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102ND CAROLINAS AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

COUNTRY CLUB OF CHARLESTON
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History of the Carolinas Amateur Championship

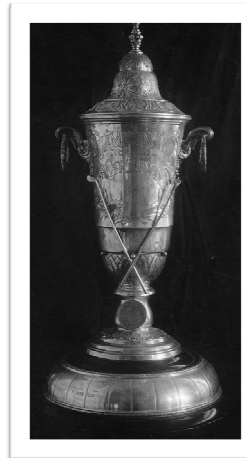
Seventy players gathered at Sans Souci in Greenville, S.C. on June 16-18, 1910, for one round of qualifying and four rounds of match play. Berrien Brooks of Columbia, SC won that year over Fred Laxton of Charlotte, N.C.

In 1912, J.E. Sirrine moved that the association purchase a cup for the team match portion of the Carolinas Amateur to be known as the Frank Capers Cup, named for the association's first president.

North Carolina players hold a distinct upper hand in the tournament, which adopted a medal-play format in 2010 after being a match-play event for its first 95 events. The Tar Heel State has produced 70 of the tournament's 101 winners.

Among the 31 South Carolinians who have won are seven Charleston residents: E.F. Mayberry (1914), Louis Grimball (1915), Thad Street (1934 and '35), Lewis Johnson, Jr. (1937), Terry Ezell (1989), Frank Ford, III (1992), Cordes Ford (1996).

The list of champions could serve as a window into golf history in the Carolinas, with past winners including players both old and young, fathers and sons, college champions, weekend warriors and future professionals.



Though he never served as a full-time staff member, the central cog in CGA operations for many decades was Richard Tufts, grandson of Pinehurst founder James W. Tufts and a luminary in golf tournament and rules administration. Richard Tufts was elected as a CGA director in 1926, moved up to vice president from 1929 to 1931 and then president from 1931 to 1933. In 1934, he took on the position of secretary-treasurer and held that for 31 years. From 1956-57, Tufts served as the president of the United States Golf Association.

Tufts and an amateur golf association were a perfect match as Tufts was a staunch advocate of golf enjoyed for exercise, escape, challenge and fellowship. The Carolinas Amateur Championship trophy is named in Tufts' honor.

Schedule of Events*Wednesday, July 13*

All Day: Practice rounds.

9:00am-5:00pm: Player Registration in the Clubhouse.

Thursday, July 14

Round 1: Tee times at 7:30am & 12:45pm off #1 & #10 tees.

11:00am-3:00pm: Hosted player lunch.

Friday, July 15

Round 2: Tee times at 7:30am & 12:45pm off #1 & #10 tees.

11:00am-3:00pm: Hosted player lunch.

Cut to low 60 scores and ties.

Field re-grouped according to score.

Saturday, July 16

Round 3: Tee times at 8:00am off #1 & #10 tees.

12:00pm-3:00pm: Hosted player lunch.

Field re-grouped according to score.

Sunday, July 17

Round 4: Tee times begin at 8:00am off #1 & #10 tees.

Awards ceremony immediately following play at scoreboard.

About the Country Club of Charleston

Seth Raynor designed the course at the Country Club of Charleston, which opened in 1925. John LaFoy made revisions in 1990-1991 following Hurricane Hugo, with additional revisions from Brian Silva in 2007. This year Kyle Franz has created/renovated the bunkers on holes 4, 12, and 15 in preparation for hosting the 2019 U.S. Women's Open.

The club boasts a membership rich in championship pedigree. Henry Picard, a World Golf Hall of Fame member, won 27 PGA Tour events, including the 1938 Masters and 1939 PGA Championship, was a longtime member. Beth Daniel, a Charleston native, learned the game at the club and went on to enjoy a career that included two U.S. Women's Amateur titles, 33 LPGA Tour victories including the 1990 Women's PGA Championship, and induction into the World Golf Hall of Fame in 2000. Other notable club members include career amateurs Frank Ford Sr., and his grandson Frank Ford III, who between them won the Azalea Amateur 11 times. D.J. Trahan, the 2000 U.S. Amateur Public Links and 2002 Azalea Am champion, is an honorary member.

