

57th Carolinas Four-Ball Championship

May 7-11, 2008

Camden Country Club, Camden, SC



Open Date: February 25

Entry Fee: \$130

Close Date: April 23

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 AND PRIZES

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

GOLF CARTS AND RANGE FEES

Daily cart and range fees are not included in the entry fee. Cart rental may be mandatory for practice rounds. Competitors have the option to either walk or rent golf carts during championship rounds. Competitors are responsible for paying cart rental or range fees prior to each stroke play championship round. CGA pays cart fees for all players advancing to match play.

ENTRIES

Each team must complete an official entry form. Online entry applications can be completed at www.carolinagolf.org. Fax, email, telephone, incomplete, illegible forms, or entries received before the opening date and after the closing date are not accepted. **Entries are accumulated for the entire open/close window. Exempt teams are accepted at time of entry. The remainder of the field is selected after entries close by team index. Alternates are ranked according to total team index.** The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any mail courier or Internet service provider. Confirmation of acceptance and lodging information is 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. The entry fee must be paid by each team and must accompany this form. Only one entry fee per check. Make check payable to the Carolinas Golf Association. Detach, sign and mail the entry form with your \$130 entry fee to the Carolinas Golf Association, PO Box 319, West End, NC 27376. A player whose check is returned for insufficient funds may be disqualified indefinitely from CGA competitions. Teams who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) jeopardize their entry into future Carolinas Senior 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, player 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

EXEMPTIONS

***Complete list of exempt players available online at www.carolinagolf.org**

1. Champions of the Carolinas Four-Ball Championship since 1998.
2. Teams that qualified for match play in the 2007 Carolinas Four-Ball Championship.
3. Dean Channell and Scott McClellan of Cary, NC 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 6

Tee times available for practice.

Wednesday, May 7

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

Thursday, May 8

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

Friday, May 9

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

Saturday, May 10

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

Sunday, May 11

Final match (18 holes).

For office use only

Date Rec _____

Entry # _____

PC/Ltr/E-mail Sent _____

WD CD REF Y N Chk# _____

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

EXEMPTIONS

Exempt: Identify Below:

Name on CGA handicap card _____ Partner's name on CGA handicap card _____ IGN # _____ Partner's IGN # _____ If address has changed, check here: _____ Address _____ Partner's Address _____ City, State, Zip Code _____ Partner's City, State, Zip Code _____ E-mail (tournament info sent to this address) _____ Partner's E-mail _____ (_____) _____ (_____) _____ Home phone Work phone Home phone Work phone (_____) _____ (_____) _____ Mobile phone Occupation Mobile phone Occupation Birthdate: ____/____/____ Age as of 5/7/08 _____ Partner's Birthdate: ____/____/____ Age as of 5/7/08 _____ CGA Club _____ Partner's CGA Club _____ USGA Handicap Index®: _____ Partner's USGA Handicap Index®: _____ If you are not receiving "Carolinas Golf" Magazine, please check here: _____ Partner's If you are not receiving "Carolinas Golf" Magazine, please check here: _____	Name on CGA handicap card _____ Partner's name on CGA handicap card _____ IGN # _____ Partner's IGN # _____ If address has changed, check here: _____ Address _____ Partner's Address _____ City, State, Zip Code _____ Partner's City, State, Zip Code _____ E-mail (tournament info sent to this address) _____ Partner's E-mail _____ (_____) _____ (_____) _____ Home phone Work phone Home phone Work phone (_____) _____ (_____) _____ Mobile phone Occupation Mobile phone Occupation Birthdate: ____/____/____ Age as of 5/7/08 _____ Partner's Birthdate: ____/____/____ Age as of 5/7/08 _____ CGA Club _____ Partner's CGA Club _____ USGA Handicap Index®: _____ Partner's USGA Handicap Index®: _____ If you are not receiving "Carolinas Golf" Magazine, please check here: _____ Partner's If you are not receiving "Carolinas Golf" Magazine, please check here: _____
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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 \$130 per team

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

