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ABOUT SWITZERLAND

Some facts about Switzerland:

Switzerland, officially the Swiss Confederation, is a federal republic in Europe. It consists of 26 cantons, and the city of Bern is the seat of the federal authorities. The country is situated in Western-Central Europe, and is bordered by Italy to the south, France to the west, Germany to the north, and Austria and Liechtenstein to the east. Switzerland is a landlocked country geographically divided between the Alps, the Swiss Plateau and the Jura.



While the Alps occupy the greater part of the territory, the Swiss population of approximately eight million people is concentrated mostly on the plateau, where the largest cities are to be found: among them are the two global cities and economic centres Zürich and Geneva. There are four official languages in Switzerland, by order of importance German, French, Italian and Romansh. The currency used is Switzerland is the Swiss Franc (CHF).

Lausanne; is situated in the French-speaking part of Switzerland, on the shores of Lake Geneva (Lac *Léman in French*) and is the capital of the canton of Vaud.



Lausanne has a focus of international sport, hosting the International Olympic Committee (which has recognised the city as the "Olympic Capital" since 1994), the Court of Arbitration for Sport and some 55 international sport associations. It lies in a well-known winegrowing region. Lausanne will host the 2020 Winter Youth Olympics.

The Olympic Museum is well worth a visit. If you wish to go there please ask the Helpdesk at the club reception.















HOW TO GET THERE

- The closest international airport is Geneva International Airport (GVA)
- Visa Requirements to be found on <u>https://www.sem.admin.ch/sem/en/home/themen/einreise/merkblatt_einreise.html</u>

Detailed information on how to get to the golf course from Geneva Airport

• by car

Highway A1/A9 direction Lausanne / Simplon, exit left at #10 Lausanne-Vennes, follow N1 direction Bern for 2.5 km and then follow Golf Lausanne signs

• by train & taxi

Train from Geneva Airport to Lausanne (approx. every half-hour) and taxi to club. Cost: train ticket 28.- chf one way - <u>http://www.sbb.ch/en/home.html</u>

















THE VENUE

The 18-hole golf course in Lausanne was established in 1921, partially abandoned during the war and re-opened in 1947. The course has seen major renovation by renowned architect Jeremy Pern in 1996. It is a parkland course with many venerable trees. It has hosted the Espirito Santo Trophy in 1982, the St. Andrews Trophy in 2002 and numerous other international events. A video of the golf course is to be found on <u>https://www.flyovergreen.com/iframe/golf/1839</u>.

For this event, the par-72 course will be 5721m in length, CR is 76.8 and SR is 143 (see scorecard below). The official StrokeSaver will be handed out free of charge to participants. Restrooms are located on holes 3-7-10-14.



The practice facilities in Lausanne Golf Club include a large driving range as well as short-game practice area and putting green.

Lausanne Golf Club

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	Length		Stroke
Hole	(meters)	Par	Index
1	372	4	7
2	349	4	5
3	120	3	17
4	355	4	3
5	343	4	1
6	476	5	9
7	307	4	15
8	157	3	11
9	426	5	13
Out	2905	36	
10	368	4	2
11	126	3	18
12	302	4	12
13	420	5	14
14	331	4	4
15	334	4	6
16	335	4	8
17	140	3	10
18	460	5	16
In	2816	36	
Total	5721	72	

Course Rating = 76.8 Slope Rating = 143















ACCOMMODATION

A special rate has been arranged with the AQUATIS HOTEL, located 5 minutes' drive away from the golf club: <u>https://www.aquatis-hotel.ch/en/</u>. This rate is 100.- chf (+ tax) per night per room (single or double). Breakfast is not included but is available each morning from 6.30am for a cost of 20.- chf (full breakfast) or reduced price on demand. Breakfast will also be available at the clubhouse each morning from 5.30am to 8.00am (**sign-up at Helpdesk required** - evening before at the latest).

Kindly check the **enclosed Booking Form** to be sent directly to the AQUATIS HOTEL. Bookings for this hotel must be made without further delay as the pre-booked rooms are available only **until June 23rd**.

