

LITHUANIAN GOLF FEDERATION



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Venue: Capitals Golf Club
Date: August 16-17, 2008

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CONDITIONS OF THE COMPETITION

ORGANIZERS

- Lithuanian Golf Federation www.golffederacija.lt
- Capitals Golf Club www.capitals.lt

DATE AND VENUE

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Venue: **Capitals Golf Club**

Address:

Pipiriskiai village,
Pastrevys subdistrict,
Elektrenai municipality,
LT-21331, Lithuania
www.capitals.lt
info@capitals.lt

Course:

PAR 71

Distance from the tees: Yellow – 5750 m; Red – 4950 m

CR/SR: Men-Yellow 70.1/126; Ladies-Red 71.0/124

PARTICIPANTS

The participants of the championship:

- 1) amateur golf players from Lithuania and other countries who have handicap card;
- 2) handicap must be 35,9 and lower.

The number of competitors on the first round is 120 players. If the number of entries exceeds 120, the criteria for selection will be: 1) lower handicap; 2) registration time.

Categories:

- 1) Men;
- 2) Ladies;
- 3) Senior Men (on 16.08.2008 – 55 years old and more);
- 4) Senior Ladies (on 16.08.2008 – 50 years old and more);
- 5) Men U23 (on 15.08.2008 – 22 years old and younger);
- 6) Ladies U23 (on 15.08.2008 – 22 years old and younger).

The competition in appropriate category will not be held if the number of competitors in appropriate category will be less than four.

REGISTRATION

Participants can register for the competition until August 14th, 2008, 6 p.m. (local time):

- website: www.capitals.lt
- e-mail: info@capitals.lt

- phone: +370-619-99999

Registration data:

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| 1) name and surname; | 3) date of birth; | 5) phone no.; |
| 2) home golf club; | 4) exact handicap; | 6) e-mail address. |

RULES

The competition will be played in conformity with the Rules of Golf as approved by the R&A Rules Limited and The United States Golf Association (31st edition), the local rules of the Capitals Golf Club course.

Any competitor who arrives at his starting point, ready to play, within five minutes after his starting time, shall incur a penalty of two strokes. Penalty for lateness beyond five minutes is disqualification.

FORMAT

The format of the championship is individual stroke play (gross score).

For the participants of the 1 and 2 categories (men and ladies) – 36 holes (18 holes played over 2 consecutive days).

For the participants of the 3–6 categories (senior men, senior ladies, men U23, ladies U23) – 18 holes (on the first day of championship).

Men play from the yellow tees, ladies – from red.

CUT

The cut for the participants of the 1 and 2 categories (men and ladies) is after the first round. Best 50% men and best 50% ladies are qualified for the second round. The Committee is authorised to alter the cut.

HANDICAP CARDS

Handicap cards for participants are mandatory.

GROUPS AND TIME OF STARTING

First round (16 August, Saturday)

- The participants of all categories will compete.
- The groups of 3-4 players will start according to the time of starting established by the Committee.
- The tee time for the first group is 8.00 a.m. from the hole 1.
- The time of starting will be announced at 2 p.m. of 15 August (Friday) on the website of Capitals Golf Club (www.capitals.lt) or will be possible to query by calling the reception of Capitals Golf Club (+370-619-99999).

Second round (17 August, Sunday)

- The participants of the 1 and 2 categories (men and ladies) who qualified to the second round will compete.

- The groups of 3-4 players will be arranged by Committee according to the gross score of the first round and will be divided in two sections: „A“ and „B“.
- The tee time for the first groups of the both section is 9.00 a.m. Groups of „A“ section will start from hole 1, groups of „B“ section – from hole 10.
- The time of starting will be announced at the evening of 16 August (Saturday) on the website of Capitals Golf Club (www.capitals.lt) or will be possible to query by calling the reception of Capitals Golf Club (+370-619-99999).

AWARDING

The winners of 1, 2 and 3 places in each category will be award with cups and diplomas of Lithuanian Golf Federation.

Additional events (both competition days):

- Closest to the Pin (men and ladies together) – hole 12;
- Longest Drive (men and ladies separate) – hole 18.

DECISION OF TIES

In case of tie for the 1st place shall be „sudden death“ play-off on hole 18.

In case of tie for the 2nd and 3rd places shall be decided based on a count back system as follows:

1. Last 18 holes of the last round, if a tie still persists, then
2. Last 9 holes of the last round, if a tie still persists, then
3. Last 6 holes of the last round, if a tie still persists, then
4. Last 3 holes of the last round, if a tie still persists, then
5. Hole 18.

CHAMPIONSHIP FEE

150 LTL. Includes: green fee for both days and lunch for second day.

OTHER CONDITIONS

A player may provide his own caddie (only one person).

A player may use the simple or electric golf trolleys.

Participants should not use golf carts for transportation.

Desisions on unexpected cases in competition will be solved by the Committee.