

\$250,000 Hole-in-One Golf Shootout - Rules

1. The Competition is open to amateurs 18 years and over. Professional golfers are ineligible. A professional golfer is only defined as a member of any professional golf club or golf organization at the current time or having held a professional golf certificate thirty (30) days prior to the Hole-In-One Golf Shootout, or any person acting as a golf pro and receiving compensation for being a golf professional in the teaching of other golfers or operating any type of golf organization is also not eligible for this tournament. Souris Valley United Way employees are also not eligible to win.
2. Players must use the range balls provided during the Qualifying Rounds. Other balls will not be allowed. Finalist may use their own ball during the Finalist 1 shot at \$250k. The entry fee is the purchase of balls for play is \$10 for 7 balls. Balls may be purchased only at the registration desk at the Hole-In-One site. There is no restriction on the number of balls that may be purchased. Checks, cash and credit card will be accepted. All players must read and sign an official entry application including the application's personal injury waiver and right to retain amateur status.
3. There will be 4 days of Qualifying Rounds. Anyone hitting a ball into the target area during the Qualifying Rounds will be invited back for the final day during the finalist rounds held on September 13th. All qualifiers must be at the Minot Country Club by 5:45pm sharp to check in for the semi- final round and we will begin after announcements. Each participant can only qualify once. There are only 20 allotted spots for the finals. If there is over 20 that qualify there will be a semifinal round where each contestant will hit one ball. Each contestant will have a marked ball and the 20 contestants closest to the semifinal target area will move on to the Finals where they will also only get one hit.
4. All finalist/semifinalists will need to provide their driver's license to the registration table upon arrival. Finalists will be awarded one (1) shot each in the final round, with randomized order picked by the Hole in One Committee. The final round will be video recorded for official video evidence of any hole in ones. No finalist may have more than one (1) shot in the Final Round. All contestants must have signed a Registration Form to be eligible to receive the \$250,000 due to any irregularity in the application of the rules. Should a winner be declared in the Final round, standard rights of survivorship shall apply in the award. The final round will have video evidence of any hole in ones and Hole in One International is responsible for the payments. In the chance that there is more than one finalist to make a hole in one, each finalist with a hole in one would win the \$250,000. If there is no winner of the \$250,000 hole in one, a consolation prize will be given to the finalist closest to the hole. If there is a tie the winner will be drawn at random.
5. ALL PRIZES ARE NON-TRANSFERABLE. NO CONTESTANT MAY QUALIFY FOR MORE THAN ONE POSITION IN THE FINAL ROUND. Only the golfer who qualifies in the Qualifying Round will be allowed to compete in the Semi-Final Play-off. If 20 or less qualify, we will skip the semifinal round and move onto the Final Round. If over 20 Qualify in the 3 available days we will hold a Semi-Final Round with the 20 closest to the hole moving on. During the Semifinalist/Finalist Round if a participant's designated number is called and the participant is not present this will forfeit their chance at winning the \$250,000.
6. Official volunteers will be on duty at all times during the contest. Their discretion in all matters is final. Only designated Officials shall exercise the right to question the eligibility of any participant. Eligibility

may be revoked at the sole discretion of Tournament Officials based on such considerations as extreme, unusual conduct or on the basis of the use of unfair, unrecognized, or illegal golfing apparatus or equipment. Officials may stop play at any time and reserve the right to require contestants to speed up play, give up the tee to entrants who have waited more than one hour or to cease activity determined by Officials to be unsafe, objectionable, or unfair. Permission to participate in the contest may be revoked at any time.

7. Official volunteers will observe the green area throughout the contest. They will periodically stop play to clear balls from the target area or when a shot falls within a circle centered on the pin. During Semi-Final play the distance from the center of the ball to the edge of the hole will be measured and results recorded. Official records will be posted in the registration area after the round. All Semi-Finalist will need to get ready for the Final Round following immediately.

8. Only clear shots to the target area for both Qualifying, Semi-Final/Final rounds are allowed. Only Tournament Officials may disqualify a ball. Decision of Officials is final.

9. The contestant understands that his or her entry into the event constitutes permission for his or her photo and name to be used for advertising and publicity purposes without any additional compensation. The contestant is solely responsible for making determinations as to the consequences of participating in this event.

10. Those persons participating in \$250,000 Hole-In-One Contest do so at their own risk. The Minot Country Club and other sponsors assume no responsibility for personal injury, loss or damage to personal, private or other property and equipment claimed lost or damaged which contestants or their guests may sustain.

12. The Hole in One Event will be held at the Minot Country Club at the driving range set up by the Tournament Steering Committee. The Tournament Steering Committee has the right to reschedule the Championship Play-off Round depending on weather and crowd conditions, or access to the course.

13. During the final round, if there is a tie for the consolation prize, the contestant's numbers will be drawn at