



# 2010 Francis Hagan Match Play Championship

CONDUCTED BY COLUMBIA PARKS AND RECREATION  
JUNE 12-13 & 19-20, 2010  
LAKE OF THE WOODS GOLF COURSE  
COLUMBIA, MISSOURI

## ELIGIBILITY

Entries are open to amateur golfers wishing to compete in a 64 player match play tournament. Entries are subject to rejection at any time (including during the Championship). The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct.

## SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 12

7:00 AM-18 hole qualifying round

Sunday, June 13

7:00 AM - First round of match play

2:00 PM - Second round of match play

Saturday, June 19

7:00 AM - Third round of match play

1:00 PM - Quarter-finals

Sunday, June 20

7:00 AM - Semi-finals

12:30 PM - 18 hole final

*All times subject to change.*

## PRIZES

Top 16 finishers in match play and top 5 in qualifying round.

Champion - \$750 Gift Certificates, trophy and traveling trophy.

Runner Up - \$450 Gift Certificates and trophy.

## ENTRIES: Form, fee and closing date

Entrants shall apply on attached form. Copies are acceptable. Entry fee of \$55 shall be paid by every applicant on or before **June 9, 2010, 5:00 P.M.** Entry fee will not be refunded after the close of entries.

**TEES:** All participants shall play from the back (White) tees.

## HIGH SCHOOL GOLFERS

Applicants still in High School are eligible to participate, but, may not receive prize money. *Therefore, they shall pay an entry fee of \$25.*

## PRACTICE PRIVILEGES

Entry fee does not include a practice round or cart.

## RULES OF GOLF

Play will be governed by rules of golf as approved by the USGA. Questions shall be settled by Rules Chairman, whose decision shall be final.

## GOLF BALLS

Only brands of golf balls on the 2010 USGA conforming ball list may be used. The "one ball rule" will be in effect. See condition and limitation set forth on page 101-102 of the USGA Rules of Golf book.

## CADDIES

A caddy may be used at any time during the Championship.

## TIME OF STARTING

The player must start at the time established by the Committee.

## PAIRINGS

Individual pairings within groups are done randomly to offer each player an opportunity to play with a variety of other players of similar ability. No preference requests will be honored to protect the integrity of the competition.

## DISCONTINUANCE OF PLAY

Rule 6-8b details the procedure for discontinuance of play. The penalty for a breach of Rule 6-8b is disqualification. However, it is a condition of the competition that, in potentially dangerous situations, play shall be discontinued immediately following a suspension of play by the Committee. If a player fails to discontinue play immediately, he shall be disqualified unless circumstances warrant waiving such penalty as provided in Rule 33-7. An immediate suspension of play will be signaled by a prolonged note of the siren.

**Discontinue Play Immediately:** One prolonged note of siren.

**Resume Play:** Two short notes of siren, repeated.

## RAIN OUT POLICY

If any portion of match play is canceled due to weather the player with the top seeding shall advance to the next round. Every effort will be made to play all matches, if needed matches will be nine holes.

## PACE OF PLAY POLICY

1. Rule 6-7 state, "The player must play without undue delay and in accordance with any pace of play guidelines that the Committee may establish. Penalty for breach: Stroke Play - Two Strokes; Match Play – Loss of Hole"

If a player takes any action deemed by the Committee to be purposefully delaying play, the player will be assessed a two stroke penalty in addition to any other penalties earned under the following Guidelines.

When not "In Position" as defined in this document, individual player(s) may be assessed a one stroke penalty at the discretion of the Committee, or under Rule 6-7, separate from this policy, a two stroke penalty for any action which may prevent a group from regaining positions. (NOTE: Such action include taking excess of 60 seconds to make a stroke, failing to call a group through while in search or waiting for a ruling, walking slowly between strokes, walking in advance of the ball's position to take a yardage or view the hole.)

2. A group is considered "In Position" either when it completes a hole within the time allocations of the Pace Chart for the course OR completes play of a hole within 15 minutes of the group in front of them. Two checkpoints will be monitored for groups that may be out of position. These are after #9 and #18 green.

3. If a group misses the #9 Green Checkpoint, they are subject to a one stroke penalty if the group fails to a) regain position as defined; or, b) completes play of the round within the 18-hole TimePar as published in the Local Rules.

4. If a group is in position at #9 but fails to finish #18 in position, players are subject to a one stroke penalty.

5. A group failing the #9 Checkpoint TimePar and losing additional time the the #18 Checkpoint will incur a one stroke

penalty for the front nine and an additional two stroke penalty for the back nine.

6. Only the Tournament Committee may waive penalties for individuals who make a visible effort to regain position. Penalized players may appeal to the Committee if their delay was caused by interference from a outside agency, but must do so prior to signing the scorecard(s).

## TIES DURING QUALIFYING ROUND

Ties for 64<sup>th</sup> spot will play-off beginning on #1, fifteen (15) minutes after final group has finished. It is the player's responsibility to be at the play-off at the time of starting. Failure to appear will result in disqualification from play-off. All other ties will be decided by order in which scores are returned, the first score to be returned receiving the lowest available number, etc.

## AUTOMOTIVE TRANSPORTATION

Players may walk or ride at any time during the Championship.

## CONDITIONS, SCHEDULES

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

## CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE

**Andrew Baier**, Rules Committee,  
Tournament Chairman

### FRANCIS HAGAN MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP PAST CHAMPIONS

1994 Pat Trittler	2002 David McDonald
1995 Dee Sanders	2003 D.J. Chung
1996 Joe Belmer	2004 Michael Unger
1997 Rainout	2005 David McDonald
1998 Woody Simmons	2006 David McDonald
1999 Tim Rooney	2007 D.J. Chung
2000 David McDonald	2008 Kyle Kovar
2001 Ryan Schultz	2009 Aaron Murphy

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## ENTRY DEADLINE

Entry and fee must arrive by **5:00 PM on Wednesday, June 9, 2010** addressed to:

Golf Tournament  
Attention: Andrew Baier  
P.O. Box 6015  
Columbia, MO 65205-6015  
(573)814-1322

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APPLICATION FOR ENTRY - FEE \$55 (\$25 High School)-2010 Francis Hagan

Please print. Fill in every applicable blank or entry will be rejected.

Enclose entry fee of \$55 (\$25 High School) payable to Lake of the Woods Golf Course  
(Do Not Send Cash)

All checks & credit cards will be processed as they are received

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Phone: Business: \_\_\_\_\_ Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

MC/VISA# \_\_\_\_\_ EXP. DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Name on credit card \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to the Championship regulations, attached hereto. I have noted requirements for notice of withdrawal and registration at the Championship site.

I agree that entry is subject to rejection at any time (including during Championship) by Championship Committee. The reason may include unbecoming conduct.

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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