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NET CHAMPIONSHIP

OGA

35TH OREGON

NET CHAMPIONSHIP

ROSE CITY GC

Portland, Ore.

September 28 - 29, 2019



ELIGIBILITY

Entries in the Men's Division are open to amateur golfers with USGA Handicap Indexes™ of 36.4 and less. Entries in the Women's Division are open to female amateur golfers with USGA Handicap Indexes™ of 40.4 and less. All entrants must be members in good standing of an OGA Member Club. Flights and Course Handicaps will be determined using the September 15 Handicap Index revision. All contestants must be at least 13 years of age as of September 28, 2019.

FIELD LIMIT

Field will be limited to the first 36 qualified women and the first 108 qualified men. Entries will be accepted according to the date and time of entry and entry fee.

ENTRY FEE

\$145.00 entry fee must accompany entry form and includes three rounds of golf (one practice round and two competitive rounds), an OGA hosted lunch on Saturday and tee prizes. Refunds are not available after the closing date of Wednesday, September 11, 2019 except for documented medical reasons. All refunds are subject to a \$20.00 administrative fee.

ENTRY DEADLINE

A mailed entry must reach the OGA office by 5pm on Wednesday, September 11, 2019. Entries by telephone, FAX or email must accompany payment. Online entries are accepted until midnight at www.oga.org. Late entries will be accepted and placed on an alternate's list to fill spots if they become available up until a time that the OGA Staff establishes. Late entries will not be accepted unless they are accompanied by the correct entry fee, plus an additional fee of \$25. Contestants must contact the OGA in order to submit a late entry.

FORMAT AND PRIZES

36-hole stroke play net competition. All prize awards will be made on the basis of NET finish. THERE WILL BE NO GROSS PRIZES. Merchandise certificate awards will be given to top finishers and products from Jones Sports Co. will be awarded to the Men's and Women's Champions. In the event of a tie, duplicate awards will be issued.

EXEMPTIONS

Defending Men's Champion Stotz Thoda and Women's Champion Karen Govier will be eligible for guaranteed entry into the Championship. Exempt players must meet the eligibility requirements and must file an entry by the entry deadline.

STARTING TIMES & PRACTICE ROUNDS

Starting times, pairings, and practice round information will be forwarded via email. Complete tournament information will be online at www.oga.org.

TIES

A tie of two players for the overall champion or flight champion will result in awards being split and distribution of awards will be decided by lot. However, in the event of a tie of three players or more for the overall champion or flight champion the USGA recommended scorecard playoff will be used to determine who will receive the awards (Jones Sports Co. product and Trophy). Merchandise credit will be split between any ties.

AUTOMOTIVE TRANSPORTATION & CADDIES

Contestants may use automotive transportation and fees must be paid by the contestant to the club at the time of rental. A maximum of two carts is allowed per group. Spectator carts are not allowed without prior approval of the committee in charge of the competition. Contestants may use a caddie.

RULES

The Rules of Golf as approved by the USGA and The R&A govern play. The OGA Local Rules and Terms of the Competition for the 2019 OGA and OJG Championships and Events are in effect, along with additional Local Rules or Terms as provided on the applicable Notice to Players and this entry application.

UNOFFICIAL WITHDRAWAL

Entrants who unofficially withdraw without an acceptable reason and without notifying the OGA will not be granted entry into any future OGA events for a minimum of one year.

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(PREFERRED STARTING TIME REQUESTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.)

