



41st SC Junior Match Play Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

Rock Hill CC Rock Hill, SC

July 10-13, 2018

Entries Open: May 21 (8 pm)

Entry Fee: \$125.00

Entries Close: June 29

All competitors must register on line

ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any male or female amateur golfer who has not reached their 19th birthday by July 13, 2018, who has not started college, is a legal resident of South Carolina, is a member or their parent 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 that does not exceed **18.4**. 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 or cell phone use during a stipulated round. All players must conform to the "USGA Rules of Amateur Status" as specified in "The Rules of Golf". For complete residency and eligibility requirements, refer to the CGA Tournament Manual at the CGA website (www.carolinagolf.org).

ENTRIES

All players, must register online at www.carolinagolf.org. Boys' Championship: First 108 entries received by the closing date will be accepted. Girls' Championship: First 36 entries received by the closing date will be accepted.

The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any internet service provider. Entries are only accepted between the open and close dates as stated above. Confirmation of acceptance is sent to players when their status is determined. Status may be checked at www.carolinagolf.org. Players who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) are suspended from next year's SC Junior Match Play Championship.

REFUND POLICY

Entry fee refund policy schedule:

Open Date to Day Prior to Championship: Full refund minus \$30.00 administrative fee if entry accepted into championship.

Withdraw on Championship Date: No refund for any reason. Alternates not gaining entry into the tournament receive a full refund.

RULES

USGA Rules of Golf govern play. Questions will be decided by the on-site Rules Committee whose decision will be final. Notice to Players and local rules are posted at host club and distributed at the starting tee(s). 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. The competition is closed when the championship trophy has been presented. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted.

AGE DIVISIONS

Boys and girls will compete in separate divisions based on gender. **There are no age divisions.**

DIVISION SIZES

Boys' 108 competitors

Girls' 36 competitors

FORMAT

The championship format is match play with 18 holes of stroke play qualifying to determine the seedings for match play. Boys' defending champion Zack Gilbert and Girls' defending champion Katie Whitfield will be seeded number one for match play. The top 63 boys and the top 15 girls from the stroke play qualifier (July 10) will advance to match play. Once a player loses a match, they are eliminated from the tournament.

YARDAGES

Boys' division will compete at approximately 6,700 yards, par 72.

Girls' division will compete at approximately 5,600 yards, par 72.

PRIZES

Trophies are awarded to the champion, runner-up, semifinalists and stroke play medalist in each division.

TEAM MATCHES

The girls' champion will be invited to represent the CGA in the Mid-Atlantic Challenge Junior Girls Team Matches in 2019. The boys' champion will be invited to represent the CGA in the Carolinas-Virginias Junior Team Matches at CC of North Carolina in Pinehurst, NC on August 11-12, 2018.

CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Monday, July 9

All day

Practice rounds

Tuesday, July 10

8:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Stroke play qualifying

11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Player lunch

Wednesday, July 11

8:00 a.m.-9:45 a.m.

Boys' Round 1 matches

11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Player lunch

12:00 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

Girls' Round 1 matches

1:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

Boys' Round 2 matches

Thursday, July 12

8:00 a.m.-9:45 a.m.

Boys' Round 3 matches

10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Girls' Round 2 matches

12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

Boys' Quarterfinal matches

2:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

Girls' Semifinal matches

Friday, July 13

8:00 a.m.-8:20 a.m.

Boys' Semifinal matches

8:30 a.m.

Girls' Championship match

12:30 p.m.

Boys' Championship match

**Schedule subject to change.*

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