

38th Women's Four-Ball Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

August 4-5, 2015 Catawba Country Club, Newton, NC

Entries Open: June 7 (8:00pm) Entry Fee: \$230.00 Entries Close: July 28 (11:59pm)

(Cart & Range Fees included)

ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any female amateur golfer who has reached her 13th birthday by August 4, 2015, is a legal resident of North Carolina or South Carolina, is a member in good standing of a club which is a member of the Carolinas Golf Association (CGA) and has an active GHIN® USGA Handicap Index® at a CGA member club. 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.

Championship field size: 56 teams.

ENTRIES

All teams, including those exempt, must complete an official entry form. Online entry applications may be completed at www.carolinasgolf.org. Fax, e-mail, telephone, incomplete, illegible entries, or entries received before the opening date or after the closing date, are not accepted.

Entries are accumulated for the entire open/close window. Exempt teams are accepted at time of entry. The remainder of the field is selected after entries close with the lowest team handicap indexes. Alternates are ranked according to team handicap index.

The CGA is not responsible for errors or delays by any mail courier or internet service provider. Entries are only accepted between the open and close dates as stated above. Confirmation of acceptance and tournament information is sent to the <u>first</u> player listed on this form when their status has been determined. Status may be checked at www.carolinasgolf.org. The entry fee must be paid by each team and must accompany this form. <u>Only one entry fee per check</u>. Make check payable to the Carolinas Golf Association. Detach, sign and mail the entry form with the **\$230** entry fee to the CGA, 140 Ridge Road, Southern Pines, NC 28387. A team whose check is returned for insufficient funds may be disqualified indefinitely from CGA competitions. Teams who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) are suspended from next year's Carolinas Women's Four-Ball Championship.

REFUND POLICY

Entry fee refund policy schedule:

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

Withdraw on Championship Date; No-Shows: No refund for any reason.

Alternates: Full refund if player does not gain entry into the championship.

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 including sectional qualifying. The competition is closed when the championship trophy has been presented. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted.

COURSE FEES; GOLF CARTS; CADDIES; SPECTATORS

Practice Rounds: Cart rental is mandatory for practice rounds.

Championship Rounds: Daily cart and range fees are included in the entry fee. Cart use is mandatory during championship rounds by either the player or her caddie. A player's equipment must be transported on her assigned cart.

Caddies: Caddies are allowed for championship rounds. A player may provide her own caddie. Caddies will not be available at host club.

Caddie/Spectator Cart Policy: During the play of a hole, either the player or her caddie may ride in a golf cart but not both at the same time. 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.

FORMAT (New for 2015)

The championship is contested at 36 holes of four-ball stroke play with a "Championship" division, "Tournament" division (shorter course) and "Senior" division (both players age 50+ and play shorter course). Gross scores only. Teams have the option to compete in either the "Championship" division, "Tournament" division or "Senior" division (if eligible). "Tournament" division and "Senior" division plays a shorter course and is ineligible for the overall championship. Teams will be pre-flighted by total team handicap index within their division. Team handicap index is computed by adding 2/3 of the lower handicap index to 1/3 of the higher handicap index.

Approximate yardage: Championship Division = 5700 yards Tournament Division = 5100 yards Senior Division = 5100 yards

PRIZES

The championship team receives merchandise and trophies. Prizes are awarded to the low scorers in each flight. Ties are split except for the overall championship which is resolved using an on-course play-off.

EXEMPTIONS

Players in the following categories are exempt if otherwise eligible. A complete list of exempt players is available on page 2.

- 1. Champions of the Carolinas Women's Four-Ball Championship since 2005.
- 2. One exemption for championship host club.

*Exempt team members must compete on the same team or with another exempt player.

CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Monday, August 3

Tee times available for practice rounds.

Tuesday, August 4

First round. 18 holes of four-ball stroke play (tee times).

Wednesday, August 5

Final round. 18 holes of four-ball stroke play (shotgun). Awards luncheon immediately following completion of play.

CONTACT INFORMATION

CGA: 910-673-1000 or e-mail: admin@carolinasgolf.org

Championship Site:

Catawba Country Club: 828-294-3737

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Last	First	City	State	Exemption
Baker	Brooke	Raleigh	NC	1
Brady	Peg	Stanley	NC	1
Covar	Anne Marie	Edgefield	SC	1
Crawford	Laura	Lancaster	SC	1
Dunnagan	Maureen	Lexington	SC	1
Few	Meredith	Aiken	SC	1
Hammond	Hayley	Mooresville	NC	1
Hetzel	Mallory	Summerville	SC	1
Lamb	Blair	Flat Rock	NC	1
Miranda	Kathryn	Lexington	SC	1
Moore	Patty	Charlotte	NC	1
Saleeby	Joanna	Raleigh	NC	1
Saleeby	Julie	Raleigh	NC	1
Teague	Lori	Newton	NC	1
Venable	Lea	Simpsonville	SC	1
Worley	Blythe	Greenville	NC	1

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Select Division				
Championship				
Tournament (shorter course)				
Senior (age 50+/shorter course)				

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Partner</u>		
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sponsibility of this application reaching the CGA between the open and close date/time is o anual (located at www.carolinasgolf.org) and the conditions of play pertaining to this cham, e subject to rejection at any time (including during the Championship) by the CGA for ar notographs for any promotional or media purposes. We agree that there are inherent risks i	s pertaining to this championship, completed this entry form and enclosed the entry fee. We agree that turns alone. We agree to abide by all decisions of the CGA Championship Committee, the CGA Tourname bionship. We agree to accept disqualification upon evidence of our failure to do so. We agree that entrigy reason (including unbecoming conduct). We agree to allow the CGA to use our names, likenesses in playing the game of golf and we assume sole liability for all such risks including but not limited to heal any and all liability for any event or consequence relating to entry or participation in this event.		
Signature	Partner's Signature		
	Fee: \$230.00		
	olf Association 140 Ridge Road, Southern Pines, NC 28387 GA Website: www.carolinasgolf.org		

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