



2023 Kenda Tire TLPGA Open

Tournament Information

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| Date | September 20(Wednesday) ~ September 22(Friday) | |
| Closing date | 12:00 (UTC+8) , August 16 (Mon.). Announcement of final field on TLPGA website on August 18(Fri.) | |
| Schedule | Date | Event |
| | Monday, 9/18 | Registration / Official Practice Round |
| | Tuesday, 9/19 | Press conference: Mandatory for Pro-Am Players Pro-Am Tournament Pro-Am Party: Mandatory for Pro-Am Players |
| | Wednesday, 9/20 | 1 st Round |
| | Thursday, 9/21 | 2 nd Round (Cut to top 50 including tie) |
| | Friday, 9/22 | Final Round Award Ceremony All players made into final are mandatory to attend |
| Venue | Taifong Golf Club No.77, Xuefu Road, Dacun Township, Changhua County 515, Taiwan Tel: +886-4-852-0101 | |
| Advising Unit | Sports Administration Ministry of Education | |
| Organizer | The LPGA of Taiwan | |
| Title Sponsor | Kenda Rubber Ind., Co., Ltd. | |
| Co. Organizer | Taifong Golf Club | |
| Purse | Total Prize: \$3,000,000NTD / Champion: \$540,000NTD | |
| Eligibility & Field | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Equal to or less than 102 players. Professional players: According to 2023 TLPGA TOUR Priority list. Amateur players: Taiwanese Only. Females age from 12 to 24, with a handicap of 10 or less (handicap verification required within 6 months). The order of priority: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2023 TLPGA Amateur players ranking The World Amateur Golf Rankings Outstanding score in the past two years Invitation: 5 from sponsor and 2 from club. (Both pro and amateur is allowed) | |
| Entry Fee | TLPGA Tour Member: \$2,500NTD Non-TLPGA Tour Member: \$4,000NTD Pay at the tournament office during registration. | |
| Format | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The tournament is a TLPGA tournament and will be played over 54holes (3 rounds) stroke play. At least 36 holes stroke play must be completed to apply for world ranking points. Player will be cut if she scores over 88 (including 88) in the first round. The cut line for the final round will be at the top 50 Pros (including ties). Amateur players will follow the same format to enter the final round. Where a tie occurs at the champion tourney, a sudden death play-off of one extra hole is to be adopted on a hole-by-hole basis until a winner emerges. Note: When pros and amateurs (or amateur and amateurs) scores are tied the first place, the extra hole of a sudden death will occur; the hole will be decided by the committee. When an amateur | |

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| | <p>player wins the championship, she will be awarded the trophy, while the best professional player receives the prize.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. When tie occurs except the winner, <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. For pro- players: The total prize money for the tied players will be pooled and equally distributed to such tied players. b. For am- players: The result will depend on the best performance of the final round. If a re-tie occurs, the result will depend on the scores from 18th hole-by-hole backwards of final round until the outcome appears. 6. The tournament follows the latest R&A international golf rules and the tournament commission's local rules; all commission rulings are deemed as final. 7. Whenever players finish more than (including) two rounds, prize money will be awarded according to the prize distribution table. When the tournament cannot be completed because of the harsh weather, the committee applies the TLPGA regulation. If players finish one round, then 70% of prize money will be distributed to top 50 pros (including ties). If the tournament cannot finish one round, every pro player receives \$10,000NTD travel expenses. 8. If the tournament is canceled due to the harsh weather or other force-majeure circumstances, caddies fee for that day must be honored. If the tournament is canceled after tee off, players shall also pay the caddies fee. |
| Play Fee | <p>House caddie only.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Play fee/per round: \$2,555NTD (1:3 caddie arrangement). \$2,755NTD if caddie arrangement becomes 1:2. 2. Play fee of R1 & R2 and registration fee are paid at tournament office during registration. 3. Play fee of R3: pay at the club counter directly after tournament. Both cash and credit card are accepted. |
| Registration | <p>September 18 (Mon.) 06:00-14:00</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Every participant must sign the registration sheet in the tournament office during registration time. 2. Fail to sign up without a proper/acceptable reason, player will not be allowed to participate in the tournament. 3. The submission of the passport copy is mandatory for the local government's tax purpose. |
| Official Practice Day | <p>September 18 (Mon.) 6:00-8:30, 10:30-12:00 House caddie only</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Play fee: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Taiwanese players ranked top 20 in previous year - NT\$1,580(1:4) B. Other players - NT\$2,455(1:4); NT\$2,555(1:3) 2. Please book the tee time in advance with at least 3 players per group. 3. Competition tee is only open at the official practice round. 4. Please be aware of the practice speed, it is prohibited to interrupt the pace. 5. Please book the tee time at Starter. You can book by phone or LINE. Please provide the tournament name, 3 players' name when booking your tee time. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Taifong Golf Club Tel: Tel: +886-4-852-0101 #112, #113 b. LINE: https://lin.ee/1CEZuO5lp |
| Driving Range | No driving range in the club, only practice putting green is available. |
| Recommended Hotel | <p>*No shuttle bus in this tournament.</p> <p>*Two hotels are available as recommended hotel. Please book through the attached form and mail it to hotel or send it by line.</p> <p>1. Morn Sun Hotel www.mornsun-hotel.com No. 3, Ln. 382, Sec. 1, Zhongshan Rd., Yuanlin City, Changhua County Tel: 886-4-839-6655 Email: hotel@mornsun.com Line ID: 0952891121</p> |

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| Room type | Room Price |
| Double Room (1 bed) | NT\$1,700 |
| Twin Room (2 beds) | NT\$1,700 |

*The above room prices include tax but DO NOT include breakfast.