The club has hosted six previous Carolinas Amateurs, including the championship's second playing in 1911. "The Country Club of Charleston is proud to continue a tradition it helped begin back in 1909 by hosting the 102nd Carolina's Amateur Championship," said club president Cordes Ford. "As a founding club of the Carolinas Golf Association, we are excited to again bring together the best amateur golfers from North and South Carolina and help crown this year's champion."

At the last Carolinas Amateur hosted by the club in 2009, Jack Fields of Southern Pines, N.C. defeated Josh Gallman of Gaffney, S.C. 8 & 7. That was the final year the championship was contested as match play. Now it is a 72-hole stroke-play competition.

CAROLINAS AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS

format changed to stroke play in 2010

SCORING**Lowest Winning Score, 72 holes**

1. (268) Carter Jenkins
2. (273) Logan Harrell
3. (276) Carson Young

Largest margin of victory (match play)

1. (12&10) Robert Dunkelberger
2. (11&10) Thad Street Jr.
3. (10&8) S.M. Alexander Jr.;
(10&9) Robert L. Bryant; (10&9) Marion Dantzler

Largest margin of victory (stroke play shots)

- 3 Carter Jenkins (268)
- 2 Logan Harrell (273)
Scott Harvey (281)
Carson Young (276)

CHAMPIONS**Most wins**

- 3 F.M. Laxton
Eugene Mills
Bill Harvey
Carter Jenkins (stroke play)
- 2 Walter M. Paul
Roland Hancock
TD Blair
Thad Street Jr.
Billy Joe Patton
James McNair
Harvie Ward Jr.
Richard D. Chapman
Chip Beck
Matt Peterson
Terry Ezell
Paul Simson

