

**National Open Championship
incl. Stroke Play National Championship
Gentlemen and Ladies
08. - 11.08.2024**



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Venue

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Date

Stroke Play over 4 x 18 holes for professionals and amateurs – Ladies and Gentlemen

Handicap relevant and results are valid for the Austrian Order of Merit for amateurs.

07.08	Training round (Starting Times - please reserve directly with the host Golf Course)
08.08	18 holes Stroke Play
09.08	18 holes Stroke Play (Cut: Men – best 90 and equal scores)
10.08	18 holes Stroke Play (Cut: Women – best 21 and equal scores, Men – best 57 and equal scores)
11.08	18 holes Stroke Play (final round Ladies and Gentlemen)

Conditions of Play

Play shall be in accordance with PGA Tournament Regulations, the Rules of Golf as published by R&A Rules Ltd including Amateur Status, the ÖGV Handicaps Rules, the ÖGV Competition Conditions and Rules and Terms of the Competition (see Hard-Card) and the additional local rules of the host venue as approved by the Tournament Director.

Players who are handicapped are referred to Rule 25.

Eligibility for Entry

156 Players – Pros and Amateurs (only with Austrian citizenship)

Professional Golfers – 72 Pros incl. Proettes

- a) Austrian citizens with membership in an accredited PGA
- b) Citizens of an EU-Country with membership in an accredited PGA.
- c) Citizens of a non EU-Country, if they are employed at a golf establishment in Austria and are a member of an accredited PGA.

If there are more than 72 entries, Pros and Proettes will be excluded according to the current National Order of Merit by the Competition Committee. The excluded players will be placed on a waiting list until the end of registration and replace players who cancel or do not punctually register.

Amateurs – 84 players (24 Women and 60 Men)

Austrian citizens who are members of a golf establishment accredited by the Austrian Golf Association or a foreign Golf Association, and whose Handicap Index by the end of Entry Registration is not higher than 4.5 for men or 7.0 for women.

If the number of participants in one of the above groups after close of entry not be oversubscribed, the available starting places will be allocated to other groups.

Should the number of participants in the competition not be oversubscribed, the ÖGV Sport Director together with the Tournament Director can allocate starting places for higher Handicap Indices (up to WHI 8.0 for men and 10.00 for women) than is indicated in the Terms and Conditions of Competition by means of Wild Cards. No application is necessary.

CUT

Women: The best 21 and players with tied scores after the end of the 3rd Round.

Men: The best 90 and players with tied scores after the end of the 2nd Round.

Men: The best 57 and players with tied scores after the end of the 3rd Round.

Prizes

Awards for the Open Competition (Challenge Cup for the winner and ÖGV Medaillions for places 1-3, women and men)

Professionals:

Prize Money : minimum € 20,000.00

Only within the Cuts, however only the 25 best Professional players and those with tied scores. Proettes will receive the Prize Money according to their placing in the Pro-rankings. With exception of the first place, players with tied scores will share the prize.

Amateurs

Women and men will be awarded a Challenge Cup and National-Championship insignia for BSO Places 1-3.

Only players with Austrian citizenship, who are Amateurs, may compete for the Austrian National Championship.

Entry Regulations

Entries must generally be made (also for foreign players) via the online entry tool on <https://www.golf.at/sport/turniersport/verbandsturniere/> . To register, please click on the **GREEN BUTTON** next to the desired tournament.

Players without active membership in an Austrian Golf Club, require an user profile for the ÖGV MyGolf area to register at ÖGV tournaments. This can be created by registering on golf.at, via the **RED BUTTON** at the top of the website. For this purpose, an email address must be deposited, to which an automated registration link will subsequently be sent. For registration and registration for tournaments, the following data must be provided for contact, tournament processing and invoicing: first & last name, email, telephone number, nationality, date of birth, gender, WHI, home club, billing address. Subsequently, a login to the MyGolf area and the entry to ÖGV tournaments is possible. <https://www.golf.at/mygolf/international-entries>

- Telephone entries, faxes, e-mails, etc. will not be accepted.

- In order to enter underage players, the transmission and consent to the use of the image by means of a "declaration of image use" by a parent with legal guardianship is also mandatory. For additional information, refer to the point, Data Protection Regulation.

Entry Fee

Pros: €240.-- (incl. Training Round, fruit and cereal bars on all tournament days, inkl. 1 meal)

Amateurs: € 190.-- (incl. Training Round, fruit and cereal bars on all tournament days, incl. 1 meal)

Under 21 Amateurs (born 2003 and younger): € 130.-- (incl. Trainings Round, fruit and cereal bars on all tournament days, incl. 1 meal)

No discount for members of the host club.

Entry Deadline

Wednesday, July 24th 2024 at 23:59

Late Entries:

Until Tuesday, August 5th 2024 14:00 a late entry with increased entry fee (50% more) is possible. The entry application must be made in writing to the ÖGV (Mr. Steinhardt: peter.steinhardt@golf.at).

Players who are registered by the regular entry deadline and are qualified on the basis of the Conditions of Competition cannot lose their eligibility by late entries.

Registration until Wednesday, 9th August 2023 in the Club Office or with the Tournament Director

Tees

Women: Blue

Men: White

Anti-doping regulations

By participating, the athlete undertakes to comply with the anti-doping regulations of the Federal Anti-Doping Act 2007 and the anti-doping regulations of the ÖGV (esp. Statutes, sports regulations, competition regulations) and the responsible international federation.

Details can be found under the following link:

<https://www.golf.at/sport/turniersport/anti-doping/>

Tournament management

The competition committee is the responsibility of the ÖGV-Championship Committee and is announced with the referees, rules and tee times on the notice board of the club. Decisions of the Competition Committee are final.

The ÖGV/CC reserves the right to make changes or amend the Terms and Conditions of the Tournament until the 1st start.

Data Protection Regulation

It should be noted that the Austrian Golf Championships and Tournaments are a public event which is www.golf.at by the Austrian Golf Association as the media owner of the website operated by it and documented in the social media channels operated by it by means of photos and film recordings. Participants of the event acknowledge that photos and film recordings taken on the occasion of the event may be published in the aforementioned media as well as in print media.

By participating in these events, the participants agree to the processing and publication of these images in accordance with § 12 DSG and Art. 6 para. 1 lit. a GDPR and acknowledge the legality of the processing in accordance with Art. 6 para. 1 lit. f GDPR. In order to name underage players, the transmission and consent to the use of the image by means of a "declaration of image use" by a parent with legal guardianship is also mandatory.

Registrations without this permission are therefore considered incomplete. Consent to the processing of photos and film recordings of underage participants is possible at any time by revocation to the Austrian Golf Association (oegv@golf.at). In this case, the Austrian Golf Association reserves the right – especially in the case of winning photos – to pixelate the faces.

Organiser

Austrian Golf Association

Championship Committee, 2024