For a further choice of hotels please check the Lausanne Tourist Information Board website on http://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch/en/. This site also gives information regarding other events taking place in Lausanne during the same week. Transportation will be organised only between the Aquatis Hotel and the golf club.



Defending Champion: Bronte Law















COMMITTEES

Honorary Committee

Mr Jean-Marc Mommer, President of EGA and ASG
Mr Yves Hofstetter, President, Golf Club Lausanne
Mr Oscar Tosato, Lausanne Municipality
Mr David Bird, R&A Representative
Mrs Diane Bailey, R&A Representative
Mr Richard Heath, EGA General Secretary
Ms Barbara Albisetti, ASG General Secretary
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Mr Arto Teittinen, EGA Championship Committee
Mr Wouter Pijl, Swiss Golf Association
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Ms Anna Forlano, ASG Referee
Mr Arnaud Baratçabal, EGA Championship Manager















CHAMPIONSHIP PROGRAMME

DAY 1 - Monday, July 24

All day	Arrival of players
From 9am to 6pm	Registration at the Golf Club Reception
	1 st Practice Round

DAY 2 - Tuesday, July 25

All day	2 nd Practice Round
Until 12pm	Registration at the Golf Club Reception
18.30	Opening Ceremony and Welcome Cocktails
19.30	Barbecue dinner (cost: 48 chf incl. soft drinks and coffee, sign-up at
	Helpdesk required)

DAY 3 - Wednesday, July 26

From 7.30 am	1st Round - 2-tee start

DAY 4 - Thursday, July 27

From 7.30 am 2nd Round - 2	2-tee start
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DAY 5 - Friday, July 28

From 7 am 3rd Round - single tee start (Cut, top 60 and tie

DAY 6 - Saturday, July 29

From 7.30 am	Final Round - single tee start
30' after last group	Closing Ceremony at Golf Club Lausanne
Followed by	Cocktails

DAY 7 - Sunday, July 30

All day

Departure of players















CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION

ENTRIES

Entry forms are to be found on the website of the European Golf Association (EGA). All entries and payments (150.-CHF) must be made via EGA: WWW.EGA-GOLF.CH > Welcome > Entry Forms The entry deadline is Wednesday 14 June; no later than 5pm (CET).

HELPDESK

The Helpdesk for participants is situated at the reception of the golf club, just inside the main entrance.

BAG STORAGE

A golf bag storage is located at the Clubhouse. It is open daily from 6.00am to 9.00pm. Pull-trolleys are free of charge and available in sufficient numbers. A small number of electrical trolleys are available for rent (cost per day: 25.- chf). These must be booked in advance, on a first-come first-serve basis: info@golflausanne.ch.

PRACTICE FACILITIES

A practice putting green, bunker practice and a short game area and full driving range are available next to the Clubhouse. Practice balls are free of charge. On the driving range players are required to play from mats and may not hit shots with driver due to the length of the range.

PRACTICE ROUNDS

The official practice days are Monday, July 24 and Tuesday, July 25. Please reserve your teetime for the practice round directly at the golf club: <u>info@golflausanne.ch</u>.



PRO-SHOP

The Pro-Shop is situated next to the caddy-master and is fully equipped. It will be open daily, one hour before the first start to 6.30pm.















CATERING

The Clubhouse's restaurant will be available for players and their guests for dining and resting. The price for daily Players Menu is 23.- chf incl. soft drinks & coffee. Payment methods: you can buy coupons or open an account to be paid at the end of your stay. All major credit cards are accepted. Refreshments and snacks will be available at the half-way house during the championship days. Water fountains are available on holes 3-7-14.

CEREMONIES

Tuesday, July 25, 6.30pm – The Official Opening Ceremony and a Welcome cocktail reception at the clubhouse.

Saturday, 29 July 6pm (approx.) – The Closing Ceremony in front of the clubhouse, followed by the farewell cocktail party at the clubhouse.

