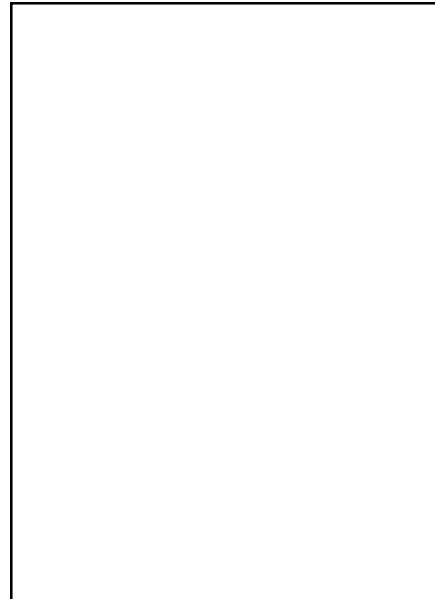


**43rd North Carolina Amateur
Myers Park Country Club
Charlotte, North Carolina
June 12-15, 2003
Champion: William McGirt III,
Fairmont, NC**

It did not hurt William McGirt's chances to have old Wofford teammate and Myers Park CC member Trae Ely carrying his bag. And it didn't hurt to shoot a closing 66 on the recently-renovated layout.

McGirt overcame John Kelley's lead to claim a three-stroke victory with a seven-under-par total. His final effort included seven birdies and a lone bogey at the 11th hole, where he hit a greenside bunker. "I found out two holes later that John had made a double bogey behind me," McGirt noted. "I knew if I birdied the 17th and 18th holes (two par fives) that I would be in a great position."



Results

William McGirt III, Fairmont	73-69-73-66—281
John Kelley, Winston-Salem	68-73-68-75—284
Mitch Adams, Cary	71-71-73-69—284
Greg Powell, Whiteville	68-70-77-71—286
Derek Brown, Walnut Cove	75-73-71-68—287
Greg Earnhardt, Greensboro	77-69-73-69—288
Trey Holroyd, Cary	69-73-76-71—289
Paul Simson, Raleigh	71-70-72-77—290
Nathan Spoon, Graham	67-74-78-71—290
Steve Slayden, Charlotte	76-71-71-73—291
Ron Kirkpatrick, Charlotte	77-73-67-75—292
Steve Harwell, Mooresville	68-74-75-76—293
Jonathan Jackson, Chapel Hill	71-76-76-70—293
T.D. Luten, Raleigh	80-72-70-72—294
Lex Alexander, Durham	79-73-70-73—295
David Strawn, Charlotte	71-76-76-72—295
Neil Harrell, Huntersville	76-71-77-71—295
Bryan Kane, Raleigh	72-72-72-81—297
Brian Joyce, Wilson	69-77-76-75—297
John Carter III, Thomasville	78-73-72-74—297
Steven Sherck, Statesville	69-77-74-78—298
Clay Kilgore, Nebo	78-74-72-74—298
Jay Barnes, Charlotte	75-76-74-73—298
Stephen Pugh, Greenville	74-76-75-73—298
Michael Shamp, Charlotte	79-74-74-71—298
Dean Channell, Cary	75-73-75-76—299
Stan Queen, Burlington	77-75-72-75—299
Pat Thompson, Asheville	74-73-77-75—299
Michael Bradley, Holly Springs	73-79-74-73—299
Alex Yates, Winston-Salem	75-74-77-73—299
Andrew Smith, High Point	79-73-75-72—299
Jason Hawley, Charlotte	77-72-72-79—300

