

55th Four-Ball Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

May 3-7, 2006

Camden Country Club, Camden, SC



Open Date: Monday, March 20

Entry Fee: \$120

Close Date: Tuesday, April 18

ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any male amateur golfer who is a legal resident of one of the Carolinas, 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. 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. For complete residency and eligibility requirements, refer to the CGA Tournament Manual at www.carolinagolf.org.

RULES

USGA Rules of Golf govern play. Local rules are distributed at the starter's table. 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. Note: During the stipulated round, use of electronic telecommunications equipment and the like are NOT allowed. The competition shall be deemed to have closed when the championship trophy has been presented. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted.

FORMAT

36 holes of four-ball stroke play to determine 32 qualifiers for four-ball match play. The defending champions are seeded number one for match play if otherwise eligible.

PRIZES

The championship team receives merchandise, trophies and names inscribed on the *Hale Van Hoy Trophy*. Stroke play qualifying medalists names will be engraved on the *Joe B. McCarley Cup*. Additional prizes are awarded to all match play contestants.

GOLF CARTS

Daily cart fees are not included in the entry fee. Cart rental may be mandatory for practice rounds. Competitors may walk or rent golf carts during championship rounds. Competitors are responsible for paying cart rental fees prior to each championship round.

ENTRIES

Each team must complete an official entry form. Online entry applications can be completed at www.carolinagolf.org. No entry will be accepted prior to the opening date. Entries will be accumulated for the entire open/close window. Exempt teams are accepted at time of entry. The remainder of the field will be selected after entries close by team index and past CGA tournament record. Entries will be accepted until 11:59 p.m. of the closing date. The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any mail courier or Internet service provider. Confirmation of acceptance and lodging information will be sent to the first player listed on this form when the field is filled or after entries close. Status may be checked at www.carolinagolf.org. Fax, e-mail, telephone, late or incomplete entries will not be accepted. The entry fee must be paid by each team and must accompany this form. Only one entry per check. Make check payable to the Carolinas Golf Association. A player whose check is returned for insufficient funds may be disqualified indefinitely from CGA competitions. Players who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) will jeopardize their entry into future Carolinas Four-Ball championships.

REFUND POLICY

Entry fee will be refunded regardless of reason if the CGA is notified before close of entries. Refunds are not made after entries close except in the case of player injury, illness or death in the family. A \$20 administrative fee is deducted from all refunds.

CGA: 910-673-1000

Camden Country Club: 803-432-3322

Detach, sign and mail the entry form with your fee to CGA, PO Box 319, West End, NC 27376. Entries received before the opening date will be returned. Entry fee is \$120. Incomplete or illegible forms will be returned. Keep the bottom portion for your records.

EXEMPTIONS

Exempt players, if otherwise eligible, include: champions of the Carolinas Four-Ball Championship since 1996 and teams that qualified for match play in the 2005 Carolinas Four-Ball Championship. Bert Atkinson of Charleston, SC and Sammy Truett of Surfside Beach, SC are the defending champions and will be seeded number one for match play if otherwise eligible. Exempt team members must compete on the same team or with another exempt player.

Championship Schedule

Tuesday, May 2

Tee times available for practice.

Wednesday, May 3

First round. 18 holes of four-ball stroke play qualifying.

Thursday, May 4

Second round. 18 holes of four-ball stroke play qualifying. Field cut to low 32 teams for match play.

Friday, May 5

First and second rounds of four-ball match play (18 holes each round).

Saturday, May 6

Quarterfinal and semifinal rounds of four-ball match play (18 holes each round).

Sunday, May 7

Final match (18 holes).

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Date Rec _____

Entry # _____

PC/Ltr/E-mail Sent _____

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Application for Entry 2006 Four-Ball Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

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	Tee Time	Tee #
RD 1	_____	_____
RD 2	_____	_____

EXEMPTIONS:

We are not exempt

Exempt: Match play qualifier at 2005 Carolinas Four-Ball or champion since 1996

<p>_____ Name on CGA handicap card</p> <p>IGN # _____ <small>(may not be available at all clubs)</small></p> <p>_____ Address</p> <p>_____ City, State, Zip Code</p> <p>_____ County</p> <p>_____ Home phone</p> <p>_____ Mobile phone</p> <p>_____ Birthdate: ____/____/____ Age as of 5/3/06 _____</p> <p>_____ CGA Club _____</p> <p>_____ CGA Handicap Index _____</p> <p>If you are not receiving "Carolinas Golf" Magazine, please check here: _____</p>	<p>_____ Partner's name on CGA handicap card</p> <p>IGN # _____ <small>(may not be available at all clubs)</small></p> <p>_____ Address</p> <p>_____ City, State, Zip Code</p> <p>_____ County</p> <p>_____ Home phone</p> <p>_____ Mobile phone</p> <p>_____ Birthdate: ____/____/____ Age as of 5/3/06 _____</p> <p>_____ Partner's CGA Club _____</p> <p>_____ Partner's CGA Handicap Index _____</p> <p>If you are not receiving "Carolinas Golf" Magazine, please check here: _____</p>
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We are members in good standing with the club(s) listed above. We have read all rules pertaining to this championship. We have completed this entry form and enclosed the entry fee. We agree to abide by all decisions of the CGA Championship Committee, the CGA Tournament Manual (located at www.carolinagolf.org) and the conditions of play pertaining to this championship. We are aware that disqualification is the penalty for failure to do so. We 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.

Signatures _____ & _____

Parent Signatures _____ & _____

(If applicant(s) are 17 years old or younger)

Entry fee is \$120 per team

Mail Entry Form To: Carolinas Golf Association, PO Box 319, West End, NC 27376

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