



KWAZULU-NATAL LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION

2021 BRONZE CHAMPIONSHIP & CHALLENGE SHIELD

@ Victoria Country Club on Tuesday 2 March 2021

**Covid-19 screening at VCC is done on Health Doc's app
please download app beforehand for ease of registration**

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

1. KZNLGA Bronze Championship 2021:

(Handicap Index 15.4 to 36.0) 18 Hole Strokeplay.

Marjorie Goodbrand Trophy - 18 Hole Gross
Australian Bronze Division Trophy - 18 Hole Net

2. KZNLGA Silver Challenge Shield 2021:

(Handicap Index 15.3 & under) 18 Hole Strokeplay.
Teams of 3 or 4 (3 scores to count).

KZN Challenge Shield - 18 Hole Gross
Circle Memorial Trophy - 18 Hole Net

3. KZNLGA Bronze Challenge Shield 2021:

(Handicap Index 15.4 to 36.0) 18 Hole Strokeplay.
Teams of 3 or 4 (3 scores to count).

Bronze Challenge Shield - 18 Hole Gross
- 18 Hole Net

4. Qualifying rounds for KZNLGA Matchplay:

The 18 Hole Strokeplay results from Tuesday 2 March 2021, determine the Matchplay qualification in the Bronze Division.

This Championship will be played on Monday, 8 March 2021 and Tuesday, 9 March 2021 at Victoria Country Club. Top 16 players to qualify.

Outside Caddies are NOT permitted.

Guest Caddies (family / friends) are permitted, on payment of a R100 refundable deposit for a caddie bib that must be worn by the caddie, throughout the play of the 18 Hole event.
VCC Caddies + carts must be booked through Victoria CC Pro Shop – 033 347 1394

Motorized carts are permitted for all players in this event.

Prize giving follows AGM at 15h15 for 15h30 (subject to RMP+ Govt regulations permitting)

KWAZULU-NATAL LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION
2021 Bronze Championship
2 March 2021 at Victoria Country Club

ENTRIES TO: Tournaments KZNLGA

E-mail: sec@kznlg.co.za

Full Name _____
(Block letters)

E-MAIL _____

Telephone _____

Cell Phone _____

Handicap Index _____

SA Player ID _____.

Players will play off current Handicap Index on the day of the Tournament.

CLUB _____

Please tick entry in appropriate blocks

Strokeplay Only

Stroke & Matchplay

ENTRANCE FEE (to be paid to KZNLGA – see banking details below)

R 260 = Strokeplay green fees and Strokeplay & Matchplay competition fee

Or

R 240 = Strokeplay green fees and Strokeplay competition fee only

ENTRIES CLOSE AT NOON ON Tuesday, 23 February 2021

Please note – 1st Round Matchplay Green Fees of R180 are payable at the Club Pro Shop and the KZNLGA will sponsor the remaining rounds.

All entries must be on official forms and accompanied by Entrance Fee payment bank deposit slip.

Please do Electronic Fund Transfers to avoid bank charges. Payments to:

KZNLGA,
STANDARD BANK KLOOF, Bank Code: 045526
Acc. No. 251638901.

Use your name as reference on Bank transfer.

No telephone entries will be accepted.

Note: Victoria CC is strictly NO CASH – only Zapper or Credit Card accepted for payment of Carts, Food + Beverage. Direct payment to VCC Caddies must be in cash.

KWAZULU-NATAL LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION
2021 KZNLGA Challenge Shield
2 March 2021 at Victoria Country Club

ENTRIES TO: Tournaments KZNLGA

E-mail: sec@kznlg.co.za

Name of Club: _____

Please enter Silver and Bronze Challenge Shield Teams On Separate Forms.

Current Handicap Index will apply for entry purposes for this tournament.

Players will play off their Handicap Index on the day of the Tournament -2 March 2021

DIVISION ENTERED: _____

| TEAM A | Handicap Index | TEAM B | Handicap Index |
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| TEAM C | Handicap Index | TEAM D | Handicap Index |
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Fees for Silver Teams are:

Competition fees: R40 per player (eg. R120 Competition fee for a team of 3 or R160 for a team of 4) **Green fees: R180 per player.**

Fees for Bronze Teams are:

Competition fees: R40 per player (eg. R120 Competition fee for a team of 3 or R160 for a team of 4) **Green fees: Bronze players have already paid their green fees** (included in their entrance fees to the Bronze Champs)

All fees payable to KZNLGA

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TERMS OF THE COMPETITION

KZNLGA has the right to change or update the set tournament conditions should there be a change in government regulations regarding Covid-19 protocols.

