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**EASTERN STROKE PLAY TOURNAMENT
SOUTHERN HILLS GOLF COURSE
HASTINGS, NE
PHONE 402.463.8006
JUNE 2-3, 2008**

ENTRY FEE/FORMAT: \$80, includes 36 holes of stroke play, flight prizes, Sunday evening cash bar cocktail party, Monday box lunch, Monday evening awards banquet at the Quality Hotel Convention Center, Tuesday morning continental breakfast and Tuesday awards luncheon.

CART FEE: \$15 per seat, per day. MUST reserve with entry. Total \$30 for two days.

TOURNAMENT FIELD: Tournament field is limited to the first 100. All flights determined by the tournament guidelines.

GHIN TRANSMISSION DATE: May 13

REGISTRATION: Sunday, June 1, 6-8 p.m. or Monday, June 2, 8:30-10 a.m.

STARTING TIMES: Shotgun, Monday 10:30 a.m. and Tuesday 9:00 a.m.

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Sunday, June 1, after 1 p.m. Green fees \$25, cart fee \$15 a seat. Please call

402-463-8006 to arrange practice round preferably at least one week in advance.

ENTRY DATES: Entries must be received or submitted online no earlier than April 24 and no later than May 22. All entrants will be notified of acceptance and first round pairing.

LODGING:

QUALITY HOTEL, 402.463.6721 OR 888.905.1200

COMFORT INN, 402.463.5252

SUPER 8 MOTEL, 402.463.8888 OR 800.800.8000

Be sure to request NWAGA group rate when making reservation.

ENTRY FORM: Register online or send entry form and check payable to "Eastern Stroke Play" to:

NWAGA, EASTERN STROKE PLAY

6618 SO. 118TH STREET, OMAHA, NE 68137

402.505.4653

QUESTIONS:

Tournament Chairwoman

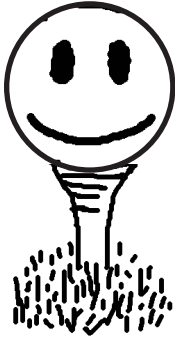
Shelly Hartford - 402.463.4049

General Tournament Information...

ONLINE TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION: Members may enter and pay for tournaments online by visiting www.nwaga.org

REFUND POLICY: All withdrawals must be reported to the NWAGA office 402.505.4653. The full entry fee will be refunded upon withdrawal on or before the entry deadline. No refund will be given after the entry deadline.

DRESS CODE: Soft spikes only, no jeans, tank tops, or short shorts. Shirts must have a collar or sleeves.



Longing for the 70's

**STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP
INDIANHEAD GOLF COURSE
GRAND ISLAND, NE
308.381.4653
JUNE 9-11, 2008**

ENTRY FEE/FORMAT: \$95, includes 54 holes of stroke play, flight prizes, Tuesday evening banquet, and Wednesday awards luncheon.

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Green Fees are \$18 plus cart weekdays and \$20 plus cart weekends. Please call 308.381.4653 to arrange practice rounds.

CART FEE: \$12 per seat, per day; total \$36 for three days. MUST reserve with entry.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries must be received or submitted online no earlier than April 30 and no later than May 28. All entrants will be notified of first round pairing and tee time.

TOURNAMENT FIELD: Tournament field is limited to the first 100 entries as determined by entry receipt. Championship Flight shall consist of all participants with a Handicap index of 6.0 or less automatically accepted, and any of those participants who elect to compete in Championship Flight. All other flights will be determined by 36-hole qualifying scores. Championship flight will compete from a longer course than all other flights.

LODGING:

HOWARD JOHNSON, 308.384.5150
COMFORT INN, 308.381.7788
HAMPTON INN, 308.384.9777

GHIN TRANSMISSION DATE: May 27

ENTRY FORM: Register online or send entry form and check payable to "Stroke Play Championship" to:

NWAGA, STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP
6618 SO. 118TH STREET
OMAHA, NE 68137
402.505.4653

REGISTRATION: Sunday, June 8, 4:00-6:00 p.m.;
Monday, June 9, 6:45 a.m.

