



**April 30 – May 6, 2018**  
**The Woodlands Country Club Tournament Course**  
**The Woodlands, TX**  
**Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,025 Purse: \$2,200,000**

**May 1, 2018**

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### **TUESDAY - INSIDE THE INSPERITY INVITATIONAL**

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#### **Defending Champion John Daly and Bernhard Langer to Meet with Media Wednesday**

John Daly and Bernhard Langer will be in the Media Center on Wednesday in advance of the 15th edition of the Insperity Invitational presented by UnitedHealthcare.

Defending champion, John Daly, will meet with media on Wednesday, May 2 at 11 a.m., while three-time Insperity Invitational winner, Bernhard Langer, will be in the interview room at 2 p.m.

#### **Tom Weiskopf Hosts Breakfast Thursday**

The presence of golf's greats will be felt throughout the week at the Insperity Invitational while attending a number of special events including the second annual Breakfast with Champions to benefit children from Inspiration Ranch, May 3 at 8 a.m.

Tom Weiskopf, who won 16 times on the PGA TOUR, will join special champions from Insperity Ranch for a memorable breakfast at the golf course on Thursday.

Tickets can be purchased at [www.insperityinvitational.com](http://www.insperityinvitational.com) for \$800 (table of eight). Individual seats are also available for \$100.

#### **Wednesday's Featured Pro-Am Tee Times (Tee Times Attached)**

7:20 a.m. Mark Calcavecchia (Tee #1)

9:30 a.m. Fred Funk (Tee #10)

12:30 p.m. John Daly (Tee #1)

12:30 p.m. Jeff Maggert (Tee #10)

12:40 p.m. Tom Lehman (Tee #10)

1:10 p.m. Billy Andrade (Tee #1)

1:20 p.m. Jesper Parnevik (Tee #1)

#### **Did You Know?**

- The 2018 Insperity Invitational field features 32 of the top 36 players on the current Charles Schwab Cup standings;
- Six members of the World Golf Hall of Fame;
- 19 players in the field have won a PGA TOUR Champions major, 15 hold a PGA TOUR major title;
- In the last five years of the Insperity Invitational, four of the five titles, have been claimed by international-born players: Esteban Toledo (Mexico), Bernhard Langer (Germany), Ian Woosnam (Wales), and Jesper Parnevik (Sweden). This year, including the United States, 13 countries will be represented. The others include Canada, Wales, Australia, Germany, England, Mexico, Paraguay, Spain, Scotland, Singapore, Ireland and Sweden;
- Six PGA TOUR Champions players currently call Texas home. Jeff Maggert (The Woodlands), Mark O'Meara (Houston), Mark Brooks (Fort Worth), Clark Dennis (Fort Worth), Tom Kite (Austin), and Wes Short Jr. (Austin).

#### **3M Greats of Golf Set for Saturday**

It will be another Saturday to remember at the Insperity Invitational.

Annika Sorenstam will become the first woman to tee it up in the 3M Greats of Golf competition on May 5, 2018, playing with Fellow World Golf Hall of Fame members Jack Nicklaus and Gary Player in the 18-hole exhibition.

One of the most successful women ever to play professional golf, Annika racked up 72 LPGA victories, including 10 major championships and was the LPGA TOUR player of the year eight times before retiring in 2008.

Annika, the Golden Bear and Black Knight will play a scramble format against three other teams composed of Tom Weiskopf, David Graham and Tony Jacklin; Dave Stockton, Larry Nelson and Hale Irwin; along with Fuzzy Zoeller, Charles Coody and Bill Rogers.

This legendary group of 12 of the game's greatest will tee off following the official field's final group on Saturday around 12:30 p.m.

#### **Get Inside the Ropes with Insperty Interactive Golf App:**

The Insperty Invitational launched a new golf app in partnership with Steve Elkington and Secret Golf this week complete with 3D flyovers, course strategies, GPS yardages, and helps predict putts the pros are facing on The Woodlands Country Club Tournament Course. Download today and win a chance to play golf with Elk.

<https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/insperity-interactive-golf/id1367976674?mt=8>

#### **Insperty Invitational Radar:**

- The Woodforest National Bank Pro-Am will be held on Wednesday and Thursday which will include the majority of the Insperty Invitational field. Tee times will be made available on Tuesday;
- The 15th annual Insperty Invitational presented by UnitedHealthcare will be contested Friday, May 4 to Sunday, May 6. Tee times on Friday begin at 10:30 a.m. Saturday and Sunday's rounds will start at 7:30 a.m.;
- The Insperty Invitational benefits local Houston charities. A "PINK OUT" will take place on Saturday, May 5 in support of breast cancer awareness. **All spectators are encouraged to show their support and wear pink on Saturday.**

#### **Tournament Information:**

Event web site – [www.insperityinvitational.com](http://www.insperityinvitational.com)

Field List – <http://www.insperityinvitational.com/media/player-field-media/>

PGA TOUR Champions information - <http://pgatourgolfmedia.com> (must login)

#### **Ticket and Parking Information:**

The Insperty Invitational offers free grounds only admission tickets courtesy of Insperty, Hewlett Packard Enterprise, and Woodforest National Bank. Parking will be available at Woodforest Bank Stadium, 19115 David Memorial Drive in Shenandoah, where a shuttle service will run to and from the course.

For updated information on all aspects of the Insperty Invitational, fans are encouraged to visit [www.InspertyInvitational.com](http://www.InspertyInvitational.com).

#### **About the Insperty Invitational presented by UnitedHealthcare**

A PGA TOUR Champions event, the Insperty Invitational presented by UnitedHealthcare features the world's premier golfers age 50 and older. Last year's tournament winner John Daly, will be returning to the Insperty Invitational to defend his title April 30-May 6, 2018. Managed and operated by Pro Links Sports, in 2008, the tournament received the prestigious Presidents Award as the best event on the Champions Tour, and in 2011 received the President's Award for Excellence in Achievement. In 2012 and 2015, the tournament received The Players Award for having the "best of everything" for the players, sponsors and spectators. Interfaith of The Woodlands, one of the local charities benefitting from the tournament, was named the 2016 PGA TOUR Champions Charity of the Year. The Insperty Invitational is grateful to have support from these official corporate partners: Woodforest National Bank, Hewlett Packard Enterprise, 3M, United Airlines, Northside Imports Houston – Alfa Romeo, Dr Pepper, Bai, National Car Rental, Sports Radio 610, Houston Chronicle, Texas Sports Nation and Vander Dys Fine Jewelers. Past champions include Larry Nelson, Jay Haas, Mark McNulty, three-time winner Bernhard Langer, John Cook, Fred Couples, Brad Faxon, Fred Funk, Esteban Toledo, Ian Woosnam and John Daly. For more information about the Tradition of Excellence at the Insperty Invitational, visit [www.insperityinvitational.com](http://www.insperityinvitational.com).

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