Danny Gurley, Chapel Hill	75-72-75-78—300
Sean Moore, Marshville	76-75-73-76—300
Keith Waters, Raleigh	77-74-79-70—300
Rodney Thomas, Lexington	74-76-72-79—301
Macon Moye, Charlotte	78-72-73-78—301
Greg Einstein, Clemmons	73-73-80-75—301
Jason Harris, Clemmons	76-75-75-75—301
Brian Westveer, Concord	72-78-79-72—301
Richard Zollinger, Charlotte	77-75-80-69—301
Preston Edmondson, Morrisville	73-72-80-77—302
Bill Smith, Wake Forest	78-75-73-76—302
Anderson Marlowe III, Raleigh	77-71-79-75—302
Bill Boles, Jr., Wilson	75-75-78-74—302
Drew Lewis, Winston-Salem	73-78-77-74—302
John Blackwell, Wilmington	78-73-76-76—303
Steve Sharpe, Greensboro	73-79-78-73—303
Travis Lethco, Winston-Salem	72-74-79-79—304
Wesley Horne, Wadesboro	78-73-76-77—304
Kevin Leatherwood, Wilmington	74-78-75-77—304
Kevin Robinson, Hickory	74-76-79-75—304
John Eades, Charlotte	74-78-79-73—304
John Fritz, Charlotte	68-81-78-78—305
JD McNeill, Pinehurst	72-74-82-77—305
Wynn Solle, Pinehurst	78-73-79-75—305
Scott Smith, Charlotte	74-77-73-82—306
Jeffrey Rausch, Charlotte	73-77-79-77—306
Jordan Smith, Cary	76-75-79-76—306
Dick Hogan, Burlington	75-78-78-75—306
David Eaker, Forest City	76-72-79-81—308
Matthew McIntyre, Garland	76-77-77-80—310
Ross Cashion, Kernersville	77-76-84-80—317
Dan Hendrickson, Charlotte	73-73-78—WDI

Failed to Qualify for Final 36

Eric Ardery, Durham	79-75—154	Glenn Quintana, Concord	77-79—156
Reed Darsie, Chapel Hill	74-80—154	Kyle Tucker, Raleigh	78-78—156
John Finster, Wake Forest	76-78—154	Chris Bitzenhofer, Raleigh	81-76—157
Tyler Payne, Mt. Airy	78-76—154	Scott Gibbes, Charlotte	79-78—157
Skip Taylor, Flat Rock	75-79—154	Harrison Pinnix, Severn	80-77—157
Robert Wooten, Winston-Salem	77-77—154	Garland Yates, Asheboro	82-75—157
Bubba Aughtry, Charlotte	78-77—155	Will Cannon, Valdese	79-79—158
Mike Goodes, Brown Summit	77-78—155	Jeremy Chandler, Burnsville	78-80—158
Joe Jaspers, Huntersville	75-80—155	Mark Hedberg, Asheville	80-78—158
Marc Matalavage, Sunset Beach	76-79—155	Colby Moore, Cornelius	80-78—158
Scott McClellan, Cary	73-82—155	Lance Oliver, Chapel Hill	79-79—158
Brian Parker, Matthews	76-79—155	David Summers, Advance	80-78—158
John Rudolph, Charlotte	78-77—155	Al Dickens, Charlotte	79-80—159
Walker Taylor IV, Wilmington	78-77—155	Keith Harris, Concord	79-80—159
Ray Womack, Burlington	77-78—155	Ryan Gentel, Winston-Salem	81-78—159
Nate Zimmerman, Charlotte	74-81—155	Chris Gooch, Thomasville	71-88—159
Rob Campbell Jr., Charlotte	76-80—156	Brian Griffin, Charlotte	78-81—159
James Carnrite, Charlotte	83-73—156	Robby Price, Huntersville	73-86—159
Patrick Gregg, Raleigh	74-82—156	Carter Counts IV, Wilmington	78-82—160

