

# 15th Dogwood State Junior Boys' Championship

Conducted by the Carolinas Golf Association  
River Run Country Club, Davidson, NC

July 30 - August 1, 2019



## ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any male amateur golfer who has not reached their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday by August 1, 2019, who has not started college, is a legal resident of North Carolina, is a member or their parent is a member in good standing of a club which is a member of the Carolinas Golf Association (CGA) and has a current USGA handicap index® at a CGA member club that does not exceed **18.4**. 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 or cell phone use during a stipulated round. All players must conform to the "USGA Rules of Amateur Status" as specified in the "Rules of Golf". For complete residency and eligibility requirements, refer to the CGA Tournament Manual at the CGA website ([www.carolinasgolf.org](http://www.carolinasgolf.org)).

## ENTRY FEES

**Sectional Qualifying Entry Fee:** \$50.00

**Successful Qualifier Championship Entry Fee:** \$125.00 (Fee is charged automatically to the credit card used for sectional qualifying registration).

**Exempt Player Entry Fee:** \$150.00

## ENTRIES AND ONLINE REGISTRATION- June 4-July 3

All players, including those exempt, must register online. Mail-in applications are no longer accepted for this event. Fax, mail, e-mail, telephone, incomplete, illegible, or entries received before the opening date and after the closing date, are not accepted.

**Exempt Players:** Accepted into the championship proper at time of entry.

**Non-exempt Players:** Gain entry into the championship proper through sectional qualifying (see "Exemptions from Sectional Qualifying" and "Sectional Qualifying and Alternates" sections).

The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any internet service provider. Entries are only accepted between the open and close dates as stated above. Confirmation of acceptance is sent to players when their status is determined. Status may be checked at [www.carolinasgolf.org](http://www.carolinasgolf.org). The appropriate entry fee must be paid by each player at time of registration. **Players who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) are suspended from next year's Dogwood State Junior Championship.**

## REFUND POLICY

Entry fee refund policy schedule:

Open Date to Day Prior to Qualifier: Entry fee minus \$10.00 administrative fee if entry accepted into qualifier.

Open Date to Day Prior to Championship: Entry fee minus \$30.00 administrative fee if entry accepted into championship.

Withdraw on Championship or Qualifying Date: No refund for any reason. Alternates not gaining entry into the tournament receive a full refund. Refunds are not made for players who are successful in advancing through sectional qualifying but withdraw prior to the championship proper.

## RULES

USGA Rules of Golf govern play. Questions will be decided by the on-site Rules Committee whose decision will be final. Notice to Players and local rules are posted at host club and distributed at the starting tee(s). The CGA reserves the right to alter the conditions or schedules as stated, including alteration of the stipulated round(s) at any time during the championship. The competition is closed when the championship trophy has been presented. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted.

## AGE DIVISION

There are no age divisions. Boys will compete in one division.

## FORMAT

The championship format is 54-holes of stroke play. Field will be cut to the 70 and ties after 36 holes.

## YARDAGES

Boys' will compete at approximately 7,000 yards, par 72.

## PRIZES

Trophies are awarded to the overall champion through fifth place.

## TEAM MATCHES

The overall champion will be invited to represent the Carolinas in their respective junior team matches in 2019 (if still eligible).

## EXEMPTIONS; QUALIFYING

Players in the following categories are exempt into the championship.

### *Exemptions:*

1. All boys who made cut in 2018 Dogwood State Junior Championship.
2. Top 10 in TYGA Archdale-Trinity Chamber Junior Open
3. Top 8 in the 2019 NC Junior Championship
4. Top 100 on the TYGA NC Boys rankings as of June 10, 2019
5. All 2019 US Junior Amateur qualifiers from NC
6. Top 3 in each 2019 high school championships
7. Top 10 in the 2019 TYGA BoJangles Junior
8. Top 3 in the 2019 Tom Fazio Junior Invitational
9. Top 3 in the 2019 Carmel Junior
10. Top 5 in 2019 TYGA Coastal Plains Junior
11. Top 5 in 2019 TYGA High Point Junior
12. Top 3 in the 2019 Jack Ratz, Jr. Memorial

All exempt players must register online by the closing date. Exemptions are based on the overall results and not divisions.

### *Qualifying:*

Those not included in the above exempt categories have the opportunity to qualify on July 12 at Goldsboro GC in Goldsboro, NC. A minimum of ten spots will be available at the qualifying site. The final qualifying numbers will be determined after entries have closed

## QUALIFYING SCHEDULE

### *Monday, July 8*

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Sapona GC, Lexington, NC

### *Friday, July 12*

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Goldsboro GC, Goldsboro, NC

## CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

### *Monday, July 29*

All day Practice rounds

### *Tuesday, July 30*

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Round 1 starting times  
11:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Players lunch  
12:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. Round 1 starting times

### *Wednesday, July 31*

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Round 2 starting times  
11:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Players lunch  
12:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. Round 2 starting times

### *Thursday, August 1*

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Final round starting times  
2:30 p.m. Awards presentation

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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