PAST CAROLINAS AMATEUR CHAMPIONS

1910 - Berrien Brooks, Columbia, SC	1966 - Harry Welch, Salisbury, NC
1911 - C.C. Allen, Greenville, SC	1967 - Dale Morey, High Point, NC
1912 - R.H. Gwaltney, Wilmington, NC	1968 - Allen Powers, Orangeburg, SC
1913 - Walter M. Paul, Charlotte, NC	1969 - Robert L. Bryant, Charlotte, NC
1914 - E.F. Mayberry, Charleston, SC	1970 - Leonard Thompson, Laurinburg, NC
1915 - Louis Grimbball, Charleston, SC	1971 - Mike Kallam, Winston-Salem, NC
1916 - Walter M. Paul, Charlotte, NC	1972 - David Canipe - Fayetteville, NC
1917-18 - No championships, World War I	1973 - Bill Harvey, Jamestown, NC
1919 - Louis Jacoby, Charlotte, NC	1974 - David Thore, Reidsville, NC
1920 - F.H. Hyatt Jr., Columbia, SC	1975 - James Holmes, Aiken, SC
1921 - F.M. Laxton, Charlotte, NC	1976 - Chip Beck, Fayetteville, NC
1922 - F.M. Laxton, Charlotte, NC	1977 - Chip Beck, Fayetteville, NC
1923 - F.M. Laxton, Charlotte, NC	1978 - Mark Stephens, Madison, NC
1924 - Eugene Mills, Raleigh, NC	1979 - Tom Cornelia, Hilton Head, SC
1925 - Roland Hancock, Wilmington, NC	1980 - Ray Freeman, Greensboro, NC
1926 - Roland Hancock, Wilmington, NC	1981 - Nolan Mills, Charlotte, NC
1927 - T.D. Blair, Greensboro, NC	1982 - Mike West, Burlington, NC
1928 - Alan A. Smith, Asheville, NC	1983 - Michael Carlisle, Aiken, SC
1929 - T.D. Blair, Greensboro, NC	1984 - Marion Dantzler, Orangeburg, SC
1930 - Eugene Mills, Raleigh, NC	1985 - Jason Griffith, Orangeburg, SC
1931- Eugene Mills, Raleigh, NC	1986 - Art Roberson, Zebulon, NC
1932 - Erwin L. Laxton, Charlotte, NC	1987 - Matt Peterson, Morganton, NC
1933 - Nelson MacRae, Wilmington, NC	1988 - Matt Peterson, Morganton, NC
1934 - Thad Street Jr., Charleston, SC	1989 - Terry Ezell, Charleston, SC
1935 - Thad Street Jr., Charleston, SC	1990 - Andrew Pitts, Hildebran, NC
1936 - L.P. Tyree Jr., Winston-Salem, NC	1991 - Paul Simson, Raleigh, NC
1937 - Lewis Johnson Jr., Charleston, SC	1992 - Frank Ford III, Charleston, SC
1938 - Marshall Balentine, Greenville, SC	1993 - Bob Stanger, Durham, NC
1939 - Robert Dunkelberger, Greensboro, NC	1994 - Steve Slayden, Charlotte, NC
1940 - Grover D. Poole, Raleigh, NC	1995 - Charles Warren, Columbia, SC
1941- S.M. Alexander Jr., Charlotte, NC	1996 - Cordes Ford, Charleston, SC
1942 - H.S. Covington, Linville, NC	1997 - Kevin Pendley, Greenwood, SC
1943-45 - No championships, World War II	1998 - Terry Ezell, Rock Hill, SC
1946 - James McNair, Aiken, SC	1999 - Jonathan Byrd, Columbia, SC
1948 - James McNair, Aiken, SC	2000 - Matt McWilliams, Southern Pines, NC
1949 - Harvie Ward Jr., Tarboro, NC	2001 - John Pitt, Wilmington, NC
1950 - Harvie Ward Jr., Tarboro, NC	2002 - Brandon Hiott, Walterboro, SC
1951 - P.J. Boatwright Jr., Aiken, SC	2003 - Emmett Turner, Greenwood, SC
1952 - Charles B. Dudley, Greenville, SC	2004 - Banks Wood, Charlotte, NC
1953 - Richard D. Chapman, Pinehurst, NC	2005 - Paul Simson, Raleigh, NC
1954 - John L. McCann Jr., Charlotte, NC	2006 - Scott McClellan, Cary, NC
1955 - Dave Smith Jr., Gastonia, NC	2007 - Patrick Rada, Anderson, SC
1956 - Dillard Traynham, Greenville, SC	2008 - Ben Kohles, Cary, NC
1957 - Richard D Chapman, Pinehurst, NC	2009 - Jack Fields, Southern Pines, NC
1958 - Billy Joe Patton, Morganton, NC	2010 - Logan Harrell, Huntersville, NC
1959 - Horace Irvin, Kinston, NC	2011 - Scott Harvey, Greensboro, NC
1960 - Larry Beck, Kinston, NC	2012 - Carson Young, Pendleton, SC
1961 - Billy Joe Patton, Morganton, NC	2013 - Carter Jenkins, Raleigh, NC
1962 - Charles B. Smith, Gastonia, NC	2014 - Carter Jenkins, Raleigh, NC
1963 - Ken Folkes, Concord, NC	2015 - Carter Jenkins, Raleigh, NC
1964 - Bill Harvey, Jamestown, NC	
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101st Carolinas Amateur Championship
Greensboro CC (Farm) | Greensboro, N.C. | July 9-12, 2015

Champion: Carter Jenkins, Raleigh, N.C.

19-year-old **Carter Jenkins** of Raleigh, N.C., the two-time defending Carolinas Amateur champion, started the final round facing a two stroke deficit. Showing his seven-time CGA champion skill, he shot a course record-tying 8-under 64 to win by three over **David Kocher** of Charlotte, N.C. and **Davis Womble** of High Point, N.C. With the repeat victory, Jenkins joined F.M. Laxton (1921-'23) of Charlotte, N.C. as the only golfers to win the Carolinas Amateur title three consecutive years. Jenkins is the only three-time consecutive champion while competing at stroke play.

In the final round, Jenkins birdied both par-5s on the front nine (No. 2 & 7), then hit a 7 iron to one foot from the cup on the 208 yard, downhill par-3 8th for a tap-in birdie. "I played really well on the front side, even though I only got three under out of it," said Jenkins.

He wasn't the only golfer playing well Sunday morning. Both Kocher and Womble made four birdies with no bogeys on their opening nine holes. Local **Stanhope Johnson Jr.** of Greensboro, N.C. played his outward nine in 3-under-par. 17-year-old Raleigh, N.C. native **Doc Redman** made the turn at 2-under and third round leader **Henry Shimp** of Charlotte, N.C., was 1-under.

With nine holes to play, five golfers shared the lead at 15-under-par. "I saw that it was tight at the turn," recalled Jenkins, a rising junior at UNC-Chapel Hill. "I was a little nervous."