Covid-19 Risk Mitigation Protocols: Participation subject to agreement and implementation of SA Government Regulations / Directions, GolfRSA Good Golf Practice Guidelines and the host facility's Risk Mitigation Plan (RMP) and a Tournament Risk Mitigation Procedure (TRMP). The Union and / or host Club have the right to refuse participation.

1. The tournament is open to any amateur golfer affiliated to Women's Golf South Africa or a governing body recognized by the WGSA. Handicap limits are set out on the official entry form.
2. The Rules of Golf as approved by the R & A Rules Limited will apply together with such local rules as approved by the Tournament Committee.
3. The Tournament Committee shall consist of the Executive Committee of the KZNLGA and an official appointed by the KZNLGA Rules & Referees Panel. The Executive Committee reserves the right to alter the program and conditions of the event/s at any time, including starting times. All disputes shall be settled by the Tournament Committee whose decision shall be final. Any dispute/protest must be lodged within 15 minutes of completion of the round. This information may be requested in writing. The Committee also reserves the right to limit the number of teams accepted for the Challenge Shield events. Elimination of entries will be at the discretion of the Committee.
4. Entries: All entries to be submitted with POP. Payments to be made via EFT – see banking details on Entry Form. Entries will not be accepted unless payment is made. No telephonic entries will be entertained. All entries shall be subject to the approval of the KZNLGA Committee. No entries will be accepted from players whose handicaps have lapsed. The Committee reserves the right not to accept any late entries, and to limit the field by eliminating in Handicap Index order, from the highest Handicap Index, followed by date-of-receipt order.

Players are required to provide proof of their latest Handicap Index, by swiping their HNA card at the Club, and confirming at Registration. Handicap Index on the day of the Championship will determine the division in which a player competes. If a change in division has occurred since the close of entries or last draw, the player will play where drawn in the published time sheet for the round but compete in the correct division.

5. Net Events: Only players affiliated to a club within the borders of South Africa are eligible for net events.

The Victoria CC Course Conversion Table – Female red tees will be applied to calculate all net results in the Silver Division (Handicap Index 15.3 & under) and Bronze Division (Handicap Index 15.4 – 36.0).

Players are requested to have all open rounds captured by noon on the 1st March 2021. It is the responsibility of each competitor to advise the Tournament Administrator (Vanessa Colby: sec@kznlga.co.za / 082 870 3621) of her correct handicap on the first day of play, subject to the following conditions:

5.1

Those players who are affiliated to WGSA and who have not been in South Africa for the last 6 months or part thereof, are required to submit their scores on the HNA as a "foreign round" and a verification of the foreign rounds, unless sufficient current rounds have been played in South Africa to validate their South African handicap.

5.2

Those players who are not-affiliated to WGSA (i.e. non-SA players) are required to submit a Handicap certification from their Federation or Home Club with their entry and at registration.

6. Ties: In the event of a tie in the Stroke Play Championships, the tied players will be declared joint winners and share the Trophy and a count-out will be done for the prize. In the event of a tie for the Match Play qualifying places, the Automatic Draw will apply for the remaining places. All other ties will be decided in accordance with the KZNLGA Count-out method.

7. The following additional tournament conditions will be displayed on the KZNLGA Notice Board at the Host Club: Pace of Play regulations; Weather delays and suspension of play; cancellation of a round; Use of cell phones & electronic equipment; Ties/Play offs.
8. Draw: The tournament draw is seeded. The 'General Numeric Draw' will be applied for the Match Play events.
9. Caddies: Only Guest Caddies (friends/family) or caddies registered with Victoria Country Club will be permitted to caddie during the Championships. Outside caddies that wish to register with Victoria County Club must do so by Friday 26th February 2021(033 347 1394). Caddies will need to present valid identification, in order to register. Reimbursement of all caddies by agreement between player and caddies. All persons fulfilling the role of a caddie accept that they will be subject to the conditions and use of facilities as available to Victoria Country Club Caddies. A player may not have a person who is or has been a member of a professional golf association as her caddie during any round. Persons who have regained their amateur status are not included in this prohibition.

PENALTY FOR BREACH OF CONDITION: Stroke play – Two strokes for each hole at which any breach occurred; maximum penalty per round – Four strokes. (Two strokes at each of the first two holes at which any breach occurred). If a breach is discovered between the play of two holes, it is deemed to have been discovered during play of the next hole, and the penalty must be applied accordingly.

A player having a caddie in breach of this condition must immediately upon discovery that a breach has occurred, ensure that she conforms with this condition for the remainder of the stipulated round. Otherwise, the player is disqualified.

Guest Caddies (family/friends) are permitted, on payment of a R100 refundable deposit for a caddie bib that must be worn by the caddie, throughout the play of the 18 Hole event.

