



2019 OUDTSHOORN SENIOR OPEN

ENTRY FORM

SENIOR ORDER OF MERIT (CATEGORY B)

A – Division (18 Holes Medal & Individual Stableford)

B – Division (18 Holes Individual Stableford)

OUDTSHOORN GOLF CLUB

2 MARCH 2019

ENTRIES CLOSE ON WEDNESDAY 27th FEBRUARY 2019 AT 12h00

Please enter my name for the above Championship

Entry fee is R240 and must accompany Entry Form

Full Name:

Handicap Index: Golf Club:

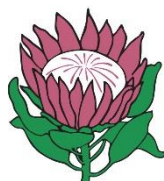
SAGA Player ID No: 27..... Date of Birth:

Cell No: Tel No:

E-Mail Address:

ENTRANCE FEE

Proof of payment of R240.00, **MUST ACCOMPANY THE ENTRY FORM.** Entry fees will only be refunded in the case of withdrawals before the closing date.



SOUTHERN CAPE
GOLF UNION

BANK DEPOSITS TO:

SOUTHERN CAPE GOLF UNION

ABSA GEORGE

ACCOUNT NO: **890144411**

BRANCH CODE: 632005

SWIFT CODE: ABSAZAJJ

REFERENCE NO: SURNAME & INITIALS

Fax or email deposit slip with entry form to SCGU:

Fax: 044 873 4546

E-mail: lindy@scgu.co.za

FOR ANY QUERIES, PLEASE CONTACT THE SCGU OFFICE ON TEL: +27 (0)44 873 4017

I, enclose my proof of payment for Entrance Fee and agree to the Championship conditions.

Signature of Competitor:



INFORMATION AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Conditions of Play

The competition will be held in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by the R&A Rules Limited and Local Rules as approved by the Southern Cape Golf Union.

Entry Requirements

Open to Amateurs who are older than **50 (Fifty)** years of age, and members of a Golf Club affiliated to the Southern Cape Golf Union and who have a handicap index of **24 (Twenty-Four)** or less as assessed in terms of the SAGA Course Rating and Handicapping System. **Players must be 50 (fifty) years of age on the start date of the tournament.**

Entries

Entries will be limited to 80. Should more than 80 entries be received, entries will be reduced by ballot in terms of higher handicap index. The maximum Handicap Index that may enter is set at 24.0.

Form of Competition

The tournament is played over one day. 18 Holes will be played on Saturday morning 2nd March 2019 at Oudtshoorn Golf Club. All players will enter using their Handicap index, and our Scoring Program will then calculate your Course Handicap on the morning of play. The Divisions will be as follow:

- **A Division (0 – 9.9 Handicap Index) will play Medal & Individual Stableford,**
- **B Division (10.0 – 24.0 Handicap Index) will play Individual Stableford.**

In the event of a tie for the championship, the “Title” will be shared. All other count outs will be done using the R&A Tournament count out method. This will be done via the Albatros Scoring Program that will be used during the 2018 OOM season. SCGU will also be sending an official scorer to this Senior Open.

Entry Procedure

Please enter online via or website www.scgu.co.za. Alternatively, entry forms are obtainable from Oudtshoorn Golf Club, Secretaries of Affiliated Golf Clubs, and the Southern Cape Golf Union.

Closing date

Entries close at 12h00 on Wednesday 27th February 2019. **Late entries and entries without payment or payment arrangement will not be accepted.**

Withdrawals

Only written or faxed cancellation will be accepted and if received after the closing date no refund will be made.

Draw & Starting Times

The draw will be conducted by the Southern Cape Golf Union. Tee times will start from 08h00, and players will be seeded according to handicap and play in 4 balls. Any competitor who is absent from the tee when called upon to start will be liable to disqualification or penalty under Rule 5.3a. The draw will be available at Oudtshoorn Golf Club, the Southern Cape Golf Union's office and on the Unions web site www.scgu.co.za by Thursday 28th February 2019. It is the player's responsibility to obtain his tee-off time.

Registration

All participating players must register at least 30 minutes prior to their tee off time on Saturday 2nd March 2019.

The registration area will be located in the lounge area of the Club House.

***Breach of this condition will result in disqualification.**

Decisions

Decisions and disputes of any kind will be dealt with by the Tournament Committee of the Southern Cape Golf Union.

Practise

The putting green is located in close proximity to the Clubhouse.

Caddies

This will be the Players responsibility. All Players must arrange for caddies or permission for outside caddies with Oudtshoorn Golf Club on 044 272 4201. Note that limited Caddies are available.

Golf Carts

A-Division: Only players with a valid reason or medical certificate will be allowed the use of a Golf Cart. The granting of such will remain at the discretion of the SCGU, and ensures that the playing field is fair.

B-Division: All B-Division players will be allowed the use of a Golf Cart, and can be booked on a first come first serve bases at Oudtshoorn Golf Club on 044 272 4201. Golf Cart will cost R200 for 18 holes, and the Oudtshoorn Golf Club golf cart Indemnity Form must be signed.

Dress Code

- Soft spikes.
- Golf specific shorts will be allowed. Shorts must be knee length and cargo or draw string shorts are not permitted.
- Only recognised golf attire will be allowed. No collarless shirts.

Distance Measuring Devices (D.M.D's)

For the duration of the tournament a player may obtain distance information by use of a distance-measuring device. If, during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance-measuring device to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g. elevation changes, wind speed, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 4-3a(1).

***Penalty for breach of Rule 4.3a(1):** First offence: Two Strokes, Second offence: Disqualification

Prize Giving

The Southern Cape Golf Union hereby requests that all competing players please attend the prize giving on Saturday 2nd March 2019. Failure to attend will lead to players forfeiting their prize. Your respect towards the above request will be much appreciated.

General

A request is made to all players to please respect the courtesy granted by the Oudtshoorn Golf Club by undertaking to repair all divots and pitch marks, and not to litter the golf course and surrounds. Sand bags will be compulsory for this Tournament, and all players must please adhere to the pace of play regulations.

Exemption of Liability

The Southern Cape Golf Union, Host Club and Facility, SAGA & GolfRSA and their management will not be held responsible for any damages, loss, including;

Personal loss and or other forms of loss, harm or injury sustained as stipulated below:

- a) Physical and/or emotional injuries suffered during the tournament/championship, due to any acts of God, suffered as a direct result thereof, including aspects such as being struck by lightning, etc.
- b) Physical injuries of any kind suffered by any person, including a player or spectator sustained by own negligence, or otherwise.
- c) Emotional injuries sustained due to any loss, including death, suffered because of any of the above injuries sustained personally or by a spectator.
- d) Damages suffered to any property of a player.
- e) The player acknowledges the exemption of liability of the Union and its management as listed above when he signs the acknowledgement or agrees to the Conditions of Entry. He also acknowledges the contents of the above, he understands it, and exempts the Southern Cape Golf Union, Host Club and Facility, SAGA & GolfRSA from any liability as indicated above.

THE SOUTHERN CAPE GOLF UNION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY ENTRY.