



90th Women's Amateur Championship of the Carolinas Golf Association

May 16-18, 2016

The Reserve Club, Pawleys Island, SC

Entries Open: April 3 (8:00pm)

Entry Fee: \$180.00

Entries Close: May 10 (11:59pm)



ELIGIBILITY

Entry is open to any female amateur golfer who has reached her 13th birthday by May 16, 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. 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 – 96 players.

ENTRIES AND ALTERNATES

All players, including those exempt, must register online at www.carolinascgolf.org. Mail-in applications are no longer accepted for this event.

Exempt players are accepted at time of entry. Non-exempt entries are accumulated for the entire open/close window. The final field is comprised of players with lowest handicap indexes. Alternates are ranked according to 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 is sent to players when their status is determined. Status may be checked at www.carolinascgolf.org. The appropriate entry fee must be paid at time of registration. **Players who Did Not Show (DNS) or No Card (NC) are suspended from next year's Carolinas Women's Amateur 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. The competition is closed when the championship trophy has been presented. Special requests for starting times or pairings are not granted. Dress code: No cut-off shorts or denim, no shorts shorter than four inches above the knees, no tank tops or t-shirts, and all shirts must have either a collar or sleeves.

CART/RANGE 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

The championship is conducted at 54 holes of stroke play (no cut). All players regardless of Handicap Index have the option to play the *Championship Division* (approximately 6000 yards) or the *Carolinas Division* (approximately 5200 yards).

Overall Champion will be determined from contestants playing in the Championship Division. Awards will also be given for the low senior in the Championship and Carolinas divisions (ages 50-64) and the low Super Senior in the Carolinas division (ages 65 and over).

The field in the Championship division is divided into flights based on 36-hole scores. The field in the Carolinas division will be pre-flighted based on Handicap Index.

A tie for Overall Champion is determined by an on-course playoff. Low senior and low super senior awards will be split. A tie for medalist after 36 holes will be split.

All other ties for trophies and merchandise will be broken by score card playoff.

PRIZES

Prizes and merchandise are awarded to the Overall Champion, low senior in the Championship and Carolinas division and low super senior in the Carolinas division. Merchandise is awarded to winners in each flight. A medalist award is given to the low scorer in the Championship Division after 36 holes.

CAROLINAS-VIRGINIAS WOMEN'S TEAM EXEMPTIONS

The Overall Champion, Championship Division Runner-up and low senior will automatically qualify for the 2016 Carolinas Team that will compete at River Landing (River Course) in Wallace, NC on July 11-13.

EXEMPTIONS

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

1. Overall champion of the Carolinas Women's Amateur Championship since 2006.
2. Players who qualified for the championship flight at the 2015 Carolinas Women's Amateur Championship.
3. 2015 Carolinas Women's Senior Amateur Champion.
4. Champions of the Carolinas Women's Match Play since 2011.
5. Champions of the NCWGA Women's Amateur since 2011.
6. Champions of the WSCGA Women's Amateur Stroke Play since 2011.
7. Playing members of the 2015 Carolinas Team.
8. Players ranked in the top 10 of the Carolinas Women's Amateur Rankings as of entry opening date.
9. USGA individual champions since 2011.
10. 2015 USGA Championship qualifiers.
11. One exemption for championship host club.
12. Special exemption bestowed by the CGA.

CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 15

Tee times available for practice round
Registration at host club

Monday, May 16

First round. 18 holes of stroke play (tee times)
Lunch immediately following play at host club

Tuesday, May 17

Second round. 18 holes of stroke play (tee times)
Lunch immediately following play at host club
Medalist award determined
Championship Division: Field divided into flights within division for final round

Wednesday, May 18

Final Round. 18 holes of stroke play (shotgun)
Awards luncheon immediately following play at host club
Prizes and merchandise awarded to winners

CONTACT INFORMATION

CGA: 910-673-1000 or e-mail: admin@carolinascgolf.org
Reserve Club: 843-235-0755

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Last	First	City	State	Exemption		Last	First	City	State	Exemption
Adams	Debbie	Asheville	NC	10		Gunter	Courtney	Matthews	NC	1
Adams	Lori Beth	Burlington	NC	2,8,10		Hallman	Savannah	Mt. Pleasant	SC	7
Allemang	Terrie	Hilton Head	SC	7		Hammond	Hayley	Mooresville	NC	5,7
Badmaev	Kelsey	Columbia	SC	7		Hetzel	Mallory	Waynesville	NC	2,4,7,8
Bae	Sarah	Pinehurst	NC	2,8		Higgins	Katie Rose	Charleston	SC	1,4
Beaupied	Susan	Pittsboro	NC	7		Holanek	Mary Katelyn	Cary	NC	7
Bertram	Sarah	Concord	NC	2		Jones	Rachel	Asheboro	NC	7
Bools	Abby	Hickory	NC	1		Kershaw	Alexis	Winston Salem	NC	7
Bovender	Annika	Mt. Pleasant	SC	8		Kirk	Katie	Davidson	NC	1,2,8
Briele	Kim	New Bern	NC	7		Marlatt	Emma	Charlotte	NC	2
Brogden	Pat	Garner	NC	3		McKim	Courtney	Raleigh	NC	2,5,7,8,10
Brooks	Emily	Chapel Hill	NC	2,8		Moore	Patty	Charlotte	NC	1,7,10
Brown	Lea Anne	Mt. Pleasant	SC	7		Murphy	Kelli	Elgin	SC	7
Burnham	Megan	Gastonia	NC	7		Perry	Katherine	Cary	NC	5
Carr	Corrine	Pinehurst	NC	1		Sciupider	Kayla	Etowah	NC	2
Cocca	Bailey	Myrtle Beach	SC	2		Sebastian	Juliana	Columbia	SC	2
Collins	Eleana	Pinehurst	NC	1		Sloup	Ashley	Southport	NC	2
Coulter	Leigh	Hopkins	SC	7		Spicer	Sarah	Wilmington	NC	5
Craver	Hannah	Winston Salem	NC	2		Stephenson	Lauren	Lexington	SC	8
Daniel	Linda	Huntersville	NC	7		Stewart	Angela	Greenville	NC	7
Dodson	Taylor	Aiken	SC	2,8		Stinson	Emily	Charlotte	NC	2
Donovan	Mary Katherine	Hampstead	NC	7		Venable	Lea	Simpsonville	SC	6,7
Ferree	Karen	Hilton Head	SC	7		Washington	Anne	Myrtle Beach	SC	7
Fournil	Cecilia	Daniel Island	SC	6,7		Weiss	Gabby	Southern Pines	NC	2,7
Galloway	Bethany	Charlotte	NC	2		Woodard	Dawn	Greer	SC	4,6,8,10