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Kansas City selected to host NCAA DII Men's & Women's Golf Regional Championships in 2021 and 2022

KANSAS CITY, MO (January 9, 2020) – The Greater Kansas City Sports Commission and William Jewell College have been selected by the NCAA Division II Championships Committee to serve as hosts for the **2021 Men's NCAA Division II Men's Golf Central/Midwest Regional** (May 6-8, 2021), and the **2022 Division II Women's Golf East Regional** (May 2-4, 2022). Both Regional Championships will be held at Shoal Creek Golf Course.

"We are proud and humbled that the NCAA Championships Committee continues to trust Kansas City with their events," says Kathy Nelson, President & CEO of the Kansas City Sports Commission. "We look forward to working with our partners at William Jewell and Shoal Creek to host these tremendous championships for the student-athletes, coaches, and fans."

"On behalf of all of us at William Jewell College, we are incredibly excited to host these events alongside our friends at the Kansas City Sports Commission and Shoal Creek Golf Course," says Tom Eisenhauer, Director of Athletics at William Jewell College.

Shoal Creek Golf Course opened in the fall of 2001 and has become one of the most talked about daily fee golf and banquet facilities in the Kansas City area. This 6,950 yard, par 71 golf property was sculpted by golf course architect Steve Wolfard, and offers a truly unique golfing experience for players of varying skill levels. This extraordinary design features breathtaking elevation changes and expansive landing areas that meander through some of the most picturesque terrain in the Northland. It boasts a 4-Star Rating by Golf Digest's "Best Places to Play" and was ranked the #1 course in Missouri by GolfAdvisor.com in 2017 & 2018.

"We are excited to work with William Jewell College and the Kansas City Sports Commission to host these two national events. Shoal Creek is a spectacular course and these events will contribute to our reputation as the premier public course in the Kansas City area" Brett Plymell, PGA General Manager of Shoal Creek Golf Course.

About The Kansas City Sports Commission and Foundation

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