

USBGA MISSION STATEMENT

United States Blind Golf Association is organized and operated for the purpose of benefiting blind and vision-impaired persons and promoting the public good through programs that advance, and increase public awareness of, golf among the blind and vision-impaired throughout the United States.

Eye Sight Classifications

These categories are accepted and recognized by the International Blind Golf Association (IBGA) and the United States Blind Golf Association (USBGA).

Totally Blind Division

B-1 No light perception or light perception which is not functional, central or peripheral, with or without light projection.

Vision Impaired Division

B-2 From the ability to recognize the shape of a hand up to visual acuity of 20/600.

B-3 From the visual acuity above 20/600 up to visual acuity of less than 20/200.

All classifications are best eye with best correction.

For more information about the sight classifications, please visit www.blindgolf.com



PLAYER INFORMATION

FOURSUME—\$600 INDIVIDUAL PLAYER—\$150

Team Name: _____

Contact name (Player 1): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Player 2 name: _____

Player 3 name: _____

Player 4 name: _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

_____ Check Enclosed - made payable to SALB

_____ Credit Card

(MasterCard, Visa or American Express)

_____ Card number _____ Expiration date

_____ Name on Card _____ 3-digit code

Authorized Signature _____

Mail to: San Antonio Lighthouse for the Blind

Attn: Nicole Hoyt

2305 Roosevelt Avenue

San Antonio, Texas 78210

Or you can call 210-531-1532 or email at

nhoyt@salighthouse.org

SPONSORS



United States Blind Golf Association



64th National Championship Tournament

October 12th & 13th, 2009

"Fore the Blind"

Charity Scramble

October 14th, 2009

Brackenridge Golf Course

San Antonio, Texas

Benefiting the



USBGA HISTORY

Designated Charity for 2009 

The USBGA was formed in 1946 by a group of World War II Veterans blinded during the war. Several USBGA members have been written about in books including the legendary Charlie Boswell from Birmingham, Alabama; Pat Browne, Jr., 23-time National Blind Champion from New Orleans, Louisiana, and most recently, Bob Andrews, from Tallahassee, Florida, whose story is included in the best-selling book, *Who's Your Caddy*, by Rick Riley.

The United States Blind Golf Association raises money for blind charities through regional and national tournaments. It conducts clinics for blind and visually impaired adults and children. Last year, the USBGA held over 20 golf clinics reaching more than 500 blind and visually-impaired children, and raised over \$50,000 for blind charities.

The USBGA has selected the San Antonio Lighthouse for the Blind (SALB) to benefit from this year's tournament. The SALB was chosen because of their mission to touch the lives of the blind and severely visually impaired by providing the opportunity to live high quality, independent lives. They accomplish this through employment in their manufacturing plant and military base stores and rehabilitation programs. These opportunities allow people to live productive lives with dignity.... turning dis-ABILITY into ABILITY.

The San Antonio Lighthouse is the community icon for training, educating and enabling the blind and visually impaired, in addition to being a leader in manufacturing and military retail sales. These products and sales support all branches of the military with U.S. made products.

Junior Golf Program

The USBGA Junior Golf Program is the only one of its kind in the country and has experienced tremendous growth in the last few years.

Blind Children's Golf Clinic

Sponsored by First Tee and
The United States Blind Golf Association
September 30, 2009

Elementary & Middle School Kids

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

October 1, 2009

High School Kids

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

First Tee

915 E Mulberry Ave
San Antonio, TX 78212



Free to blind and low-vision children
No equipment necessary

Everything will be provided including a light lunch.

Local PGA professionals and First Tee staff
will be the instructors.

Kids will be introduced to. . . .

"The Sounds and Feels of Golf"

Including...Putting, Chipping and Driving

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Ace Sponsorship - \$10,000 –

Presenting/Title Sponsor

- 12 Players – including 2 mulligan's per player
- Special signage for presenting sponsors
- Signage on players carts - Signage at registration
- 5 Tee & Greens signs
- Promotion on all printed material, mention in all media
- Sponsorship Trophy presented at awards dinner
- Special gift basket
- Beverages included during golf play for 12 players
- Team Photo

Double Eagle Sponsorship - \$5,000

- 8 Players – including 2 mulligan's per player
- Signage on players carts
- Signage at registration
- 4 Tee & Green signs
- Promotion on all printed material, mention in all media
- Sponsor plaque presented at awards dinner
- Special gift basket
- Beverages included during golf play for 8 players
- Team Photo

Eagle Sponsorship - \$3,000

- 4 Players – including 2 mulligan's per player
- Signage on players carts
- Signage at registration
- 3 Tee & Green signs
- Promotion on all printed material, mention in all media
- Sponsor plaque presented at awards dinner
- Beverages included during golf play for 4 players
- Team Photo

Birdie - \$2,000

- 2 Players – including 2 mulligan's per player
- Signage on players carts
- Signage at registration
- 1 Tee & Green signs
- Recognition plaque at awards dinner
- Promotion on all printed material, mention in all media
- Team Photo

Putting Contest - \$1500

- 2 Players – including 2 mulligan's per player
- 1 Green/tee sign
- Name on sponsorship signage
- Sponsor recognition at awards dinner
- Team Photo

Hole In One Contest - \$1500

- 2 Players – including 2 mulligan's per player
- 1 Green/tee sign
- Name on sponsorship signage
- Sponsor recognition at awards dinner
- Team Photo

Beverage Cart - \$1500

- 2 Players – including 2 mulligan's per player
- 1 Green/tee sign
- Name on sponsorship signage
- Sponsor recognition at awards dinner
- Team Photo

Team Golf Cart - \$200

- Name on front of a golf cart
- Name on Sponsor signage

Hole Sponsor - \$150

- Name hole
- Name on Sponsor signage

Tee/Green Signage - \$150

- Choose a Tee or green sign with your name/logo
- Name on Sponsor signage

Individual Ticket - \$150

- Golf & cart
- Team Photo
- Awards Dinner

For more information regarding these and other
sponsorship opportunities
call Nancy Lipton 210-531-1533
nlipton@salighthouse.org

Events Schedule

September 30 and October 1
Blind Children's Golf Clinic
10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

October 12 – 13, 2009
USBGA 64th National Championship
12:00 p.m.

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and
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1:00 p.m.

REGISTER

"FORE THE BLIND" CHARITY
SCRAMBLE

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