



CGMA OPEN FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

When & Where

November 10-12, 2026
Reunion Resort & Golf Club
[7593 Gathering Drive, Kissimmee, FL 34747](#)

Registration & Pricing

How do I register?

Register now by clicking on this link: [2026 CGMA Open](#)

What is included in the registration fee?

The basic tournament package includes:

- Three (3) rounds of golf with cart and range balls (Tuesday–Thursday)
- Welcome Reception
- Shoreside Social
- Awards Banquet
- Breakfast and lunch each day (Tuesday–Thursday)
- Swag bag
- Access to discounted replay rates for additional rounds

We encourage all golfers to stay on property and take full advantage of the resort's world-class amenities. Once you arrive, everything you need will be right here—no need to leave.

Are guests allowed to join us?

Yes. Guest Ticket Includes: (1) Ticket to Welcome Reception, Shoreside Social and Awards Banquet

Is there a discounted rate available?

Yes Discounted rates available for Active-Duty members (E-6/GS-7 and below). Employee ID required.

Is there early bird pricing?

Yes. It ends April 29.

What are the dates for general attendee pricing?

April 29– October 1

Do I need to pay in full or is there a deposit option?

You will need to pay in full at time of registration.



Can I register as a single or do I need a full foursome?

You don't need a full team to participate. If you register as an individual, we'll pair you with other golfers and place you in a foursome for the entire tournament.

Why did the golf fee increase this year?

We've moved the event to Reunion Resort & Golf Club to provide a more premium, all-inclusive experience for our golfers. While this does come with higher associated costs, it also allows us to enhance the overall event—from the courses and amenities to the on-property experience. Our goal is to ensure the tournament continues to deliver a high-quality, memorable experience that makes the investment worthwhile.

Teams & Player Info

Can I request teammates?

Yes. During registration, you will have the opportunity to indicate who you would like to be paired with.

Is there a handicap requirement?

Yes. However, if you do not have an official handicap, you may provide your average score during registration.

Can I update my player information after registering?

Yes. Please contact Jenna Nichols at golf@mycgma.org.

Event Format & Schedule

What is the tournament format?

Day 1 will be a scramble. Days 2 and 3 will feature tournament play.

What does a typical day look like?

Expect mornings on the course starting with breakfast, followed by golf. Afternoons are open for relaxation or resort time, and evenings bring everyone together for social events, receptions, and the Awards Banquet.

How many rounds/courses will we play?

Players will have the opportunity to play three rounds of 18 holes across the Reunion Resort courses: Arnold Palmer, Tom Watson, and Jack Nicklaus.

Are there prizes or contests?

Yes! There will be prizes, including gift cards, for on-course contests and awards for tournament champions.



Experience & Inclusions

What meals/events are included?

Breakfast and lunch are included Tuesday–Thursday at the golf course. Social events include the Welcome Reception, Shoreside Social, and the Awards Banquet—all held on property.

Is transportation included or needed?

Complimentary transportation to and from the golf courses will be provided by Reunion Resort for guests staying on property. Transportation to and from the airport is not included.

Are hotel accommodations included?

Lodging is not included with registration. Once you sign up, you'll receive a link to book your stay directly with Reunion Resort & Golf Club at a discounted group rate of \$199 per night (plus tax) for 2- and 3-bedroom villas.

What should I bring?

Bring your golf clubs, golf attire for three days of play, comfortable shoes, and anything you'll need for a resort stay. We also recommend checking the weather before arrival.

What is the attire for the Welcome Reception, Shoreside Social, and Awards Banquet?

We're bringing a fun, themed element to each event:

- **Welcome Reception:** Come dressed in your best *Happy Gilmore*-inspired golf style
- **Shoreside Social:** Poolside resort casual or swimwear
- **Awards Banquet:** *Masters*-inspired green and white attire.

Is there parking onsite?

Yes, on-site parking is available.

Changes & Policies

What is the cancellation policy?

Cancellations made prior to September 10, 2026, will receive a 100% refund. Cancellations made between September 11, 2026, and October 9, 2026, will receive a 60% refund. Cancellations made on or after October 10, 2026, are non-refundable.

Can I transfer my registration to someone else?

Yes. Registration transfers are permitted. Please contact Jenna Nichols at golf@mycgma.org for assistance.

What happens if I can no longer attend?

If you are no longer able to attend, please contact Jenna Nichols at golf@mycgma.org as soon as possible so we can assist you.



What are the tournament rules?

Golf course guidelines and tournament rules are currently in progress and will be shared prior to the event.

Skill Level & Expectations

Is this event competitive or casual?

The event is designed to offer a balance of both. While there is a competitive element with tournament play and prizes, the overall experience is meant to be fun, social, and enjoyable for all participants.

What skill level is expected?

All skill levels are welcome. Players range from beginners to experienced golfers, and the format is designed to accommodate a wide variety of abilities. You'll be paired appropriately and supported throughout the event.

Sponsorship

How do I become a sponsor?

Sponsorship opportunities are outlined in the CGMA Open Sponsor Guide 2026. If you're interested in sponsoring or have questions, please reach out to Alena Howard, alena.howard@mycgma.org.

Still Have Questions

Who should I contact?

Jenna Nichols
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Where can we go for more information about the event?

Please visit our [CGMA Open tournament website](#) for the latest updates. Information will be updated regularly as we get closer to the event.