



## **HUNGARIAN GOLF FEDERATION**

### **ENTRY DETAILS**

# **11. HUNGARIAN MATCHPLAY OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Organizer:**

Hungarian Golf Federation

**Date:**

23-25th September (1 individual StrokePlay rounds, + 3 or 4 individual MatchPlay tournaments, 72 or 90 holes).

Official practice day: 22th September (Thursday), TeeTime bookings: Old Lake GC (+36 34 587620).

**Venue:**

Old Lake Golf Club (2890 Tata, Remeteségpuszta) – Old Lake Holding Zrt.

**Rules:**

The Hungarian Open Match Play Ch. will be held in accordance with the R&A rules, the Competition Rules and Rankings of the Hungarian Golf Federation and the local rules of the Pannonia GCC during the competition.

**Participants:**

Any Hungarian amateur golfer who complies with point 1 of Appendix 2 to the Competition Rules (VSZM2) and any amateur golfer registered abroad who complies with point 2 of Appendix 2 to the Competition Rules (VSZM2) are eligible to enter.

**Form of Competition:**

In the first round of the tournament, the entire field will play 18 holes StrokePlay round. Based on the results of the first round (separately for the men's and women's fields), a maximum of 56 male and a maximum of 16 female competitors will advance to the MatchPlay rounds of the championship. In case should there be a tie after the first round in the 56th (men's) and / or 16th (women's) places, the total of the results of the last 9,6,3,1 holes will decide on the places to advance. If the identities of the 56 and / or 16 advanced players still cannot be determined, the higher HCP Index or, if the same is the case, the draw will decide.

Following the StrokePlay tournament, the number of 56 male players (advancing to the MP board) must be increased in such a way that the top 12 players with Hungarian citizenship will advance to the MP boards.

After the StrokePlay tournament, the number of 16 female players (advancing to the MP board) must be filled in such a way that the top 3 players with Hungarian citizenship will advance to the MP boards.

The 56 men's advancements:

- one 16-persons MP board playing 1-16 places in 4 individual MatchPlay rounds. (There are 2-2 MatchPlay rounds on both the second and third day.)
- Five 8-players (17-24, 25-32, 33-40, 41-48, 49-56) MPs playing 3 individual MatchPlay rounds will be placed on 5 individual matches to decide on additional rankings. (2nd MatchPlay Tournament on Day 2, MatchPlay Tournament on Day 3)

The 16 women's advancements:

- two 8-persons (1-8, 9-16) MPs playing 3 individual MatchPlay rounds will be placed on the board. (2nd MatchPlay Tournament on Day 2, MatchPlay Tournament on Day 3)

In MatchPlay tournaments, matches take place between players without taking Handicap differences into account.

**Handicap modification:**

The first round (individual StrokePlay) is a handicap modifier.

**Entry for the tournament:**

Entry (sign up) is possible in online mode only at the GOLFIGO system. (mgsz.golfigo.com)

**Entry fee:**

**61.000 HUF**

**Entry and other deadlines:**

Entry deadline: **19th September (Monday) 12:00 hours**

Deadline for receiving (crediting) the **entry fee: 20th September (Tuesday) 12:00 hours**

**Entry fee to be paid by bank transfer to:** Old Lake Holding Zrt:

Bank account number:

SWIFT: MKKB HU HB

IBAN: HU20 10300002-20167512-00003285

AMOUNT: 61.000 HUF

Note: Player's Name, Tournament Name

Entries can only be canceled online in the GOLFIGO system, with a deadline (without "No Show" entry): Wednesday, 21st September till 12:00 hours

Entry becomes valid upon payment of the entry fee. Entries will only be accepted by the Organizer together with the payment of the entry fee by the deadline! The entry fee must be paid to the following bank account of Öreg Tó GC 12028003-00199352-00100006 The name of the player and the tournament must be entered in the notice box.

**Entry fee includes:**

- GreenFee on the practice day and tournament days (4 GreenFee in total)
- 3x Snack "starter" package
- 1x Hot meal

**Entry limit:**

For the first round Stroke Play a total of up to 104 entries will be accepted by the Organizer.

