



22nd IGA Match Play Championship

conducted by the Iowa Golf Association

Coldwater Golf Links, Ames

Monday thru Thursday, June 28-July 1, 2010

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants must be an active IGA Member. Individual members are tracked through their enrollment at an IGA Member Club (via GHIN). Must also be an individual or life participant in the IGA Partners Program at the "Player Level" or higher. Eligible entries must be amateur golfers as defined by the USGA rules. Members of the IGA (thru an IGA Member Club) from out-of-state are eligible to compete.

EXEMPTIONS: The defending champion (Tyler Johnson) is exempt from the 18 hole qualifying round. The defending champion may choose to compete in the qualifying round to earn medalist honors but is assured of no lower than the #2 seed in Match Play.

FIELD: The field will be limited to the first 156 eligible entrants.

FORMAT: Four-day event. One-ball Rule will be in effect for this championship. The entire field plays an 18 hole qualifying round at scratch the first day. The low 64 proceed to match play. A playoff will determine the final spot(s) for match play in the event of a tie.

Monday, June 29 - 18 Holes Qualifying Round
Tuesday, June 30 - morning Round of 64
Tuesday, June 30 - afternoon Round of 32
Wednesday, July 1 - morning Round of 16
Wednesday, July 1 - afternoon Quarterfinals
Thursday, July 2 - morning Semifinals
Thursday, July 2 - afternoon Finals

PAIRINGS, TEE TIMES: Entry confirmation & pairings will be emailed from the IGA office after the entry deadline. Pairing information will be sent via standard mail to those who do not provide an email address. Pairings will also be made available on the IGA website, www.iowagolf.org. Field will be paired at random for the qualifying round.

PRACTICE PRIVILEGES: Practice rounds are at the discretion of the host course in terms of starting times and fees. Players are responsible for scheduling their own tee times with host club. Practice privileges are limited to entrants only.

WITHDRAWALS AND REFUNDS: Entry fees will be refunded if the IGA office is notified on or before June 22nd. After June 22nd, fees will be refunded only in event of injury or illness. There will be a \$20.00 service charge on all refunds.

ENTRY FORM, FEE, and CLOSING DATE: Entrants are solely responsible for securing and returning entry forms and fees by the due date. Entries must reach the IGA office by 11:59 P.M., June 22nd and must be accompanied by the appropriate fee (\$120). You may enter online using a credit card at www.iowagolf.org up to the deadline or until a field limit is met, whichever comes first. Late, unsigned or incomplete applications are not acceptable and will be returned. There will be no exceptions!

NEW WOMEN'S DIVISION: The IGA is adding a Women's Division to the Match Play in 2010. Female golfers must meet the same requirements set forth in this entry application, including eligibility listed above. Depending on the total number of entrants in the Women's Division, the IGA will establish a bracket of either 4, 8, 16, or 32. 18-hole stroke play qualifying on Monday will determine the seeds for match play. In the event that more than 32 women enter, the stroke play qualifying round will determine the low 32 that move onto match play with a hole-by-hole playoff breaking any tie for the final qualifying spot.

Assuming a bracket of 32 the format will be as follows:

Monday, June 29 - 18 Holes Qualifying Round
Tuesday, June 30 - Round of 32
Wednesday, July 1 - morning Round of 16
Wednesday, July 1 - afternoon Quarterfinals
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*The IGA reserves the right to alter this schedule depending on the number of entrants and the size of bracket for the Women's Division.

CONDITIONS, SCHEDULES: The IGA reserves the right to alter any of the conditions and schedules herein as needed. This may include, but is not limited to, suspending play to a following day, or canceling current or future rounds. The decision of the Rules and Competitions Committee in any matter shall be final. Under any circumstances, all possible attempts will be made to complete the event in the scheduled number of rounds.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE: Proper golf attire is mandatory; the committee reserves the right to determine whether this requirement is met. Competitors may be required to change clothing in order to compete. Shorts are permitted, provided they are Bermuda length or longer. T-shirts, tank tops, gym shorts, sweatpants and blue jeans are NOT permitted.

PACE OF PLAY: In accordance with Note 2 under Rule 6-7, the IGA has adopted pace of play guidelines that include the maximum period of time allotted to complete a stipulated round and/or a number of holes. These guidelines and the resulting penalties will be made available to every competitor in advance of the championship.

RULES OF GOLF: Play will be governed by the 2010-11 USGA Rules of Golf. Local rules on scorecards do not apply. Decisions concerning the rules will be settled by the Rules Committee assigned by the IGA and those decisions will be final.



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Fee: \$120.00

Make checks payable to Iowa Golf Association

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Mail to: IGA, 8515 Douglas Ave #25, Urbandale, IA 50322

LATE OR INCOMPLETE ENTRY NOT ACCEPTABLE. FAX TRANSMITTALS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

IGA Membership # (GHIN) : _____ (IGA office will verify)

FIRST _____ LAST _____

Gender: M F

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE (Night) _____ (Day) _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

MEMBER CLUB: _____

CART: Yes _____ No _____

DIVISION: Men's: _____ Women's: _____

NOTE: Must be an IGA Partner at Player level or higher to compete. Please include a separate check for Player, Birdie, Eagle, Double Eagle or Business level if not already a Partner.

Partners Program Applications are also available at www.iowagolf.org

Want to enter with a Credit Card? Go online at www.iowagolf.org now!

By Submission of this entry I agree to the following:

I agree to the Championship regulations. I have noted requirements for entry deadline, fees and conditions of play. I agree that this entry is subject to rejection at any time, including during the Championship, by the Committee, and that reason may include unbecoming conduct. I am familiar with the Rules of Amateur status, and I have conformed with those rules in every aspect.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT _____

DATE _____