

17th North Carolina Senior Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

May 20-22, 2002
Raintree Country Club, Charlotte, NC



Open Date: April 1

Entry Fee: \$80

Close Date: May 13

ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any male amateur golfer who has reached his 55th birthday by the first day of the championship, is a legal resident of North Carolina, is a member in good standing of a club which is a member of the Carolinas Golf Association and has a current (within 90 days of opening date) CGA handicap index. Entries are subject to rejection at any time, including during the event, by the CGA or the host club. The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct. **The maximum allowable index is 10.4 for championship division (55-69) and 15.4 for Super Senior division (70 and over) as of the opening date.**

RULES

USGA Rules of Golf govern play. Local rules will be distributed at the starter's table. The Carolinas Golf Association reserves the right to alter the conditions or schedules as stated, including alteration of the stipulated round(s) at any time during the championship. Note: During the stipulated round, use of electronic telecommunications equipment and the like will NOT be allowed.

FORMAT

The championship is conducted at 54 holes of stroke play. After 36 holes, the field will be cut to low 40 scorers and ties for the final round. The Super Senior division will compete at 36 holes of stroke play with no cut and will play a shorter course. Players who are age 70 and over and who meet the handicap requirement may opt to play in the championship division but will waive any right to prizes in the Super Senior division.

PRIZES

Champion receives a trophy, merchandise and possession of the *Peter V. Tufts Trophy* for the ensuing year. Championship division will pay top 25 places. Super Senior division will pay top 5 places with \$500 as first prize. An on-course play-off will be used to break a tie for the overall champion or Super Senior champion.

ENTRIES

Each entrant must complete an official entry form. No entry will be accepted prior to the opening date. **Entries will be accumulated for seven days, after which the final field will be selected by handicap index and CGA championship record.** Entries will be accepted until 5 p.m. of the closing date. The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any mail courier. Confirmation of acceptance and lodging information will be sent to players when their status is determined. Status may be checked weekly at www.thecga.org.

Entries must be returned to the Carolinas Golf Association, PO Box 319, West End, NC 27376. Fax, e-mail, telephone, late or incomplete entries will not be accepted. The entry fee must be paid by each player and must accompany this form. Only one entry per check. Daily cart fees are not included in the entry fee. Competitors may walk but must pay a cart fee during practice rounds. Make check payable to the Carolinas Golf Association. A player whose check is returned for insufficient funds may be disqualified indefinitely from CGA competitions. Refunds are not made after entries close except in the case of a verified player illness or death in the family. Refunds are not made for any reason on or after May 16.

Pairings and starting times will be posted at the club and at www.thecga.org the day before the championship. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted.

CGA: 910-673-1000

Raintree Country Club: 704-542-8150

Detach, sign and mail the entry form with your fee to Carolinas Golf Association, PO Box 319, West End, NC 27376. Entries received before the opening date will be returned. Entry fee is \$80. Incomplete or illegible forms will be returned. **Keep the bottom portion for your records.**

EXEMPTIONS

There are no exemptions for this championship.

Championship Schedule

Sunday, May 19

Course open for practice.

Monday, May 20

First round: 18 holes of stroke play (both divisions). Super Senior division plays shorter course.

Tuesday, May 21

Championship division: Second round of stroke play (18 holes). Cut to low 40 scorers and ties for final round.

Super Senior division: Final round of stroke play (18 holes).

Wednesday, May 22

Championship division: Final round of stroke play (18 holes).

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Date Rec _____

Entry # _____

PC/Ltr Sent _____

WD CD Y N Chk# _____

Application for Entry
2002 North Carolina Senior Championship
of the Carolinas Golf Association

Your Name _____ IGN# _____
(may not be available at all clubs)

Address _____
If your address has changed check here: _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

(_____) _____ (_____) _____ (_____) _____
Home phone Work phone Mobile Phone

Occupation _____ E-mail address _____

Age as of 5/20/02 _____ Date of birth ____/____/____

Check Age Division: Championship (ages 55-69) _____ Super Senior (ages 70+) _____

If you are not receiving "Carolina Fairways" Magazine, please check here: _____

I am a member of _____
(Club issuing your CGA handicap card)

and am in good standing with this club. I have read all rules pertaining to this championship. I have completed this entry form and enclosed the entry fee. I agree to abide by all decisions of the CGA Championship Committee, the regulations as stated in the CGA Tournament Manual (located at www.thecga.org), and the conditions of play pertaining to this championship. I am aware that disqualification is the penalty for my failure to do so.

Applicant Signature _____ CGA Handicap Index: _____
(Championship division maximum of 10.4 as of 4/1/02)
(Super Senior division maximum of 15.4 as of 4/1/02)

Entry fee is \$80

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