

# Lithuanian Amateur Open Championship 2023 (Men & Ladies)



# TERMS OF COMPETITION

#### **Organizers**

Lithuanian Golf Federation (LGF) The Capitals Golf Club

#### Date

Practice day: 15<sup>th</sup> June (18 h price 35 EUR to be paid in club reception)

1st round: 16<sup>th</sup> June 2nd round: 17<sup>th</sup> June 3rd (final) round: 18<sup>th</sup> June

#### Form of play

Individual: Stroke play over 3 rounds of 18 holes each day.

#### **Eligibility of competitors**

All competitors must be:

- a) amateur golfers.
- b) golfers whose handicap index does not exceed:

men: 28.5\*ladies: 35.9\*

The handicap must be certified by the secretary of the national golf authority or entrant's home club and must have been valid on the date of entry.

\* Players can register to the championship with a higher handicap as well. Waiting list will be created for them. Participants from the waiting list will be added to championship if participants with appropriate handicap won't exceed entries limit. Players from the waiting list will be informed about possibility to participate in the championship not earlier than 9<sup>th</sup> of June.

# **Number of Competitors**

144 competitors (108 men and 36 ladies) shall be eligible to compete. Should the number of ladies not reach 36, then additional men's entries will be added. If the number of entries exceeds 144, places in the starting field will be decided by lower handicap. Unsuccessful entrants shall be informed without delay and given the opportunity to compete if withdrawals subsequently occur.

#### Cut

The 72 lowest scores (54 men and 18 ladies) after 36 holes including ties shall qualify for the 3<sup>rd</sup> (final) round of Individual play.

The Committee is authorised to alter the cut in the event of a smaller entry.

#### **Decision of ties**

In the event of a tie for first place after three rounds, the winner shall be decided by a playoff by stroke play over 18<sup>th</sup> hole.

In case of a tie for the silver or bronze medal, the places will be decided based on scores recorded for the final 36, 18, 9, 6, 3 holes or last hole, in that order. If a tie still exists, an 18-hole count-back will be used on the first round as well.

#### Start

Groups consisting of 3-4 players will be starting every 10-12 minutes from holes No. 1 and No. 10 starting from 8:00.

Championship committee can modify start list if number of players is lower than determined. Participants must be informed about modification as soon as possible.

# **Starting tees**

Men – starting from white\* tees.

Ladies – starting from yellow\* tees.

\*Championship committee can modify starting tee difficulty on chosen holes. Tee box list (to be updated)

#### Registration

Entry link for golfbox registration.

### Registration closing date

13<sup>th</sup> of June 2023, 12:00

Entries will only be accepted with the official entry form filled in and full entrance fee paid before the closing date.

#### Entry fee

- 150 EUR.
- 100 EUR for Capitals GK members
- 75 EUR for the Lithuanian National Team
- 75 EUR for U18: players who were born 2005 or later.

# Entry fee must be paid until 13th June to Lithuanian Golf Federation bank account:

- Lithuanian Golf Federation
- Bank name: AB "Swedbank"
- IBAN number: LT837300010151104289
- Bank code: 73000
- SWIFT code: HABALT22

#### **Prizes**

The winners of the Championship shall be named the Lithuanian Amateur Open Champion Golfer for a period of one year.

# Categories

- Men's and ladies'
- Mid-Amateur (age 25+ years) men's and ladies' groups
- Senior (age 50+ years) men's and ladies' groups

## Committee

- Mikael Ljungberg, Secretary-General of LGF (Chairman)
- Kastitis Stankyavichyus, Director of The Capitals Golf Club
- Gediminas Mamkus, Head Referee, Member of LGF Competition Committee
- Donatas Puodžiukynas, LGF Board member

#### Accommodation

Limited rooms available at The Capitals Golf Club. https://capitals.lt/en/accommodation/

#### **More information:**

### **Contacts**

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