

## Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame



# Steve Rogers

2011 Nomination

To: Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame Committee

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#### Dear Committee Members:

I would like to nominate Mr. Steve Rogers from Bowling Green for the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame. Steve has been an accomplished player since being a young man. Steve has played at a top level in the early 1970's and 40 years later is still today. While I consider myself a friend of Steve's I am not that personally close to him. As a fellow competitor I have admired his success to win and or to qualify for some of the larger golf events. Steve won the KY State High School Championship in 1974, he won the Kentucky Open, has qualified for the National Amateur, US Senior Open as well as the British Senior Open Championship. Not too many golfers from the Commonwealth of Kentucky have been blessed to have experiences in such prestigious events.

As I mentioned I am not personally close to Steve to be totally familiar with how many smaller local events Steve may have won in the Western part of the state. I do know that Steve has been one of Kentucky's finest amateur golfers for 40 years and I hope you will give him great consideration for the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame.

Be good:

Ralph Landrum

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## Dr. Rogers caddies his brother into 2010 British Senior Open at Carnoustie

Columbia Chiropractor and ACHS teams physician Dr. Ron Rogers caddies his brother, Steve Rogers, Bowling Green, KY, who is now in competition with some of top golfers in the world, including Sir Nic Faldo, Tom Watson, Bernhard Langer, and Corey Pavin at the famed Angus, Scotland Carnoustie golf course

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#### By Dr. Adam P. Rogers

On July 19th my uncle, Steve Rogers, of Bowling Green accompanied by my father, Dr. Ronald "Butch" Rogers, as his caddie, shot a 73 after a 2 hole playoff at Panmure Golf Club in Angus, Scotland to qualify for the 2010 British Senior Open later that week at the famed Carnoustie Golf Club.

The qualifying event was held over 3 courses as 268 hopefuls from all over the world tried to qualify for the event.

In what turned out to be a rainy day 14 of the 20 holes they completed were in terrential downpour, a birdle on the second playoff hole captured Steve's Spot in the 2010 British Senior Open.

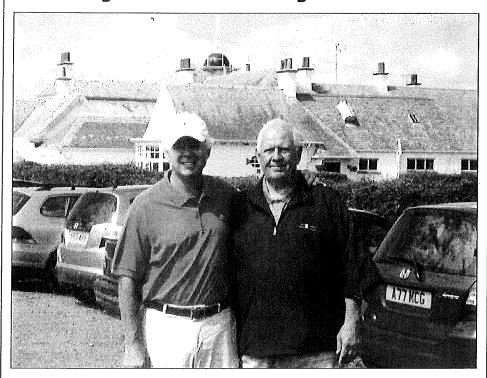
This had him competing against some of the top golfers in the world including Sir Nick Faldo, Tom Watson, Bernhard Langer, and this year's Ryder Cup Captain, Corey Pavin.

The tournament was played at famed Carnoustie Golf Club, which is one of the 10 oldest golf courses in the world and ranked as one of the toughest.

This completes a pretty impressive feat for an amateur golfer, as he has now qualified for his second Major Championship in 2 years. He played last year in the 2009 Senior US Open at Crooked Stick in Carmel, IN.

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### Steve Rogers and Dr. Ron Rogers in Scotland



2010-08-02 - Photo by Dr. Adam P. Rogers. Angus, Scotland, United Kingdom Steve Rogers, Bowling Green, KY,left, with his brother and caddy, Dr. Ronald P. Rogers of Columbia, KY are shown above in front of the clubhouse at Panmure Golf Club, the qualifying course for the British Senior Open in the famous Carnoustie Golf Links.

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