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SPANISH INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP “COPA S.M. EL REY”



El Saler Golf Club – 1 to 5 March 2017
– Counting Event for the R&A World Amateur Golf Ranking –

GOLF COURSE: CAMPO DE GOLF EL SALER

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HOW TO

GET THERE:

Coordinates: Latitude 39.321.075 / Longitude -0.302205

The Parador is 18 km from Valencia. Coming from the south, follow the AP-7 and take exit 59. From Madrid, Barcelona or the airport, take the V-30 and follow signs for the puerto/port. Take the El Saler exit from the CV-500 towards El Perelló-Devesa, without entering the town of El Saler.



DATES:

1 to 5 March 2017

1 & 2 March:

Stroke Play Rounds

3 to 5 March:

Match Play Rounds

Official Practice Days:

27 & 28 February 2017

(To reserve practice times, please contact the golf club directly)

CONDITIONS:

The Championship Conditions is enclosed to this information.

(Exact handicap limit: 1.4)

Applies: Groove and Punch Mark Condition (Decision 4-1/1)

The player's clubs must conform to the groove and punch mark specification in the Rules of Golf that are effective from 1 January 2010.

Penalty for making a stroke with club in breach of condition – Disqualification.

ENTRY FEES:

Entry fees should be paid when registration, upon arrival at El Saler Golf Club:

- Fee 80, 00 €

This fee includes the temporary license required by the RFEF Statutes and the insurance attached to the license, subscribed by the Regional Federation where the competition takes place.

ENTRIES:

Entries must be submitted ONLINE <http://www.rfegolf.es> by **23:59 hours, 8th February 2017**. Entries failing this condition will not be accepted.



Players should select the competition, click on **“entries online”**

After that, player must click on the box: “I am a foreign player” and fills player’s details required for the competition.

For Spanish Players, the official exact handicap to make the list of accepted players will be listed in the database of the RFEF at 10:00 a.m. the day after the closing date. For Foreign Players, the official exact handicap used for all purposes will be the certified handicap at date of entry by their National Golf Federation, Union or Association.

The list of accepted teams and the waiting list (if any) will be published at the web site of the Royal Spanish Golf Federation (www.rfegolf.es) from the day after the closing date.

You can also require your federation to submit your entry form on your behalf. Players are responsible to check if her entry form is accepted. Any claims must be submitted within the next 24 hours after the list of participants is published.

**REGISTER
OF PLAYERS:**

The register of players and the payment of the entry fee will be made jointly at the Golf Club, at place established by the Championship Committee, before 16:00 hours on the 28th January 2017. Place may be forfeited by a competitor from whom no word has been received by the above date.

**ACCOMMODATION
OFFER:**

List of recommended Hotels near the Golf: (Attached at Page 7).
High Season. Bookings awarded on a first come first served basis.

All reservations you choose must be made through HOLE GOLF – EVENTOS 90 S.L., by filling in the accommodation booking form that we herewith enclose. You must send it by e-mail to:

HOLE GOLF – EVENTOS 90 S.L.
APPLICATIONS BY E-MAIL: alfaro@holegolf.com

Madrid, December 1st, 2016


THE GENERAL SECRETARY
LUIS ALVAREZ DE BOHORQUES

CAMPEONATO INTERNACIONAL AMATEUR DE ESPAÑA MASCULINO

SPANISH INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

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ELIGIBILITY:

Any amateur player in possession of a National Federation or Union Membership Card, with an exact handicap of 1.4 or better, is eligible to enter. The exact handicap certified at date of entry will be used for all purposes. There will be no handicap limit for past Spanish Amateur Champions.

An entry will be accepted from any player who has been R&A WAGRanked 1-1500 (see www.randa.org/wagr) at the closing date of entries.

All entries will be subject to the approval of the Championship Committee which reserves the right to accept or refuse, or having accepted, subsequently reject any entry without giving reason for its decision.

The starting field will comprise (i) 100 competitors from condition 1 & 2 below and (ii) 20 under conditions 3 & 4:

1. Any entrant in at least one of the following categories will be allocated a place in the starting field:

- (a) The current (British) Amateur, US Amateur, European Amateur and Spanish Amateur Champions.
- (b) Playing members of the five leading teams and ties in the last edition of the Eisenhower Trophy.
- (c) Team members making the semi-finals in the last edition of the European Men's Team Championship.
- (d) The current European Boys Team Champions.
- (e) Team members who participated in the last edition of the St Andrews Trophy, the Jacques Leglise Trophy and the Michael Bonallack Trophy.
- (f) The leading 8 players and ties in the last playing of the Spanish Amateur Close Championship.
- (g) The leading 4 players and ties in the last playing of the Spanish Under 18 Close Championship.
- (h) The leading 2 players and ties in the last playing of the Spanish Under 16 Close Championship.
- (i) The leading 8 players and ties in the last completed Spanish Amateur Order of Merit.
- (j) The leading 4 players and ties in the last completed Spanish Under 18 Order of Merit.

2. Having applied Condition 1, the remainder of the 100 will comprise (a) entrants in order of WAG Ranking (1-1500 at the closing date for entries) and, if still incomplete, (b) entrants using exact handicaps.

3. 15 players of Spanish nationality not included in groups 1 and 2 (a) in order of WAG Ranking (1-2000 at the closing date for entries) and (b) by exact handicap order.

