

44TH VSGA SR. FOUR-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP



May 4-5



[Elizabeth Manor G&CC](#)



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KEY FACTS

FORMAT: 36 holes of four-ball stroke play with 44 sides competing (including exempt sides and qualifiers). A sudden-death playoff will be utilized to determine a champion if there's a tie after 36 holes.

STARTING TIMES: Beginning at 8 a.m. both days off holes #1 and #10.

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CLUB PERSONNEL: Erick Mellott (director of golf); Jeremy Bailey (superintendent)

COURSE OPENED: 1948

VSGA CHAMPIONSHIPS: 14

LAST CHAMPIONSHIP: 2023 Mid-Amateur Championship

UPCOMING MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

MAY 11-12: 7th VSGA Net Amateur Championship, Kingsmill Resort (River), Williamsburg

MAY 18-19: 14th VSGA Super Senior Four-Ball Championship, Fredericksburg CC

May 22-23: 61st VSGA Four-Ball Championship, Chatmoss CC, Martinsville

[Full VSGA men's championship schedule](#)

2026 VSGA SENIOR PLAYER RANKINGS

1. Tom Vlahakis (175)
2. **Dave Williams Jr.** (150)
3. Paras Pandya (128)
- T4. Buck Brittain (125)
- T4. Jon Hurst (125)
6. Scott Bemberis (105)
7. Jeffrey Klatt (103)
8. Roger Newsom (70)
- T9. Kevin Dillard
- T9. **Pete Barbera** (63)
11. Kevin South (47)
- T12. Duncan Hardcastle (45)
- T12. Joe Kruper (45)
- T12. Tony Good (45)
- T15. Cam Young (44)
- T15. Jeff Conner (44)
- T17. Brad Ferguson (35)
- T17. Michael Vogt (35)
19. Steve Firkins (32)
20. Dean Griffith (30)



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2026 VSGA MEN'S WINNERS

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP (OPEN)

Ben Beach/Sam Beach (60-72--132, won in playoff)

VIRGINIA-WEST VIRGINIA MATCHES

Virginia 14, West Virginia 14 (Virginia retains Feudin' Stick)

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Hermitage CC "A" (64-69--133)

SENIOR FOUR-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP

May 4-5 (Elizabeth Manor G&CC)

SUPER SENIOR FOUR-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP

65+: May 18-19 (Fredericksburg CC)

70+: May 18-19 (Fredericksburg CC)

75+: May 18-19 (Fredericksburg CC)

FOUR-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP

May 22-23 (Chatmoss CC)

SENIOR STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

June 15-16 (Wintergreen Resort, Stoney Creek)

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

June 22-26 (Bayville GC)

STATE OPEN OF VIRGINIA

July 17-19 (Independence GC)

SUPER SENIOR STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

65+: July 20-21 (Lake Chesdin GC)

70+: July 20-21 (Lake Chesdin GC)

75+: July 20-21 (Lake Chesdin GC)

D.C. AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

August 11-13 (Mount Vernon CC)

SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

August 17-21 (River Bend Club)

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP (SENIOR/SUPER SENIOR)

Senior: August 31-September 1 (Mattaponi Springs GC)

Super Sr.: August 31-September 1 (Mattaponi Springs GC)

MID-AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

September 18-20 (Bay Creek Resort)

SENIOR OPEN OF VIRGINIA

September 29-30 (Keswick Club)

MID-SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

October 6-8 (Orchard Creek)

SUPER SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

65+: October 6-8 (Orchard Creek)

70+: October 6-8 (Orchard Creek)

75+: October 6-8 (Orchard Creek)

CAPTAIN'S PUTTER MATCHES

October 16-17 (Cedar Point Club)

FIELD NOTES

Brothers Steve and Jay Serrao had been on the doorstep for years, racking up two T3 finishes, a T6 showing, and a runner-up showing since pairing together once Jay turned 50. They finally broke through with an impressive performance at Orchard Creek last year, adding a Senior Four-Ball title to a resume that includes two wins in the VSGA Senior Team Championship. Steve Serrao is seeking his third Senior Four-Ball title, having won with Cam Young in 2018 at The Virginian Golf Club in Bristol.



- An interesting side to watch will be Francesco Romano and Jason Pool, both of whom have been part of a winning VSGA Four-Ball Championship side. Pool teamed with Ryan Stinnett to win that event last year and turned 50 a few months later. He's making his debut in this event.
- Keith Decker and Scott Shingler, who snapped Buck Brittain and Jon Hurst's three-year win streak in 2024, are back in the field. Decker is looking to join fellow Virginia Golf Hall of Famer Bob Moyers in second place all-time with six Senior Four-Ball victories.
- Last year's runners-up, David Jordan and Cam Young, are in the field. Another side to watch features longtime Elizabeth Manor member Roger Newsom, who is paring with Dave Williams Jr., a semifinalist in last year's VSGA Senior Amateur. Newsom reached the final of the U.S. Senior Amateur in 2019.
- Mark Teachey, who won a VSGA Four-Ball title with Jake Allison in 1995, will pair with Ray Dingledine for this event.
- Another side to watch: Alex Sleeker and Tom Vlahakis, who qualified for the U.S. Amateur Four-Ball in 2022.

QUALIFYING MEDALISTS

- **ORCHARD CREEK:** Mark Teachey/Ray Dingledine (67)
- **RASPBERRY FALLS G&HC:** Steve Lutkehus/Doug Callison (66)
- **BIDE-A-WEE GC:** Ken Wren/Michael Byrum and Nicholas Crowe/Steve Morewitz (69)
- **LAUREL HILL GC:** Matthew Carlin/Derek Freeman (69)
- **THE DOMINION CLUB:** Brad Ferguson/Michael Vogt (66)
- **PETE DYE RIVER COURSE OF VT:** Donnie Toney/Brian Stanley (70)

ELIZABETH MANOR G&CC SCORECARD

Hole	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	
Par	4	4	5	4	4	3	4	4	3	35	
Yards	357	332	571	419	391	136	345	405	158	3114	
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOT
	4	3	4	4	4	4	3	4	5	35	70
	359	178	362	319	375	429	147	417	534	2973	6087

RECAPING 2025

WINNER

Jay Serrao and Steve Serrao (66-62--128, -16)

RUNNER-UP

David Jordan/Cam Young (64-65--129, -15)

SITE: Orchard Creek

