



# RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE ORDER OF MERIT DOLCE CAMPO REAL 2022

In compliance with the Rules of Golf approved by R&A Rules Limited and without prejudice to the Local Rules of Permanent Application of The Silver Coast Golf Club (SCGC) and the local rules of the course, the following Regulation is established:

#### 1. Definition

The Order of Merit Dolce Campo Real consists of 11 tournaments, to be held as indicated in the General Calendar of the SGC,

## 2. Participation:

- a. Open to all members and all players with a valid WHS certified Handicap managed by the SGC, being mandatory to have a valid license of the FPG (Federated). Players with a Handicap managed by the SCGC compete for each of the individual tournaments. Only Club members (annual and weekly memberships) compete for the final ranking of the Order of Merit. Players with a Handicap managed by the SCGC compete for each of the individual tournaments.
- Guests and other players with a WHS certified handicap can participate, who do not score for OM or compete for prizes for members and Club players, but only for prizes awarded to guests and tombola, if any (if existent).

## 3. Modality:

The tournaments are held in "Stableford", 18 holes, "Full Handicap" with reduced handicap for the purpose of classification to the limit of 28.0 for Men and 36.0 for Women.

#### 4. Inscription and Draw:

Registration will take place in the ten days prior to each event, and can be done by filling in the form available on the Club's website, by telephone to the Golf Reception and also by filling in the inscription sheet placed in the members' board at the Golf Reception. Entries will be accepted until 12h00 on the 2nd day before the competition.

The Draw will be published until 5pm on the eve of the start of each competition, on the Club's website and on the members' board and sent to the email of the participating players.

Tee-offs will be made from "shotgun" or holes 1 and 10 from 08.30 hrs, or other time to be announced when the Draw is published.

#### 5. Classification, Tiebreaker and Prizes in each of the Tournaments:

- c. In each tournament there is a general classification in "Stableford net" and "Stableford gross". There is also a classification in "Stableford net" for women as long as a minimum of <u>four</u> players participate.
- d. The tiebreakers, for classification purposes, are made successively in favor of the "handicap" (in the lowest "Net" and in the highest "Gross"), the best last 9, 6, 3 and 1 holes of the course and draw.





- e. Prizes In each tournament the following prizes are awarded, which cannot be accumulated and the "Gross" General classification prevails and then the "Net" General classification: 1st "Gross" General 1st, 2nd and 3rd "Net" General 1st "Net" Ladies (for a minimum of 4 participants). There is a prize for the 1st "net" guest. There is also a general prize for "Nearest to the Pin" and "Longest Drive".
- f. The prizes are handed, preferably, at the lunch to be held at the end of the tournament, and there may be other classification or tombola prizes, at the discretion of the sponsors. Offers and prizes other than trophies will only be given to players present at lunch.

#### 6. Classification, Tiebreaker and Prizes, at the end of the OM:

- a. The final classification of OM, exclusively for members (annual and weekly memberships), in each of the "Net" and "Gross" classes, is the sum of the scores obtained in a maximum of seven (the seven best) results in the 11 tournaments. In the event of an increase or decrease in tournaments, the sum of the results of the six events is maintained.
- b. The tiebreaker for the first places, final, is successively made in favor of the "handicap" at the date of the last event (in the lowest "Net" and in the highest "Gross"), in the highest number of first places, the highest number of events in which the player participated and draw.
- c. Prizes At the end of the OM, the following prizes are awarded, which cannot be accumulated and the "Gross" classification prevails, then the "Net" classification and then the "Net" classification, ladies, for identical classification positions: 1st, 2nd and 3rd "Gross" General 1st, 2nd and 3rd "Net" General 1st "Net" Ladies.
- d. Special Awards: The 3 prize winners Gross General and 3 Net General referred to in paragraph c) above, also receive a reduction in the annual fee they have proposed to acquire for the year 2023, distributed as follows: 50% for the 1st, 30% for the 2nd and 20% for the 3rd classified Net and Gross. This prize does not accumulate with other promotions / discounts in effect for annual fees.

# 7. Rules

Royal and Ancient Golf of St. Andrews rules, local Club Rules and specific test rules set by the Technical Committee apply.

## 8. Cancellation and amendment of the Regulation

At any time, the Technical Commission may change or amend these Rules or cancel any Tournaments.

#### 9 - Protest

Players may claim their results from the Technical Commission:

- Within 30 minutes after the publication of the results
- Within two days of posting the results on the Club website for final classification.

## 10 - Technical committee

The Technical Committee of the Tournament is the Technical Committee of the Silver Coast Golf Club.