



# Inaugural NGA Club Team Championship

Conducted by the Nebraska Golf Association  
The Prairie Club, Valentine, Nebraska  
August 28–29, 2010

## Team Eligibility

Entries are open to clubs that are members of the Nebraska Golf Association. A member club may enter one (1) team. The field will be limited to twenty-four (24) teams based on order of commitment.

## Player Eligibility

Each participant must be: a) a member in good standing of the club listed on the entry form, b) a male amateur golfer with a GHIN handicap issued from the member club listed on the entry form of 10.0 or less and c) a current resident of Nebraska. The team representing a member club must consist of no more than three players.

## Entries; Selection Process, Fee, Form

Each member club must determine how to select their team. On the attached entry form, the member club must provide the name, mailing address, e-mail and telephone number of the three players selected for the team. The member club that completes the entry form must also provide the name, mailing address, e-mail and telephone number for the non-playing team captain (if applicable). Entries are subject to rejection at any time (including during the Championship) by the NGA. The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct.

*Entry fee of \$750 shall be paid by every team. Entry fee will be refunded regardless of reason if the NGA is notified before the close of entries. No refund for any reason after August 18. A \$100 service charge will be deducted from all refunds.*

**THE COMMITMENT FORM MUST BE RECEIVED  
no later than 5 P.M. C.D.T. on Friday, August 6, 2010.**

**THE ENTRY APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED  
no later than 5 P.M. C.D.T. on Wednesday, August 18, 2010.**

Late applications are not acceptable and will be automatically rejected. (Entries by telephone, telegraph, or FAX not acceptable.) Time limit for entries means time of receipt at NGA (not time entry is sent to NGA). Entries should be submitted early to allow ample time for delay or error in transmission. The risk of delay or error in transmission lies solely with the entrant and the NGA shall have no liability with respect to any such delay or error and the consequences therefrom, including rejection of the entry.

## Championship Schedule

Stroke Play – 36 holes stroke play, at The Prairie Club. The two lowest scores of each team will count in each round.

Saturday, August 28 - First round, 18 holes, The Dunes Course

Sunday, August 29 - Final round, 18 holes, The Pines Course

The team with the lowest score for 36 holes will be champion.

Any tie will be played-off as follows:

- Use the non-counting player's score for the final round.
- If still tied, use the non-counting player's score for the first round.
- If still tied, joint winners will be declared.

If it is not possible to complete 36 holes of play in the period in which the Championship is scheduled, the Championship will not be extended beyond the last scheduled day and the winner will be the team which returns the lowest score for the number of stipulated rounds played.

## Registration at The Prairie Club

By 6 P.M. on Friday, August 27, all eligible team members must:

- Register in person at The Prairie Club; or
- Players arriving late should e-mail their expected arrival time to Craig Ames at [comes@nebgolf.org](mailto:comes@nebgolf.org)

## Expenses

Teams in the Championship fall under Rule 4-2d of the Rules of Amateur Status. Each team may accept a reasonable amount of expenses from its club.

## Rules of Golf; Close of Competition

Play will be governed by "The Rules of Golf" as approved by the USGA. Questions will be settled by the on-site Rules Committee, whose decision will be final. The competition is deemed to be closed when the Championship Trophy has been presented.

## Golf Balls; Driver Heads

Only brands of golf balls on the most current USGA List of Conforming Golf Balls and driver heads on the most current USGA List of Conforming Driver Heads may be used. These lists are updated and may be found on the USGA website at [www.usga.org](http://www.usga.org) or by contacting the USGA Equipment Standards Department at (908) 234-2300.

## Footwear

It is a condition of the competition that shoes with traditionally designed spikes (regardless of composition, i.e., ceramic, plastic, etc.) or spikes, regardless of design, comprised either entirely or partially of metal (if such metal may come in contact with the course) are prohibited during the stipulated round. Penalty for breach of this condition: DISQUALIFICATION.

## Advice

The optional condition permitting each team to appoint one person, e.g., the team captain or coach, who may give advice under Rule 8 of "The Rules of Golf" will be in effect. Such person must be identified to the Committee prior to the start of the competition.

## Caddies; Transportation

A player may provide his own caddie. Club caddies are available on a limited basis. A player is not required to employ a caddie. Automotive Transportation is permissible.

## Time of Starting

Note under Rule 6-3 and Optional Condition as prescribed in Appendix I shall be in effect.

## Score Posting

All scores will be posted for handicap purposes. Players should not post these scores individually.

## Welcome Reception & Player's Dinner

The NGA cordially invites all players and captains to both a welcome reception Friday evening and a player's dinner Saturday evening, both at the Prairie Club. Complete information will be given following the deadline.

## Accommodations

Complete information on accommodations will be given following submission of the commitment form.

## Practice Privileges

Team members are entitled to one (1) complimentary practice round on both the Dunes Course and the Pines Course prior to the championship. Complete details regarding practice privileges will be given following the deadline.

## Prizes

WINNING TEAM: Silver medal & Club Trophy

SECOND PLACE TEAM: Gold medal & Club Trophy

If a tie for second place occurs, duplicate medals and trophies will be awarded. Low Individual 36 hole score will receive a Silver Medal. In the event of a tie, duplicate medals will be awarded.

## Publicity and Promotion

By submitting an application, the player agrees to allow the NGA to use the player's photographic/video image for NGA media related use(s).

## Personal Appearance

Players must be neat in appearance with respect to clothing and personal grooming. The Committee in charge shall decide whether this requirement has been met, and has authority to withdraw the entry of a player who does not comply.

## Conditions; Schedules

The NGA reserves the right to alter any of the conditions and schedules herein. The decision of the NGA in any matter shall be final.

## Tournament Information

A memo to contestants will be mailed or e-mailed after the close of entries. If you have not received a memo within three days of the deadline, it is your responsibility to contact the NGA Championship Department.



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MAIL: **CRAIG AMES**  
**NEBRASKA GOLF ASSOCIATION**  
**6618 SOUTH 118TH STREET**  
**OMAHA, NE 68137**

FAX: **(402) 505-4695**

E-MAIL: **CAMES@NEBGOLF.ORG**

## TEAM ENTRY COMMITMENT FORM

CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate line below:

\_\_\_\_\_ We will enter a team in the NGA Club Team Championship.

\_\_\_\_\_ We will not enter a team in the NGA Club Team Championship.

SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION/TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_



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**(ENTRIES BY TELEPHONE, TELEGRAPH OR FAX ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.)**

**APPLICATION ENTRY FEE—\$750**

## APPLICATION FOR ENTRY

CLUB: \_\_\_\_\_

### TEAM MEMBERS

**PLAYER #1 :** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLAYER #2 :** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLAYER #3 :** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**NON-PLAYING CAPTAIN (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_