

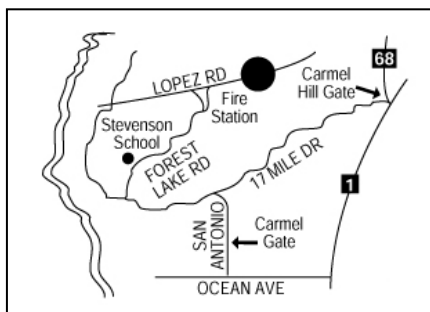


**NORTHERN CALIFORNIA GOLF ASSOCIATION
5th ANNUAL MIXED TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP
POPPY HILLS GC
NOVEMBER 6-7, 2009**

PLAYER INFORMATION SHEET

Listed below is IMPORTANT tournament information. Please read carefully.

CLUB LOCATION:



**3200 Lopez Road, Pebble Beach, 93953
Pro Shop: (831) 622-8239**

FORMAT: **36 holes Mixed Chapman Stroke Play.** In this format, two competitors play as partners as one side. Both players on a side tee off, then they switch balls. Player A plays Player B's drive, and vice-versa. Each player hits his or her second shot. They then select the better of the second shots, and from that point until the ball is holed they play only one ball in an alternate shot format. The **MEN** contestants will play from the **BLUE** tee markers and the **WOMEN** contestants will play from the **GOLD** tee markers. There will be a play-off to determine first place or second place (within each flight) immediately following the conclusion of play. Duplicate medals will be awarded for third place.

FLIGHTS: Flights will be created using **October** indexes, but teams will play to **November** Indexes:

PRESIDENT FLIGHT: Team Course Handicap range **(0-9)**
DIRECTOR FLIGHT: Team Course Handicap range **(10-14)**
SECRETARY FLIGHT: Team Course Handicap range **(15+)**

RULES OF PLAY: The **2008-2009** USGA Rules of Golf are in effect and are supplemented by the NCGA rules card. The committee will provide any additional Local Rules needed at the tee. It is the individual player's responsibility to know the conditions of the competition. The "One Ball Rule" is not in effect.

FIRST TEE TIME: **7:30 AM** off tees 1 & 10. Players should be at their assigned tee 10 minutes prior to their tee time.

GOLF CARTS: Golf carts are optional at the player's expense. Cart rental is \$18 per person. A maximum of two carts per group is permitted. **Spectator carts are prohibited.**

PRACTICE ROUND: **The NCGA does not arrange practice rounds for Poppy Hills GC.** Contact the Pro Shop at (831) 622-8239 to schedule a practice round. NCGA member green fee rates are \$55 Monday-Thursday and \$72 Friday-Sunday. Please note carts are not included in this fee.

WITHDRAWALS AND NO SHOWS: Refer to NCGA rules card. Players who enter an NCGA event and wish to withdraw for any reason **MUST** notify the NCGA Rules and Competitions Department at (831) 625-4653. Failure to notify the NCGA will result in a **NO SHOW** and the player will receive a **ONE-YEAR SUSPENSION FROM ALL NCGA EVENTS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR FOLLOWING THE INFRACTION.** A player who only contacts the course and **NOT** the NCGA will incur the suspension.

SUBSTITUTIONS: **THERE ARE NO SUBSTITUTIONS ALLOWED FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP.**

FOOTWEAR: Non-metal spikes required. Shoes with traditionally designed spikes (regardless of composition, i.e., ceramic) or spikes, regardless of design, comprised either entirely or partially of metal (when such metal comes in contact with the surface of the putting green) are prohibited. Penalty for breach of this condition: **DISQUALIFICATION.**

DRESS CODE: Refer to NCGA rules card.

PRO SHOP & RANGE: Open at 6:00 AM.

FOOD SERVICE: Porter's Grill & Bar opens at 6:00 AM. To avoid losing position and receiving a penalty for slow play, we recommend all players order ready-made food at the grill or restaurant during their stipulated rounds. **No outside food and beverage is permitted.**

POPPY HILLS TOURNAMENT BREAKFAST SPECIALS: \$6.95 Plate (includes scrambled eggs, potatoes, sausage/bacon/ham, and toast), or **\$4.95 breakfast sandwiches and burritos.**

GATE ENTRANCE: For Pebble Beach gate clearance, please state your name and the NCGA tournament you are playing in to the Pebble Beach Security personnel upon arrival at any gate to 17-Mile Drive. NCGA Membership cards may also be used for gate clearance.

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS EVENT TO THE NCGA RULES & COMPETITIONS OFFICE AT (831) 625-4653