

# 2017 Chattanooga District Golf Association Four Ball Match Play Tournament

**ELIGIBILITY:** Applications are open to male amateur golfers who meet the following eligibility requirements:

**FOUR BALL TOURNAMENT:** Players must meet the USGA definition of amateur golfer and possess a USGA/GHIN handicap for a CDGA member club. Persons applying for reinstatement to amateur status and non-amateurs are not eligible. Partners must be from the same CDGA member club.

**All entry applications will be reviewed by the CDGA to verify that the entrants have an official USGA/GHIN handicap index.**

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** All entrants must file an application by the entry deadline – **Friday, July 15** to be eligible to compete in the Tournament.

**Late or incomplete applications are not accepted. Time limit for entries means receipt by the CDGA – not postmarked. The CDGA is not responsible for misdirected mail.**

**ENTRY FEES:** \$55 per player (cart fees paid separately each match)

**FIELD/FORMAT:** 32 teams max - Four Ball Match Play

## **SCHEDULE:**

Monday, July 17 - **1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> round matches**  
Thursday, August 17

Battlefield  
Bear Trace at Harrison Bay  
Black Creek Club  
Brainerd  
Brown Acres  
Canyon Ridge  
Champions Club  
Cleveland Country Club  
Council Fire Golf Club  
Creeks Bend  
Lookout Mountain  
Moccasin Bend  
Signal Mountain  
Valleybrook  
Windstone

Saturday, August 19 **Quarterfinals**  
Chattanooga Golf and CC

Sunday, August 20 **Semifinals/Finals**  
Council Fire Golf Club

**RULES OF GOLF:** Play will be governed by the USGA Rules of Golf. Questions and disputes shall be settled by the Committee in charge of the competition, whose decision is final.

**CONDUCT CODE:** Penalties for breach of sportsmanship code (to include, but not limited to property damage, abusive language, club throwing, excessive drinking or gambling) may include censure, suspension or revocation of playing privileges. USGA Decisions on the Rules of Golf.

**CDGA DRESS CODE:** Contestants must wear appropriate attire. Gym shorts, cut offs, shirts without collars, and denim shorts or pants are not acceptable. Shorts must be Bermuda length in type.

**REFUNDS:** No refund will be issued after the deadline except for illness/injury.

**FOOTWEAR:** Traditional type spikes, regardless of composition, are prohibited at the Tournament. Penalty for breach of this condition of play is disqualification.

**PRIZES:** Trophies for champion and runner-up team members, **traveling trophy** to be displayed at CDGA member club represented by the champions.

**1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> ROUND MATCHES:** First and second round matches will be scheduled by opponents at a mutually agreed upon time.

Location will be chosen from clubs listed to left by top seeded team. Choosing team may not select the club it represents.

First round matches must be completed by end of day Thursday, August 3.

Second round matches must be completed by end of day Thursday, August 17.

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## Official Entry Application

<b>Player #1:</b>	
NAME:	_____
ADDRESS:	_____
CITY:	_____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
PHONE (DAY):	_____
EMAIL ADDRESS:	_____
USGA/GHIN HANIDCAP INDEX:	_____ USGA/GHIN #: _____
CDGA MEMBER CLUB/COURSE:	_____
<b>Partners MUST be from the same CDGA member club</b>	
<b>Player #2:</b>	
NAME:	_____
ADDRESS:	_____
CITY:	_____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
PHONE (DAY):	_____
EMAIL ADDRESS:	_____
USGA/GHIN HANIDCAP INDEX:	_____ USGA/GHIN #: _____
CDGA MEMBER CLUB/COURSE:	_____
<b>Partners MUST be from the same CDGA member club</b>	

**By submission of this entry application, we agree to the following:**

- We agree to the Championship regulations attached hereto. We have noted requirements for refund of entry fee, CDGA and USGA/GHIN handicap requirements, and all other eligibility requirements.
- We agree that there are certain risks inherent in the game of golf and accept personal and sole liability for all such risks.
- We agree that this entry application is subject to rejection at any time (including during the Tournament) by the CDGA. The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct.
- We agree that the responsibility for ensuring this application is received by the CDGA no later than the above stated entry deadline is ours alone and that this entry application will be automatically rejected if received by the CDGA after such date and time. We agree that the risk of delay or error in transmission lies solely with us and that the CDGA has no liability with respect to such delay or error and the consequences there from, including rejection of this entry application.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry fees:** \$55 per player (cart fees paid separately per match)

**Return to:** Richard Keene/Mike Jenkins, Tournament Directors – P O Box 17266 – Chattanooga, TN 37415  
(Make check in the amount of \$110 payable to CDGA)