# Clemson to host open golf tournament

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CLEMSON — The 1st Annual Clemson Area Open Amateur Golf Championship is coming to the area this fall thanks to Lake Keowee Chrysler Dodge, in association with the Clemson Area Chamber of Commerce.

The Championship will be an individual stroke play event over a two-day period, with the first round set for Saturday, Oct. 30 at Boscobel Golf Club in Pendleton. The second round will be held the following day at the Walker Course at Clemson University.

The entry fee is $100 per person and includes golf and cart fee.

The first round will feature every player vying for best score. The second round will have three brackets: Championship, Players and Consolation brackets, based on the first-round scores. All USGA rules apply, and players must be 18 years of age or older to participate.

Awards and prizes will be given to the top two players in each bracket, with the overall winner being named the Clemson Area Open Champion, and their entry fee will be waived the following year to defend their title.

"Our area has many Captain's Choice tournaments every year, and they are great fun for everyone involved, but there are also many golfers in the area that want to see how they stack up against other golfers of similar skill," Clemson Area Chamber of Commerce President Chris Hardy said. "With the help of Lake Keowee Chrysler Dodge, Boscobel Golf Club and The Walker Course at Clemson University, we are now ready to see who the best golfer in the Clemson Area is."

Guaranteed entry is available to the first 144 players, and the entry deadline is Oct. 15.

Call Hardy at 654-1200 or email chris@clemsonchamber.org to reserve a spot.