

20th Island Four-Ball Getaway Tournament of the Carolinas Golf Association



Travel Dates: February 23-27, 2016 (4-Nights)

Tournament Dates: February 24-26, 2016

Casa de Campo Resort, La Romana, Dominican Republic

CLOSE DATE: December 13, 2015 or when the trip is full. Entries are based upon a first-come, first served basis. Event is subject to availability.

ELIGIBILITY: Getaway trip is open to anyone who is a member of a CGA member club and to non-CGA members that are accompanied by a CGA member. Non-golfing packages and rates are available. Tournament participation is not required. Tournament teams can be composed of any combination of amateurs (male-male, male-female, female-female). At least one member of each team must be a member in good standing of a club which is a member of the Carolinas Golf Association and have an active GHIN® USGA Handicap Index® at a CGA member club.

TOURNAMENT FORMAT (New for 2016): Format is 54-holes of four-ball stroke play. Gross and net prizes are awarded in each flight. A player's course handicap is limited to a maximum of 40 strokes prior to the 90% reduction using the February 15, 2016 handicap revision. Teams choose the division in which to compete. Championship Division (Men=6500 yards, Women=5000 yards), Tournament Division (Men=6000 yards, Women=5000 yards), Senior Division (Men Age 55+=6000 yards, Women Age 50+=5000 yards), Super Senior Division (Men Age 65+=6000 yards, Women Age 65+=5000 yards). Field will be flighted after 36 holes by gross score within their division. Participants must select a tournament partner (man or woman) and specify on their application the name of the person with whom they will share a room (their golf partner, accompanying spouse or guest).

RULES AND PRIZES: USGA Rules of Golf govern play. Local rules will be distributed prior to play. Golf cart use is mandatory during tournament rounds. The Carolinas Golf Association reserves the right to alter the conditions or schedules as stated, including alteration of the stipulated round at any time during the championship. The competition is deemed to have closed when all scores have been verified. Merchandise will be awarded to winners at the conclusion of the competition. Merchandise is redeemable at Casa de Campo Pro Shop and will be distributed in each division based upon the number of entries.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:

February 23: Arrive at Casa de Campo. Optional practice round available. 6:45pm Cocktail Party and Dinner at Minitas Beach.

February 24: Round One, Dye Fore Course (8:00am #1 and #10 tees).

February 25: Round Two, Links Course (7:30am #1 and #10 tees).

February 26: Final Round, Teeth of the Dog (7:30am #1 and #10 tees). Awards following play at 19th Hole Bar.

February 27: Depart Casa de Campo.

TRAVEL PACKAGES AND PRICING: 4-night (February 23-27) package includes hotel accommodations in either a Standard Golf Lodge or upgraded Elite Room with one transportation golf cart per room, tournament entry fee, three meals a day, unlimited drinks by the glass at all hotel restaurants and bars (excluding bottles), three tournament rounds, unlimited green fees/carts/range balls on Teeth of the Dog, Links and Dye Fore (4-night package golf begins February 23 after 12:00pm until 12:00pm on February 27), club storage, transfers to and from all area airports (LRM, SDQ, PUJ), golf staff gratuities, all taxes and service charges. Caddies are available for \$15-25 per day plus gratuities. Caddie use on Teeth of the Dog is required. Only one caddie is needed per group. Attendees wishing to stay extra nights select the 4-night package plus the appropriate number of extra nights. Package rates stated below are per person for four nights and extra night rates are per person:

	<u>Golf Lodge</u>	<u>*Extra Nights</u>	<u>Elite Room</u>	<u>*Extra Nights</u>
Single occupancy (1 tournament player):	\$2499	\$499	\$2949	\$619
Double occupancy (2 tournament players sharing room):	\$2049	\$379	\$2299	\$429
Non-golfing guest (1 non-tournament person sharing room with 1 tournament player):	\$1649	\$379	\$1849	\$429

*Extra night rate is all-inclusive except for golf. Non-package golf is available for \$135.00 per player plus 18% tax.

AIRFARE AND AIRPORT TRANSFERS: Airfare is NOT included in package pricing. Participants are responsible for arranging their own air transportation to the Dominican Republic. Package rates include transfers to and from the La Romana (LRM), Santo Domingo (SDQ) and Punta Cana (PUJ) airports. The nearest airport is La Romana (LRM) and is 5 minutes to the resort. New "Coral Highway" greatly reduces airport transfer time. Santo Domingo International Airport (SDQ) is 60 minutes and Punta Cana International Airport (PUJ) is 45 minutes from the resort.

ENTRY INTO THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC: For entry into the Dominican Republic, a valid passport is required. For more information on how to obtain a passport, go to <http://travel.state.gov>. A \$10 Tourist Card must be purchased upon arrival at an airport in the Dominican Republic.

ABOUT CASA DE CAMPO RESORT: 54-holes of championship golf, horseback riding, skeet shooting, tennis, deep-sea fishing and beach access. Also, the hill-top Mediterranean village, Altos de Chavon, is nearby for sightseeing and shopping. Transportation to Altos de Chavon and all other Casa de Campo properties and venues are available through the resort. Additional information may be found at www.casadecampo.cc. Transportation to nearby casino gambling is available through the resort for a fee.

DEPOSIT: Deposit of \$200 per person must accompany each entry in either check or credit card form (MasterCard/Visa/Discover) and is credited against the balance due. Credit cards will be accepted and processed by CGA in office. Each participant and non-golfing guest must submit a separate entry. Deposit checks are payable to the Carolinas Golf Association. Mail to: CGA Island Four-Ball Getaway, 140 Ridge Road, Southern Pines, NC 28387. For additional information e-mail Rusty Harder at rusty.harder@carolinagolf.org or call 910-673-1000. (Please note the cancellation policy below). Confirmation of acceptance and balance due information will be sent upon receipt of entry.

FINAL PAYMENT DUE: January 18, 2016. *CGA will charge the balance due on January 18 to the credit card from which the deposit was paid unless other arrangements have been made through the CGA office.

RESPONSIBILITY: The suppliers of accommodations are acting as independent contractors to the Carolinas Golf Association. The CGA shall not be held liable for any act of omission, loss, damage, accident, etc, resulting in conditions beyond its control.

CANCELLATION POLICY: Cancellations prior to or on December 13, 2016 receive refund of deposit minus a \$30.00 administrative fee. Cancellations from December 13, 2015-January 18, 2016 forfeit deposit. Cancellations received on or after January 19, 2016 are subject to a two-night cancellation penalty based upon the selected travel package. Remaining amount will be refunded.

Application for Entry
2016 Island Four-Ball Getaway Tournament
Of the Carolinas Golf Association
*(*Each individual must file an application)*

Name _____ GHIN # _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

(_____) _____ (_____) _____ (_____) _____
 Home Phone Work Phone Mobile Phone

(_____) _____ / ____/____
 Fax Number Gender (Male or Female) Age as of 2/24/16 Date of Birth

Occupation _____ E-mail address _____

Your CGA Club or Home Club _____

Your CGA Club or Home Club City _____ State _____

USGA Handicap Index®: _____ or Good Score for 18 Holes _____

Tournament Partner (if applicable) _____

Accompanying Spouse or Guest (name of roommate) _____

Select Division (Check One): _____ Championship | _____ Tournament | _____ Senior (Men: 55+, Women: 50+) | _____ Super Senior (Men: 65+, Women: 65+)

Arrival Date: _____ Departure Date: _____

Check package and indicate number of extra nights (if applicable). Rates are person:

_____ Golf Lodge Single x \$2499 per person	+ _____ Golf Lodge Single Extra Nights x \$499 per person = _____ Total Cost
_____ Golf Lodge Double x \$2049 per person	+ _____ Golf Lodge Double Extra Nights x \$379 per person = _____ Total Cost
_____ Golf Lodge Non-Golf Double x \$1649 per person	+ _____ Golf Lodge Non-Golf Double Extra Nights x \$379 per person = _____ Total Cost
_____ Elite Room Single x \$2949 per person	+ _____ Elite Room Single Extra Nights x \$619 per person = _____ Total Cost
_____ Elite Room Double x \$2299 per person	+ _____ Elite Room Double Extra Nights x \$429 per person = _____ Total Cost
_____ Elite Room Non-Golf Double x \$1849 per person	+ _____ Elite Room Non-Golf Double Extra Nights x \$429 per person = _____ Total Cost

*Rates Legend: Single occupancy (1 tournament player); Double occupancy (2 tournament players sharing room); Non-Golf (1 non-tournament person sharing room with 1 tournament player).

Special Requests (extra golf, etc.): _____

Airline Flights:

Arrival Date: _____ Arrival Airport in D.R.: _____ Airline: _____ Arrival Flight#: _____ Arrival Time: _____

Depart Date: _____ Depart Airport in D.R.: _____ Airline: _____ Depart Flight#: _____ Depart Time: _____

Method of Payment:

Check Enclosed: \$ _____ (Minimum of \$200 deposit per person) *Note: Balance is due by January 18, 2016. Check payable to CGA.

or
 Charge my _____ MasterCard _____ Visa _____ Discover
 _____ \$200 deposit and balance due on January 18, 2016 **or** _____ Full amount when received by CGA

Credit Card #: _____ Exp Date (MM/YY): _____/_____/_____ Last 3 Digits on Back of Card: _____

Name As It Appears on Credit Card: _____

Credit Card Billing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Agreement

I have read and agree to all rules pertaining to this CGA Island Four-Ball Getaway. I have completed this entry form and enclosed the appropriate fee. I agree to abide by all decisions of the CGA Championship Committee, the regulations as stated in the CGA Tournament Manual (located at www.carolinagolf.org), and the conditions of play pertaining to this tournament. I am aware that disqualification is the penalty for my failure to do so. The suppliers of accommodations are acting as independent contractors to the Carolinas Golf Association. The CGA shall not be held liable for any act of omission, loss, damage, accident, etc, resulting in conditions beyond its control. I release the Carolinas Golf Association, its committee members, officers, and staff from any and all liability for any event or consequence relating to entry or participation in this event.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____