



HRVATSKI GOLF SAVEZ
CROATIAN GOLF ASSOCIATION

CROATIA OPEN 2020

28th Croatian International Amateur Championship

MEN & LADIES



Together with

CROATIAN MidAm Open

Croatian International MidAm Championship

&

CROATIAN JUNIOR OPEN

26th Croatian International Junior Amateur Championship

Riverside Golf Zagreb
September, 18th – 20th 2020

Riverside Golf Zagreb



I. Venue **Golf Course:** Riverside Golf Zagreb – www.riversidegolf.hr

II. Date September, 18th – 20th 2020

Riverside Golf Zagreb is a place for those who want to spend their professional or recreational sports-related moments in a natural environment, so close, yet so far away from city crowds.

The championship golf course is PAR 72 with a total length of 6415 meters. As many as 11 lakes can be found on this course, which makes it a challenge for every golfer, offering a portion of increased adrenaline which players will want to repeat again and again.

In addition to the championship course, Riverside Golf Zagreb offers excellent practice facilities; a nine-hole golf course which is PAR 30, with a total length of 1558 meters, with three PAR 4s and six PAR 3s; a spacious driving range with capacity for 40 players, plus chipping and putting green. It is also possible to practice under a covered, lit driving range tent with 12 positions.

III. Conditions

A)

CROATIA OPEN

54 holes of stroke play (3 rounds) men, using White tees

54 holes of stroke play (3 rounds) women, using Blue tees

CROATIAN MidAm OPEN

54 holes of stroke play (3 rounds) men, using White tees

54 holes of stroke play (3 rounds) women, using Blue tees

CROATIA JUNIOR OPEN

54 holes of stroke play (3 rounds) men, using Yellow tees

- players registered on Croatian Junior Open, are not competing on Croatia Open. Last moment to change competition is before official registration, in person or by email.

54 holes of stroke play (3 rounds) women, using Red tees

- players registered on Croatian Junior Open, are not competing on Croatia Open. Last moment to change competition is before official registration, in person or by email.

Thursday	17 th September, practice round
Friday	18 th September, 1 st Round
Saturday	19 th September, 2 nd Round
Sunday	20 th September, 3 rd Round

In the event of a tie for first place, the winner will be decided by a hole-by-hole playoff. For any further tie, the winners will be decided based on the final stipulated 36, 18, 9,6,3 holes or last hole, in that order.

B)

The Championship is to be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by The R & A Rules, and the Local Rules as approved by the Championship Committee.

C)

The ball the player uses must be named on the current List of Conforming Golf Balls issued by The R&A

The penalty for breach of conditions: Disqualification

D)

Driving Clubs

Any driver the player carries must have a club head, identified by model and loft that is named on the current List of Conforming Driver Heads issued by the R&A.

The penalty for making a stroke with a club in breach of condition: Disqualification

E)

Buggies, Caddies and Trolleys

No buggies may be used. Players must not ride on any form of transportation. Manual or electric trolleys may be used. Caddies are allowed, except for competitors on Junior Open.

F)

Mobile phones

The use of mobile phones for calls or messaging by players or caddies is prohibited except in case of emergency.

G)

Medical care

During play, a doctor will be on duty in the Clubhouse.

IV. Eligibility

CROATIA OPEN

Amateurs – men and women, members of a Golf Club that is a member of National Association/Federation/Union and who conform to the current Amateur Status Rules of the R&A and hold a current and valid handicap.

Exemptions

The following will be exempt from the ballot provided they satisfy the handicap requirements: Ten (10) players as nominated by the Croatian Golf Association.

CROATIAN MidAm OPEN

Regardless of gender, all Croatian and foreign countries amateur golf players, who turned 30 years of age until 17th of September 2020. Players must meet with the requirements of the Championship and must hold a valid handicap. There is no upper age limit.

CROATIA JUNIOR OPEN

Juniors boys and girls, members of a Golf Club that is member of National Association /Federation /Union, who are younger than 18 years.

V. Limit of exact handicap and entries

CROATIA OPEN

Max 84 Competitors shall be eligible to compete. 54 Men with an exact handicap of 24,0 or better and 30 Ladies with an exact handicap of 28,0 or better, certified by the respective Handicap authority and must be validated on the date of entry.

If the number of entries exceeds, places in the starting field will be decided by the Handicap ballot.

CROATIAN MidAm OPEN

HCP limit for man players 24,0 (EHCP) and 28,0 for women. All applied competitors on Croatia Open who are 30 years old or more, will be registered on Croatia MidAm Open too.

CROATIA JUNIOR OPEN

Max 60 competitors shall be eligible to compete. 40 male players with an exact handicap of 36,0 or better and 20 female players with an exact handicap of 36,0 or better, certified by the respected Handicap authority and must be validated on the date of entry. If the number of entries exceeds 60, players with better HCP will have priority registration.

VI. Prizes

Sunday, September 20th

CROATIA OPEN

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian International Amateur Championship- Men

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian International Amateur Championship- Women

1stplace – U21 Croatian International Amateur Championship- Men

1stplace – U21 Croatian International Amateur Championship- Women

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian National Amateur Championship- Men

1st place - Croatian National Amateur Championship- Women

CROATIAN MidAm Open

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian MidAm Championship- Men

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian MidAm Championship- Women

CROATIA JUNIOR OPEN

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian Junior Open Boys Championship

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian Junior Open Girls Championship

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian Junior National Boys Championship

1st, 2nd and 3rd place - Croatian Junior National Girls Championship

1st place - Croatian Junior Open Boys Championship U14

1st place - Croatian Junior Open Girls Championship U14

1st place - Croatian Junior Open Boys Championship U18

1st place - Croatian Junior Open Girls Championship U18

VII. Championship Committee

Croatian Golf Association

VIII. Entries

Entries must be made via the official Entry Form.

Croatian Golf Association must receive fully completed Entry Form via email office@golfportal.hr until **Monday, August 31st 2020, no later than 12:00 o'clock.**

IX. Entry Fee

Bank Payment (IBAN / SWIFT) prior to the event, until 31st August 2020

- IBAN: HR6624020061100544350
- SWIFT: ESBCHR22 (Erste Bank from Rijeka)

Entry Fees:

Approx.

CROATIA OPEN & CROATIA MidAm OPEN *220,00 EUR* **1.650,00 HRK**

CROATIA JUNIOR OPEN *150,00 EUR* **1.125,00 HRK**

-Entry Fee includes: Practice round, 3 competition rounds, water & snacks every day of competition.

X. Registration:

All Players must register at the reception of the Riverside Golf Zagreb **one day prior** to the championship (September 17th), **no later than 15:00 pm.**

A competitor who does not register up to this date and time is liable to be withdrawn from the championship. If a player is unable to register in person, a registration by another person will be accepted.

XI. Free practice Round Practice round registrations should be made using following contact information, one day prior to the Championship, Wednesday, September 16th no later than 15:00 pm.

Riverside Golf Zagreb

Jadranska avenija 6, 10020 Zagreb, Croatia

Tel: +385 (0) 1 653 11 77

info@riverside.hr

www.riversidegolf.hr

contact persons on golf reception: Jakša Junušić, Sanja Dah-Rađenović

XII. Program

Wednesday	All day 08:00 – 15:00	Arrival, accommodation Registration
Thursday	08:00 19:00	Practice round Welcome reception
Friday	08:00	1 st round 18 holes
Saturday	08:00	2 nd round 18 holes
Sunday	08:00 17:00	3 rd round 18 holes Prizegiving & closing reception

XIII. Additional information:

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Lunch during the tournament is optional within the golf course.

Trolleys and Range Balls should be paid at the reception.