



Atzenbrugg 26.08.2020

## European Senior Men's Team Championship 2020

Dear captain,  
dear tournament player!

A very warm welcome from Austria – the whole team of the Diamond Country Club is more than glad to host the European Senior Men's Team Championship on our championship course at Diamond Country Club which is based on the outskirts of Vienna.

We are looking forward to all the captains and players of the registered nations and of course to the fantastic atmosphere during the tournament days.

We would like to give you some more useful information attached:

- General Information incl. Championship Programme
- Time-Table (practice round Monday)
- EGA Covid-19 Guidelines
- Covid-19 Prevention Concept incl. Participant Confirmation

Please note our Covid-19 House-Rules:

- Masks must be worn when entering the indoor areas (Clubhouse, Pro Shop, Restaurant, Caddy Hall)
- Please disinfect your hands when entering the club facilities
- Please remember – social distancing – in the club facilities

Hope to see you all soon here at Diamond Country Club in Atzenbrugg – stay healthy.

Kind Regards

Stephan Vogl  
Diamond Country Club

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## General

### Tournament Office

The Tournament Office will be open during the official practice and tournament days (Monday – Friday). The exact opening hours will be posted on the official website prior to the event and at the entrance of the tournament office. It is located at the entrance of Diamond Country Club.

### Registration on site

Registration for the tournament will take place at the counter in the golf club administration, no later than Monday 31<sup>st</sup> August 12:00 h.

### Notice Boards

The Official Notice Board will be located next to the tournament office. Information boards will be displayed in the clubhouse and in the official hotels. Please check the boards regularly.

### Mail Boxes

Mail Boxes will be located in the Tournament Office and will provide Team Captains with information, team sheets and results.

### Championship Website

For draws, results and information regarding the Championship please visit <http://www.ega-golf.ch/event/2020-european-senior-mens-team-championship>

### Practice Rounds

The official practice day is Monday 31<sup>st</sup> August.

### Team Photographs

Team photographs are scheduled to be taken prior to the Opening Ceremony on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> at approx. 18:30 h.

The place and exact time will be provided upon registration.

Please bring your national uniform with you in the morning. Showers and lockers are available in the club house.

**NOTE:** Team Captains, please ask the players to be ready for the group photos, so we can keep to the time schedule.

### Opening Ceremony

The Opening Ceremony will be held at the club house on Monday 31 August.

### Closing Ceremony

The Closing Ceremony will be held on the 4 September after the end of play.

## 10. Liability

Players, officials and guests are reminded that Diamond Country Club, the Austrian Golf Federation, the European Golf Associations and the Official Hotels cannot be held responsible for loss of/damage to equipment or/and personal belonging.

## Championship Programme

**Sunday 30 August**

Teams and Officials Arrival  
Registration  
Tournament Office opens at 10:00

**Monday 31 August**

Official Practice Day  
Registration no later than 12:00  
Team Captains' Meeting 17:00  
Team Photographs

**Tuesday 1 September**

Stroke Play Qualification

**Wednesday 2 September**

Match Play – Round 1

**Thursday 3 September**

Match Play – Round 2

**Friday 4 September**

Match Play – Round 3  
Closing Ceremony after end of play

**Saturday 5 September**

Teams and Officials Departure

## Practice Play Monday

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Diamond Country Club, Austria; 1-4 September 2020

<b>Nation</b>	<b>Monday Tee 1</b>
Belgium	08:30
Czech Republic	08:42
Luxembourg	08:54
Poland	09:06
Slovakia	09:18
Lithuania	09:30
Slovenia	09:42

<b>Nation</b>	<b>Monday Tee 1</b>
Austria	10:00
Germany	10:12
Spain	10:24
Switzerland	10:36
Netherlands	10:48
Italy	11:00
Denmark	11:12