QUESTIONS:

Tournament Chairwoman
Shirley Regan, 308.380.2408

STARTING TIMES: Monday, June 9, 8:00 a.m. tee-times; Tuesday, June 10, 8:30 a.m. shotgun; Wednesday, June 11, 8:00 a.m. shotgun.



NWAGA 2007 Play Day Winners

18-HOLES

9-HOLES

Southern Hills – HastingsBernadine HughesKym Warner
SyracuseNancy Crownover

"Bayside Getaway"



WESTERN STROKE PLAY

BAYSIDE GOLF COURSE • BRULE, NE

308.287.4653 • JUNE 23-24, 2008

Come to the "Bayside Getaway"

Warm Sand & Birdies

Sandy Bunkers & Bogeys

Tall Native Grasses & That's Par for the Course!!!

ENTRY FEE/FORMAT: \$80, includes 36 holes of stroke play, flight prizes, contests, Monday banquet and Tuesday awards luncheon.

CART FEE: \$12 per seat, per day; total \$24 for two days. MUST reserve with entry.

TOURNAMENT FIELD: Tournament field is limited to the first 80 entries. All flights will be determined by tournament guidelines.

GHIN TRANSMISSION DATE: June 10

REGISTRATION: Monday 8:00-9:00 a.m.

STARTING TIMES: Monday, 9:30 a.m. shotgun; Tuesday, 8:30 a.m. shotgun

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Sunday, June 22, after 1 p.m. Green Fees are \$28 plus cart. Please call 308.287.4653 to arrange practice round.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries must be received or submitted online no earlier than May 16 and no later than June 13. All entrants will be notified of acceptance and first round pairing.

LODGING:

CLIFF BROWN (on course), 308.287.4653

BEST WESTERN, 308.284.3656

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS, 800.465.4329

ENTRY FORM: Register online or send entry form and check payable to "Western Stroke Play" to:

NWAGA, WESTERN STROKE PLAY

6618 SO. 118TH STREET • OMAHA, NE 68137

402.505.4653

QUESTIONS:

Tournament Chairwoman

Bonnie Nemecek, 308.289.0910

NWAGA 2008 Meetings

Spring: Monday, April 7, 2008

Bayside Golf Course, Brule

8:30 a.m. Rolls/Coffee 9:30 a.m. Meeting

11:30 a.m. Box Lunch/Shotgun Start

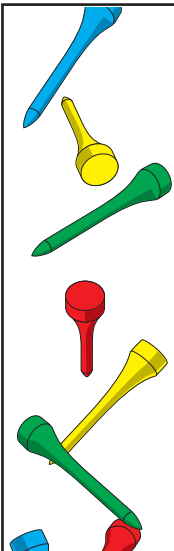
Fall: Monday, October 6, 2008

Elks Country Club, Columbus

We encourage all Club Representatives to attend the Meetings.

We depend on the opinions and vote of each Representative in determining the best way to serve our members.

If you are unable to attend, please send your alternate.





MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP
 AND **"THE NWAGA CHALLENGE"**
 FOUR-BALL MATCH PLAY PARTNER TOURNAMENT
NORFOLK COUNTRY CLUB
NORFOLK, NE • 402.379.1188
JULY 7-9, 2008

ENTRY FEE / FORMAT:

Match Play Championship: \$95
 "NWAGA Challenge": \$250 per two-person team
 Entry fee includes Monday night banquet (approximately 7:00 p.m.), continental breakfast each day, on-course refreshments, and Wednesday awards banquet. Lunch available for purchase.

CART FEE:

Championship cart fee \$10 per seat, per round. MUST reserve with entry.
 Challenge cart fee included in entry fee.

TOURNAMENT FIELD: Match Play Championship – no maximum number of entries. "The NWAGA Challenge" is limited to the first 24 two-player teams (see page 15 for further details).

