

# **2021 PINNACLE POINT OPEN**

## **ENTRY FORM**

(18 Holes Stroke Play - Order of Merit Category B)

## PINNACLE POINT GOLF ESTATE 11<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2021

## ENTRIES CLOSE ON WEDNESDAY 7th APRIL 2021 AT 12h00

Please enter my name for the above Championship Entry Fee is R450 and must accompany Entry Form.

Full Name:		
Handicap Index:	Golf Club:	
SAGA Player ID No: 27		Date of Birth:
Cell No:	Tel	No:
ENTRANCE FEE Proof of payment of R450 be refunded in the case of	.00, MUST ACCOMPA f withdrawals before t	NY THE ENTRY FORM. Entry fees will only he closing date.
	BANK DEPOSITS SOUTHERN CAPE ABSA GEORGE ACCOUNT NO:	GOLF UNION
	<b>BRANCH CODE:</b>	632005
SOUTHERN CAPE GOLF UNION		ABSAZAJJ SURNAME & INITIALS
Fax or email deposit sli	o with entry form to	SCGU:
Fax: 044 873 4546		
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 Competito	r-	





## 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. All tournaments will be held in accordance with the latest gazetted regulations and all GolfRSA and club protocols must be followed by every individual.

#### **Entry Requirements**

Open to Amateurs who are members of a Golf Club affiliated to the Southern Cape Golf Union and who have a handicap index of **15.3** or less as assessed in terms of the SAGA Course Rating and Handicapping System. If your handicap index exceeds 15.3 you will be allowed to play, but your handicap index will be reduced to a 15.3.

#### Field Size

Entries will be limited to 100 players. Should more than the stipulated entries be received, entries will be reduced by the Tournament Organizing Committee based on the Exemption Categories below, higher handicap index or by means they deem to be fair.

## **Exemption Categories:**

Entrants who are exempt from a ballot will be:

- a) Open Men OOM winners of the 2019/2020 season. (Country Districts, Mid-Amateur and Open Amateur Winners)
- b) If a player has represented SCGU at the 2019 Premier, Mid-Amateur, Women's Premier & Junior Inter Provincial Tournament.
- c) A minimum of 6 spots will be reserved for women that includes point b. Should more entries be received it will be subject to tournament ballot.
- d) The top 4 players from the SAGDB who do not qualify as above on points a, b, and c.

## **Form of Competition**

Tournaments will be played over one day and will be limited to Eighteen (18) holes only. 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) Individual Stableford

In the event of a tie for the tournament, the title will be shared.

## **Entry Procedure**

Please enter online via or website <a href="www.scgu.co.za">www.scgu.co.za</a>. Alternatively, entry forms are obtainable from Pinnacle Point Golf Estate, Secretaries of Affiliated Golf Clubs, and the Southern Cape Golf Union and website <a href="www.scgu.co.za">www.scgu.co.za</a>
The entry fee will be displayed on Albatros online entry, and entries will close the Wednesday before the event at 12h00.

**Entries** 

Entries are only considered successful once payment or proof of payment has been received.

We will not accept any late entries or cash on the day.

#### **BANK DETAILS**

**SOUTHERN CAPE GOLF UNION** 

**ABSA GEORGE** 

ACCOUNT NO: 890144411 BRANCH CODE: 632005 SWIFT CODE: ABSAZAJJ

REFERENCE NO: SURNAME & INITIALS

Please send your proof of payment to <a href="mailto:karl@scgu.co.za">karl@scgu.co.za</a>

#### Closing date

Entries close at noon on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> April 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 Pinnacle Point Golf Estate, the Southern Cape Golf Union's office and on the Unions web site <a href="www.scgu.co.za">www.scgu.co.za</a> by Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April 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 Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2021. The registration area will be located in the Proshop.

## **Scoring and Markers**

Golfers may not share, or exchange scorecards. Golfers will be assigned scorecards at registration. After the round, the marker must confirm the score with the player verbally and verbally submit the scores to the tournament official at the scoring area. The player is not required to sign the scorecard.

\*Breach of this condition will result in disqualification.

#### **Practise**

All competing players will be allowed to use the Pinnacle Point Golf Estate driving range & warm up area prior to their round. The practise area is located opposite the parking area of the Pinnacle Point Golf Estate entrance. Range balls will be for players own account.

#### **Decisions**

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

#### **Golf Carts**

PLEASE NOTE that it will be compulsory for all competing players to ride on a golf cart. Cart fees are included in your entry fee, and this ensures that the playing field is fair. Players without an RSA driver's license will be drawn with a valid driver's license holder. All competing players must sign Pinnacle Point Golf Estate's golf cart Indemnity Form. Further note that all Golf Carts are equipped with a Satellite GPS.

#### **Spectators**

No spectators (including parents) will be allowed on the golf course.

## **Dress Code**

- a) Soft spikes.
- b) Golf specific shorts will be allowed. Shorts must be knee length and cargo or draw string shorts are not permitted.
- c) 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.

## General

A request is made to all players to please respect the courtesy granted by the Pinnacle Point Golf Estate by undertaking to repair all divots and pitch marks, and not to litter the golf course and surrounds. Sand holders will be supplied on each cart. Also, 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.



