

# 2015 Monterey OPEN

OCTOBER 12-14, 2015



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## A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE MONTEREY OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

The Monterey Open has a rich and storied history dating back to 1926, when it was won by “Light Horse” Harry Cooper in an event that included most of the top golfers in the nation, including the reigning U.S. Amateur Champion George Von Elm, and 1927 Ryder Cup team members “Wild” Bill Mehlhorn, Joe Turnesa, Johnny Golden, Al Watrous, Johnny Farrell, Leo Diegel and Al Espinosa.

The tournament missed a few years during the Great Depression, and again during WWII, but otherwise remained a popular annual event on the Del Monte Golf Course calendar. Following the WWII death of popular Monterey golfer Bud Brownell, the Bud Brownell Memorial Trophy was created by Jo Mora for engraving the names of future winners.

Brandon Harkins of Scottsdale, Ariz., won the 2014 Monterey Open with a three-day total of 197 (19-under par); he also set a new tournament record. His final-round 66 helped him capture the title and finish two shots ahead of Creighton Honeck. This is the second time Brandon has won the Monterey Open - he was also champion in 2011.

### Recent Past Champions

Year	Player	Score
2014	Brandon Harkins	197
2013	Michael McCabe	198
2012	Anthony Verna	201
2011	Brandon Harkins	200
2010	Erick Justesen	199

### Monterey Open Championship Payout

**Total Estimated Purse of \$32,500\***

*Top Professional receives entry into the TaylorMade Pebble Beach Invitational on November 17-22, 2015*

*\*Based on a field of 126 players*



**Tournament Date:** October 12-14, 2015

**Site:** Del Monte Golf Course, 1300 Sylvan Road, Monterey, CA 93940 • (831) 373-2700

**Schedule/Format:** 54-hole, stroke-play competition. The field will be cut to the top 40 players and ties for the final 18 holes.

**Eligibility:** All professional and amateur players are entered into the open/scratch flight. Amateurs must have a valid USGA Handicap index of 2.4 or below.

**Deadline:** Friday, October 2, 2015, at 5:00 p.m., or the first 126 paid players. The last day to withdraw and receive a full refund is Friday, October 9.

**Entry Fee:** \$495.00 for Open professionals, \$325.00 for PGA Class A and Apprentice professionals in good standing, \$325.00 for amateurs. Your entry fee includes green fees, sponsor gifts and complimentary on-course refreshments. Please make payment to Del Monte Golf Course by check, money order, or any major credit card for your entry into the 2015 Monterey Open Championship.

**Rules of Golf:** Play will be governed by the Head Golf Professional and Rules Committee at Del Monte Golf Course. All USGA Rules of Golf will be followed and a supplemental local rules sheet will be available. All questions will be settled by the Rules Committee, whose decision shall be final.

**Registration:** Will begin at 6:30 a.m. on October 12 at the Del Monte Pro Shop. Shuttles will be provided to the 10th tee every 15 minutes.

**Practice Rounds:** Practice rounds will be available October 5-11, 2015 for \$50.00 including cart after 12:00 p.m. per player. Reservations can be made by calling the Del Monte Pro Shop at (831) 373-2700.

**Pace of Play:** Pace of Play will be strictly enforced with a maximum time of 15 minutes average per hole. Penalties will be assessed for slow play.

**Golf Carts/Caddies:** The use of golf carts is not mandatory and caddies will be permitted in the Monterey Open Championship. Caddies do not have to carry the competitors' clubs and will be permitted to use a golf cart. To schedule a caddie through Del Monte Golf Course, please contact Caddie Services (CSI) at (831) 622-6162.

**Dress Code:** Collared shirts are required for all competitors. All professionals must wear slacks; caddies and amateurs may wear bermuda-length shorts.

# START

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 12**  
7:30 a.m. tee times starting on holes #1 & #10  
**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13**  
7:30 a.m. tee times starting on holes #1 & #10  
**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14**  
7:30 a.m. tee times starting on hole #1

# TIMES

## ENTRY FORM • DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IS OCTOBER 2, 2015

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

PGA Member     PGA Apprentice     Open Professional     Amateur GHIN # \_\_\_\_\_

CC Payment: VISA     MC     AX     DISCOVER     Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_    Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on CC \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

*Check: (CDL #, DOB, EXP required)*

Monterey Open Tournament Committee reserves the right to reject any entry at any time. REASONS MAY INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO: unbecoming behavior and non-competitive ability.

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