



# Carolin's Golf Association

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## MEMO

TO: 37th Carolin's Women's Four-Ball Championship Contestants  
FROM: Tiffany Priest, Carolin's Golf Association  
DATE: August 1, 2014  
TOPIC: Carolin's Women's Four-Ball Championship Player Information

Your application for entry into the **37th Carolin's Women's Four-Ball Championship** at **Dataw Island Club** in Dataw Island, SC on **August (10) 11-12** has been received and accepted. The championship will be played on the Cotton Dike course. Please review the following championship information since there is **no formal championship registration** at Dataw Island Club. Remember that we are guests of the club and we need to conduct ourselves in a proper manner. Also, make sure to be at your assigned tee ready to play a few minutes before your tee time. Please check in with the golf shop to pay your appropriate fees during your practice round. Cart/range fees for championship rounds have been included in your entry fee.

### • Starting Times

Starting times for Monday, August 11 will be available by **Friday, August 8 after 5:00pm**. Check the CGA web site at [www.carolin'sgolf.org](http://www.carolin'sgolf.org), call the CGA office or the Dataw Island Club golf shop. Tuesday, August 12th will be a 9:00am shot-gun start.

### • Dataw Island Club Information

Director of Golf: Dave Britton; Superintendent: Brian Hollingsworth

Golf Shop Phone: 843-838-8250; Golf Shop Hours: 7:00am-6:30pm; Practice Facility Hours: 7:00am-7:00pm

Club Address: 100 Dataw Club Road, St. Helena, SC 29920; Club Website: [www.dataw.org](http://www.dataw.org)

Locker Room: Players will have access to the women's locker room.

Dress Code: Shorts must be Bermuda-length; shirts must have a collar and be tucked in at all times. No denim of any kind is allowed.

### • Practice Round

You are entitled to **one** practice round on **Sunday, August 10th**. You may call the Dataw Island Club golf shop to schedule a practice round beginning **Sunday, August 3 after 1:00pm No Earlier**. Make sure to identify yourself as a Carolin's Women's Four-Ball Championship participant. It would be helpful if you make your own game before calling.

There is a **mandatory \$25 golf/range fee** for the practice round. **Cart use is mandatory throughout this championship**. See the championship itinerary for specific championship yardages. Players will be pre-flighted within their chosen division based on total team handicap index by adding 2/3 of the lower handicap index to 1/3 of the higher handicap index.

Dataw Island club accepts credit cards, cash and check for golf shop purchases and food and beverage purchases.

### • Lodging

Championship headquarters is the Hampton Inn, Beaufort, SC located at 2342 Boundary St. Beaufort, SC 29902. Hotel is approximately 20 minutes from Dataw Island Club. Call the Hampton Inn at 843-986-0600 and identify yourself with the "Carolin's Golf Association" group to receive the discounted rate of \$109.00/night for a King or Double/Double room. Hotel rooms are subject to availability. Please call by August 8<sup>th</sup>. There are several other hotels located in Beaufort about 15 minutes away from the club.

Also 1BR and 2BR villas are available at Dataw Island Club. Nightly rental rate for a one bedroom one bath villa with fully equipped kitchen, living room, and dining room is \$161/night plus 11% sales and accommodations tax and departure housekeeping (\$50). The cost for a two bedroom two bath villa is \$211/night plus 11% sales and accommodations tax and departure housekeeping (\$80). Contact Heidi Arroyave-Kook at 843-838-4243 to reserve a villa.

### • Championship Format

The championship is conducted at 36 holes of four-ball stroke play. The field will be pre-flighted by total team handicap index within their selected division. Team handicap index is computed by adding 2/3 of the lower handicap index to 1/3 of the higher handicap index. The championship division plays the championship tees. Players in the tournament division play a shorter course.

### • Spike Policy

Dataw Island Club is a spikeless facility. The penalty for non-compliance is disqualification.

### • Slow Play

Any player who is discovered taking more than 40 seconds to play a stroke is subject to a warning for slow play and will be advised of the fact. The player will be notified that exceeding 40 seconds on one more occasion will result in a penalty of one stroke. A third violation will result in a two-stroke penalty, followed by disqualification.

### • Cell Phones

Except for medical emergencies, use of cell phones during play is prohibited.

Call me at the CGA office if you have any questions or e-mail me. Good luck!

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