CLUBHOUSE

The clubhouse with locker rooms, restaurant etc. will be open daily from 6am to 11pm.



DRESS CODE

A reasonable standard of dress is expected at all times, both on the course and in the clubhouse. Jeans, sleeveless or collarless shirts and tracksuits are not permitted on the course. Smart jeans are the only jeans accepted in the clubhouse. The welcome and farewell cocktail parties will be informal. Only soft spikes are permitted on the course.

INFORMATION BOARDS

There will be information boards located in the club house and the reception area of the official hotel. Players should have a look at the information boards at regular intervals as important information will be displayed relating to tee-times, messages etc. The information will also be published on the official website of the championship <u>http://www.ega-golf.ch/content/european-ladies-amateur-championship-0</u>.















PRESS OFFICER

The official press officer is Mr Hugo Steinegger. He can be contacted by email <u>hugo.steinegger@bluewin.ch</u> or mobile phone +41 (0)79 300 30 60.

LIVESCORING

Available on the championship website: <u>http://www.ega-golf.ch/content/european-ladies-amateur-</u> <u>championship-0</u>. Players are requested to give their scores to the volunteers who will be present every 3 or 4 holes.

LOCKERS

The locker rooms are situated in the clubhouse on the first floor. One locker for personal belongings will be made available to each player. Please contact the locker-room attendant, Lina.

MEDICAL SERVICES

Doctors will be available on call. Epalinges Medical Center is nearby. First-aid kit to be found at the Helpdesk. If medical services are needed please contact the Helpdesk.

MOBILE PHONES

Phone calls - incoming or outgoing - are allowed in the parking area only. Mobile devices may be used in all other areas for messaging or surfing purposes only.

REGISTRATION AND TOURNAMENT OFFICE

Registration is open on Monday, 24 July from 9am to 6pm and on Tuesday, 25 July from 9am to 12pm (noon) at the clubhouse reception area.

Competitors are requested to register at the clubhouse reception immediately on arrival, but not later than Tuesday, 25 July at 12pm. A competitor's failure to meet the deadline or to pre-notify the Committee of her pending arrival time may result in the competitor losing her starting field place reservation. The Tournament office is situated on the 2nd floor (Salon Scheffer) and will be open between 1 hour before first start and 30 minutes after last group in.

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation will be organised between the official hotel (Hotel Aquatis) and the golf club. The schedule will be established at a further date.

Players will make their own airport / official hotel transfer arrangements.















CONTACTS

Organizing Committee:

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Association Suisse de Golf

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European Golf Association

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You will find all the necessary information regarding the tournament on the official event page on the EGA Website: <u>http://www.ega-golf.ch/content/european-ladies-amateur-championship-0</u>.











This formular is to be sent back filled in and signed

to <u>info@aquatis-hotel.ch</u> (for any further information you may also dial 0041 21.654.24.24)

Group / event : European Ladies' Amateur Championship

First and last name of the guest(s) :
Phone number and address :
Date of birth :
Passport or id card number :
Credit card details (guarantee only) :Expiry date
Breakfast : Not included (Full CHF 20 per person per day, Reduced on demand)
Booking Code : CEDG2017
Rate: CHF 100.00 per night per Single room
CHF 100.00 per night per Double/Twin room
Standard Room : Single Double / Twin
Breakfast : Yes No
Number of guest(s) :
Arrival date :
Departure date :

City tax : CHF 3.10 per person per night on top

The room will be paid by the guest(s) on the spot.

Booking date limit : Friday 23rd june 2017, after that date the bookings will be confirmed upon hotel availability.

Signature

Parking Conditions in P+R de Vennes

Get a ticket at the P+R Vennes entrance.
CHF 1.50 per hour / CHF 12.00 for 24 hours (special rates)
Have your ticket validated at the front office of the hotel to get this special rate
Payment at the dedicated parking till before leaving.
PS : The outside car park in front of the hotel is strictly to be used by the restaurant customers for a maximum duration of 2 hours.