

65th Four-Ball Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

May 4-8, 2016

Camden Country Club, Camden, SC

Entries Open: March 6 (8:00 pm)

Entries Close: April 26 (11:59 pm)

Entry Fee: \$280.00 (includes all cart/range fees)

ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any male amateur golfer who has reached his 13th birthday by May 4, 2016, 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".

<u>College Student Eligibility</u>: A college student is considered a resident of their parent(s)/guardian(s) "Legal Residency Criteria" as stated in the CGA Tournament Manual unless said student (a) has no dependency on his/her parents; <u>and</u> (b) lives full time in North Carolina or South Carolina.

For complete residency and eligibility requirements, refer to the <u>CGA</u> <u>Tournament Manual</u> at the CGA website (www.carolinasgolf.org). Championship field size=88 teams.

ENTRIES

All players, including those exempt, must register online at www.carolinasgolf.org. Mail-in applications are no longer accepted for this event. Fax, mail, e-mail, telephone, incomplete, illegible, or entries received before the opening date and 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 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 players when their status has been determined. Status may be checked at www.carolinasgolf.org. Teams who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) are suspended from next year's Carolinas 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

Stroke Play Qualifying and Match Play Rounds: All championship cart/range fees are paid by the CGA for all players. Players have the option to walk or use a golf cart during championship rounds.

Practice Rounds: Cart rental is mandatory for practice rounds.

Caddies: Caddies are allowed. A player may provide his own caddie. Caddies will not be available at host club. Caddie must be over the age of 13.

Caddie/Spectator Cart Policy: During the play of a hole, either the player or his 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

Championship format is 36 holes of four-ball stroke play to determine 32 qualifiers for four-ball match play. Zachary Martin and John Grimes from Pinehurst, NC are the defending champions and are seeded number one for match play if otherwise eligible.

PRIZES AND MERCHANDISE

The championship team receives merchandise, trophies and names inscribed on the *Hale Van Hoy Trophy*. Stroke play qualifying medalists' names will be inscribed on the *Joe B. McCarley Cup*. Additional prizes are awarded to all match play contestants.

Collegiate players should check with their institution compliance department regarding NCAA regulations relating to accepting prizes or merchandise.

EXEMPTIONS

1. Champions of the Carolinas Four-Ball Championship since 2006. 2. Teams that qualified for match play at the 2015 Carolinas Four-Ball Championship.

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5. Special exemption bestowed by the CGA.

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CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Tuesday, May 3 Tee times available for practice.

Wednesday, May 4

First round. 18 holes of four-ball stroke play qualifying.

Thursday, May 5

Second round. 18 holes of four-ball stroke play qualifying. Field cut to low 32 teams for match play.

Friday, May 6

First and second rounds of four-ball match play (18 holes each round).

Saturday, May 7

Quarterfinal and semifinal rounds of four-ball match play (18 holes each round).

Sunday, May 8

Final match (18 holes).

CONTACT INFORMATION

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

Championship Site:

Camden Country Club: 803-432-3322

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Atamian	Kevin	Raleigh	NC	2	Lee, Jr	Thomas	Four Oaks	NC	2
Atkinson	Bert	Charleston	SC	2	Long	Dennis	Mooresville	NC	2
Bell	Weston	Piedmont	SC	2	Martin	Zachary	Pinehurst	NC	1,2,3
Boulware	Bret	Greenville	SC	2	McClellan	Scott	Cary	NC	1
Bowland	Blair	Burlington	NC	1,2	Miller	Benjamin	Jefferson	SC	2
Brady	Patrick	Reidsville	NC	1	Mills	Corbin	Clemson	SC	1
Burkinshaw	Tuck	Cary	NC	2	Mills	Nolan	Charlotte	NC	2
Callahan	Jonathan	Denver	NC	2	Mills	Parker	Easley	SC	2
Cassetta	Chris	Winston Salem	NC	2	Mills, IV	Nolan	Charlotte	NC	2
Channell	Dean	Cary	NC	1	Mitchell	Chris	Prosperity	SC	2
Childers	Austin	W. Columbia	SC	2	Moore	Dustin	Greensboro	NC	2
Colley	Jake	Holly Springs	NC	2	Moore	Jackson	Isle of Palms	SC	2
Crenshaw	Matt	Burlington	NC	1	Mundy	Brad	Hickory	NC	2
Culler	Baxter	Hartsville	SC	1,2	Neveu	Daniel	Pinehurst	NC	2
Culler, Sr	Christopher	Camden	SC	2	Newton	Bryan	Greenville	SC	2
Dargan	David	Columbia	SC	1,2	Nimmer	Bryson	Bluffton	SC	2
Dargan Jr.	Robert	Columbia	SC	1,2	Nimmer	Tony	Bluffton	SC	2
Dickson	Taylor	Gastonia	NC	2	Overden	Will	Spartanburg	SC	1
Eaves	Chris	Burgaw	NC	2	Parks	Price	Cornelius	NC	2
Eberhardt	Nick	Fort Mill	SC	2	Pressley	Sam	Hickory	NC	2
Eckenroth	Kyle	Camden	SC	2	Roach	Jody	Cornelius	NC	2
Edens	Bob	Columbia	SC	2	Robinson	Gary	Fayetteville	NC	2
Edmondson	Preston	Morrisville	NC	2	Rogan	Shane	Columbia	SC	2
Ellenburg	Thomas	N. Charleston	SC	2	Roof	Brent	Columbia	SC	1,2
Gallman	Josh	Gaffney	SC	1	Sock	Connor	High Point	NC	2
Glowacki	Matthew	Leesville	SC	2	Stover	Rob	Durham	NC	2
Grimes	Jarret	Columbia	SC	2	Terry	Austin	Pageland	SC	2
Grimes	John	Pinehurst	NC	1,2,3	Todd	Thomas	Laurens	SC	1
Hall	Travis	Mt Airy	NC	2	Todd	Walter	Laurens	SC	1,2
Harvey	Scott	Greensboro	NC	1	Todd, Jr	Walt	Laurens	SC	2
Hoft	JD	Bluffton	SC	2	Truesdale	Brandon	Winnsboro	SC	2
Hurst	Tommy	Camden	SC	2	Truett	Sammy	Surfside Beach	SC	2
Ingle	Taylor	Winnsboro	SC	2	Tucker	Paul	Waxhaw	NC	1,2
Jackson	Jonathan	Chapel Hill	NC	1	Waggener	Lance	Statesville	NC	2
Kastelic	Joe	Hickory	NC	2	Wilkinson	Ryan	Galivants Ferry	SC	2
Laydon	Matthew	Charleston	SC	2	Zoller	Austin	Summerville	SC	2