Nerves turned into adrenaline. Jenkins pounded his drive on the 604 yard par-5 10th and reached the green in two for an easy birdie. He then birdied four of his next five holes, climbing to 20-under-par and his ultimate three shot victory. His four-day total of 268 set a Carolinas Amateur scoring record since the championship changed from match play to stroke play in 2010.

In the end, Jenkins' game rose to the importance of the moment. On Sunday he hit 10 of 13 fairways, 16 of 18 greens and 30 putts on his way to hoisting the Richard S. Tufts trophy. In his two previous Carolinas Amateur victories, Jenkins also mounted a final round comeback. "This one definitely means more than the first two did," said Jenkins. "It's pretty cool and very rewarding."

102nd Carolinas Amateur Championship - Final Field**Name, City, State**

Augenstein, Henry, Columbia, SC
 Bae, Eric, Pinehurst, NC
 Bailey, Jackson, Matthews, NC
 Bishop, Zachary, Travelers Rest, SC
 Blanchard, Ford Jr., Orangeburg, SC
 Brame, Steven, Henderson, NC
 Branyon, Josh, Honea Path, SC
 Brightwell, Jonathan, Mint Hill, NC
 Brinker, Walter, Sanford, NC
 Bruns, Connor, Duncan, SC
 Buben, Ben, Charlotte, NC
 Bull, Nathan, Candler, NC
 Butt, Zakariya, Summerville, SC
 Carpenter, Ryan, Aiken, SC
 Carter, Matt, Easley, SC
 Cassidy, Drake, Hartsville, SC
 Cauthen, Dwight, Columbia, SC
 Cichan, Christian, Charlotte, NC
 Cole, Preston, Greer, SC
 Coleman, Brad, Jamestown, NC
 Conover, Tim, Holly Springs, NC
 Conover, Wesley, Holly Springs, NC
 Cowley, Michael, Cary, NC
 Cox, Chad, Charlotte, NC
 Crenshaw, Matthew, Burlington, NC
 Cryan, Griffin, Pinehurst, NC
 Davis, Brody, Harrisburg, NC
 Day, Daniel, Seneca, SC
 Donovan, David IV, Hampstead, NC
 Dudley, Parker, Charleston, SC
 Eberhardt, Nick, Lake Wylie, SC
 Edmondson, Noah, Davidson, NC
 Edwards, Eric, Salisbury, NC
 Elliott, Matt, Wilkesboro, NC
 Erhardt, Regan, Greensboro, NC
 Erhardt, Reilly, Greensboro, NC
 Esposito, Ben, Pittsboro, NC
 Fitzgerald, Paul, Charlotte, NC
 Ford, Cordes IV, Charleston, SC
 Ford, Frank III, Charleston, SC
 Franken, Stephen, Raleigh, NC
 Frye, Harrison, Gastonia, NC
 Germann, David, Clayton, NC
 Germann, Mark, Clayton, NC
 Gies, David II, Charlotte, NC
 Glaze, Gettys, Charleston, SC
 Grisette, Uly, Winston Salem, NC
 Grogan, Levi, Canton, NC

Hallman, Treg, Mt. Pleasant, SC
 Harrell, Logan, Huntersville, NC
 Harvey, Scott, Kernersville, NC
 Harwood, William, Columbia, SC
 Herd, Leonard, Rock Hill, SC
 Herold, Zachary, Lexington, SC
 Hewat, Brian, Charlotte, NC
 Hoff, Keegan, Charlotte, NC
 Hood, Justin, Saint Matthews, SC
 Houser, Grant, Holly Springs, NC
 Howard, Whit, Raleigh, NC
 Howell, Bryce, Blythewood, SC
 Jackson, Daniel, Matthews, NC
 Jaspers, Joe, Huntersville, NC
 Johnson, Yancey, Simpsonville, SC
 Jones, Chris, Charlotte, NC
 Karriker, Rhodes, Matthews, NC
 Keck, Caleb, Reidsville, NC
 Keur, Julian, Summerville, SC
 Kostyal, David II, Wilmington, NC
 Langford, Adam, Murrells Inlet, SC
 Latham, Matt, Wrightsville Beach, NC
 Laydon, Matthew, Charleston, SC
 Lightsey, James Jr., Fort Mill, SC
 Little, William, Kannapolis, NC
 Mader, Brandon, Greenville, NC
 Martin, Zachary, Pinehurst, NC
 Massey, Whitfield, Mt. Pleasant, SC
 Maull, Blake, Charleston, SC
 McGillan, Devin, Lexington, SC
 McLamb, Brett, Coats, NC
 Mcshea, Blake, Zebulon, NC
 Mills, Sawyer, Easley, SC
 Mitchell, Eric, Winston-Salem, NC
 Mitchell, Kirk, Bluffton, SC
 Moore, Dustin, Greensboro, NC
 Mulkey, Chandler, Johns Island, SC
 Murray, Michael Jr, Greensboro, NC
 Nichols, Josh, Kernersville, NC
 Niland, Charlie, Charlotte, NC
 O'Connell, Kevin, Raleigh, NC
 O'Geary, Ben, Henderson, NC
 Oweida, Philip, Charlotte, NC
 Park, Christian, Charlotte, NC
 Park, Scott, Charlotte, NC
 Parks, Hunter, Union, SC
 Patrick, Bailey, Charlotte, NC
 Phillips, Jonathan, Hardeeville, SC

