

# THE CLUB MATCHPLAY CHAMPIONSHIP 2024

(Men Handicap Index 15.0 & below)

Tampines Course (Afternoon)	
Qualifying Round	Sunday, 7 July 2024
1st Round	Saturday, 13 July 2024
2nd Round	Sunday, 14 July 2024
Final Round	Saturday, 20 July 2024
Final Round	Sunday, 21 July 2024

Entry Fee: \$27.25 | Buggy fees for each round: \$34.88

**1.** The Club Matchplay Championship is open to Men with Handicap Index of 18.0 and below on 1 July 2024.

### 2. Qualifying Round

- a. The Qualifying Round is held in conjunction with the July 2024 Monthly Medal on Sunday, 7 July at the Tampines Course.
- b. Registration for Qualifying Round will be the Tampines Golf Office Competition Registration Counter on 7 July. Interested members must sign up before tee-off.
- c. Entry Fee is chargeable to participants who qualified and subsequently decided to withdraw.
- d. There must be a minimum of 16 players for the competition to proceed. The competition will be cancelled if there are fewer than 16 players signed up for the competition.
- e. In the event of inclement weather during the Qualifying Round not permitting the completion of 18 holes, the number of completed holes (minimum 9 holes) shall be used to determine the qualifiers. Should inclement weather affect the entire session, the 16 qualifiers shall be determined by the lowest handicap index.

**3.** The top 16 GROSS Scores will qualify for the Championship proper and proceed to play on first round of the Club Matchplay Championship.

Seeding / draw will be based on the qualifying round gross scores.

Upper Half	Lower Half
1 vs 16	2 vs 15
8 vs 9	7 vs 10
4 vs 16	3 vs 14
5 vs 12	6 vs 11

Play is off the stick. There will be no provision for Handicap Strokes.

Once qualifying round draw has been finalized, any withdrawal will be considered as a walkover i.e. no replacement / substitution.

When a match finishes all square/tied after 18 holes, players shall continue sudden death playoff from the 1st hole until an eventual winner is determined.

**Match Results:** Players are to stop playing and to report the match results as soon as the match has concluded.

**4.** In the event of **inclement weather** not permitting the completion of all the matches, the results of completed matches will stand.

For incomplete matches or completed matches which resulted in a tie, the players shall complete their match prior to the commencement of the subsequent round, on the following dates provisioned for completion of incomplete/tied matches.

Provision for 1st Round: Sunday, 14 July 2024 (AM)
Provision for 2nd Round: Saturday, 20 July 2024 (AM)
Provision for 3rd Round: Sunday, 21 July 2024 (AM)
Provision for Final Round: Sunday, 28 July 2024 (PM)

The Tournament Director's determination of the playability of the course, due to inclement weather, and the decision taken to terminate, or resume play for the day is final.

## 5. Time of Starting

The schedules of starting times for all competitions shall be fixed by the Club Management.

Unless otherwise stated or due to unforeseen circumstances such as inclement weather, the player must start at the tee time established by the Club.

If the player arrives at her starting point, ready to play, within five minutes after his/her starting time, the penalty for failure to start on time is loss of hole for Matchplay.

**Exception:** There is no penalty when the Club determines that exceptional circumstances have prevented a player from starting on time.

#### 6. Pace of Play

The "Individual Pace of Play" policy shall apply. Penalty for breaching the pace of play policy:

- a. First bad time: Reminder from the Club Officials (e.g. Referee, Marshal, Golf Ops Staff)
- b. Second bad time: Verbal warning from the Club Officials
- c. Third bad time: Loss of Hole
- d. Fourth bad time: Disqualification

#### 7. Suspension of Play for Dangerous Situation (Note to Rule 5.7b)

A suspension of play for a dangerous situation and the resumption of play shall be signalled using the club's siren system. Penalty for Breach of Rule 5.7b is Disqualification.

All practice areas that are in open areas shall be closed during suspension for a dangerous situation until the Club has declared them open.

#### 8. Disputes or doubts

The Club Official or referee shall have and make the final ruling for any tournament rule dispute.

## 9. Distance Measuring Devices (DMD)

A Player may obtain distance information by use of a distance-measuring device. If, during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance measuring device to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g. elevation changes, wind speed, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 4-3.

## 10. Personal Data Protection Act (PDPA)

All participants shall give the consent to the collection, use and disclosure of event photos for TMCC Marketing purposes including via the TMCC website, club newsletters, club magazine or TMCC social media channels. He/she is aware and agree to the TMCC's Privacy Policy at https://www.tmcc.org.sg/privacy-policy/ which may be updated from time to time.

#### 11. Amendments to Conditions

The Club reserves the right to amend the above competition conditions at any time.