4. 5 players invited by the Amateur Technical Committee of the Royal Spanish Golf Federation.

Unsuccessful entrants will be informed immediately after the Closing Date and will be placed on a Reserve List and given the opportunity to compete if there are subsequent withdrawals. Entrance fees will be refunded to entrants balloted out who do not compete. This waiting list will be closed on Friday, at 14:00 hrs prior to the start of the championship.

If, for any reason, a competitor is unable to participate, he must communicate this to either the Championship Committee at the Club or to the Amateur Technical Committee of the Royal Spanish Golf Federation before 27 February 2017. Any player who fails to follow this procedure risks having his entry refused for future Championships.

Competitors must register at the Tournament Office before 16:00 hours on the 28 February 2017. Place may be forfeited by a competitor from whom no word has been received by the above date.

FORMAT:

1 & 2 March 2017:

36 holes qualifying of 18 holes Stroke Play on Days 1 & 2.

After the first 36 holes Stroke Play, the first 32 players will qualify to play for the Match Play stage.

Ties for every spot will be decided by the last 18, 27, 30, 33, 34, 35 holes.

3 to 5 March 2017:

The Match Play stage will be played over 18 holes in the morning and 18 holes in the afternoon, each day. The Final, will be played on 5 March over 36 holes. If a match is all square after 18 holes, or 36 holes in the Final, the players will continue to play until a player wins a hole, when the match will be considered won.

ENTRIES:

Entries should be submitted ONLINE (www.rfegolf.es). The register of players and the payment of the entry fee will be made jointly at the Clubhouse on 27 & 28 February 2017.

PRIZES:

The trophy Copa S.M. El Rey remains in the property of the Royal Spanish Golf Federation. Each year, the name of the winner, date, and name of the club where the championship has taken place will be engraved on the trophy.

The winner and the runner-up will receive replicas of the trophy provided by the Royal Spanish Golf Federation.

Those players reaching the semi-finals will receive cups as well as the winner of the Nations Cup.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGTH TO AMEND THE CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS.

NATIONS CUP

The Nations Cup will be played simultaneously with the 36 holes Stroke Play by National Teams of two or three players.

Each National Federation or Golfing Union may enter a maximum of three teams.

The two best scores of each day will count.

In case of a tie, the two scores not previously counted, will be taken into account and the team with the lowest individual score will be proclaimed the winner.

CAMPEONATO INTERNACIONAL AMATEUR DE ESPAÑA MASCULINO "COPA S.M. EL REY"

Campo de Golf El Saler – Del 1 al 5 de Marzo de 2017

SOLICITUD DE ALOJAMIENTO / ACCOMMODATION REQUEST

NOS HACE FALTA SOLO LOS DATOS QUE SOLICITAMOS, NO ESTA HOJA.

DETAILS REQUIRED GUARANTEEING YOUR RESERVATION:

Apellidos/Surname:	Nombre/Name:
Población/City:	Tlf. Móvil/Mobile:
Credit Card Nº:	Exp. Date:
Jugador/Player (1)	
Jugador/Player (2)	

Hotel	Cat.	BLOQUEO Hab	Accommodation 1 people <i>Single Room</i>	Accommodation 2 people <i>Twin Room</i>	Accommodation 3 people <i>3 bedded room</i>	DESAYUNO <i>Breakfast</i>
PARADOR EL SALER <small>En el Golf, playa, piscina, restaurante, wifi, parking, etc.</small> http://www.parador.es/es/paradores/parador-de-el-saler	4 ****	55 Hab	100 €/noche Con IVA	120 €/noche Con IVA	155 €/noche Con IVA	INCLUIDO buffet
HOTEL ALBUFERA APARTHOTEL ALBUFERA <small>En Alfafar, a unos 15 minutos de El Saler. Piscina, garaje, restaurante, zona de ocio a 200 metros, etc..</small> www.bestwestern.es/hotel-albufera www.apartotelalbufera.es	4 ****	15 Hab 15 Apartos A 60 mts del Hotel	55 €/noche Con IVA	60 €/noche Apartment 2 Dormitorios 3 personas 72 €/noche Con IVA	Apartment 2 Dormitorios 4 personas 95,5 €/noche Con IVA	INCLUIDO Buffet
TRYP VALENCIA OCEANIC <small>En Valencia a unos 18 minutos del Golf, en coche</small> http://www.tryphotels.com/en/tryp-oceanic-hotel-valencia-spain.html	4 ****	10 Habitaciones	85 €/noche Con IVA	95 €/noche Con IVA	Consultar	INCLUIDO buffet

Precios por habitación y noche / *Rates per room per night*. DUI: Habitación doble, uso individual.

ESTABLISHMENT: _____

Fecha de Llegada/*Arrival date*: _____ Fecha salida/*Departure date*: _____

Habitación Individual-DUI /*Single*: _____ Doble /*Twin* (2 camas): _____ Hab Doble + supletoria/*Triple*: _____

FECHA LÍMITE GARANTIA SOLICITUD:

Por orden de solicitudes, hasta agotar estos alojamientos.

HIGHT SEASON. BOOKINGS AWARDED ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS

Confirmaremos el alojamiento una vez publicadas las listas de jugadores admitidos RFEF
Accommodation will be confirmed after the publishes the list of participants