10. Transport: Motorized golf carts are allowed in the Bronze Championship and Silver + Bronze Challenge Shield Events. It is the responsibility of competitors to book motorized golf carts directly with Victoria Country Club (033 347 1394). Availability of ride-on carts is not the responsibility of KZNLGA Golf.
11. Score Information: If requested to do so, players must provide score information to Tournament Officials during the course of play.
12. Scoring & Results: In Stroke Play: A competitor is considered to have returned her score card when she has left the designated scoring area. In Match Play: The result of a match is considered to be officially announced in all rounds, except in a final, when a player has teed off for the following round of the event. In the final round, at the commencement of the physical or virtual prize-giving ceremony.
13. Dress Code: Smart casual in the Host Clubhouse and appropriate golf wear on the course and practice area.
14. Drug Free Sport: Anti- Doping constitutes a range of activities aimed at eliminating doping in sport, as well as protecting clean athletes and the integrity and values of sport. There are 11 Anti-Doping Rule Violations of which Use or Attempted Use by an Athlete of a Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method is one. All Competitors are subject to the provisions of the South African Institute for Drug-Free Sport's Anti-Doping (SAIDS) Rules. Details of the SAIDS Anti-Doping Rules, and the current List of Prohibited Substances and Methods, are available from the SAIDS website (www.drugfreesport.org.za). Competitors can do a medication check on the SAIDS website at the following link <https://drugfreesport.org.za/online-medication-check/> and should bear in mind that this list does not include Supplements. Information on Supplements is available at the following link <https://drugfreesport.org.za/supplements-and-their-risks/>.

Competitors who have illnesses or conditions that require them to take particular medications or undergo procedures may have to apply for a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE). If the medication or method a competitor requires to treat an illness or condition falls under the Prohibited List, a TUE may give that athlete the authorization to use the required medicine or method. Only certain categories of Competitors need to apply for a TUE in advance. Competitors should check the SAIDS website at the following link.

<https://drugfreesport.org.za/who-needs-to-apply-for-a-tue/> which level of Competitors need to apply for a TUE in advance from SAIDS. Competitors who are taking medication and are in doubt as to their clinical status, should seek advice from WGSA no later than 30 days before the start of the Championships.

Drug-Testing may be authorized at any event under the jurisdiction of GolfRSA/WGSA.

15. Publicity: KZNLGA and the sponsors of the Championship may arrange publicity before, during and after the Tournament – either in the press, by live and recorded radio, television and by filming. The competitors consent to references to them and pictures of them at practice and in play appearing and being used for commercial purposes by KZNLGA and their Sponsors.
16. Etiquette: Unauthorized use or audible emission of a mobile telephone on the golf course or during play is a serious breach of etiquette and will attract a warning. Offenders could also be subject to penalties.
17. Weather Delays and Suspension of Play:
The following signals are in force:
- Discontinue Play Immediately: One prolonged note of siren.
 - Discontinue Play: Three consecutive notes of siren, repeated.
 - Resume Play: Two short notes of siren, repeated
- In addition, the Note under Rule 5-7b is applicable. When play is suspended by the Committee for a dangerous situation, if the players in a match or group are between the play of two holes, they must not resume play until the Committee has ordered a resumption of play. If they are in the process of playing a hole, they must discontinue play immediately and not resume play until the Committee has ordered a resumption of play. If a player fails to discontinue play immediately, she is disqualified.
18. Spectators: **Spectators**: Dependent on Government, Club and GolfRSA regulations / recommendations. If Spectators are permitted, they are to keep off tees, fairways and greens at all times and not interfere with any player. The audible emission of cell phones is not acceptable and cell phones should be switched off. The use of motorized golf carts by spectators is not permitted without the consent of the KZNLGA President. Failure to adhere to such requests could lead to the spectators being asked to leave the golf course.
19. Liability: The Union does not warrant or guarantee the safety of any person. The Union and its management will not be held liable or responsible for any damages, loss, including personal loss and or other forms of loss, harm or injury sustained as stipulated below:
- Physical and/or emotional injuries suffered by any person, including a player or spectator, during the tournament, due to any acts of God, suffered as a direct result thereof, including aspects such as being struck by lightning, etc.
 - Physical injuries of any kind suffered by any person, including a player or spectator, sustained by own negligence, or otherwise.
 - Emotional injuries sustained due to any loss, including death, suffered as a result of any of the above injuries sustained personally or by a spectator.
 - Damages suffered to any property of a player or spectator.
20. Registration: Please ensure you have registered at the registration table in the foyer at least 20 minutes before your tee-off time and players must report to the starter at least 15 minutes before tee off.
21. Competitors agree to abide by the Tournament Conditions and Code of Conduct.

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