For practice days only, times, pattern and tees made be modified for convenience

24 July 2020

## 2020 EGA CHAMPIONSHIP COVID-19 GUIDELINES

### 1. Introduction

- 1.1 These guidelines have been prepared by the EGA to be read in conjunction with the respective guidelines of the EGA Championship Host Member National Federations (HMNF) at each of the EGA's championships. While the EGA governs the sporting aspects of the championships it runs in cooperation with the HMNF that organise them, it naturally has no influence over the legislation imposed by the host country's governing authorities. Therefore, the EGA's guidelines will refer to those of the HMNF, which may differ from championship to championship.
- 1.2 As the EGA has no jurisdiction over any territory or individual players, it cannot impose its own initiatives towards, for example, testing for Covid-19. It is only through the mandatory application of the hosting country's rules that players could be obliged to be tested, whether it be for temperature or for Covid-19 specifically.
- 1.3 The EGA emphasises that all recommended health and safety measures stated in the HMNF guidelines must be respected and that all persons involved in EGA championships must act responsibly on and off the golf course in their regard as a duty to the well-being of others. Those exhibiting behaviour contrary to the EGA or HMNF guidelines may be sanctioned under the EGA's Code of Conduct and Disciplinary Procedures.
- 1.4 The Covid-19 situation presents particular challenges to the organisers and the measures outlined in the EGA and HMNF guidelines must be respected and embraced by all to help ensure that any health risks are minimised.

### 2. The Responsibilities of the Host Member National Federation (HMNF)

- 2.1 The HMNF is responsible for providing written, up-to-date information, in English, to the EGA Office regarding all sanitary measures required by the national, state/county/canton/territory, and/or local authorities to the EGA, players, officials and visitors. Measures must include all of those relating to personal hygiene precautions, travelling and access within the area, social gatherings, and golf competitions.
- 2.2 Cases of infection or suspected infection will be dealt with under the auspices of the HMNF in accordance with local sanitary procedures until professional medical help can assist.

### 3. The Responsibilities of EGA, HMNF and Club Staff, Players, Officials, Volunteers and Visitors

- 3.1 All staff, players, officials, volunteers and visitors to the championship must make every attempt to follow the specific sanitary and other infection prevention procedures communicated by the HMNF and to act responsibly towards others at all times.

- 3.2 Anyone with Covid-19 symptoms must report their condition and self-isolate, seek medical advice, and be assisted in accordance with the procedures required by the hosting country.
- 3.3 All people attending the championships are doing so at their own risk, and knowing that Covid-19 infection and the possible consequences, which may include championship cancellation, and quarantine, are part of that risk.
- 3.4 Players, Officials and Guests need not feel obliged to attend set social gatherings.

#### 4. Championship Committee (CC) Members and HMNFs to please note:

- 4.1 CC Members are, as always, responsible for the sporting aspects of the championship; HMNFs are responsible for the organisational aspects.
- 4.2 The current EGA Championship season is seen as a special and, hopefully, one-off occurrence, where, because of the various difficulties imposed by Covid-19 - logistical, financial, sporting, etc. - championship formats and entry and team fees have been reduced. While we wish to still provide a positive, memorable sporting experience to all, we wish all to be aware that some compromises to what would otherwise be considered "normal" tournament preparations and procedures may be necessary, including the following possibilities.
  - Changed championship formats (in consultation with CC members)
  - Reduced or cancelled ceremonies and dinners
  - Provision of team transport (in special cases)
  - Reduced numbers of teams and players
  - Limited championship infrastructure
  - R&A approved Covid-19 Rules of Golf
  - Limited supply of refreshments and/or snacks
- 4.3 While there are social restrictions, all of those participating in the championships should, of course, be warmly greeted.

With hope for an enjoyable season,

Yours sincerely,

EUROPEAN GOLF ASSOCIATION



Haukur Örn Birgisson  
President



Richard Heath  
General Secretary

## COVID-19 INFORMATION

### INFORMATION, CONFIRMATION AND CONSENT DECLARATION FOR PARTICIPANTS/ASSISTANTS/GUESTS

Please note the following information and measures regarding the current Covid-19 situation

If you suspect you may be ill, or have symptoms:

- Stay at home, please do not come to the Golf Course or Club and avoid endangering other people.
- Avoid contact with other people.
- Call the Austrian health hotline on 1450 and follow their instructions exactly

#### At the Venue:

1. Avoid contact with other people and separate yourself immediately.

2. Inform yourself under:

Event office :	Bettina Lackner; <a href="mailto:bl@countryclub.at">bl@countryclub.at</a> ;
	Tel.: +43 676 898520333
COVID-19 Official:	Stephan Vogl, <a href="mailto:sv@countryclub.at">sv@countryclub.at</a> ;
	Tel.: +43 676 898520330

Follow their instructions exactly!

