event.

- Carmel, Evansville North and Zionsville each captured sectional championships two weeks ago and tallied three of the top five scores ever recorded in a girls golf sectional. Carmel and Evansville North’s 288 at South Grove and Eagle Valley, respectively, tied for the second-lowest score. Zionsville’s 289 at West Chase was the fourth-best mark. The Eagles set the record with a 284 last year at the same course.

- Sixth-ranked Guerin Catholic is the only team making its initial appearance at the state finals this year. The Golden Eagles took third place at the Roncalli Regional played at Smock Golf Course in Indianapolis last weekend.

- South Bend St. Joseph is making its third overall appearance in the state finals and first since 2007, thanks to the Indians’ third place finish at the East Noble Regional played at Noble Hawk Golf Links in Kendallville.
Annaliese Fox (11) New Pales
Annie Gillock (12) New Castle
Lia Thomas (10) Michigan City
Emmah Keller (12) Mar
Kristen Hobbs (12) Lapel
Dominque Colantuono (12) Lake Central
Grace Szkclarek (11) Penn
Lyvia Li (11) Penn

Teams Returning from 2017 State Finals
(10 of 15)
Bedford North Lawrence
Carmel
Columbus North
Culver Academies
Evansville Memorial
Evansville North
Hamilton Southeastern
Homestead
Lafayette Jefferson
NorthWood
Richmond
South Bend St. Joseph
Zionsville

Individuals Returning from 2017 Top 10 (4)
4. Annabelle Pancake, Zionsville, 74-75-149
7. Jocelyn Bruch, Westfield, 75-79-154
7. Abby Thielbar, Zionsville, 70-84-154
10. Reese Wilson, Culver Academies 79-76-155

Most Consecutive State Finals Appearances

Active Streaks of Consecutive State Finals Team Appearances (3 or more years)
8: Evansville North
5: Columbus North, Evansville Memorial
4: Zionsville
3: Carmel, Hamilton Southeastern, Homestead

First-Time Team State Finals Appearances
Whitney Christian
South Bend St. Joseph

First-Time Individual State Finals Appearances
Kayla Benge, Carmel

State Finals Appearance Droughts Broken (10 or more years)
11 years: South Bend St. Joseph (last appearance in 2007)

Former Individual State Champions in Field None.

Former Individual State Runners-Up in Field None.

First-Time Regional Champions in Field None.

Active Regional Championship Streaks
5: Evansville North
3: Homestead

Regional Championship Droughts Broken (10 years or more)
23 years: Culver Academies (last regional crown in 1995)
**MEDIA INFORMATION**

**Tournament Administrator:** Assistant Commissioner Chris Kaufman.

**Media Hosts:** Sports Information Director Jason Wille and staff assistant Mike Wilson will be on hand to assist in your coverage.

**Media Credentials:** The 2018-19 IHSAA State Finals Media Credential will allow for admission. To apply, please e-mail your request (with name of individual) as soon as possible to IHSAA Sports Information Director Jason Wille at jwille@ihsaa.org. E-mail requests MUST originate from a recognized business account; e-mails from personal accounts (ie: yahoo.com, gmail.com, etc.) will not be accepted. Deadline is Wednesday, Sept. 26, at 4 pm ET / 3 pm CT. Approved requests will be left for pickup at the front gate entrance to Prairie View Golf Club.

**Media Parking:** News media should drive through the adjacent neighborhood to the golf course’s front gate to claim their requested credential. From there, if space is available, you may proceed to the main parking lot next to the clubhouse.

**Riding Carts:** A limited number of riding carts will be available at cost on a “first-come, first-served” basis. Golf carts are limited to the cart path only. Please check the clubhouse counter for details. Courtesy carts also will be circling the course transporting spectators.

**Services:** Working space with electrical power and wireless access will be available in The Ackerman Academy, the building directly north of the main clubhouse. Copies of the official program including scorecards also will be available along with results from both days of the event. Tee-times and pairings for Saturday’s second round will be posted to the IHSAA website as soon as possible on Friday following completion of the first round.

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**2018-19 IHSAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**FALL SPORTS**  
Sept. 28-29 GIRLS GOLF  
Prairie View Golf Club, Carmel  
Oct. 12-13 BOYS TEAM TENNIS  
North Central HS, Indianapolis  
Oct. 13 UNIFIED FLAG FOOTBALL  
Indiana Farm Bureau Football Center, Indianapolis  
Oct. 19-20 BOYS SINGLES & DOUBLES  
Park Tudor HS, Indianapolis  
Oct. 26-27 BOYS & GIRLS SOCCER  
Carroll Stadium, IUPUI, Indianapolis  
Oct. 27 BOYS & GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY  
LaVern Gibson Course, Terre Haute  
Nov. 3 VOLLEYBALL  
Welsh-Ryan Arena, Ball State University, Muncie  
Nov. 23-24 FOOTBALL  
Lucas Oil Stadium, Indianapolis

**WINTER SPORTS**  
Feb. 8-9 GIRLS SWIMMING & DIVING  
IU Natatorium, IUPUI, Indianapolis  
Feb. 15-16 WRESTLING  
Bankers Life Fieldhouse, Indianapolis  
Feb. 22-23 BOYS SWIMMING & DIVING  
IU Natatorium, IUPUI, Indianapolis  
Feb. 23 GIRLS BASKETBALL  
Bankers Life Fieldhouse, Indianapolis  
March 9 GYMNASTICS  
Noblesville HS, Noblesville  
March 23 BOYS BASKETBALL  
Bankers Life Fieldhouse, Indianapolis

**SPRING SPORTS**  
May 31 BOYS TRACK & FIELD  
Robert C. Haugh Track & Field Complex, Indiana University, Bloomington  
June 1 UNIFIED TRACK & FIELD  
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June 1 GIRLS TRACK & FIELD  
Robert C. Haugh Track & Field Complex, Indiana University, Bloomington  
May 31-June 1 GIRLS TEAM TENNIS  
North Central HS, Indianapolis  
June 7-8 GIRLS SINGLES & DOUBLES  
Park Tudor HS, Indianapolis  
June 8 SOFTBALL  
Bittinger Stadium, Purdue University, West Lafayette  
June 11-12 BOYS GOLF  
Prairie View Golf Club, Carmel  
June 17-18 BASEBALL  
Victory Field, Indianapolis
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COURSE ENTRANCE
Tickets, Participant Check-In & Media Will-Call

ACKERMAN ACADEMY
Tournament Central & Media Work Area

SPECTATOR PARKING
Complimentary shuttle service available to and from course.

RESERVED PARKING
Participants, Tournament Workers and Media