CHALLENGE HANDICAP: Maximum individual sloped handicap 36.

GHIN TRANSMISSION DATE: June 24

REGISTRATION: Sunday, July 6, Norfolk Country Club, 5:00-6:00 p.m.; Monday, July 7, 7:00-8:00 a.m.

PRACTICE ROUND: Please call 402.379.1188 to arrange practice round. Greens fees are \$35 plus \$10 cart fee.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries must be received or submitted online no earlier than May 28 and no later than June 25. All entrants will be notified of first round pairing and tee time.

LODGING:

- NEW VICTORIAN INN – 402.379.3035
- DIVOTS – 402.371.4520
- HAMPTON INN – 402.379.3585
- SUPER 8 – 402.379.2220
- HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS – 402.379.1524

ENTRY FORM: Register online or send entry form and check payable to "Match Play Championship" to:

Starting Times:

Monday, June 7:

Match Play Qualifying – tee times starting at 9 a.m.
 Round of 16, Match Play Championship – approximately 3 p.m.
 "The Challenge" First Round Matches – shotgun, 8 a.m.
 "The Challenge" Second Round Matches – shotgun, 12 noon

Tuesday, June 8:

Quarter Finals, Match Play Championship – tee times starting at 9 a.m.
 Semi-Finals, Match Play Championship – tee times starting approx. 3 p.m.
 "The Challenge" Third Round Matches – shotgun, 8 a.m.
 "The Challenge" Fourth Round Matches – shotgun, approx. 12 noon

Wednesday, June 9:

Finals – Match Play Championship – starting time 10 a.m.
 "The Challenge" Fifth Round Matches – shotgun, 8 a.m.

NWAGA, MATCH PLAY
 CHAMPIONSHIP
 6618 SO. 118TH STREET
 OMAHA, NE 68137
 402.505.4653
or
 NWAGA, CHALLENGE
 6618 SO. 118TH STREET
 OMAHA, NE 68137
 402.505.4653

QUESTIONS:

Tournament Chairwomen
 Delaine Horn,
 402.371.2856
 Julie Hall, 402.371.6858

**FOUR-BALL TOURNAMENT
FOUR WINDS GOLF COURSE
KIMBALL, NE
308.235.4241
JULY 28-30, 2008**

ENTRY FEE/FORMAT: \$250 per team which includes 54-holes of two-person net four-ball stroke-play competition, cart, range balls, continental breakfast, on-course refreshments, Monday barbeque, Tuesday evening dinner, and Wednesday awards luncheon.

TOURNAMENT FIELD: Tournament field is limited to the first 64 teams. Partners may be from different clubs.

HANDICAP: Players must have a current established handicap determined by ten 18-hole scores or twenty 9-hole scores from the 2008 season. These scores must be posted before the July 22 GHIN transmission date.

SUBSTITUTION: A partner may be substituted for any reason, up to five days prior to the tournament. Fewer than five days prior to the tournament, the new partner will be assigned the lower of her handicap or the handicap of the original partner.

STARTING TIMES:

Monday, 10:00 a.m. – shotgun

Tuesday and Wednesday, 8:00 a.m. shotgun

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Sunday, July 27, after 11 a.m. Green Fees – 18 holes \$22 plus cart. Call 308.235.4241 for tee times.

REGISTRATION: Sunday, 5:00-7:00 p.m.
Monday, 8:00-9:30 a.m.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Sunday, July 27 – Kimball CC – Registration and Cocktail Party 5:00-7:00 p.m.



Monday, July 28 – Kimball CC – Registration and Continental Breakfast 8:00-9:30 a.m.

Four Winds GC – Shotgun 10:00 a.m.

Four Winds GC – Big Break Games of Skill 5:00 pm., Barbeque 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 29 – Kimball CC – Continental Breakfast 7:00 a.m.-7:45 a.m. Four Winds GC Shotgun 8:00 a.m. Kimball CC – Social Time 5:00 pm., Dinner 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 30 – Kimball CC – Continental Breakfast 7:00-7:45 a.m.; Four Winds GC Shotgun 8:00 a.m.; Kimball CC – Awards Luncheon following play.