Name, City, State

Pitt, John, Raleigh, NC
 Poole, Kenan II, Raleigh, NC
 Price, Parks, Calabash, NC
 Principi, Nicolas, Huntersville, NC
 Queen, Gene, Advance, NC
 Rainey, William, Charlotte, NC
 Ramey, Doug, Greer, SC
 Ray, Jeremy, Pfafftown, NC
 Redman, Doc, Raleigh, NC
 Robinette, Mitch, Charlotte, NC
 Rodwell, Evan, Charleston, SC
 Rogers, Matthew, Huntersville, NC
 Salzer, Christian, Sumter, SC
 Sanders, Michael, Davidson, NC
 Sanders, Weston, Greenwood, SC
 Sargent, David, Cornelius, NC
 Schank, Riley, Bluffton, SC
 Schweitz, Patrick, Clayton, NC
 Scott, Alex, Raleigh, NC
 Sease, Christian, Mount Pleasant, SC
 Shimp, Henry, Charlotte, NC
 Shuping, Logan, Salisbury, NC
 Simpson, Dwayne, Charlotte, NC
 Simson, Paul, Raleigh, NC
 Spry, Charles, Winston Salem, NC
 Stamper, Corey, Waynesville, NC

Name, City, State

Stephenson, Patrick, Four Oaks, NC
 Stewart, Will, Charlotte, NC
 Stowe, Jarett, Matthews, NC
 Swanson, Zack, Waxhaw, NC
 Tate, Charlie, Greensboro, NC
 Taylor, Blake, Atkinson, NC
 Tereshko, Justin, Jamestown, NC
 Todd, Thomas III, Laurens, SC
 Wagoner, Blake, Cornelius, NC
 Walker, Adam, Charleston, SC
 Ward, Andrew, Indian Trail, NC
 Warnock, Jordan, Roebuck, SC
 Watkins, Hunter, Lexington, SC
 Weary, Alec, Bluffton, SC
 Westveer, Brian, Charlotte, NC
 White, Chandler, Clemmons, NC
 Whitley, Mark, Stantonsburg, NC
 Wiggins, Matthew, Laurens, SC
 Wiggins, Victor, Gastonia, NC
 Williams, Eric, Goldsboro, NC
 Williams, Gordon, Charleston, SC
 Wilson, Jamie, Mt. Pleasant, SC
 Woodrow, Fitz IV, Lexington, SC
 Young, Carson, Pendleton, SC
 Zarems, Ujang, Wilmington, NC
 Zoller, Austin, Summerville, SC

Average Age of field: 25-years-old

Youngest Competitor: Age 15

Kenan Poole II

Oldest Competitor: Age 65

Paul Simson, Raleigh, N.C.

Carolinas Amateur champions in field: (7)

Cordes Ford, IV, Charleston, S.C. - 1996

Frank Ford, III, Charleston, S.C. - 1992

Logan Harrell, Huntersville, N.C. - 2010

Scott Harvey, Greensboro, N.C. - 2011

John Pitt, Wilmington, N.C. - 2001

Paul Simson, Raleigh, N.C. - 1991 & 2005

Carson Young, Pendleton, N.C. - 2012