

COBRA/PUMA CGGU SERIES TOURNAMENT RISK MITIGATION PROCEDURE



Conditions of Entry:	Participation to be subject to agreement and implementation of SA Government Regulations / Directions, GolfRSA Good Golf Practice Guidelines and the host facility's Risk Mitigation Plan (RMP) and this Tournament Risk Mitigation Procedure (TRMP).
Entry and Payment:	All entries and payments must be done through the online sign-up portal on the CGGU website to finalise your entry. No cash will be accepted at the event.
Cancellations & Withdrawals:	If you have any of the Covid-19 symptoms on the morning before play or any time leading up to the event you are obligated to inform the Union and withdraw yourself from the event. In the case where you have already paid your entry fee the Union will refund your entry fee.
Registration and screening:	Players are required to comply with all club entry and screening processes. All persons accessing the facilities must divulge their Covid-19 status / honest account of symptoms at the screening station and subject themselves to sanitation and temperature screening as required (this could possibly be done on multiple occasions on site). Those with visible Covid-19 related symptoms or an elevated temperature of 38°C or more will not be allowed access to the venue and participants will immediately be withdrawn from the tournament. Players are then required to register with the CGGU team prior to teeing off
Social Distancing and Wearing of masks	Players must wear masks on arrival and in or around the clubhouse and when social distancing is not possible. On the course players may remove their masks if they keep a minimum of 3m apart, and 5m apart during windy conditions (>24km/h).
Flagsticks and bunkers:	Players may not remove flagsticks during the course of play. The following local rule is applicable for bunkers. MODEL LOCAL RULE FOR BUNKERS When a player's ball lies in a bunker, the player may take free relief once, by placing the original ball or another ball and playing from the relief area. Reference Point: Spot of the original ball. Size of the Relief Area: One club length, but must not be closer to the hole and must remain in the bunker.
Scoring and Markers	Golfers may not share, or exchange scorecards. Golfers will be assigned scorecards on the tee box. After the round, the marker must confirm the score with the player verbally and verbally submit the scores to the tournament official at the scoring area. The player is not required to sign the scorecard.
Transportation and Caddies:	No Travelling or outside caddies will be allowed, only local caddies may be used in the tournament. Breach of this condition will result in disqualification. The use of golf carts are also not permitted in the Championship Division for the duration of the tournament with the exception that officially certified Disabled Golfers may be exempted on a case by case basis(leg amputee for example) by the tournament committee. Certified Disabled refers only in this case to defective mobility and the use of a cart being granted. All requests should be made to the Tournament Director. Golfers in the Senior Division may use carts and these must be booked through the club.
Prize Giving	There shall be no gatherings around the clubhouse area. There will be no prize giving after play and winners will be announced on social media.

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Additional Information:

Spectators - In terms of SA Government Regulations spectators are not allowed at GolfRSA and WAGR ranked tournaments.

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Players over the age of older than 60 years old and those with health issues or comorbidities accept any risk that playing in these tournaments may pose

Food & Beverage - All players/ caddies and tournament staff are to comply with the Rules and Requirements related to the catering facility and areas (including lounge areas) within the clubhouse and club grounds. Although these facilities may cater for sit-down meals, it is recommended however that player and caddie food and beverages be purchased on take away basis only, in order to avoid the congregation of persons in the clubhouse. All drinking fountains on the courses will be closed and players and caddies are advised to purchase their own bottled drinks and take enough with them on the course for hydration needs. The disposal of litter / food and beverage containers must be disposed of in a safe and tidy manner which may require such items to be carried from the course by the player/caddie and disposed of at the club house

Exemption of Liability

The Host Club, Central Gauteng Golf Union, Ladies Golf Gauteng and their management will not be held responsible for any damages, loss, including personal loss and or other forms of loss, harm or injury sustained as stipulated below:

Physical and/or emotional injuries suffered during the tournament/championship, due to any acts of God, suffered as a direct result thereof, including aspects such as being struck by lightning, etc.

Physical injuries of any kind suffered by any person, including a player or spectator sustained by own negligence, or otherwise.

Emotional injuries sustained due to any loss, including death, suffered as a result of any of the above injuries sustained personally or by a spectator.

Damages suffered to any property of a player.

The appointed representative of the school acknowledges the exemption of liability of the Union and its management as listed above when he signs the acknowledgement. He also acknowledges the contents of the above, understands it, and exempts the Host Club and Union from any liability as indicated above.

The Host Club and Union does not warrant or guarantee the safety of any person