



# Carolin Golf Association

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TO: North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship Players  
FROM: Rusty Harder, Carolinas Golf Association  
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TOPIC: CGA North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship Player Information

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Your entry into the 14<sup>th</sup> North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship at Greenville Country Club in Greenville, NC on August 12-14, 2014 has been accepted. Please review the following championship information since there is no formal championship registration at Greenville Country Club. *Please note we are playing Greenville Country Club "Country Club Drive" location.* Remember that we are guests of the club and we need to conduct ourselves in a proper manner. Also, make sure to be at your assigned tee ready to play a few minutes before your tee time. Call me at the CGA office if you have any questions or e-mail me at [rusty.harder@carolinagolf.org](mailto:rusty.harder@carolinagolf.org).

## Greenville Country Club Information

Club Address: 216 Country Club Drive, Greenville, NC 27834

PGA Golf Professional: Brady Pinner

Superintendent: Chris Parham

Golf Shop Phone: 252-756-0504; Golf Shop Hours: 7:00am-7:00pm (during championship); Practice Facility Hours: 7:00am-7:00pm

Website: <http://www.greenvillecountryclub.com/default.aspx?p=DynamicModule&pageid=380641&ssid=298046&vnf=1>

Championship Tees: CGA Tees (6227 yards, par 35-36--71); Course/Slope Rating: 70.1/128

Locker Room: The men's locker room will be available to players during the championship.

Dress Code: Shirts must have a collar (mock neck is OK if 1 ½ inches in height), shirts must be tucked-in, hat brims face forward, no denim, no cargo pants or cargo shorts, no cut-off shorts, soft-spike shoes.

Coolers: No personal coolers or outside beverages allowed.

Accepted Forms of Payment: Club accepts cash, MasterCard, Visa and American Express for golf shop fees and food/beverage purchases.

**Personal Items:** Make sure not to leave any valuable personal items unattended such as jewelry, wallets, etc. even if they are tucked away inside your golf bag. It is best to leave your valuables locked in your automobile. Neither the CGA nor the host club will be held responsible for any lost or stolen personal items.

**Cell Phones:** Except for emergencies, a ruling, viewing tournament leaderboard or use as a distance measuring device, cell phone use is not allowed on the golf course during championship rounds. Cell phone use is allowed outside the clubhouse or in the parking lot. Players are permitted to use their smartphone to view the tournament leaderboard as long as the device is on silent, is not used for voice or texting communications and play is not delayed.

## Starting Times

Starting times will be available on **Wednesday, August 6**. Check the CGA website at [www.carolinagolf.org](http://www.carolinagolf.org), call the CGA office or Greenville Country Club golf shop. The official starting time clocks are located on the starting tees.

## Practice Round

You are entitled to one practice round from any day two weeks prior when starting times are available. Note that weekend starting times may not be available. Make sure to identify yourself as a North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship participant. It would be helpful if you make your own game before calling. There is a **mandatory** \$25.00 cart/range fee for the practice round.

## Championship Cart and Range Fees

All championship cart and range fees are included in the entry fee and paid by the CGA. Players have the option to walk or use a golf cart. **Pull-carts are NOT allowed.**

## Food and Beverage

All food and beverage consumed on club grounds must be purchased at Greenville Country Club. Food and beverage will be available for championship contestants at the turnhouse. Personal coolers are not allowed.

## Lodging

Host hotel is the Hampton Inn (252-355-7400). Hotel is located 2 miles or 5 minutes from Greenville Country Club. Hotel serves complimentary breakfast and offers high-speed Wi-Fi Internet access. Please identify yourself with the "**Carolin Golf Association**" to receive the discounted rate of \$114.00 + tax for a double room. **Hotel room block is held until July 29**. Rooms may be available after this cut-off date at the prevailing hotel rates.

