CommonGround Golf Course to host 2029 U.S. Adaptive Open Championship

8th U.S. Adaptive Open will be held in Aurora, Colo; first time in the Centennial State

LIBERTY CORNER, N.J. (Nov. 16, 2026) — The USGA announced today that CommonGround Golf Course in Aurora, Colo., has been selected as the host site for the 2029 U.S. Adaptive Open Championship. CommonGround previously served as the stroke-play co-host course for the 2012 U.S. Amateur and 2019 U.S. Mid-Amateur Championships.

“We are excited to bring the U.S. Adaptive Open to CommonGround in 2029,” said Mark Hill, USGA managing director of Championships. “With its deep connection to golf in Colorado and focus on providing an accessible and welcoming community home, CommonGround will provide an excellent stage to showcase the skill of the world’s best adaptive golfers.”

Designed by Tom Doak for the Colorado Golf Association, CommonGround was created with a mission that extends beyond the golf course. Its name reflects the CGA’s goal of providing golfers throughout Colorado with a first-class environment to learn, enjoy and support the game.

The course reflects Doak’s minimalist design philosophy, using the natural characteristics of the land to create strategic challenges. Contoured greens and carefully positioned bunkers require players to weigh risk and reward while providing options for golfers of varying abilities.

CommonGround’s commitment to expanding access to the game also extends to its caddie leadership program, which creates opportunities for young people to develop leadership skills and enhance character through a foundation built around caddying.

“CommonGround was created to provide a place where golfers of all backgrounds and abilities can experience and enjoy the game, making the U.S. Adaptive Open a natural fit,” said Ed Mate, Chief Executive Officer of the Colorado Golf Association. “We’re incredibly proud to welcome this championship to Colorado and look forward to showcasing the world’s best adaptive golfers on a course that was built to serve the game and our community.”

Colorado has hosted 36 USGA championships across 15 different sites. The Centennial State is also set to host several future USGA championships, including the 2030 U.S. Junior

Amateur at Colorado Golf Club in Parker and the 2031 and 2037 U.S. Senior Opens at The Broadmoor (East Course) in Colorado Springs.

The U.S. Adaptive Open, which debuted in 2022, is open to both male and female professional and amateur golfers with a World Handicap System™ Handicap Index of 36.4 or less and an eligible impairment confirmed by a WR4GD Pass. The impairment categories are as follows:

- Intellectual Impairment
- Lower Limb Impairment
- Multiple Limb Amputee
- Coordination Impairment
- Seated Players
- Short Stature
- Upper Limb Impairment
- Vision Impairment

The 2027 and 2028 U.S. Adaptive Open Championships will be held at Sunriver (Ore.) Resort (Meadows Course).

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