



Gentlemen, the CGA is replacing interclub with Doubles Golf, we are looking for 2 person teams to play in the double golf tournament. It's a 2-man best ball and we will play 18 holes this month to determine the qualifiers for the state playoff in each flight. **Please let me know who is interested ASAP** so I can set up a date in which we can have a mini tournament. This seems to be a great opportunity for some great pairings that Lone Tree has to offer. The A teams will consist of a score of par or better and the B teams will be from one over to 9 over par in the qualifying tournament.

The Colorado Golf Association, Doubles Golf, and Jack Nicklaus are collaborating to develop a pathway that connects club-level leagues in Colorado to a state championship (held at Common Ground GC) and a national championship across four categories (Men, Women, Senior, Mixed).

What is Doubles Golf?

- Rebranding of the two-player scramble format ("Better Shot")
- Two-player teams play 18-hole rounds
- if you hit a bad shot, your partner probably hit a better shot!
- Teams record their scores and receive a rating and ranking

(Men, Women, Senior, Mixed).

• Each category has three divisions (A, B, C) with gross and net scoring to give players of all abilities the opportunity to participate.

The winning "gross" team from the "A" and "B" division in each category advances to the State Doubles Championship. For example, if you run two categories (e.g. Men and Mixed) then you'll promote 4 teams (8 people) to the State Doubles Championship.

Recognized as an official format of golf in the USGA Rules of Golf

State Doubles Championship

The Colorado Doubles Golf Am Championship will be held at Common Ground on October 2nd & 3rd, 2024.

• The field will be comprised of the "A" and "B" teams that advanced from participating courses and clubs across all four categories.

• Conducted as 18 holes of gross competition to crown the "A" and "B" state champions in each category (Men, Women, Senior, Mixed).

• Champions of the "A" division in each category advance to the National Doubles Championship in November in Florida.

National Doubles Championship

• The United States Doubles Golf Am Championship will be hosted by Jack Nicklaus at a signature Jack Nicklaus course in Florida in November 2024.

• The field will be comprised of the "A" teams that advanced from each State Doubles Championship across all four categories.

- Conducted as 27 holes of gross competition over two days to crown the national champions in each category (Men, Women, Senior, Mixed).

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