LODGING:

DAYS INN – 308.235.4671

SUPER 8 MOTEL – 308.235.4888

1ST INTERSTATE INN – 308.235.4601

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries must be received or submitted online no earlier than June 19 and no later than July 17. All entrants will be notified of acceptance and first round pairing.

ENTRY FORM: Register online or send entry form and check payable to “Four-Ball Tournament” to:

NWAGA, FOUR-BALL STROKE PLAY

6618 SO. 118TH STREET

OMAHA, NE 68137

402.505.4653

QUESTIONS:

Tournament Chairwomen

Wilma Gilliland – 308.235.2281

Deb Bohac – 308.241.1717



"GOLDEN OLDIES"

**SENIOR STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP/
49'ERS PARTNER ECLECTIC
OAK HILLS COUNTRY CLUB
OMAHA, NEBRASKA
402.895.4383
AUGUST 11-13, 2008**

ENTRY FEE/FORMAT: \$140, includes 54 holes of stroke play, mandatory cart, flight and eclectic prizes, Monday hors d'oeuvres and cash bar following play, Tuesday night banquet, Wednesday luncheon following play.

TOURNAMENT FIELD: Field limited to 128 entrants 49 years old or older. A player may enter the Senior Stroke Play Championship as an individual, but must have a partner to participate in the eclectic event.

Participants with a handicap index of 12.0 or fewer will be automatically accepted. Each partner in the Eclectic Event must qualify for automatic acceptance for the team to be automatically accepted. If this is not the case, the team will be accepted on the same basis as other team entries. All flights in Stroke-Play Championship will be determined according to Tournament Guidelines.

HANDICAP: Maximum individual sloped handicap allowed for the Eclectic Event will be 36. Participants in the Eclectic Event must post at least ten 18-hole (or twenty 9-hole) scores prior to the GHIN transmission date.

GHIN TRANSMISSION DATE: July 22

REGISTRATION: Sunday, August 10, 5-7 p.m.
Monday, August 11, 9-11 a.m.

STARTING TIMES:

Monday 12 noon shotgun;
Tuesday and Wednesday, 8 a.m. shotguns.

PRACTICE ROUNDS: August 5-8. Fees are \$25, plus cart. Please call 402.895.4383 to arrange practice round.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries must be received or submitted online no earlier than July 3 and no later than July 31. All entrants will be notified of acceptance into the tournament field and first round pairing.

LODGING:

HAMPTON INN, 12331 S. PORT PKWY. –
402.895.2900
CLARION, 4885 S. 118TH – 402.895.1000

ENTRY FORM: Register online or send entry form and check payable to "Senior Stroke Play Championship" to:

NWAGA, SENIOR STROKE PLAY
CHAMPIONSHIP/ECLECTIC EVENT
6618 SO. 118TH STREET • OMAHA, NE 68137
402.505.4653

QUESTIONS:

Tournament Chairwoman
Gerry Masimore – 402.333.1812



“Golf and All That Jazz”

**FOUR-WOMAN SCRAMBLE
HILLCREST COUNTRY CLUB • LINCOLN
402.489.8181
SEPTEMBER 15-16, 2008**

Get your groove back and swing on down the lovely fairways of Hillcrest Country Club at this year's four-woman scramble!

ENTRY FEE/FORMAT: \$460 per team, includes 36-holes of gross four-woman team scramble competition, cart, prizes, Monday buffet dinner, Tuesday continental breakfast, and Tuesday awards buffet. Monday – box lunches available for purchase. Reserve lunch with entry. No club storage available.

TOURNAMENT FIELD: Tournament field is limited to the first 36 teams. Team members may be from different clubs. Flights will be determined by tournament guidelines.

