



Welcome to the Prestige Master Series 2023

**On behalf of the entire team at the Prestige Golfshire Club
we extend a warm welcome and thank you for sharing your day with us.**

Tees: All play will be from the **Yellow TEE** markers for the men and **Red TEE** markers for the ladies.

Local Rules:

1. The water hazard at the front and rear of the **1st Hole Green** has a compulsory drop zone on left side of the green by the cart path.
2. Out of Bounds is defined by a **White Stake with a Black Top** or the boundary line or fence line of the golf course. House gardens are not part of the golf course.
3. Water hazard lines begin at the edge of the cart path for hazards on the sides of fairways along the cart path or at the point of entry on all other hazards. **Rule 17.1**
4. All artificial surfaces such as cart paths, bridges and roads are to be treated as **Immovable Obstructions** under rule 24-2 with relief allowed without penalty.
5. The **8th Hole** lake is to be treated as a hazard, any player hitting into the lake may go to the Drop Zone by the Ladies tee on the fairway side of the hole.
6. **Flower Beds – All flower beds** are integral parts of the golf course and the ball must be played as it lies. There is no free relief from and garden or flower beds.

7. **Fairway Hard Edge** – A ball coming to rest **against** the fairway hard edge or if the hard edge interferes with the players stance or swing, the player may take relief under rule 16.1 without penalty. (A Ball Must remain in native rough area. **Not back on grassed area.**)
8. A ball embedding in the grass face of a bunker must be played as it lies, or a drop taken with penalty.

Handicap Maximum: **Men's 24 Ladies 32**

Format: **Stableford – 3/4 Handicaps**

Pace of Play: The pace of play should not exceed 4 hours and 20 minutes. No group should lose sight of the group in front.

Miscellaneous: The marker is responsible for marking only the gross number of **strokes at each hole and stableford points.**

On Course Prizes: Nearest to the Pin Hole #6, Longest Drive Hole #13 and Straightest Drive Hole# 4

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Note:

- **Professional Golfers, Junior Players, Teaching Professionals and Touring Amateurs or Amateurs who have competed in Professional Tour Events as an Amateur, are not Eligible to win prizes or qualify for the finals.**
- **All players qualifying for the final will play off their deducted handicap they qualified with.**
- **Handicap would not be increased even if requested for the Finals**
- **All GPS devices are allowed to be used during the event.**
- **Players qualifying for the Grand Finale will not be allowed to participant in other qualifiers.**
- **Please verify your scores with your marker before submitting your score card, once a score card is posted no scores will be altered.**

Handicap Rules

- **Participants** will play off $\frac{3}{4}$ of their handicap. The handicap will be deducted as mentioned below:

3 Under- 1 handicap of a player will be deducted, post which **every 2 under 1 handicap** will be deducted.

- **The Playing handicap in the finals will be the deducted handicap of the player,** depending on the scores he/she has submitted in the qualifying round.
- All participants who have Qualified for the grand finale will play on their deducted handicap. This handicap will be finalised only by the tournament committee.
- All participants need to have an **Official Handicap Certificate from their Home Club that is recognised by the IGU and R&A** in order to participate in the Prestige Masters Grand Finale.
- Non-official handicaps- Those on Phone Apps, (Grint etc) **will not** be recognised if the player comes in the **Top 10**
- **All handicap certificates must be no older than 21 days prior to the day of the event.**
- On request, participants must provide the official handicap certificate to the tournament committee.
- Handicaps submitted / deducted post qualifying round will be the handicap applicable in the Finals.
- No change of handicap will be accepted on the day of the tournament.

Event Cancellation & Inclement Weather Policy

Events can be rescheduled. Players registered for events that are cancelled for any reason will be offered the opportunity to play on another day. Entry fees will not be refunded under any circumstances.

Rules of Play

The event shall be conducted in accordance with rules of R & A in conjunction with local rules of the Prestige Golfshire Club.

Interpretation of Conditions of Play

The Tournament Committee comprising of Prestige Golfshire Club will be the sole authority to interpret the conditions for this competition and to give decisions on any query, which may arise out of them. Any matter not covered under the conditions of play will be decided by the committee and its decision will be final & binding. Prestige Golfshire Club also reserves the right to fix/alter starting times as they see fit.

**Please drive your cart on the cart path only
Play Well and Good Luck!**