2. Ardi Hotel www.ardi.com.tw

No. 51, Nanhe St., Yuanlin City, Changhua County

Tel: +886-4-833-2333 Email: ardi@ardi.com.tw Line ID: 0933332399

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| Room type | Room Price |
| Single Room Standard | NT\$1,300 |
| Deluxe Single | NT\$1,800 |
| Small Double or Twin Room | NT\$1,500 |
| Standard Triple Room | NT\$1,900 |
| Deluxe Quadruple Room | NT\$2,500 |

*The above room prices include breakfast and tax.

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| Website | www.tlpga.org.tw/en |
| Climate | Hot and humid, summer clothes and appropriate rain gear is suggested. |
| Lockers | Players will use men lockers during the first two official rounds and will use women lockers in the final round. *No smoking in the Locker Room. |
| Yardage Book | Yardage books are provided during registration. |
| Medical | Nurse on-site; time: September 19~22(ProAM & Tournament Days) |
| Thank You Letter | Please send to: taiwan.lpga@msa.hinet.net The Sponsor: Kenda Rubber Ind., Co., Ltd. –President Yang & Chairman Yang Venue: Taifong Golf Club –Chairman Lin |
| Others | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> R1 Pairing will be posted on the bulletin board at 17:00 on September 19. All players who made the cut are mandatory to attend the trophy ceremony. 50% of the prize money will be fined if the player absence from the trophy ceremony. Bag storage is not available. Special discount for players practice before the tournament: the venue provides special rate for participants in the final field to practice before the tournament for TLPGA Members (according to 2022 Ranking): a) Top 20: NT\$1,580 b) Others: NT\$2,720 (1:4). In case of any discomfort or having any chronic disease, please prepare your own medicine to ensure your own safety and health. Players are allowed to use distance-measuring devices with competition mode to turn off the slope-reading function during this tournament. The player portrait rights during the competition belong to the tournament, and it can be used for the promotion of the tournament related events. |

Prize Distribution Chart

Total Prize: \$3,000,000NTD / Champion: \$540,000NTD

| POS | PRIZE | POS | PRIZE | POS | PRIZE | POS | PRIZE | POS | PRIZE |
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| 1 | 540,000 | 11 | 48,000 | 21 | 33,300 | 31 | 23,700 | 41 | 18,000 |
| 2 | 288,000 | 12 | 46,500 | 22 | 32,100 | 32 | 23,100 | 42 | 17,700 |
| 3 | 174,000 | 13 | 45,000 | 23 | 30,900 | 33 | 22,500 | 43 | 17,400 |
| 4 | 123,000 | 14 | 43,500 | 24 | 30,000 | 34 | 21,900 | 44 | 17,100 |
| 5 | 99,000 | 15 | 42,000 | 25 | 29,100 | 35 | 21,300 | 45 | 16,800 |
| 6 | 81,600 | 16 | 40,500 | 26 | 28,200 | 36 | 20,700 | 46 | 16,500 |
| 7 | 70,500 | 17 | 39,000 | 27 | 27,300 | 37 | 20,100 | 47 | 16,200 |

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| 8 | 63,000 | 18 | 37,500 | 28 | 26,400 | 38 | 19,500 | 48 | 15,900 |
| 9 | 57,000 | 19 | 36,000 | 29 | 25,500 | 39 | 18,900 | 49 | 15,600 |
| 10 | 51,000 | 20 | 34,500 | 30 | 24,600 | 40 | 18,300 | 50 | 15,300 |

1. 10% of the total prize money is to be used for TLPGA Tour (Tournament) Development Funds.
2. All players making the cut will be paid according to the purse distribution chart above, if there are more than 50 players due to the tie, \$15,300NTD per additional player will be add on (Cannot be more than \$76,500NTD in total) to the purse and distribute according to the purse distribution chart.
3. All players earning prize money is subject to pay tax according to the Taiwanese government taxation law at a withholding rate of 20% for foreign players and 10% for local players.
4. 5% of the after-tax prize money earned by each player shall be contributed to TLPGA Member Funds.

TLPGA Tour Practice Regulations

A. The following exercises should be allowed:

- (1) The players only;
- (2) In designated practice areas only; and
- (3) Within the specified time only.

B. In each event, players have the responsibility to pay attention to the rules of practice.

C. If possible, players should complete the registration before the start of the practice round. If your practice round begins before the start of the registration, such procedures should be carried out immediately after the practice round is completed.

D. During practice days, players must be aware of their pace of play and the distance between the groups in front and behind. Players can play an extra ball in the following situations:

- (1) Miss the fairway on his/her tee shot.
- (2) Miss the green when approaching the green.
- (3) No more than 3 chip shots on the edge of the green, and such play does not damage the course.
- (4) Up to two shots can be made towards the green from a greenside bunker. Other bunker practice shots must be played away from the green (maximum 2 times).

E. However, the above clauses do not apply in the following situations:

- (1) If there is another group of players waiting behind, no additional practice shots are allowed.
- (2) Once the latter group is ready to approach the green, the players on the green must leave quickly.

Encourage players to:

- Wear flat shoes during the practice period after the practice/ competition round; and
- Please pay attention to the damage to the course caused by the practice.

Disciplinary sanctions :

Highest fine — NT\$10,000