



Volunteer Committee Descriptions

The following are brief descriptions of the volunteer committees available for the Epson Tour Championship at Indian Wells. Specific openings are not guaranteed, but the tournament will make every effort to accommodate your preferences. Please take a moment to review the following requirements before making your final committee selection.

<u>Admissions</u>: Admissions volunteers will work at the main spectator entrance checking tickets and welcoming fans to the tournament. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>Cart Scorer:</u> Cart Scorers follow a group of players in a cart for the entire round as an unofficial scorekeeper. During the round, they keep unofficial scores and statistics for each player in their group, and, after every hole, cart drivers send scores and statistics to Real-time Scoring via a two-way radio provided by the Tour. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>**Driving Range:**</u> Driving range volunteers will assist with distributing the caddie bibs to all caddies as well as ensuring all players have the range balls they need. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

Ecology: Ecology volunteers are responsible for re-stocking coolers, maintaining receptacles, and preserving the cleanliness of the golf course. Volunteers needed TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>Guest Starter</u>: The Guest Starter announces players on the starting tees, dispenses scorecards, and gives last minute information to players. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>Leaderboards</u>: Leaderboard volunteers receive scores via an iPad provided by the Tour and continually update the Main or On-Course Leaderboards. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>Live Streaming:</u> Live Streaming Volunteers are needed to assist with Epson Tour's Live Streaming Broadcast Partner, where they will manage a tripod with a camera attached. Knowledge of Apple apps and use of iPads is a plus. Volunteers are needed SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>Marshal/Spotter:</u> Marshals assist with minimizing the potential distractions caused by fans attending the tournament. They also direct cart traffic in heavily congested areas or on blind approaches to a tee, fairway or green. Spotters act as "forecaddies" or "advance scouts" by assisting the professionals in locating wayward golf shots. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>Pro-Am / Special Events:</u> Special Event volunteers assist the tournament committee with the management of the various events held prior to tournament play. i.e. Volunteer Uniform Distribution and Official Pro-Ams. TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY.

Real-Time Scoring: Real-Time Scoring consists of a Radio Operator and a Computer Operator. Radio Operator answers radio calls from the Cart Scorer who is following each group on the course. The Cart Scorer provides the scores for each player after every hole to the Radio Operator. The Radio Operator records this information on a form provided by the Tour. This information is then entered into a computer by the Computer Operator. The data is then automatically uploaded to the Internet. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

Scoring Tent: Scoring Tent volunteers verify each scorecard in the Scoring Tent after the player has completed their round. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

<u>Standard Bearer:</u> Standard Bearers walk the course and carry a standard-bearer sign which includes the names and scores of the players in a specific group. They confirm each player's score with the Cart Scorer and update scores on the sign as play progresses for the entire round of 18 holes. Shifts last as long as it takes to complete the round of golf. Standard Bearers work in two-person teams with one person at a time carrying the standard (standards weigh approx. 10-15 pounds). Volunteers needed SATURDAY & SUNDAY only.

<u>Volunteer Services:</u> These volunteers greet and register other volunteers, provide general information, and assist with shuttling volunteers to/from their assigned area. Volunteers needed THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY.