



THE INAUGURAL KGS JUNIOR GOLF OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

(YBhg Datin Patinggi Puan Sri Datuk Wira Lorna Enan Muloon Chan's Trophy)

13th to 15th August 2019

VENUE : KELAB GOLF SARAWAK

ELIGIBILITY :

BOYS / GIRLS :

Group	Age	Handicap Index Qualifications
A	15-18 years	22.1 or lower
B	13-14 years	22.1 or lower
C	11-12 years	open to all handicaps
D	10 and under	open to all handicaps

ENTRANCE FEE: RM220.00

CLOSING DATE: 29 JULY 2019

PRIZE :

**All Categories
1st - 5th Placing**

**HOLE IN ONE
PRIZE
TO BE WON**

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TERMS OF COMPETITION

1. RULES

The Rules of Golf as approved by R&A Rules Limited and the Local Rules of Kelab Golf Sarawak govern play.

2. THE COMMITTEE

The **KGS JUNIOR GOLF OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP 2019** is under the management of the KGS Junior Development Committee. This Committee reserves the right to make any alteration to the terms and conditions of this event as it deems fit. It shall also adjudicate any claims, protests or disputes and its decision shall be final.

3. DATE & VENUE

The **KGS JUNIOR GOLF OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP 2019** will be held from **13th to 15th August 2019** at:

KELAB GOLF SARAWAK

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4. ELIGIBILITY

The tournament is open to junior amateur golfers who have not reached the maximum age allowed in their age group on the last day of the championship with a valid NHS/USGA Handicap Index corresponding to their age group.

Details of the Course and Slope Rating of the competition course together with the Handicap Index conversion table are as attached.

Individual Event

BOYS

Group

A

Age

15-18 years

B

13-14 years

C

11-12 years

D

10 and under

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GIRLS

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A	15-18 years	22.1 or lower
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If there are less than 5 entries in any group, the Committee may, at its absolute discretion, combine players in that group with players in any other group or groups.

5. SIZE OF FIELD

The field shall be limited to **120** players on first come first served basis.

6. FORMAT

The Championship will be decided by stroke play over **3 rounds of 18 holes** for all Boys and Girls.

The KGS Junior Development Committee may cancel any round or rounds if they consider that the course is not in a playable condition or that there are circumstances that render the proper playing of the game impossible.

7. ENTRY FORM, ENTRANCE FEE AND CLOSING DATE

Duly completed entry form together with a copy of the player's birth certificate and the entrance fee of **RM 220.00** must reach the Tournament Committee on or before **Monday, 29th July 2019**.

The entrance fee is not refundable if cancellation is made after the closing date.

All entries will be subject to the approval of the KGS Junior Development Committee, which reserves the right to accept or refuse, or having accepted, subsequently reject any entry without giving any reason for its decision.

8. TIMES OF STARTING AND GROUPS

The times of starting and groups for **Round 1** of the competition shall be established by the KGS Junior Development Committee on **12th August 2019** and posted on the KGS Notice Board. Such display is deemed to be sufficient notice to the players.

For the final round, draw shall be based on the scores returned in the first 36 holes by players playing from the same teeing grounds.

The KGS Junior Development Committee reserves the right to vary the draw and starting times at its absolute discretion.

9. PRIZES

Boys A, B, C & D – Position 1 – 5 prizes

Girls A, B, C & D – Position 1 – 5 prizes

- The overall champion for Boys Classes A and B shall be awarded the *KGS Junior Golf Open Championship Cup (Boys)*.
- The overall champion for Girls Classes A and B shall be awarded the *KGS Junior Golf Open Championship Cup (Girls)*.
- Champion and four runners-up for Boys Classes A, B, C and D.
- Champion and four runners-up for Girls Classes A, B, C and D.

The Committee may, at its absolute discretion, reduce the number of prizes for any of the groups as it deems fit.

10. PACE OF PLAY

All players are expected to complete their round within 4 hours 45 minutes from time of starting

11. TEEING AREA

Boys A and B shall use the **blue** tee.

