

Mpumalanga Golf Union – Women’s Golf Association

Women’s Open Championship 2019

Middelburg Country Club, 23rd and 24th November 2019



THE CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE OPEN TO ALL WOMEN GOLFERS WITH OFFICIAL HANDICAPS AND WILL BE A STROKE PLAY COMPETITION OVER 54 HOLES.

<u>Includes:</u>	<u>Tournament:</u>	<u>Handicap index:</u>
MGU Open Championship	Championship	Handicap index 6.5 & under (54 holes)
MGU Closed Championship	Championship	Handicap index 6.5 & under (54 holes)
Mid Am Championship	Open/Closed	Handicap index 15.3 & under (36 holes, Rounds 1 & 3))
Junior Open Championship	Championship	Handicap index 6.5 & under (54 holes)
Junior Closed Championship	Championship	Handicap index 6.5 & under (54 holes)
Silver Division	Open/Closed	Handicap index 6.6 – 15.3 (36 holes, Rounds 1 & 3)
Bronze Division	Open/Closed	Handicap index 15.4 – 23.3 (36 holes, Rounds 1 & 3))
Copper Division	Open/Closed	Handicap index 23.4 – 36 (36 holes IPS, Rounds 1 & 3)
Senior Closed Championship	Closed/Closed	Handicap index 23.3 & under – (36 holes, Rounds 1 & 3)

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ENTRY FORM

Entry forms and proof of payment to be emailed to kcdviv@yebo.co.za. Online entries via www.golfrsa.co.za or www.mgu.co.za are also acceptable, please send proof of payment to kcdviv@yebo.co.za.

Name: _____ SA Player ID: _____

Surname: _____ Age: _____

Cell: _____ Email: _____

Home Club: _____ Current handicap index: _____

I wish to enter for the following tournament:

Championship (54 holes, i.e. 36 holes on 23rd November and 18 holes on 24th November AM) Yes:

Open/Closed (36 holes, i.e. 18 holes on 23rd November AM and 18 holes on 24th November AM) Yes:

ENTRY FEE = R700 for Championship and R550 for the Open/Closed

Bank details:

Name: Women's Golf Mpumalanga

Bank: ABSA

Number: 405 5071 761

Ref: Champ + Initial and Surname

The draw will be available on 22 November 2019 at www.golfrsa.co.za and www.mgu.co.za.

Please book practise rounds and caddies directly with the Pro Shop at Middelburg CC – [Tel: 013](tel:013-2434863) – 2434863.

Enquiries to Hanlie Uys: 084 611 0565

Closing date: Noon 21st November 2019

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TERMS OF COMPETITION

1. The tournament is open to any amateur golfer affiliated to WGSA, or any amateur golfer affiliated to a governing body recognized by WGSA.
2. The Rules of Golf as approved by R&A Rules Limited will apply together with such local rules approved by the Tournament Committee.
3. The tournament committee shall consist of the Mpumalanga Women’s Golf Union executive committee. The committee reserves the right to alter the program and conditions of the event at any time, including starting times. All disputes shall be settled by the tournament committee whose decision will be final. Any dispute/protest must be lodged within 15 minutes of completion of the round. This information maybe requested in writing.
4. The committee reserves the right not to accept any late entry, and to limit the field by eliminating by way of handicap index, followed by date of entry. The handicap on the first day of the tournament will determine the division in which a player competes. If a change in division has occurred since the close of entries, the player will play where drawn in the published time sheet for the first round, but compete in the correct division. Handicap division on the first day of play shall apply throughout the tournament, and will be applied to calculate all nett results. Nett events: Only players with an official WGSA handicap are eligible for nett results.
5. **NO REFUNDS IF ENTRANT WITHDRAWS AFTER THE DRAW IS PUBLISHED!**
6. No motorised golf carts are allowed in the Championship division. All spectators must keep a minimum distance of 30m from all players at all times.
7. DRAW: The tournament draw is seeded. TIME OF STARTING: Players shall start at the time laid done by the committee (Rule 5.3)
8. CADDIES: No outside caddies will be allowed, without the prior approval from the tournament committee.
9. Dress code: Smart casual in the club house and appropriate golf attire on the course.
10. WGSA Code of Conduct will apply throughout.
11. Players are required to be on the tee 10 minutes prior to their tee off time.
12. Weather delays and suspension of play: - One prolonged siren – discontinue play immediately, Resume play – two short sirens.
13. Cancellation of a round in the event of play being delayed or declared null and void for any round of the tournament, additional play will be at the discretion of the tournament committee. If due to adverse weather conditions and commencement of play cannot be resumed, the result will be declared over the number of rounds completed by all players.
14. In the event of a tie for the winner in the Open Championship Division, there will be a sudden death play off (Holes 16,17 and 18). For all other results, the winner will be determined by way of count out (Last 36,18,9,6,3,1)
15. Mpumalanga Women’s Golf Union cannot be held responsible for any damage, loss (personal or other), harm or injury sustained. This includes physical and emotional, and any acts of God (lightning, etc.)
16. Prize giving: Is compulsory for all players. Players that do not attend will forfeit their prize. Prize giving will take place directly after play on Sunday.
17. Anti Doping: A competitor shall not make use of any drug to enhance performance. Attention of all competitors is drawn to the prescribed list of drugs issued by the South African Institute of Drug Free Sport. Website – www.drugfreesport.org.za . Any competitor infringing this condition or refusing to take a test if asked to do so, may be disqualified.

We look forward to welcoming you to our Province!