



THE SILVER COAST GOLF CLUB

REGULATION OF THE DOLCE ORDER OF MERIT (WEEKENDS)

Introduction

During 2020 there will be a Dolce Order of Merit (Weekends) in which all members of the Silver Coast Golf Club (SCGC) can participate as also players with their handicap managed by SCGC.

This Order of Merit will consist of 11 tournaments during the year, to be held during the weekend, 7 of them being held in Campo Real and 4 on other courses (Montado, Quinta do Vale, Belas and Praia d'el Rey).

For the purposes of the final ranking of this order of merit the best 7 results of each player will be counted over the 11 tournaments. The members with the highest score in this order of merit (Gross and net), prevailing the gross ranking, will be declared the champions of the Club.

Note that the winner Net and Gross of this final tournament will receive as a prize 50% off the membership he wishes to purchase for the year 2021.

It should also be noted that the runners-up (Gross and Net) in the merit orders will receive an identical 30% discount in annuity for 2021 and the third place 20%.

Regulations

1. Participation:

- a) The calendar of all SCGC tournaments will be available on the SCGC website, all tournaments are open to all members with a valid EGA Handicap, and must have a valid FPG license as well as foreign members with a handicap certificate from their home club.
- b) Guests with a valid EGA Handicap can participate but are ineligible to qualify for the Championship and for any prizes.
- c) International and non-FPG guests may participate, provided they have a handicap certificate from their home club, which do not score for the ranking nor compete for prizes for members.
- d) Only players with a FPG license are eligible for the tournament prizes.



2. Format

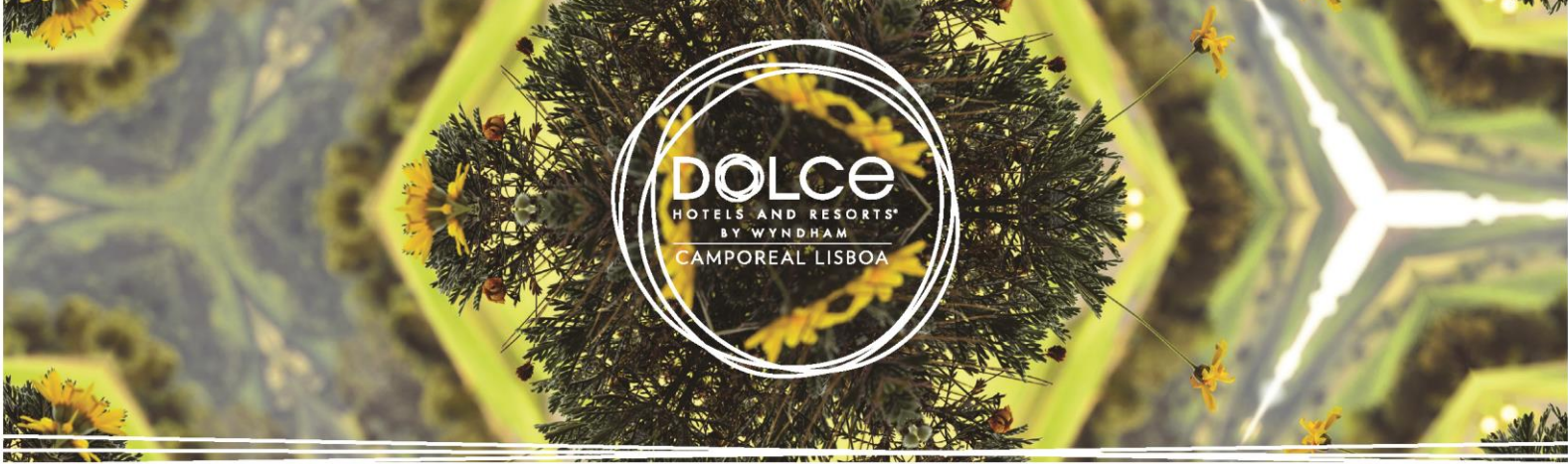
The OoM tournaments will be played as 18-hole tournaments based on Stableford Net and Gross points and with a reduced EGA playing handicap, for the purpose of classification, of 28 for men and 36 for ladies.

3. Classification, Draw and Prizes in each of the Tournaments:

- a) In each tournament the final results will be based on "Stableford net" and "Stableford gross" points. Simultaneously a "Stableford net" result for Ladies will be determined, provided that a minimum of five players participate.
- b) The tiebreakers, for result purposes, are made successively based on the "EGA handicap" (in "Net" lower and in "Gross" higher), then based on the scores on the last 9, 6, 3 and 1 holes.
- c) Prizes - In each tournament the prizes for the "Gross" results is done first, followed by the "Net" results followed by the "Net" Ladies- In each competition, there will be prizes for the 1st "Gross" General - 1st "Net" General - 1st "Net" Ladies plus a prize for the "Nearest to the Pin" and for each "Longest Drive" to be handed out at the end of the tournament lunch.

4. Classification and Prizes at the end of OoM:

- a) The final overall standings of the order of merit ("Net" and "Gross") is the sum of the scores (Stableford Points) obtained in seven best out of the eleven tournaments of this OoM.
- b) The tiebreakers for the final standings, are made successively based on the most recent EGA "handicap" (in "Net" lower and "Gross" higher), then the highest number of first, second and third places in the tournaments of the OoM.
- c) Prizes –Trophies will be awarded by the Silver Coast Golf Club, for the following positions: Gross 1st, Net - 1st 2nd and 3rd and 1st Net Ladies. These prizes will be presented at the prize-giving dinner for 2020. Any additional prizes will be at the discretion of the relevant Tournament Director and will be awarded after the final OoM tournament in each competition.



5. Final Provisions:

- a) At any time prior to the start of the competition, the SCGC Tournament Committee or the Technical Committee appointed by the SCGC Tournament Committee to control the competitions may change the present Rules and suspend, postpone or cancel the event, deciding definitively on cases not covered by the Rules and Complementary Rules.
- b) The Rules approved by R & A Rules Limited, the SCGC Standing Local Rules and the Rules defined by the Technical Committee will apply.
- c) Players may challenge their results to the Technical Committee within 15 minutes of their publication.
- d) Any dispute with respect to a tournament or a particular OoM shall be resolved, by the SCGC Technical Committee.