





# *Mississippi Women's Golf Association*

## MWGA STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2010

### ELIGIBILITY:

A participant must be an amateur golfer who: 1) Was female at birth. 2) Has physically resided in the State of Miss. for at least 6 months preceding the opening date of the sponsored competition. A Miss. Resident attending an out-of-state school is exempt from the 6 months residency requirements. 3) If registered to vote, is only registered in Miss. 4) Is a member of a member "club" or an individual member in good standing with the MWGA. Doubt as to whether a competitor is eligible shall be resolved by the Tournament Committee. 5) Has satisfied the following age requirements by the date the Championship begins: STATE AMATEUR: 12 years old and older  
FOUR BALL: Min. age 12 years old SENIORS: Min. age 50 years old  
JUNIORS: Max. age 18 years and under. Has not attended her freshman year of college.

### RULES AND REGULATION:

All play will be governed by the USGA rules of golf and the MWGA Tournament Handbook. The Tournament Committee will have the ability to address all issues and the decisions made by the committee are final. Slow play will not be tolerated. Penalties will be assessed.

### CODE OF CONDUCT:

Participants are responsible for their actions and those of their caddie (when caddies are permissible). Unbecoming conduct will not be tolerated by the MWGA. A player who exhibits unsportsmanship conduct may be suspended from the competition at the discretion of the Tournament Committee.

### CADDIES:

Whether caddies are allowed will be determined by the pro and MWGA Board.

State Amateur: Caddies may ride when permissible

Four Ball and Seniors: Caddies must walk when permissible  
No competitor may have a caddie that has tested the playing ground the day of competition.  
Juniors: Caddies are not allowed

**DRESS CODE:**

The MWGA dress code will prohibit inappropriate dress such as : short shorts, tube tops, halter tops, and cutoffs.  
The HOST CLUB dress code will also be enforced.

**ENTRIES:**

Application for entry must be on the official entry blank available from a member club or the MWGA web page. Entrants shall be notified by mail/email of their entry status after the entry deadline. (Exception: Juniors)  
Checks for entry fees shall be deposited upon receipt. All entries are subject to rejection by the MWGA.

**ENTRY DEADLINES:** ALL tournament deadlines will be fourteen days prior to the start of the championship. Entries that are late will be placed on a waiting list.

**CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS: \*\*\*\*\***

If withdrawing before the entry deadline, a participant will receive a refund minus \$50.00. After the deadline, a participant will NOT receive ANY refund. (Exception: Juniors)

**WAIVER:**

Contestants who compete in the Championship do so at their own risk. The Board, the Association, and the Host Club will be relieved individually and collectively of all responsibility for any damage or personal injury incurred during the Championship. Your signature on the entry form indicates your agreeing not to protest any rejection of your entry and to abide by all MWGA Rules of Conduct and Play.

**TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE:** Tournament Directors(Local and MWGA). Host Pro, and MWGA Board of Directors

## FOUR BALL: (DEADLINE JULY 9TH)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Handicap Index \_\_\_\_\_ Golf Club Membership \_\_\_\_\_  
Certified by \_\_\_\_\_ (Golf Professional)  
Hometown Newspaper \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Handicap Index \_\_\_\_\_ Golf Club Membership \_\_\_\_\_  
Certified by \_\_\_\_\_ (Golf Professional)  
Hometown Newspaper \_\_\_\_\_  
Signatures: \_\_\_\_\_ (participant) \_\_\_\_\_ (participant)

Entry fee: Team \$250.00 Make checks to MWGA