



# 2021 KNYSNA SENIOR OPEN

## ENTRY FORM

### SENIOR ORDER OF MERIT (CATEGORY B)

A-Division (18 Holes Medal)

B-Division (18 Holes Medal Stableford)

C-Division (18 Holes Individual Stableford)

### KNYSNA SENIOR OPEN

6<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2021

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON WEDNESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> NOVEMBER 2021 AT 12h00**

Please enter my name for the above Championship

Entry fee is R280 and must accompany Entry Form

Full Name: .....

Handicap Index: ..... Golf Club: .....

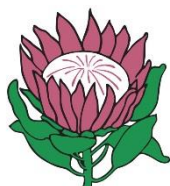
SAGA Player ID No: 27..... Date of Birth: .....

Cell No: ..... Tel No: .....

E-Mail Address: .....

### ENTRANCE FEE

Proof of payment of R280.00, **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: [karl@scgu.co.za](mailto:karl@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 tournament 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. Till further notice, all tournaments will be held in accordance with the latest Covid – 19 gazetted regulations and the Southern Cape Tournament Risk Mitigation Plan which will align with the GolfRSA Risk Mitigation Guidelines and club Risk Mitigation protocols. All entrants agree to abide by the requirements of these documents.

### 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 **29.3** or less as assessed in terms of the GolfRSA 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 players. Should more than 80 entries be received, entries will be reduced by ballot in terms of higher handicaps.

### Form of Competition

The tournament is played over one day. 18 holes will be played on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at Knysna 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 (6.5 - Less Handicap Index)- Medal**
- **B Division (6.6 - 15.3 Handicap Index) – Medal Stableford**
- **C Division (15.4 – 29.3 Handicap Index)-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 2021 OOM season. SCGU will also be sending an official scorer to this Senior Open.**

### Entry Procedure

Please enter online via our website [www.scgu.co.za](http://www.scgu.co.za). Alternatively, entry forms are obtainable from Knysna Golf Club, Secretaries of Affiliated Golf Clubs, and the Southern Cape Golf Union.

### Closing date

Entries close at 12h00 on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2021. **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. Players will be seeded according to handicap index 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 Knysna Golf Club, the Southern Cape Golf Union's office and on the Unions web site [www.scgu.co.za](http://www.scgu.co.za) by Wednesday 03<sup>rd</sup> November 2021. 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 6<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

The registration area will be located in the entrance / 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.

### Declaration

All players will be required to sign a declaration form that they have been symptom free for a period of 10 consecutive days prior to the event. Players who display symptoms related to Covid-19 within 10 days of the Tournament MUST not travel to the Tournament venue and MUST withdraw from the tournament and self-isolate in accordance with Government Regulations. Players withdrawing under these circumstances and subject to this provision will be eligible for a full refund of entry fees. Please note that Southern Cape Golf Union and the host facility cannot be held liable for any other costs incurred relating to travel, accommodation, and other items relevant to the intended participation in the tournament.

### Practice Area

Putting and chipping green is located in close proximity to the Clubhouse.

### Golf Carts

**All A-Division players will be required to walk. Unless they have a medical condition / certificate that says otherwise. Please note that Golf Carts are not included in the Entry Fee. Carts will be on the players' own account. (B & C Division) players must book their carts directly with the Proshop.**

### Spectators

No spectators will be allowed on the golf course.

### 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**

There shall be no gatherings around the clubhouse area. There will be no prize giving after play and winners will be announced on social media and via email.

### **Consent Clause**

By entering for this competition, I agree and consent, as a data subject contemplated in the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013, to processing of my personal information as supplied in accordance with Southern Cape Golf Union's Privacy Policy which can be viewed per request.

### **General**

- a) A request is made to all players to please respect the courtesy granted by the host club and to ensure you take responsibility for your own wellbeing by regularly sanitizing your hands and wearing a mask where social distancing is not possible. Players to please repair all divots and pitch marks, and not to litter the golf course and surrounds. Sandbags will also be compulsory for this tournament.
- b) All entrants, by completing the entry process and accepting the Terms of Competition agree to accept and comply with all aspects of the host venue and SCGU Tournament Risk Mitigation Plan. This will include but is not limited to the wearing of face masks, screening, and sanitation on each day of competition, maintaining physical distancing and complying with all other Risk Mitigation requirements.

### **Exemption of Liability**

The Southern Cape Golf Union, Host Club and Facility, GolfRSA and their management will not be held responsible for any damages, loss, or reckless behaviour of a player. Failure to follow the GolfRSA Covid-19 guidelines may result in disqualification.

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 any 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**

