



**New Jersey State Golf Association
90th Open Championship
Sponsored by Lincoln-Mercury and Prudential
Spring Brook Country Club – July 13-15, 2010
Exemption Criteria**

The following players are exempt from qualifying for the 90th Open Championship, provided they submit their entry prior to the closing date and meet all other eligibility criteria:

1. Champions of the NJSGA Open Championship from 1921-2007.*
2. Champions of the previous ten NJSGA Open Championships (2000-2009).*
3. Low 25 finishers (plus ties) from the 2009 NJSGA Open Championship.
4. The NJPGA Section Champion from 2000-2009.
5. The NJSGA Amateur Champion from 2001-2010.
6. The 2009 Champion of the NJSGA Senior Amateur Championship.
7. The 2009 Champion of the NJSGA / NJPGA Senior Open Championship.
8. The 2009 Champions of the MGA Amateur (match play) and Open Championships.
9. The 2009 Champion of the NJPGA Assistant Professional Championship.
10. The 2009 Champion of the NJPGA Match Play Championship.
11. The 2009 Champion of the NJPGA Senior Championship.
12. The 2010 Champion of the NJSGA Mid-Amateur Championship.
13. The 2010 Champion of the MGA Ike (Stroke Play) Championship.
14. The 2010 Champion of the NJPGA Charity Classic.
15. The 2010 Champion of the NJPGA Rockaway River Clambake.
16. The 2010 Champion of the NJPGA Head Professional Championship.
17. NJSGA Member Club Professionals who qualify for the 2010 National Club Professionals Championship.
18. The top five from the 2009 NJSGA Player of the Year Points List.
19. NJSGA Member Club Professionals within the top twenty (20) (including ties) of the 2009 Philadelphia Section of the PGA Player of the Year Points List.
20. The top twenty (20) (including ties) from the 2009 NJPGA Section Player of the Year Points List.
21. The top five (5) (including ties) from the 2010 NJPGA Section Player of the Year Points List as of the close of entries (June 1, 2010).
22. The current Club Champion of Spring Brook Country Club.
23. The Head Golf Professional of Spring Brook Country Club.
24. Special Invitee of the NJSGA Committee.