Boys C shall use the **white** tee.

Girls A, B and C shall use the **red** tee.

Boys D and Girls D shall use the **gold** tee.

12. DECIDING TIES

Individual Event

In the event of a tie for the first place in all categories, there will be a hole-by-hole play-off to determine the winner.

In the event of a tie for any other places, the tie shall be decided by a count back system of matching scorecards in the following order:

Last 18, 9, 6, 3 holes and finally the last hole

If the tie is still undecided, it shall be decided by lot.

13. TRANSPORTATION

Players must not ride on any form of transportation during a stipulated round unless authorized by the Committee.

Penalty: General Penalty for each hole at which any breach occurred.

14. CADDIE

Only players (boys and girls) in age groups C & D are permitted to employ a caddy to carry their bags.

Players are prohibited from having their parents, team managers, coaches, friends & relatives serve as their caddy during the stipulated round. Only caddies assigned/approved by Kelab Golf Sarawak or the Tournament Director are allowed to carry during the competition.

Penalty: General Penalty for each hole at which any breach occurred.

15. GALLERY

Players shall not exchange conversation with the gallery. Rule 10.2a applies.

Gallery must keep a distance of not less than 50 meters from the players and shall remain on buggy track at all times. Offenders will be given two (2) warnings by officials or referees after which they will be asked to leave the course.

16. ANTI-DOPING

Players are required to comply with and be bound by any Anti-Doping Policy that is established for the Championship in which they are competing.

17. BREACH OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT (Note to Rule 1.2b)

17.1 If the committee determines that a player has committed a breach of the code of conduct the following penalties shall apply:

First breach - Warning

Second breach - One Stroke Penalty

Third breach - General Penalty (2 strokes)

Fourth breach - Disqualification

Example of the breach of code of conduct includes but are not limited to:

- i. Disagreeing with the course set-up
- ii. Deliberately distracting other players while they are making stroke
- iii. Repeatedly refusing to lift a ball at rest when it interferes with another player in stroke play
- iv. Failure to smoothen bunker after use and repair divot mark

17.2 If the committee determines that a player has committed a Serious Breach of the code of conduct a penalty of Disqualification shall apply:-

Examples of a serious breach of the code of conduct includes but are not limited to:-

- i. Deliberately causing serious damage to the putting greens
- ii. Throwing a club towards another player or spectator
- iii. Removing loose impediments or moveable obstructions to disadvantage other player
- iv. Use of handphone or other means during a stipulated round to disturb or distract other players
- v. Acting contrary to the spirit of the game

18. SUSPENSION OF PLAY WHEN THERE IS AN IMMINENT DANGER (Note to Rule 5.7b)

A suspension of play when there is an imminent danger situation shall be signaled by the following siren.

Discontinue play immediately:	One prolonged note of siren.
Abandon play:	Three consecutive notes of siren, repeated.
Resume play:	Two short notes of siren, repeated.

In the event that inclement weather should preclude the completion of this tournament, the organising committee will meet immediately and notify the participants of its decision.

19. PRACTICE (Rule 5.2b)

The provisions of Rule 5.2b apply.

Penalty for breach of condition:

1st Breach: General Penalty

2nd Breach: Disqualification

Note: All recognised practice areas within the bounds of the course may be used by players for practice on any day of the competition.

20. RETURNING OF SCORE CARD

Players shall return their scorecards as soon as they have finished the stipulated round. The penalty for late submission of cards subject to the Committee's discretion shall be **DISQUALIFICATION**. The scorecard is considered returned once the player has left the scoring area.

21. RESULTS OF CHAMPIONSHIP – COMPETITION CLOSED

When the Championship trophy is presented to the winner, the Competition shall be deemed to have closed when the trophy / prizes have been presented to the winners or, in the absence of a prize giving ceremony, when all scores have been approved by the Committee.

Note: Unless otherwise indicated, the penalty for breach of condition of competition is **DISQUALIFICATION**.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE