



Carolinan Golf Association
2017 One-Day Tournament of Champions
Pinehurst Resort and Country Club (No. 6), Pinehurst, NC
Saturday, December 2, 2017 10:00am Shotgun

Official Entry Form

Entry Fee: \$80.00 Entries only accepted at <http://www.carolinan.org/One-Day-Tournaments>

Entries Open: October 29 at 8:00pm **Entries Close: November 21**

**Entry fee includes cart and range fees*

Eligibility

Entry is open to any amateur golfer who won 1st Gross or 1st Net at a 2017 CGA One-Day Tournament or 2017 Mid-Am/Senior/Super Senior One-Day Tournament, is a member of a club that is a member of the Carolinas Golf Association and has a current USGA Handicap Index® at a CGA member club. The minimum age for entry is 13 years as of the tournament date. A player with more than one handicap index must use the lowest current 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.

Format and Rules

USGA Rules of Golf govern play. 18 holes of individual stroke play, gross and net scores. 100% course handicap. **Player's Handicap Index is calculated as of the close of entries.** Field divided into six divisions based upon handicap index, gender and age. Players may choose to compete in any division in which they are eligible. Men A: 7.9 index or less (all ages, 6600 yards); Men B: 8.0 index or higher (all ages, 6200 yards); Senior Men A: 7.9 index or less (age 55+, 6200 yards); Senior Men B: 8.0 index or higher (age 55+, 6200 yards); Super Senior Men (age 65+, 5700 yards); Women (all ages, 5250 yards). Note that yardage may vary based upon tournament site and course conditions. A minimum of four entries is required to create a division. Otherwise, divisions are combined together using the appropriate handicap adjustment for the difference in course ratings. Division changes are not allowed after entries close.

The CGA monitors handicap score posting and reserves the right to adjust course handicaps and/or withhold prizes for competitors whose handicaps are considered unrealistic or who have participated in a disproportionate share of CGA prize distributions. Notice to Players rules sheet is available at www.carolinan.org. **CGA will automatically post tournament scores for participants back to their home club handicap.**

Entries

First 112 entries are accepted online only; on a first-come, first-served basis. Alternates are ranked in the order which entries are received. Players must enter as an individual. Entry fee is \$80.00. All player information must be filled out completely.

Entries are accepted online only. Online registration opens at 8:00pm on the open date. Mail, fax, email, telephone or walk-in applications are not accepted.

Confirmation of acceptance is sent when entry status is determined. Pairing requests are not accepted. Players who are a "No Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) will be suspended from the next four CGA one-day tournaments that they are eligible for including the Tournament of Champions. The suspension will carry forward between seasons if necessary.

Refund Policy

Open Date to Day Prior to Tournament Date: Full refund minus \$30.00 administrative fee refunded regardless of reason if entry accepted into tournament.

Withdraw on Tournament Date: No refund for any reason.

Alternates/wait list teams not gaining entry into the tournament receive a full refund.

Prizes and Merchandise

Golf shop merchandise and trophies are awarded for the 1st Gross and 1st Net score in each division. The number of Gross and Net prizes is determined by the number of entries in each division. All ties are broken on the score card using the USGA recommended method. A player is disqualified from a net prize if his net score beats the course rating by eight or more strokes and beats the next best net score in their division by four or more strokes.

The CGA is not responsible for any unclaimed or unredeemed merchandise certificates after a tournament play date. It is the player's responsibility to claim or redeem a certificate or golf shop credit prior to leaving a tournament site. The CGA will not replace any lost or unclaimed merchandise certificates/gift cards after a tournament is played.

Cart Fees, Caddies and Spectators

Cart and range fee is included in the entry fee. Cart use is mandatory. Caddies are not allowed. Spectators are welcome at CGA one-day tournaments. However, spectator carts are allowed as provided in the CGA Tournament Manual (available online at www.carolinan.org).

Waiver Statement

I am a member in good standing at a CGA member club. I have read all rules pertaining to this tournament, completed this entry form and enclosed the entry fee. I agree that the responsibility of this application reaching the CGA between the open and close date/time is mine alone. I agree to abide by all decisions of the CGA Championship Committee, the CGA Tournament Manual (located at www.carolinan.org) and the conditions of play pertaining to this championship. I agree to accept disqualification upon evidence of my failure to do so. I agree that entries are subject to rejection at any time (including during the Tournament) by the CGA for any reason (including unbecoming conduct). I agree to allow the CGA to use my name, likeness or photographs for any promotional or media purposes. I agree that there are inherent risks in playing the game of golf and I assume sole liability for all such risks including but not limited to health-related risks. I release the CGA, its committee members, officers, staff, and host club from any and all liability for any event or consequence relating to entry or participation in this event.