SUBSTITUTION: A partner may be substituted for any reason, up to five days prior to the tournament. Fewer than five days prior to the tournament, the new partner will be assigned the lower of her Handicap or the Handicap of the original partner.

GHIN TRANSMISSION DATE: August 19

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Monday, September 15:

10:00-11:30 a.m. Registration

12:00 noon Shotgun

Buffet Dinner immediately following play

Tuesday, September 16:

Continental Breakfast

8:00 a.m. Shotgun.

Awards Lunch Buffet to follow play.

PRACTICE ROUNDS: Weekdays. Green fees are \$25 plus cart. Please call 402.489.8181 to arrange practice round.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Entries must be received or submitted online no earlier than August 6 and no later than September 3. All entrants will be notified of acceptance and first round pairing.

LODGING:

CANDLEWOOD SUITES (70th & Pioneers) – 402.420.0330

CHASE SUITES – 402.483.4900

VILLAGER MOTEL – 402.464.9111

ENTRY FORM: Register online or send entry form and check payable to “Four-Woman Scramble” to:
NWAGA, FOUR-WOMAN SCRAMBLE
6618 SO. 118TH STREET, OMAHA, NE 68137
402.505.4653

QUESTIONS:

Tournament Chairwoman

Mary Ann James – 402.489.3686

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tournament info, post your
hole-in-one, or to register
online for any of these
tournaments, visit
www.nwaga.org**

2008 NWAGA Eastern Stroke Play Entry Blank – June 2-3, 2008

Name _____ Telephone _____
 Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
 NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____
 E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail
 Cart wanted: No Yes @ \$15 day = \$ _____

Entry Fee \$ **80.00**
 Total Due \$ _____

*Submission of this entry indicates that I have read and agree to the
 General Tournament information on page 2 of this publication.
 Waiver on back must be signed for entry to be complete.*

2008 NWAGA Stroke Play Championship Entry Blank – June 9-11, 2008

Name _____ Telephone _____
 Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
 NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____
 E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail
 Championship Flight (I wish to declare Championship Flight)
 Senior Medalist (Check if born before June 9, 1959)
 Cart wanted: No Yes @ \$12.00 day = \$ _____

Entry Fee \$ **95.00**
 Total Due \$ _____

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 General Tournament information on page 2 of this publication.
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2008 NWAGA Western Stroke Play Entry Blank – June 23-24, 2008

Name _____ Telephone _____
 Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
 NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____
 E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail
 Cart wanted: No Yes @ \$12 day = \$ _____

Entry Fee \$ **80.00**
 Total Due \$ _____

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Contestant/Caddie Waiver and Release of Liability

Please read carefully before signing:

1. I understand and acknowledge that participation in the game of golf involves risk of physical or mental injury.
2. I understand and acknowledge that the operation of, riding in, and use of a golf cart involves a risk of physical injury.
3. I understand and acknowledge that engaging in such activities requires care, attention and obedience to the warnings and instructions posted on the golf cart, and to the warnings, instructions, rules, and regulations posted on the golf course.

I expressly state that I have read and am familiar with such instructions, warnings, rules, and regulations. I, intending to be legally bound, hereby expressly assume all risks and waive and release any and all claims which I might at any time state against Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association, its officers and directors, representatives and successors, as a result of my participation in such activities, even to the extent such claims may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of persons named in this waiver.

I further agree to hold the Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association, its officers and directors, representatives and successors harmless for physical or mental injury to others, or property damage which might result from my actions on the golf course, or from my use or my acquiescence in another person's use of a golf cart in violation of any warning, instruction, rule, or regulation.

This waiver and release shall be effective and binding upon me and my assigns and heirs and shall extend for the dates indicated below. I hereby acknowledge having read and understood this waiver and release.

Effective Dates: June 2-3, 2008

Player's Signature (Parent's Signature if under 18)

Date

Caddie's Signature (if applicable)

Date

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I further agree to hold the Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association, its officers and directors, representatives and successors harmless for physical or mental injury to others, or property damage which might result from my actions on the golf course, or from my use or my acquiescence in another person's use of a golf cart in violation of any warning, instruction, rule, or regulation.

