



# 2019 MEDIA INFORMATION

## MEDIA CENTER:

The Media Center will be located in the Natchez Room in the Clubhouse. It will be open Monday – Sunday with the following hours:

- Credential Desk Hours | 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Working Press Room:
  - Mon–Wed: 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
  - Thurs–Sun: 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- Breakfast | 6:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
- Lunch | 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Telephones, hi-speed internet, fax machines, copiers and updated printed materials will be available in the Media Center. The interview room will be available for daily, scheduled player interviews.

## MEDIA CREDENTIALS/CONTACTS:

To request media credentials, please visit [PGATour.com](http://PGATour.com).

Only members of the media with either the PGA TOUR media badge or valid tournament credentials will be admitted to the working Media Center. NO GUESTS OR SPOUSES. Headshots are required as part of the application process.

Requests for pre-tournament information and general inquiries regarding media operations or services should be directed to Media Center Chairman, Brett Graven, at [brett.graven@jm.com](mailto:brett.graven@jm.com).

## PHOTOGRAPHY:

Only PGA TOUR media officials are authorized to grant photo privileges. Photographers for print, broadcast and online mediums must adhere to PGA TOUR regulations that govern their movement on course. Photographers must sign PGA TOUR Photo Regulations form upon arrival at the Media Center.

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY:

Magnolia Classic, 1968–1985  
Deposit Guaranty Golf Classic, 1986–1998  
Southern Farm Bureau Classic, 1999–2006  
Viking Classic, 2007–2011  
TrueSouth Classic, 2012  
Sanderson Farms Championship, 2013–2019

## DATES:

September 16-22, 2019

## CHARITABLE PROCEEDS:

The 2018 Sanderson Farms Championship helped raise \$2,235,000 in charitable impact benefiting Friends of Children's Hospital and many other Mississippi charities. Since 1968, over \$14.75 million has been contributed to charitable organizations in Mississippi.

## SITE:

The Country Club of Jackson  
Jackson, Mississippi

## PAR/YARDAGE:

Par: 36-36-72  
Yards: 3,732-3,708 – 7,440

## 2018 DEFENDING CHAMPION:

Cameron Champ, 267 (-21)

## FIELD:

144 players

## FORMAT:

72 holes of stroke play; after 36 holes, there is a cut to the top 70 and ties

## PURSE:

\$6.6 million; \$1,188,000 to the winner

## PLAYOFF: (IF NECESSARY)

Begins on Hole #18

## PERMANENT TOURNAMENT OFFICE:

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