

## **Carolinas Interclub Team Matches**

## Mid Pines Inn and Golf Club, Southern Pines, NC November 12-13, 2011

## Fort Mill GC 26 Bentwinds CC 22

Fort Mill GC (Fort Mill, SC), captured their 1st CGA Interclub Championship on Sunday (Nov 13) by the narrow margin of 26 to 22 over Bentwinds CC (Fuquay-Varina, NC). This was the second consecutive year that the championship was determined by the final pairing. But unlike last year's match, which came down to the final putt on the 18th green to determine the outcome, Fort Mill's final paring sealed the deal when Mike Granger birdied the 17th hole to win the four-ball match (2&1) with the help of teammate Rick Fricke. With all other matches complete and the overall match tied 21 to 21, Fricke had already secured his individual win by a 3&2 margin over Joel Marmion on the previous hole. That win and the birdie by Granger gave Fort Mill the 4 match points needed to guarantee a team victory and the championship.

The Carolinas Golf Association announced the naming of the Carolinas Interclub trophy after the event's founder Ben Payne. Payne started the Carolinas Interclub in 1997, and the event was transferred to the Carolinas Golf Association in 2007. The announcement was made at the welcome reception of the Carolinas Interclub semifinal/final matches. The trophy will be named the Ben Payne Carolinas Interclub Championship trophy. Payne is a member of Forest Oaks CC in Greensboro, NC.



## **CGA Interclub Matches**

Date	Winner	Score	Site
1997	Bermuda Run CC, Advance, NC	38 - 10	Grandover Resort
	d. Richmond Pines CC, Rockingham, NC		Greensboro, NC
1998	Bermuda Run CC, Advance, NC	30 - 18	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. Chapel Hill CC, Chapel Hill, NC		Clemmons, NC
1999	Furman University GC, Greenville, SC	27 - 21	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. Bentwinds CC, Fuquay-Varina, NC		Clemmons, NC
2000	Anderson CC, Anderson, SC	28 - 20	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. Kerr Lake CC, Henderson, NC		Clemmons, NC
2001	Richmond Pines CC, Rockingham, NC	25 -23	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. Fort Mill GC, Fort Mill, SC		Clemmons, NC
2002	River Hills CC, Lake Wylie, SC	28 - 20	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. Hyland Hills GC, S. Pines, NC		Clemmons, NC
2003	River Run CC, Davidson, NC	31 - 17	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. Devils Ridge CC, Holly Springs, NC		Clemmons, NC
2004	Chapel Hill CC, Chapel Hill, NC	25 - 23	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. River Run CC, Davidson, NC		Clemmons, NC
2005	Matches Not Held		
2006	Montgomery CC, Troy, NC	28 - 20	Tanglewood GC (Championship)
	d. River Hills CC, Lake Wylie, SC		Clemmons, NC
2007	Montgomery CC, Troy, NC	30 - 18	Pinewild Country Club (Magnolia)
	d. Willow Springs CC, Wilson, NC		Pinehurst, NC
2008	Rock Hill CC, Rock Hill, SC	27 - 21	Bryan Park Golf Club (Champions)
	d. Devils Ridge Golf Club, Holly Springs, NC		Browns Summit, NC
2009	River Hills CC, Lake Wylie, SC	19 - 17	Pine Needles Lodge and Golf Club
	d. Coharie Country Club, Clinton, NC		Southern Pines, NC
2010	Coharie Country Club, Clinton, NC	25 - 23	Mid Pines Inn and Golf Club
	d. Rock Hill Country Club, Rock Hill, SC		Southern Pines, NC
2011	Fort Mill Golf Club, Fort Mill, SC	26 - 22	Mid Pines Inn and Golf Club
	d. Bentwinds CC, Fuquay-Varina, NC		Southern Pines, NC