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Cliff Earle, Clemmons	77-83—160	Steven Lubbers, Raleigh	84-80—164
Russ Patterson, Winston-Salem	80-80—160	Jason Tetterton, Greenville	83-81—164
Joe Poole, Raeford	81-79—160	Buck Williams, Raleigh	82-84—166
Bill Reduzzi, Raleigh	84-76—160	Joey Bondurant, Claremont	84-82—166
Rob Beasley, Greensboro	85-76—161	Randy Dockins, Charlotte	82-84—166
Stan Thomas, Hiddenite	84-77—161	Bill Morris, Clemmons	87-79—166
Sammy Evans, Germanton	78-83—161	Michael Sellers, Wilmington	83-84—167
Blair Matthews, Wilkesboro	83-78—161	Jack Lorbacher, Durham	87-80—167
David Rosenfeld, Cary	82-79—161	Rush Shull IV, Charlotte	87-80—167
Geoff Guy, Concord	81-81—162	Michael Nowak, Charlotte	84-85—169
Jim Hunsuck, Mooresville	79-83—162	William Wilson, Charlotte	82-87—169
Garrett Kachellek, Charlotte	79-83—162	Steve Johnson II, Greenville	92-78—170
Drew Nelson, Brevard	75-87—162	Jason Liner, Raleigh	89-87—176
Chris Welch, Winston-Salem	81-81—162	Norman Smith, Greensboro	90-87—177
Gregory Federico, Cary	86-77—163	Aaron Louv, Durham	102-WDI

North Carolina Amateur Champions

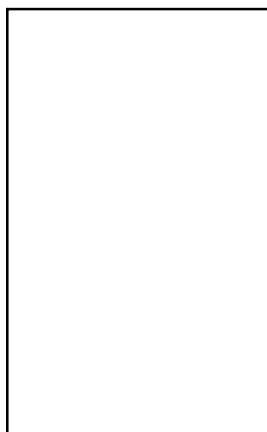
Date	Winner, Second Place	Score	Site
1961	Pat Foy Brady, Reidsville	279	Wilson CC
	Dale Morey, Morganton	280	Wilson
1962	Ken Folkes, Concord	272	Tanglewood GC
	Billy Joe Patton, Morganton	279	Clemmons
1963	Dave Smith Jr., Gastonia	290*	Pinehurst CC #2 Course
	Billy Joe Patton, Morganton	290	Pinehurst
1964	Billy Joe Patton, Morganton	288*	Gaston CC
	Dave Smith Jr., Gastonia	288	Gastonia
1965	Dave Smith Jr., Gastonia	295	CC of North Carolina
	Bob Bryant, Charlotte	298	Pinehurst
1966	Bill Harvey, Greensboro	284	CC of Salisbury
	Gene Lookabill, Charlotte	288	Salisbury
	Buzzy Basinger, Charlotte		
1967	Sonny Grant, Greensboro	296	CC of North Carolina
	Bobby Edgerton, Raleigh	297	Pinehurst
1968	Dale Morey, High Point	288	Brook Valley CC
	Ken Sawyer, Greensboro	289	Greenville
	Joe Inman Jr., Greensboro		
1969	Dale Morey, High Point	285	Catawba CC
	Mike Kallam, Winston-Salem	288	Hickory
1970	Joe Inman Jr., Greensboro	284	Alamance CC
	Billy Joe Patton, Morganton	285	Burlington
	Dale Morey, High Point		
1971	Lex Alexander, Charlotte	293*	Willow Creek CC
	Randy Transou, Winston-Salem	293	High Point
1972	Steve Forrest, Mt. Airy	296	Forest Oaks CC
	Bobby Bryant, Charlotte	297	Greensboro
1973	David Canipe, Fayetteville	280	CC of North Carolina
	Bob Bryant, Charlotte	290	Pinehurst CC #2 Pinehurst
1974	David Canipe, Fayetteville	290	CC of North Carolina
	Bill Harvey, Jamestown	295	Pinehurst CC #2 Pinehurst
1975	Lee Keesler, Charlotte	294*	Bermuda Run CC, Advance
	Tony Hollifield, Gastonia	294	Tanglewood GC, Clemmons

