

6th Carolinas Net Amateur Championship

Conducted by the Carolinas Golf Association, South Carolina Golf Association and Women's South Carolina Golf Association
November 12-13, 2016
Pine Lakes Country Club, Myrtle Beach, SC

Player Information

TO: 6th Carolinas Net Amateur Championship Contestants

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TOPIC: Carolinas Net Amateur Championship Player Information

The championship will be played on **Pine Lakes Country Club**. Please review the following championship information since there is no formal championship registration at the championship. Remember that we are <u>quests</u> of the club and we need to conduct ourselves in a proper manner. Also, make sure to be at your assigned cart ready to play 15 minutes prior to the 10:00am shotgun start each day. Call the CGA office at 910-673-1000 or e-mail <u>rusty.harder@carolinasgolf.org</u> if you have any questions. Good luck and we look forward to seeing you in Myrtle Beach!

Championship Website: http://www.carolinasgolf.org/championship/home/16netam/year/2016

Pine Lakes Country Club Information

Club Address: 5603 Grandaddy Drive, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Golf Professional: Jonathan Brock

Superintendent:

Golf Shop Phone: Golf Shop Hours: 7:00am-5:30pm (during championship); Practice Facility Hours: 7:00am-5:00pm

Championship Tees: Par 35-35-70

Men = Tee #3 6305 yards (70.5/128)

Senior and Super Senior Men = Tee #2 5756 yards (68.1/120)

Women = Tee #1 4758 yards (68.6/111)

Senior and Super Senior Women = Tee #1 4758 yards (68.6/111)

Locker Room: Locker rooms will be available to players during the championship.

Dress Code/Coolers: Shirts must have a collar (mock neck is OK if 1 ½ inches in height), no denim, spikeless shoes. No personal coolers.

Starting Times

Groupings and hole assignments for November 12 will be available beginning <u>Tuesday, November 8</u>. CGA will email hole assignments to players and will also be available on the web, by calling the CGA, SCGA or WSCGA offices. A 10:00am shotgun start will be used each round

Practice Round/Golf Carts/Pull-Carts/Caddies/Spectators

You are entitled to <u>one</u> practice round on November 11 when tee times are available. You may call the Pine Lake Country Club golf shop at starting November 1 to schedule a practice round. Make sure to identify yourself as a Carolinas Net Amateur Championship participant. It would be helpful if you make your own game before calling. There is a <u>mandatory</u> \$35.00 cart/range fee for the practice round. <u>Championship round cart/range fees and cocktail party are included in the entry fee</u>. Players are required to use golf carts at this event therefore pull-carts and walking are <u>NOT</u> permitted.

Caddie/Spectator Cart Policy: Since players are required to use a golf cart, caddies will be required to walk.

Spectators are not allowed to ride in a player's golf cart at any time. Club owned spectator carts are not allowed except as provided in the CGA Tournament Manual. Spectators are not allowed to ride in a player's golf cart at any time. Arrangements must be made in advance.

Accepted Forms of Payment

Club accepts cash, MasterCard, Visa, Discover and American Express for cart/range fees, golf shop purchases and food/beverage.

Food/Beverage & Cocktail Party Social

Food and beverage will be available for purchase to contestants in the clubhouse, snack bar and halfway house on the golf course. Associations will host a cocktail party social for all players following play on November 12 in the clubhouse. Appetizers, tea and beer will be available for players only. Guests must pay for their own food and beverage items.

Tipping

We encourage players to tip club personnel particularly the outside staff when a service is performed (i.e. placing clubs on carts, cleaning clubs, etc.).

Pine Lakes Course Yardage (*Yardage is subject to change and this information only serves as a guide during practice rounds)

Hole	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Out	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	In	Total
Senior Men Tee # 2	317	161	408	324	410	352	330	163	299	2764	500	127	371	404	412	316	146	329	387	2992	5756
Men Tee # 3	332	183	426	334	498	382	370	187	350	3062	529	145	391	424	425	365	171	380	413	3243	6305
Men's Par	4	3	4	4	5	4	4	3	4	35	5	3	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	35	70
All Women RED	257	89	370	255	347	295	271	131	189	2204	454	103	308	339	327	240	127	317	339	2554	4758
Women's Par	4	3	4	4	5	4	4	3	4	35	5	3	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	35	70

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Fairfield Inn – Myrtle Beach Broadway at the Beach 3150 Oleander Drive Myrtle Beach, SC 29577 843-444-8097 \$99 per night – Double & King rooms
Ask for the South Carolina Golf Association Rate

Championship Format and Prizes

The championship is 36 holes of net stroke play using 100% Course Handicap. Net Score is calculated by subtracting Course Handicap from Gross Score. Players are assigned into flights within divisions by net score following the first round.

Overall champion in each division (Men, Women, Senior Men, Senior Women, Super Senior Men, Super Senior Women) receives a trophy and merchandise. Merchandise will be awarded to the top finishers in each flight based upon the number of entrants.

A tie for the overall champion in each division is determined by an on-course three hole playoff using 1/6 course handicap rounded to the nearest whole number. If a tie remains then co-champions will be declared. All other ties are broken on the score card using the USGA recommended method.

Merchandise certificates are valid for one year.

Championship Schedule

Friday, November 11 Course available for practice rounds. Must call in advance for starting time.

Saturday, November 12 First Round: 10:00am shotgun start.

Re-pair and flight field within divisions according to net score for final round. Cocktail party immediately following play in the Pine Lakes clubhouse.

Sunday, November 13 Final Round: 10:00am shotgun start.

Awards ceremony immediately following play at scoreboard.

Directions to Pine Lake Country Club

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Score Posting

Associations will post your adjusted gross scores from this championship to your home club handicap.

Championship Policies

Pine Lakes CC is a soft-spike facility. The penalty for non-compliance is disqualification.

Any player who is discovered taking more than 40 seconds to play a stroke is subject to a penalty of one stroke. A second violation will result in a two stroke penalty, followed by disqualification.

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.

"Notice to Players" rules sheet is available on the Carolinas Net Amateur Championship website.