Entry Fee: \$145.00

Deadline: September 11, 2019 Paper Entries - 5pm

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I would like to make a tax-deductible donation to OREGON JUNIOR GOLF. Enclosed is my donation for the amount of: \$ _____

Contestant's Name _____

Address _____ Email Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____

Club _____ GHIN# _____ - _____

Player Division: Men's Women's PLEASE RESERVE ME A CART: Yes No

Credit Card (Circle One): VISA/MC/AMEX/DISCOVER Card Number _____ - _____ - _____

CCV* _____ Expiration Date (MM/YY) _____ Card Holders Name _____

I have noted the requirements for acceptance into this Championship. I am qualified by the rules of eligibility and agree to abide by the Championship regulations. I have noted the Dress Code and Code of Conduct and understand that entries are subject to approval or rejection at any time (including during the Championship) by the OGA, at its discretion, and by the Host Club. The reason for rejection may include unbecoming conduct. _____ Signature of Entrant

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MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "OGA" AND MAIL WITH ENTRY TO:
Oregon Golf Association - 2840 Hazelnut Drive - Woodburn, OR 97071

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CONDITIONS & SCHEDULES

The OGA assumes no liability for any conditions of the competition. Upon submitting this entry and subsequently playing in this competition, players agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the OGA and its respective affiliates directors, officers, employees, agents, and assigns from and against any and all claims, damages, liabilities and losses, including, without limitation reasonable attorney's fees and costs and expenses of litigation, arising out of any negligent act or omission of the indemnifying party in connection with the conditions herein. The Committee in charge of the competition reserves the right to alter any of the conditions and schedules herein. The decision of the Committee in any matter shall be final.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

The OGA will make every effort to complete the scheduled number of rounds of the tournament. As a general policy, in circumstances under which the final round is suspended due to inclement weather and it becomes impossible to complete the round on the same day: 1) If all players in the field/flight/division have not completed at least 9 holes, the results of the Championship will be determined by reverting to the previous round's totals and the suspended round will be canceled, or 2) If all players have completed at least 9 holes of the final round, every effort will be made to finish the final round on the following day. All decisions to suspend or resume play will be at the discretion of the Committee. Any additional information regarding guidelines for suspensions and cancelations can be obtained by contacting the OGA.

OGA NET PERFORMANCE POINTS ADJUSTMENT (KTPS)

The OGA Tournament Committee has instituted a policy by which they reserve the right to adjust the Course Handicap of any competitor in future competitions. This Policy is based on a modification of the Knuth Tournament Performance Points System (KTPS) as licensed from Dean Knuth. A reduction of a competitor's Course Handicap will be based on the following criteria: High finishes in any Net portion of a 36 hole OGA championship with 81 participants or more in a division during a two year period will be awarded points accordingly: 1st = 12, 2nd = 10, 3rd = 8, 4th = 6, 5th = 4. High finishes in any Net portion of a 36 hole OGA championship with 40 - 80 participants in a division during a two year period will be awarded points accordingly: 1st = 8, 2nd = 6, 3rd = 4, 4th = 2. High finishes in any Net portion of a 36 hole OGA championship with 20 - 39 participants in a division during a two year period will be awarded points accordingly: 1st = 6, 2nd = 4, 3rd = 2. High finishes in any Net portion of a 36 hole OGA championship with 1 - 19 participants in a division during a two year period will be awarded points accordingly: 1st = 4, 2nd = 2. High finishes in any Net portion of an 18 hole OGA competition (OGA Tour - Individual Series) during a one year period will be awarded points accordingly: 1st = 3, 2nd = 2, 3rd = 1. High finishes in any Net portion of an 18 hole OGA competition (OGA Tour - Partner Series) during a one year period will be awarded points accordingly: 1 - 9 teams 1st = 3, 10 - 19 teams 1st = 3, 2nd = 2, and 20+ teams 1st = 3, 2nd = 2, 3rd = 1. Any contestant who accumulates 17 points over the stated period may have their Course Handicap reduced by 1 stroke for use during the competition. Any contestant who accumulates more than 17 points during the stated period will have their Course Handicap reduced an additional 1 stroke for each additional two points accumulated. teams 1st = 3, 2nd = 2, 3rd = 1. Any contestant who accumulates 17 points over the stated period may have their Course Handicap reduced by 1 stroke for use during the competition. Any contestant who accumulates more than 17 points during the stated period will have their Course Handicap reduced an additional 1 stroke for each additional two points accumulated.

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