



HELLENIC GOLF FEDERATION

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The 26th Hellenic International Amateur Golf Championship 2009 for Men and Ladies will be played on the Corfu Golf Club (www.corfugolfclub.com) and is open to Amateur golfers, Men and Ladies, under the following regulations:

A. CONDITIONS

1. The Championship will be played in accordance with the amateur status and the rules of golf of the Royal and Ancient G.C. of St. Andrews and in accordance with the Conditions of Competition and the local rules as approved by the Championship Committee.
2. Entries accepted from players who have a certified handicap of 4.4 or under and of 8.4 or under for Greek Boys under 18, 9.4 or under for Ladies and of 12.4 or under for Greek Girls under 18.
3. The balls used during the tournament must be in conformity with the list of the balls approved by the R.&A. and USGA.
4. The referees will be designated by the Championship Committee.
5. The Championship Committee reserves the right to cancel an event and to fix an inferior number of holes or to change the dates and starting times and if necessary to proceed with a ballot so as to limit the field to no less than 120 players. Unsuccessful entrants will be informed no later than Friday, August 29th.
6. Any disputes will be resolved by the Championship Committee.
7. DRIVING CLUBS: The driver used by the players must have a club head (model & loft) named on the current List of Conforming Driver Heads, issued by the R&A. The penalty for breaching this condition will be **disqualification**.



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B. PROGRAM/FORMAT

7-8 September 2009: Practice rounds

9-12 September 2009: The Championship will be played from scratch over 72 holes stroke-play, Ladies and Men separately. In the event of a tie the Winner of the Championship will be decided by a "sudden-death" play over the last three holes. Other ties will be decided on a count-back starting on the last round.

C. ATHENA TROPHY

The "Athena" Trophy will be played over 72 holes stroke-play simultaneously with the Championship and is open to players who have a certified handicap of 5 to 12 for Men and 10 to 18 for Ladies.

This competition will be played off full handicap from the club tees.

D. NATIONS CUP

This tournament will be played simultaneously with the first 54 holes of the Championship.

- a) Each Men's team will be composed of three players of the same nationality. The result of the team will be obtained by addition of the two best scores achieved each day. In the event of a tie the total of the lowest score of the third player will designate the winning team.
- b) Each Ladies team will be composed of two players of the same nationality. The



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result of the team will be obtained by addition of the two scores achieved each day. In the event of a tie the best Aggregate of the third day will designate the winning team, if necessary there-after the best Aggregate on the last 9, 6, 3, 2, 1 holes.

- c) Each nation may enter more than one team in each category.

E. SENIORS

A Senior's competition open to players with a certified handicap of up to 18 will also be played over the last 54 holes, stroke-play off full handicap from the club tees. The winner in the gross category will be the International Senior Amateur Champion of Greece.

F. TROPHIES

- The Winners will be the International Amateur Golf Champions of Greece for Men and Ladies for the period 2009 and will receive silver cups.
- There will be prizes for the first five in the Men and the first three in the Ladies Championship.
- There will also be three prizes for the men and three prizes for the ladies net scores for those participating on the Athena Trophy Tournament and three for the Senior's category (2 gross and 1 net).
- For the Men's Nation Cup there will be prizes for the first three teams.
- For the Ladies Nation Cup there will be prizes for the first two teams.

ENTRIES

All entry forms must be received by Monday the 24th of August 2009 accompanied by their entry fee which is fixed at € 200 per competitor (including the get-together cocktail and the prize-giving dinner). Entrants from abroad may pay their fee upon arrival.



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*All Conditions and Local Rules will be published at the Golf Club two (2) days before
the starting of the competition*