

11th Vicki DiSantis Girls' Junior Championship Pine Island Country Club Charlotte, NC May 7-8, 2016

Entries Open: March 7 (8 pm) for exempt players Entry Fee: \$110.00 Entries Close: April 20 March 21 (8 pm) for non-exempt players

All competitors must register on line.

ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any female amateur golfer ages 12 to 18 as of May 8, 2016, who has not started college, 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 a current USGA Handicap Index® at a CGA member club that does not exceed 18.3. 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.carolinasgolf.org). Field size=90 players.

ENTRIES

All players, including those exempt, must register online at www.carolinasgolf.org. Registration for exempt players opens on March 7th at 8 pm. Exempt players must sign up between March 7th and March 21st to ensure acceptance. Registration for non-exempt players opens on March 21st at 8 pm. Fax, e-mail, telephone, incomplete, illegible, or entries received before the opening date and after the closing date, are not accepted. 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.carolinasgolf.org. Players who "Did Not Show" (DNS) or "No Card" (NC) are suspended from next year's Vicki DiSantis Girls' Junior Championship.

<u>RULES</u>

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.

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. Open Date to Day Prior to Championship: Full refund minus \$30.00 administrative fee if entry accepted into championship. Alternates not gaining entry into the tournament receive a full refund.

PRIZES

Trophies are awarded to the top 6 players. A tie for the overall championship is decided by an on-course playoff. All other ties will be broken by the USGA recommended matching of cards playoff system.

FORMAT

36 holes of stroke play

YARDAGES

All competitors will play from approximately 6,000 yards.

DIVISIONS

All competitors will compete in one division.

TEAM MATCHES

The champion will be invited to represent the CGA in the Mid-Atlantic Challenge Junior Girls' Team Matches at Williamsburg Golf Club in Williamsburg, VA on July 30-31, 2016.

EXEMPTIONS

Players in the following categories are exempt into the championship. All other players are accepted on a first come first serve basis. A complete list of exempt players is available on the CGA website.

- 1. Top 20 from 2015 Vicki DiSantis Girls' Junior Championship
- 2. Top 8 from 2015 Carolinas Junior Girls' Championship
- 3. Top 8 from 2015 Twin States Junior Girls' Championship
- 4. Top 4 from 2015 NC Junior Girls' Championship
- 5. Top 4 from 2015 SC Junior Girls' Championship
- 6. Top 4 from 2015 SC Junior Girls' Match Play Championship
- 7. Top 4 from 2015 Dogwood State Junior Girls' Championship
- 8. Top 4 from 2015 CPGA Junior Girls' Championship
- Top 4 from 2015 CPGA Charles Tilghman Junior Girls' Championship
- 10. Top 4 from 2015 Jimmy Anderson Girls' Invitational *See below for more information

CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 7

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Tournament Registration
Round 1 starting times

5:00 pm – 7:30 pm. Tournament cookout for players

and parents

Sunday, May 8

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Round 2 starting times 6:00 p.m. Awards presentation

<u>HOTEL</u>

The Comfort Suites Charlotte Airport is offering a discounted rate of \$89 for reservations made by Wednesday, April 15, 2016. Please call the hotel direct at 704-971-4400 and ask for the Carolinas Golf Association rate.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

Every effort will be made to complete 36 holes. Since the Carolinas Golf Association does not pay daily green fees, there will be no refunds if the tournament is shortened to 18 holes due to weather. If the entire tournament is cancelled, a full refund will be issued to all players.

CONTACT INFORMATION

CGA: 910-673-1000

Pine Island Country Club: 704-394-1011 Comfort Suites Charlotte Airport: 704-971-4400



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Exemption Criteria

1. Top 20 from 2015 Vicki DiSantis Girls' Junior Championship

Annika Bovender, Gracyn Burgess, Killian Casson, Jensen Castle, Jennifer Chang, Anna Chantahaphaeng, Annie Collom, Emily Cox, Ashely Czarnecki, Kendall Dobbins, Ann Taylor Hough, Victoria Huskey, Rachel Kuehn, Emilia Migliaccio, Madison Moosa, Anna Redding, Siranon Shoomee, Jodee Tindal, Samantha Vodry, Amy Wooten and Haeley Wotnosky

Top 8 from 2015 Carolinas Junior Girls' Championship
 Ashley Czarnecki, Grace Massengill, Madison Moosa, Callista Rice, Sarah Spicer, Kathleen Sumner, Jodee Tindal and Grace Yatawara

 Top 8 from 2015 Twin States Junior Girls' Championship Gracyn Burgess, Emily Cox, Ashley Czarnecki, Carly Lyvers, Isabella Rusher, Siranon Shoomee, Riley Smyth, Jessica Spicer, Sarah Spicer and Kathleen Sumner

 Top 4 from 2015 NC Junior Girls' Championship Catherine Ashworth, Hailey Freedman, Grace Massengill and Samantha Vodry

- Top 4 from 2015 SC Junior Girls' Championship Gracyn Burgess, Ashley Czarnecki, Baylee Evans and Victoria Huskey
- 6. Top 4 from 2015 SC Junior Girls' Match Play Championship Hailey Cleary, Ashley Czarnecki, Anna Eddy and Jodee Tindal
- Top 4 from 2015 Dogwood State Junior Girls' Championship Sarah Funderburg, Jessica Spicer, Sarah Spicer and Callista Rice
- 8. Top 4 from 2015 CPGA Junior Girls' Championship Kasidy Beckel, Victoria Huskey, Sariina Sonoda and Kathleen Sumner
- Top 4 from 2015 CPGA Charles Tilghman Junior Girls' Championship Gracyn Burgess, Smith Knaffle, Victoria Huskey and Jodee Tindal
- Top 4 from 2015 Jimmy Anderson Girls' Invitational Jennifer Chang, Emily Hawkins, Kendall Dobbins and Anna McDonald

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