



WELSH MENS OPEN STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP 2022

SPECIFIC TERMS OF COMPETITION

1. The Championship

- a) The Championship shall be open to male amateur golfers of all nationalities.
- b) It shall be played over 72 holes. 18 holes on days one, two, three and four
- c) Following round 2, a cut shall be made for the top 70 competitors and ties
- c) The Winner shall be the competitor who returns the lowest score over the 72 holes. In the event of a tie, there will be a hole by hole sudden death play-off over holes to be decided by the Championship Committee.
- d) Ties for all other places will be decided by the lowest score for the final 18 holes (or last 9, 6, 3 or 1 hole(s) in turn as required). If a tie still exists, a hole-by-hole card play-off starting from hole 1 will be used.
- e) A maximum of 156 competitors shall play in the Championship.

2. Entry Qualifications

- a) Entries will only be accepted from players with an official WHS Handicap Index of 3.0 held at an affiliated club to their National Union, or less or overseas equivalent.
- b) Entrants holding both a United Kingdom WHS Handicap Index and an overseas equivalent must use their United Kingdom handicap information when entering.
- c) Failure to enter in accordance with this condition will result in entry being denied.

3. Exemptions

The Wales Golf Championship Committee reserves the right to grant up to 6 invitations into this event for players eligible for Welsh representation.

4. Winner & Prizes

- a) The Winner of the Championship will be the Welsh Open Amateur Stroke Play Champion and he will be awarded a memento and £300
- b) The Runner Up will be presented with the Llangattock Bowl, receive a memento and £200.
- c) The following additional prizes will be awarded:
 - i. Third place A memento and £100
 - ii. Fourth place £50
 - iii. Best 72 hole Scratch Score by a Welsh player under 21 years of age on the first day of the Championship will be presented with the Simpson Cup and a memento.
 - iv. Best 18 hole gross score during the Championship will be presented with the Chester Gold Medal.

Note: The above Conditions must be read in conjunction with the following which apply to all Wales Golf Championships:

- i. Wales Golf 'General Terms of Competition & Rules'
- ii. Wales Golf 'Hard Card' (Local Rules & Terms of Competition)
- iii. Wales Golf Anti-Doping Policy