This waiver and release shall be effective and binding upon me and my assigns and heirs and shall extend for the dates indicated below. I hereby acknowledge having read and understood this waiver and release.

Effective Dates: June 9, 10, 11, 2008

Player's Signature (Parent's Signature if under 18)

Date

Caddie's Signature (if applicable)

Date

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This waiver and release shall be effective and binding upon me and my assigns and heirs and shall extend for the dates indicated below. I hereby acknowledge having read and understood this waiver and release.

Effective Dates: June 23-24, 2008

Player's Signature (Parent's Signature if under 18)

Date

Caddie's Signature (if applicable)

Date

2008 NWAGA Match Play Championship Entry Blank
July 7-9, 2008

Name _____ Telephone _____

NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____

E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail

Partner _____ Telephone _____

NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____

E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail

Senior Medalist (Check if born before July 7, 1959)

Championship only: Cart wanted: No Yes @ \$10.00 per round= \$ _____

Challenge Entry Fee \$ **250.00**
 (cart included)

Championship Entry Fee \$ **95.00**
 Total Due \$ _____

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2008 NWAGA Four Ball Entry Blank
July 28-30, 2008

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____

E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail

Partner _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____

E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail

Total Due \$ **250.00**

By submitting this entry to the Four Ball, each player states that she will have posted to GHIN ten 18-hole scores (20 9-hole scores) **prior** to July 22, 2008.

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I expressly state that I have read and am familiar with such instructions, warnings, rules, and regulations. I, intending to be legally bound, hereby expressly assume all risks and waive and release any and all claims which I might at any time state against Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association, its officers and directors, representatives and successors, as a result of my participation in such activities, even to the extent such claims may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of persons named in this waiver.

I further agree to hold the Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association, its officers and directors, representatives and successors harmless for physical or mental injury to others, or property damage which might result from my actions on the golf course, or from my use or my acquiescence in another person's use of a golf cart in violation of any warning, instruction, rule, or regulation.

This waiver and release shall be effective and binding upon me and my assigns and heirs and shall extend for the dates indicated below. I hereby acknowledge having read and understood this waiver and release.

Effective Dates: July 7, 8, 9, 2008

Player's Signature (Parent's Signature if under 18)

Date

Caddie/Partner/Parent Signature if under 18

Date

Contestant Waiver and Release of Liability

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This waiver and release shall be effective and binding upon me and my assigns and heirs and shall extend for the dates indicated below. I hereby acknowledge having read and understood this waiver and release.

Effective Dates: July 28, 29, 30, 2008

Player's Signature

Date

Partner's Signature

Date

2008 NWAGA Senior Championship/49'ers Eclectic Entry Blank

August 11-13, 2008

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____

E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail

49'er Partner (if playing in the eclectic):

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____

E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail

Eclectic entrants MUST fully complete entire form and include \$280 entry fee.

By submitting this entry to the 49'ers Eclectic,
each states that she will have posted to GHIN
ten 18-hole scores (20 9-hole scores)

Individual Total Due \$ **140.00**

Team Total Due: \$ **280.00**

prior to July 22, 2008.

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2008 NWAGA Scramble Entry Blank

September 15-16, 2008

Team Captain _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

NWAGA Club _____ GHIN # _____ Index _____

E-mail _____ Send info via US Mail E-mail

Team Member	NWAGA Club	GHIN #	Index
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1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

_____ Lunches @ \$8.00 each
(pay at registration)

Total Due \$ **460.00**

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2. I understand and acknowledge that the operation of, riding in, and use of a golf cart involves a risk of physical injury.
3. I understand and acknowledge that engaging in such activities requires care, attention and obedience to the warnings and instructions posted on the golf cart, and to the warnings, instructions, rules, and regulations posted on the golf course.