**Handicap Limits:**

For Hungarian Male players:18.0

For Hungarian Female players: 24.0

For Foreign registered Male players:12.0

For Foreign registered Female players: 18.0

(In all cases, the deadline for entries is relevant.)

Players with a higher HCP Index may not enter the tournament (except for a maximum of 6 free card players issued by the organizer, provided that the HCP Index of any free card player(s) does not exceed 24.0)

**Ranking points:**

The competition is a World Ranking event and is registered in the WAGR calendar.

Rankinglist points can be awarded to players (according to the Rankinglist rules Rankinglist points table) who meet the requirements of point 1 of the Rankinglist will advance to a MatchPlay table after the first (individual StrokePlay) round. Players will receive rankinglist points based on their ranking in the men's and women's results categories (according to the rankinglist rules of a three-day championship) by placing the Rankinglist in the HGF virtual order according to the leaderboard age categories (and subcategories).

Example: If a Senior Male player finishes in 9th place in the MatchPlay Championship, but he is the Senior Male player in the best position, then he will receive the first place ranking points in the Senior Male rankinglist (see Rankinglist Points Table).

Non-home players in the OverAll category "take" the ranked position "in front of" the domestic players (but of course they can't get rankinglist points). In the Rankinglist age categories, non-domestic players do not "take away" the ranking from domestic players.

**Startlist and MatchPlay board highlight order:**

- The startlist of the first round will be available on the GOLFIGO system no later than 12:00 pm on Thursday, 22nd September.
- Completion of the startlist is according to Appendix 1 of the Competition Rules (VSZM1).
- The startlists of the other rounds can be viewed in the GOLFIGO system within one hour after the official end of the previous competitions.

On the MatchPlay boards (before the first MatchPlay round), the highlighting sequence is based on the order in which the players achieved in the StrokePlay round. On each board, the player with the best ranking is placed first, while the player with the weakest ranking is placed in the last position.

**Teeing area:**

On standard tees, according to Appendix 3 (2) of the Competition Rules (VSZM3).

Men: Yellow

Women: Blue

**Draw in MatchPlay rounds:**

- If the result is a tie at the end of the final hole, players must continue to play immediately the next holes (or as identified by the Tournament Director) until the match is over ("sudden death").

**Awards**

Men (Open category):

I., II., III.

Women (Open category):

I., II., III.

Men (Hungarian citizen category):

I., II., III.

Women (Hungarian citizen category):

I., II., III.

Special prizes (in all open categories):

Junior Boy and Girl player (among those who reached the MP board) I. II. III.

Adult Male and Female players (among those who reached the MP board) I. II. III.

Senior (Senior, Masters and SuperMasters) Male and Female players (among those who reached the MP board) I. II. III.

Double remuneration is allowed for all categories.

The player who wins any prize cannot win a special prize for the age group (in which case the next player (s) in the sequence will advance).

### **The time of the round**

According to Appendix 4 of the Competition Rules (VSZM4).

### **Caddie**

Caddies are allowed (according to point 9 of the Competition Rules).

### **Distance measurements (range finders)**

The usage of a range finders are permitted if it is used only to measure distance, but no other additional measurement (slope, wind speed, etc.) is permitted.

### **Golf car use**

According to Appendix 5 of the Competition Rules (VSZM5).

### **Scorecard submission**

The scorecard must be signed by the Player and the Marker immediately after the end of the game and leave it in the Scoring Area. If the player has handed over the scorecard, he/she has no further modification or correction.

### **Victory ceremony**

Within 30 minutes of receiving and processing all scorecards after the final round.

### **Referees**

Selected by Hungarian Golf Federation, the exact list will be displayed in the GOLFiGO system.

### **Competition Committee:**

The Competition Director of the HGF (President of the Competition Committee), the representative of the organizing club, the Referees, the exact list will be displayed in the GOLFiGO system.

The organizer of the competition and the Competition Committee reserve the right of changes. It is the player's responsibility to know the terms and conditions of the tournament. The decision of the Competition Committee is final and cannot be appealed.