**Course Yardage: (\*note: yardage is subject to change)**

| Hole    | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | Out  | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | In   | Total |
|---------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-------|
| Yardage | 432 | 325 | 137 | 351 | 362 | 460 | 372 | 196 | 417 | 3052 | 159 | 408 | 359 | 472 | 401 | 173 | 392 | 366 | 445 | 3175 | 6227  |
| Par     | 4   | 4   | 3   | 4   | 4   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 4   | 35   | 3   | 4   | 4   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 4   | 4   | 5   | 36   | 71    |

**Prizes**

Champions receive merchandise and trophies. Merchandise prizes are awarded to the top 20 finishers and ties at the championship. Merchandise certificates are valid for 90 days after event.

**Championship Format and Schedule**

Championship is conducted at 54 holes of four-ball stroke play. After 36 holes, the field is cut to the low 30 scores and ties for the final round. Top 20 overall teams receive merchandise at the conclusion of the championship. An on-course play-off is used to break a tie for the overall championship.

Monday, August 11 Practice rounds available. Must call golf shop in advance for tee time.

Tuesday, August 12 First round. Tee times at 8:00am & 12:30pm off #1 and #10 tees.

Wednesday, August 13 Second round. Tee times at 8:00am & 12:30pm off #1 and #10 tees.

Field cut to low 30 teams and ties for final round.

Thursday, August 14 Final round. Tee times at 8:00am off #1 and #10 tees.

Awards ceremony immediately following play at scoreboard.

**Text Notifications:** The Carolinas Golf Association has a new text (SMS) notification feature in the TPP tournament software that will be used to send text messages to your mobile phone in the event of tournament schedule changes, delays and cancellations. This is a free service provided by the CGA. Note that standard texting and data rates apply based upon your cell phone plan.

*To Opt-In:*

-Enter a mobile phone number into your TPP Player Profile. (<https://www.qhintpp.com/carolinasgolf/TPPOnlineGolfer/loqon.aspx>, click Edit Profile on left menu)

*To Opt-Out:*

-Call or email the CGA office and request to be opted-out of text notifications (recommended).

-Remove the mobile phone number from your TPP Player Profile (not recommended).

**Twitter**

The CGA will post any tournament delays or cancellations via our Twitter account. Follow @cgagolf1909.

**CGA North Carolina License Plate Campaign**

The CGA is still accepting applications for CGA North Carolina license plate campaign. We anticipate that the NCDMV to begin issuing license plates to registered vehicles in North Carolina in August. Your purchase of a CGA license plate will help the CGA continue to financially support the CGF and many other worthwhile Carolinas initiatives and will show your support of amateur golf every time you drive your vehicle. Click link for details about this program and to download an application form. <http://www.carolinasgolf.org/foundation/cgflicenseprogram.htm>

**Directions to Greenville Country Club and the Hampton Inn**

[Greenville CC Directions](#)

[Hampton Inn Greenville](#)

**Policies and Rules**

Greenville Country Club is a spikeless facility. The penalty for non-compliance is disqualification. The "Notice to Players" rules sheet is available on the North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship home page.

**Pace of Play:** A group that is out of position will be advised of the situation and the individuals may be timed. The players will be notified that exceeding 40 seconds to play their next shot will result in a warning. A second violation will result in a one stroke penalty to the individual. A third violation will result in a two stroke penalty to the individual followed by team disqualification for a fourth violation.

A player's time to play begins when the player has had a reasonable opportunity to reach his or her ball and when it is the player's turn to play and can do so without interference or distraction. Penalties are applied individually, but more than one competitor in a group may be penalized.

**Distance Measuring Devices:** Local rule allowing the use of conforming distance measuring devices will be in effect (i.e. measure distance only).

Note that if a smartphone or tablet is used as a distance measuring device, the distance measuring application must measure distance only and the device must not have any other applications that would render the device non-conforming (i.e. GPS altimeter or anemometer). Compass and weather applications are now permitted on the device.

**Phone Numbers**

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Hampton Inn: 252-355-7400