

ERIE DISTRICT GOLF ASSOCIATION

TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

2011

MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

JUNE 20, 24-26, 2011

LAWRENCE PARK GOLF CLUB

ELIGIBILITY

The tournament is open to all male golfers who hold a regular golf membership in good standing in one of the member clubs of the EDGA OR meet the residency requirement to compete in this event AND possess a USGA Handicap index of less than 8.0.

QUALIFYING

Each non-exempt entrant shall compete in the qualifying event which will be 18 holes of stroke play and is being held at Lawrence Park Golf Club on June 20, 2011. At entry closing the number of qualifying spots (31 or 32) will be determined based on identification of exempt players (i.e., defending champion).

EXEMPTIONS

The defending champion is exempt and not required to qualify to advance to match play. (Ron Coleman).

ENTRY FEE

The entry fee is \$80.00 and must accompany this entry form. No refunds will be granted for cancellations received after the entry closing date. Entry applications must be completed fully and signed by the applicant and attested to (as to USGA Index and member club membership) by the club professional or owner/manager. Entries will only be received by mail and must be RECEIVED no later than the entry close date. The EDGA is not responsible for mail that is lost or delayed. No entries will be accepted by telephone. Entries close Friday, June 10, 2011.



If you are not a member of an EDGA member club and meet the residency requirement, you must pay a non-member fee of \$90.00 to compete in this event.

LATE ENTRIES

All entries received after Friday, June 10, 2011 will only be accepted subject to the approval and discretion of the tournament chairman based on availability and other factors. A late entry fee in the amount of \$20.00 must accompany a late entry for it to be considered for acceptance.

PAIRINGS & TEE TIMES

Pairings and tee times will be determined by the tournament chairman and/or his committee. Contestants will be notified via the website (which is the official notification) and the newspaper as to their starting time in the event. A contestant who fails to appear promptly at the tee when scheduled to begin play and who has not canceled his entry by notification of the secretary, tournament director or his committee may be subject to disqualification for this event and subsequent events of the Association.

RULES

Except in the case of special rules posted by the tournament chairman, the tournament will be governed by the Rules of Golf as promulgated by the USGA. The use of power golf carts will be permitted for this event.

DRESS CODE

Proper attire is required. Players are required to dress in good taste. Clothing that has been deemed inappropriate includes tank tops, t-shirts, blue jeans, short shorts (those not specifically tailored for golf wear), and cut-offs. Participants wearing items that are considered inappropriate by the tournament chairman will not be permitted to participate in the event.

FORMAT OF PLAY

The qualifier will be conducted utilizing an early morning shot gun. The first round of matches will follow that afternoon. Match play will continue on Friday of that week with round 2 in the morning and round 3 in the afternoon. The semi-finals will be conducted on Saturday and the Finals on Sunday. If the tournament chairman determines that this format is not appropriate for reasons of impending weather it may be altered.

EVENT DETAILS

The lowest thirty-one (31) players from the eighteen (18) hole qualifying round plus the defending champion will comprise the field for the match play portion of the tournament. The match play bracketing will conform to the current recommendations set forth by the USGA. In the event of inclement weather during the qualifier, if more than fifty-percent (50%) of the field has completed play, the round will stand and the balance of the field will complete their round at a time determined by the tournament chairman. In the event that the qualifier is canceled, an alternate date will be chosen so as not to delay the start of match play. If it is necessary to split the field to accomplish this goal, it may be done. If this is not possible, other options will be explored.

PRIZES

The prize listing will be determined by the tournament chairman and will include, but will not be limited to, a prize for the tournament champion and runner-up. In addition, the name of the winner will have his name engraved onto the Permanent Trophy.

INQUIRIES

All inquiries about this event should be directed to the EDGA Administrative Office at 825-9051.

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NAME : _____ AGE : _____

ADDRESS : _____

CITY : _____ STATE : _____ ZIP : _____

PHONE : _____ EMAIL : _____

CLUB : _____ USGA INDEX : _____ GHIN # : _____

To be completed by the Golf Professional, Assistant, Owner or Manager :

I certify that the above applicant is a member in good standing of the above listed club or meets the EDGA residency requirement **and** his USGA Index is correct as stated as of the date I have attested to this information.

SIGNATURE : _____ DATE : _____

PRINT NAME & TITLE : _____

To be completed by the Applicant :

Please enter me in the EDGA Match Play Championship. I meet the eligibility requirements listed on the front of this application, I am a member in good standing in the club listed above or meet the EDGA residency requirement **and** the USGA Index stated above is correct to the best of my knowledge as of the date my application was completed. This entry application is subject to acceptance by the tournament committee and may be rejected by the EDGA at any time, including during the conduct of the Championship.

SIGNATURE of the CONTESTANT : _____ DATE : _____

This entry will not be accepted unless it is completed in full (including a USGA Index), is signed and dated by an official at your club, is signed and dated by you, is accompanied by your check or money order in the amount of \$80.00 (\$90.00 non-member fee), and is RECEIVED by the EDGA Office not later than Friday, June 10, 2011. Checks should be made payable to the Erie District Golf Association or EDGA and mailed to the EDGA Office at the address below. If received LATER than Friday, June 10, 2011 the late fee of \$20.00 MUST be included for this entry to be considered. The tournament chairman will make the final decision.

**MAIL
TO :**

**ERIE DISTRICT GOLF ASSOCIATION
1223 JONATHAN DRIVE
ERIE, PA 16509-3955**

EDGA USE ONLY

Date Entry Received	/
Amount Received	\$
Tournament Entry No.	#

Notes to tournament chairman :

For tee times, tournament results, pictures, scorecards and more visit:

www.edga.org