

# 26<sup>th</sup> Mid-Amateur Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

April 21-23, 2006

*Musgrove Mill Golf Club, Clinton, SC*



Open Date: Monday, February 13

Entry Fee: \$80

Close Date: Monday, March 13

#### ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any male amateur golfer who has reached his 30th birthday by the first day of the championship, 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](http://www.carolinagolf.org). The maximum allowable handicap index is 5.4.

#### RULES

USGA Rules of Golf govern play. Local rules are distributed at the starter's table. The Carolinas Golf Association 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

The championship is conducted at 54 holes of stroke play. After 36 holes, the field is cut to the low 60 scorers and ties.

#### PRIZES

Prizes are awarded in merchandise at the championship and at qualifying sites. The *Darby Moore Trophy* is held by the winner's club for the ensuing year.

#### GOLF CARTS/CADDIES

Daily cart fees are not included in the entry fee. Caddies are allowed for sectional qualifying and championship rounds.

Sectional Qualifying: Cart fee is mandatory for sectional practice and qualifying rounds.

Championship Site: Cart rental may be mandatory for practice rounds. Competitors may walk or rent a golf cart during championship rounds.

#### ENTRIES

Each entrant must complete an official entry form. Online entry applications can be completed at [www.carolinagolf.org](http://www.carolinagolf.org). No entry is accepted prior to the opening date. Entries are accepted until 11:59 p.m. of the closing date. The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any mail courier. Confirmation of acceptance and lodging information is sent to players when their status is determined. Status may be checked at [www.carolinagolf.org](http://www.carolinagolf.org). Fax, e-mail, telephone, late or incomplete entries are not accepted. The entry fee must be paid by each player 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 Start" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) jeopardize their entry into future Carolinas Mid-Amateur 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. Refunds are not made regardless of reason for players who have played in a qualifier. A \$20 administrative fee is deducted from all refunds.

CGA: 910-673-1000

Musgrove Mill Golf Club: 864-833-6921

Detach, sign and mail the entry form with your fee to CGA, PO Box 319, West End, NC 27376. Entry fee is \$80. Incomplete, illegible forms and entries received before the opening date are returned. Keep the bottom portion for your records.

#### EXEMPTIONS AND SECTIONAL QUALIFYING

Exemptions: Exempt players from sectional qualifying, if otherwise eligible, include: champions of the Carolinas Amateur since 1996, champions of the Carolinas Mid-Amateur since 1996, champions of the North Carolina Amateur since 2001, champions of the CGA South Carolina Match Play since 2001, champions of the North Carolina Mid-Amateur since 2001, the 2005 Carolinas Amateur runner-up, the 2005 Carolinas Senior Amateur champion, the 2005 North Carolina Senior Amateur champion, non-senior/junior playing members of the 2005 Carolinas Team, players who finished 30th or better in the 2005 Carolinas Mid-Amateur, 2005 Carolinas Men's and Senior Men's Player of the Year, and players ranked in the Top 20 of the CGA Carolinas Men's Amateur Rankings as of 2/13/06. Also, current USGA individual champions, 2005 USGA Championship qualifiers, most recent Walker Cup Team members, and the current men's club champion of Musgrove Mill Golf Club as of the opening date are exempt in addition to any special exemptions the CGA wishes to bestow.

Sectional Qualifying - 18 Holes. The number of qualifiers' places at each qualifying site is determined by the CGA after entries close, based on the size of the field. All ties for the final qualifying position qualify for the championship. If a qualifying site attracts more players than can be accommodated, some players are assigned to another site or rejected. Assignment or rejection is based on the date the CGA receives each entry form and cannot be changed. Site assignments cannot be changed after entries close. Individual qualifying site information is sent after entries are accepted. A player may opt to list only one qualifying site preference on the entry form. If that qualifying site preference is full at the time the entry is received, that player is listed as an alternate at that qualifying site.

#### Qualifying Schedule

Monday, March 27  
Jamestown Park Golf Course, Jamestown, NC  
Tuesday, March 28  
Green Valley Country Club, Greenville, SC  
Wednesday, March 29  
Walnut Creek Country Club, Goldsboro, NC  
Thursday, March 30  
Country Club of Orangeburg, Orangeburg, SC

#### Championship Schedule

Thursday, April 20  
Tee times available for practice.  
Friday, April 21  
First round. 18 holes of stroke play.  
Saturday, April 22  
Second round. 18 holes of stroke play.  
Cut to low 60 scorers and ties.  
Sunday, April 23  
Final round. 18 holes of stroke play.

*For office use only*  
 Date Rec \_\_\_\_\_  
 Entry # \_\_\_\_\_  
 PC/Ltr/E-Mail Sent \_\_\_\_\_  
 WD CD REF Y N Chk# \_\_\_\_\_

*For office use only*  

	Tee Time	Tee #
Qualifier	_____	_____
Championship	_____	_____
RD 1	_____	_____
RD 2	_____	_____

**Application for Entry**  
*2006 Mid-Amateur Championship*  
*of the Carolinas Golf Association*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ IGN # \_\_\_\_\_  
(may not be available at all clubs)

If address has changed check here: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home phone Work phone

(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mobile Phone

E-mail address (tournament information will be sent to this address) \_\_\_\_\_

Age as of 4/21/06 \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

If you are not receiving "Carolinas Golf" Magazine, check here: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a member of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Club issuing your CGA handicap card)

and am in good standing with this club. I have read all rules pertaining to this championship. I have completed this entry form and enclosed the entry fee. I agree to abide by all decisions of the CGA Championship Committee, the CGA Tournament Manual (located at [www.carolinagolf.org](http://www.carolinagolf.org)) and the conditions of play pertaining to this championship. I agree to accept disqualification upon evidence of my failure to do so. 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.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ CGA Handicap Index \_\_\_\_\_  
(Maximum index of 5.4)

**Entry fee is \$80**

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

**Qualifying Sites**  
 (Dates in parenthesis)  
 List preference from 1 to 4  
Note: Cart rental mandatory for practice and qualifying rounds.

Jamestown Park GC, Jamestown, NC  
 (Monday, 3/27)

Green Valley CC, Greenville, SC  
 (Tuesday, 3/28)

Walnut Creek CC, Goldsboro, NC  
 (Wednesday, 3/29)

CC of Orangeburg, Orangeburg, SC  
 (Thursday, 3/30)

Exempt: Top 30 and ties in the 2005 Carolinas Mid-Amateur

Exempt: Other category, identify below  
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