Date	Winner, Second Place	Score	Site
1976	Scott Hoch, Raleigh	287*	Tanglewood GC, Clemmons
	Johnny Crooks, Winston-Salem	287	Bermuda Run CC, Advance
1977	Vance Heafner, Cary	278	Pinehurst CC #2 Course
	Tom Reynolds, Raleigh	288	CC of NC, Pinehurst
1978	Clarence Rose, Goldsboro	290	CC of North Carolina
	Todd Smith, Charlotte	291	Pinehurst CC #2, Pinehurst
1979	Scott Hoch, Raleigh	289	CC of North Carolina
	Tom Reynolds, Raleigh	297	Pinehurst CC #6, Pinehurst
1980	Todd Smith, Charlotte	292	Bermuda Run CC, Advance
	Clarence Rose, Goldsb.; Richard Kincaid, Greensboro	293	Tanglewood GC, Clemmons
1981	Ray Freeman, Greensboro	283	Greensboro CC Farm Course
	Ryan Fox, Greensboro	285	The Cardinal GC, Greensboro
1982	Mike West, Burlington	281	The Cardinal GC
	Mike Roland, Winston-Salem	286	Greensboro CC Farm Course
	Bob Stanger, Durham; Nolan Mills, Charlotte		Greensboro
1983	Nolan Mills, Charlotte	278	Wilson CC, Wilson
	Bill Boles, Wilson	282	Northgreen CC, Rocky Mount
1984	Greg Parker, Old Fort	285	Wilson CC, Wilson
	John Inman, Greensboro	287	Northgreen CC, Rocky Mount
1985	Uly Grisette, Advance	287*	Mimosa Hills CC, Morganton
	Greg Parker, Old Fort	287	Cedar Rock CC, Lenoir
1986	Jeff Lankford, Mocksville	281*	Cedar Rock CC, Lenoir
	Paul Simson, Raleigh	281	Mimosa Hills CC, Morganton
1987	John Hughes, Greensboro	280	Sedgefield CC
	Paul Simson, Raleigh	281	Forest Oaks CC, Greensboro
1988	Michael Bradley, Durham	279	Forest Oaks CC
	Gary Robinson, Fayetteville	285	Sedgefield CC, Greensboro
1989	Mike Goodes, Reidsville	288*	The Pearl East & West
	Steve Harwell, Mooresville	288	Calabash
1990	Tee Burton, Shelby	278*	CC of Salisbury
	Larry Boswell, Greensboro	278	Salisbury
1991	Paul Simson, Raleigh	272	Alamance CC
	John Maginnes, Durham	273	Burlington
1992	Arlis Pike, Kernersville	280	Hope Valley CC
	Walter Hall, Clemmons	288	Durham
	Kelly Miller, Southern Pines		
1993	Steve Jones, Greensboro	283	Landfall Club Dye Course
	Larry Boswell, High Point	284	Wilmington
1994	Kevin Kemp, Greensboro	276	Highland CC
	Steve Jones, Greensboro	280	Fayetteville
1995	Bill Boles, Wilson	282	Providence CC
	Larry Boswell, Jamestown	283	Charlotte
1996	Paul Simson, Raleigh	275*	Mimosa Hills G&CC
	Steve Harwell, Mooresville	275	Morganton
1997	Steve Wright, Laurinburg	279	Old North State Club
	Bob Stanger, Durham	282	New London
1998	Jason Martin, Lenoir	280	Porters Neck P&CC
	John Trujillo, Wilmington	285	Wilmington
1999	Dirk Fennie, Greensboro	277	Tanglewood (Championship)
	Mike Goodes, Reidsville	278	Clemmons

Date	Winner, Second Place	Score	Site
2000	Paul Simson, Raleigh	283	River Run G&CC
	Press McPhaul, Raleigh	285	Davidson
	Kem Rodgers, Mooresville		
2001	Chad Wilfong, Thomasville	280	High Point CC (Willow Creek)
	Chris Logan, Winston-Salem	282	High Point
2002	Derek Brown, Walnut Cove	273	Forsyth CC
	Chad Wilfong, Thomasville	277	Winston-Salem
	Jason Harris, Clemmons		
2003	William McGirt, Fairmont	281	Myers Park CC
	John Kelley, Winston-Salem	284	Charlotte
	Mitch Adams, Cary		

* Won in playoff.

Photo Gallery: North Carolina Amateur



Above: Third-round leader John Kelley shared second place. Above right: Mitch Adams closed with 69 to tie second. Right: William McGirt (left) relied heavily on caddie/friend/Myers Park CC member Trae Ely. Below left: The 18th hole at Myers Park is a reachable par five over water. Below right: Greg Powell took fourth place.

