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TO: North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship Players
FROM: Andy Priest, Carolinas Golf Association
DATE: June 12, 2015
TOPIC: CGA North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship Player Information

Your entry into the 15th North Carolina Senior Four-Ball Championship at Pinewood Country Club in Asheboro, NC on August 12-14, 2015 has been accepted. Please review the following championship information since there is no formal championship registration at Pinewood Country Club. 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 andy.priest@carolinasgolf.org.

Championship Site Cart and Range Fees

All championship site cart and range fees for all championship rounds 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.**

Pinewood Country Club Information

Club Address: 247 Pinewood Road, Asheboro, NC 27205

PGA Golf Professional: Brandon Turner

Superintendent: Steve Richau

Golf Shop Phone: 336-629-4444; Golf Shop Hours: 7:00am-7:00pm (during championship); Practice Facility Hours: 7:00am-7:00pm

Website: www.pinewoodclub.com

Championship Tees: CGA Tees (6358 yards, par 36-36--72); Course/Slope Rating: 71.3/132

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

Dress Code: Shirts must have a collar, 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, American Express and Discover for golf shop fees and food/beverage purchases.

Map: <https://goo.gl/maps/PBqbj>

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.

August 10-11 Practice rounds available. Must call golf shop in advance for tee time.

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

Thursday, 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.

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

Awards ceremony immediately following play at scoreboard.

Prizes

Champions receive merchandise and trophies. Merchandise prizes are awarded to the top 20 finishers and ties at the championship. Merchandise certificates are valid until December 31, 2015.

Starting Times

Starting times will be available on **Friday, August 7** by 5:00pm. Check the CGA website at www.carolinasgolf.org, call the CGA office or Pinewood Country Club golf shop. The official starting time clocks are located on the starting tees.

Practice Round

You are entitled to one practice round on August 10-11 when starting times are 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.

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	340	375	515	383	194	344	486	180	346	3163	362	346	193	387	418	385	488	151	465	3195	6358
Par	4	4	5	4	3	4	5	3	4	36	4	4	3	4	4	4	5	3	5	36	72

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.

Food and Beverage

All food and beverage consumed on club grounds must be purchased at Pinewood Country Club. Food and beverage will be available for championship contestants in the clubhouse Grill Room facing #10 tee. Personal coolers are not allowed.

Lunch on August 12

CGA will host lunch for all players on Wednesday, August 12 from 11:00am-3:30pm at Pinewood Country Club.

Lodging

Host hotel is the Fairfield Inn & Suites Asheboro (336-626-9197). Hotel is located 13 minutes from Pinewood Country Club. Hotel serves complimentary breakfast and offers high-speed Wi-Fi Internet access. Check hotel website link below for best rates. Rates start at \$84.00.

Hotel Website: <http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/gsoab-fairfield-inn-and-suites-asheboro/>

Map to Hotel: <https://goo.gl/maps/k6W9d>

Text Notifications: The Carolinas Golf Association has a 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.ghintpp.com/carolinasgolf/TPPOnlineGolfer/logon.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.

Policies and Rules

Pinewood 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.

CGA North Carolina License Plate Campaign

The CGA license plates are now available! Your purchase of a CGA license plate will help the CGA continue to financially support the Carolinas Golf Foundation along with 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 order a plate online. <http://www.carolinasgolf.org/license-plate-campaign>

Phone Numbers

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