#### Symptoms of COVID-19 could be:

- Fever / Cough /Sore throat
- Joint / Muscle / Headaches
- Shortness of breath / Breathing problems
- Nausea / Vomiting / Diarrhea

#### General Information:

The organizers have done everything possible to organize an event that is „safe“ for you, in accordance with the official regulations.

Please do your best to support these sensible measures and our efforts by adhering to the regulations and our rules and recommendations. The general hygiene rules must be observed, in particular:-

- Regular hand washing and disinfection,
- Coughing or sneezing in your elbow or tissue,
- Do not shake hands,
- Do not touch your face,
- No hugging or physical contact,
- No sharing of toilet articles. Exclusive use of your own sports equipment or objects (e.g. drink bottles) which must be marked clearly.
- When the use of public amenities or equipment is unavoidable, please disinfect before and after use with suitable cleaning

agents (e.g. soap/ disinfectants) Disinfect hands when entering the event and, if possible during your stay. Disinfectant or soap is available at several points for your use, but please also carry your own disinfectant or soap with you.

- All participants and visitors must take their own nose and mouth covering facemasks, and to have them ready for use without being asked. Additional masks will be available.

By entering the event location or participating in the event, the visitor had to agree and confirm:

- (1) That he/she feels fit and healthy to participate in the event, or has consulted a doctor beforehand if uncertain.
- (2) Is not knowingly infected with the COVID-19 virus or has been in any way in contact with infected people,
- (3) That he/she has not been in a COVID-19 risk area within the past 14 days before entering the sports facility or that he/she is in staying with an infected person or with anyone who is in quarantine,
- (4) That he/she does not belong to any risk group according to the provisions relating to coping with the corona crisis.

Furthermore, when entering or taking part in the event, the visitor must expressly agree that:

- a. To facilitate traceability of contacts in the event of a corona infection or suspected case, the organizer or third parties commissioned by the organizer may use his/her personal data. Namely name, date of birth, address, telephone-number, e-mail address, health or emergency contact data as well as the name of the event and any reservations /room numbers and expressly gives his consent to the processing of their personal data by the organizer, in particular to the disclosure of his health or emergency contact data to the responsible health authorities in the event that he/she has COVID-19 or shows suspicious symptoms. In this regard, reference is made to the corresponding data protection declaration of the event organiser (available at the event location or available at) <https://www.golf.at/meta-navi/datenschutz/>
- b. The organizer can carry out access/exit attendance or identity checks and, if necessary use video surveillance. In this regard, reference is made to the corresponding data protection declaration of the organizer (available at) <https://www.golf.at/meta-navi/datenschutz>
- c. He/she will follow the instructions of the organizer of the tournament or his authorized third party, otherwise they can also be issued with an exclusion from the event or event location. He/she must immediately follow this exclusion instruction.
- d. The parents (or accompanying responsibly liable persons) will follow the instructions of the organizer or his authorized third party. They must also immediately follow this exclusion instruction.
- e. At the request of the organizer or their authorized third party, he/she will also confirm that they have taken note of and comply with these rules of conduct by signing them.

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# COVID-19 PREVENTIONCONCEPT

iSd § 10 Abs 5 COVID-19-LV (BGBl\_II\_197/2020 idF 287/2020)

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## GUEST/PARTICIPATION CONFIRMATION

By participating in the event or entering and staying on site, I undertake to comply with any rules of conduct imposed by the event organizer regarding Covid-19 that may arise. I am liable to the organizer for their observance and will hold claim against third parties due to my behaviour in this regard. I hereby confirm, to have taken note of the „COVID-19 INFORMATION for PARTICIPANTS/SPECTATORS/GUESTS“ contents in full and comply with these instructions:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

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