I expressly state that I have read and am familiar with such instructions, warnings, rules, and regulations. I, intending to be legally bound, hereby expressly assume all risks and waive and release any and all claims which I might at any time state against Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association, its officers and directors, representatives and successors, as a result of my participation in such activities, even to the extent such claims may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of persons named in this waiver.

I further agree to hold the Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association, its officers and directors, representatives and successors harmless for physical or mental injury to others, or property damage which might result from my actions on the golf course, or from my use or my acquiescence in another person's use of a golf cart in violation of any warning, instruction, rule, or regulation.

This waiver and release shall be effective and binding upon me and my assigns and heirs and shall extend for the dates indicated below. I hereby acknowledge having read and understood this waiver and release.

Effective Dates: August 11, 12, 13, 2008

Player's Signature

Date

Partner's Signature (if applicable)

Date

Contestant Waiver and Release of Liability

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Effective Dates: September 15, 16, 2008

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From the President...

by Bobbie Hopp, President



Is it safe to come out yet? What a Nebraska winter this has been with record low temps, snow, flu, and *wind*. Not to worry, NWAGA has some hot tournaments to get you thawed out and on the course.

I am happy to inform you that Monica Novak will continue on as NWAGA's Managing Director. She did an excellent job for the organization last year, and she has provided the consistency in the office that was needed.

Katie Orcutt has finished her term as our PJ Boatwright intern and accepted a position at Shadow Ridge. She was a great addition to NWAGA with her bright smile and eagerness to help everyone. We will all miss her. Our new intern is Johnna Rathje. She is a Broken Bow native who is finishing her degree at Wayne State College, and she will begin with NWAGA in May.

In the past few years, we have restored the original Eclectic format to the Seniors, put flights back in the Scramble, and returned the Four-Ball to its original format which put the emphasis on net

scores. This year the focus has been on the Match Play Championship. Due to the lack of interest in this tournament and the increased costs of hosting a tournament, it is necessary to change the format or eliminate the tournament altogether. Match is the oldest and most historic form of competition, and we found it difficult to entertain the idea of eliminating it. It is evident to me that women enjoy competition with a partner or team as indicated by the entries in the Seniors, Four-Ball, and Scramble. I felt we needed to add a partner division in Match Play to save the tournament.

Tournament Directors Laura Saf and Yvonne Davenport agreed to introduce a new format in 2008 that would promote participation in the Match Play Tournament. Laura and Yvonne have done an excellent job with this new format and have created a partner division that is well beyond my expectations. Please read the article below by Laura and Yvonne.

In closing, I would like to extend my personal congratulations to NWAGA Past President Dottie Bowman for being named the Nebraska Golf Hall of Fame Dr. Davis winner.



"The Challenge"
Bobbie

"NWAGA Challenge" Added to Match Play

by Laura Saf and Yvonne Davenport, Tournament Chairs

President Bobbie Hopp gave the tournament chairs a mandate to do something to infuse interest in the Match Play Championship. After much thought and careful consideration and knowing how popular our partner events are, we came up with the following new event to be run concurrently with the Match Play Championship.

A player may enter either event, but because the events will be held on the same course at the same time, not both events.

The Match Play Championship entrants will play a morning 18-hole qualifying round, after which the tournament will be cut to the low 16. Matches will begin Monday afternoon and conclude with finals on Wednesday. There will be no consolation rounds or flights in the Match Play Championship.

In addition to the Match Play championship, an inaugural "NWAGA Challenge" will be held. This will be a four-ball (partner) match play event. Players will enter as a two-person team and entry will be limited to the first 24 teams. Four flights of six teams each will be predetermined using 90% of the total of the two players' Handicap Indexes. Each team will play five nine-hole matches. In each nine-hole match, the players will play net four ball match play off the lowest handicap player in the match. Each team member will be allowed 90% of her sloped handicap. Two nine-hole matches will be held Monday, two on Tuesday and one on Wednesday morning.

This format is similar to that which many interclubs, member/guest, and member/member tournaments are played across the state. We are hopeful that this will be a very popular event.

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