



“How to Caddie” Guide

The Do’s

- Maximum of (1) caddie per junior
- Can provide advice and assist with yardages and club selection, in a timely manner
- May help players look for golf ball, fix divots, repair ball marks & tend or pull flag stick
- Help keep juniors on pace and up with the group in front of them
- Caddies are allowed on tee boxes, fairways and greens
- Help player with rules and understanding of rules
- Caddies should be over 18. However, exceptions can be made after discussion with Utah PGA Staff

The Don’t(s)

- When a player begins taking a stance for the stroke and until the stroke is made: The Player’s caddie must not deliberately stand in a location on or close to an extension of the line of play behind the ball for any reason (Rule 10.2b (4)).
- Ride in a golf cart (unless authorized by the Utah PGA Junior Staff)
- Over coach- the time to teach & coach is at the range and practice area, not during competition
- Caddies are NOT allowed in the scoring area/table
- Take excessive time retrieving balls from penalty areas

Sometimes well-intentioned caddies may disrupt others during play and/or go above and beyond the actions of what a caddie is SUPPOSED to do. If this happens, a **VERBAL COMPLAINT** should be filed with the on-site administrator(s)/staff at the event that this is taking place/took place. This complaint should be done as soon as possible. The on-site administrator(s)/staff will make a note of this and the caddie upon who the complaint is being made upon will be addressed. If another complaint is made at that event or any future event(s) the individual will lose their caddie privileges. Complaints/incidents will be kept on file at the Utah Section PGA Office.