

# Silver, Bronze & Copper Cup

Venue: Malmesbury Golf Club

Tournament Date: 12 May 2024

Entries Closing Date: Tuesday, 7 May 2024 at 21:00

## Terms of Entry

By entering this tournament, you agree to all the terms below along with the **Boland Golf Union General Terms of Competition** and the **GolfRSA Logo and Marks Policy**.

(These documents can be found on the Boland Golf Union website on the relevant tournament's page at www.bolandgolf.co.za)

- 1. Silver, Bronze and Copper Cup
- o The Silver, Bronze and Copper Cup will be played on 12 May 2024 at the Malmesbury Golf Club.
- o Stroke Play & Stableford Divisions: of which all competitors will play 18 holes.

### 2. Field Size and Draws

Tournament Field Size will be determined by Course Capacity, Allocated Tee Times, and the Number of entrants. Should more than the stipulated entries be received, entries will be reduced by the Tournament Organizing Committee giving preference to the lower H.I. players. The use of the handicap index as the basis for the draw process ensures that players of different skill levels are evenly distributed across groups, creating a level playing field. By implementing this policy, the tournament committee aims to conduct draws that uphold the principles of fairness, transparency, and integrity, contributing to a competitive tournament experience for all participants. The draw will be posted at www.bolandgolf.co.za.

- 3. Entry Process
- o Entry fee is R360-00 (includes VAT)
- o The entry fee includes the green fees, and prizes and includes dinner at prizegiving.
- o Entries close: Tuesday, 7 May 2024 at 21:00 (PM)
- o All entries must be submitted online at <a href="www.bolandgolf.co.za">www.bolandgolf.co.za</a>.
- o The entry fee will be payable in full at the time of entry.
- o All information required must be provided accurately and in full.

Higher handicapped players wishing to participate are recommended to send an email to <a href="mailto:office@bolandgolf.co.za">office@bolandgolf.co.za</a>. Entries will be confirmed/denied in writing and depend on availability (the number of entries) upon the closing date, should a higher handicap player be allowed; they will play from the handicap limit (stated in this document) for the duration of the tournament.



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The Entrant's Declaration, on the online Entry Form, must be ticked as acceptance of declaration. By doing so the player also acknowledges the Terms of Entry along with the Boland Golf Union General Terms of Competition and the GolfRSA Logo and Marks Policy.

### **Late Entry Process:**

- Players wanting to enter the tournament after the closing date must send an email to office@bolandgolf.co.za, requesting to enter the tournament.
- The entry received after the closing date will be placed on a waiting list.
- If spots are available based on a 3-ball or 4-ball draw, the first late entry received will be invited to participate.

It's important to note that the total number of players in the draw will never exceed the limit specified in the tournament conditions.

#### 4. Eligibility

The tournament is open to any female amateur golfer, who must be a member of a club affiliated with the Boland Golf Union or another similar International Body recognized by GolfRSA. At the time of entry, players must have a valid Handicap Index of 36.0 or less.

**Note:** All players entering the tournament may undergo a handicap index check. Entries may not be accepted if the player has open rounds or exceeds the limit of "two (2) penalty scores" within the handicap index in the last six months.

#### 5. Divisions and Prizes:

Silver Division: female golfers with a Handicap Index (H. I.) of 15.3 or less. 18 Holes medal stroke play Bronze Division: female golfers with a Handicap Index (H. I.) of 15.4 - 24.3. 18 Holes medal stroke play Copper Division: female golfers with a Handicap Index (H. I) 24.4 - 36.0. 18 Holes Individual Stableford

Prizes will be awarded in all sections.

In the event of a tie for first place in the Stroke Play division, the tournament committee will arrange a playoff, taking into consideration available time and daylight.

All other prize winners and subsequent positions will be determined through a count-out procedure, following this order: The last 18 holes, then the last 9 holes, then the last 6 holes, and finally the last 3 holes. If the tie persists, the winner will be determined based on the lowest stroke hole.

#### 6. Caddies & Golf Carts

**Caddies:** One caddie per player is allowed for the duration of this tournament. In the event of a player making use of the services of a caddie, the player must ensure that both they and the caddie comply



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with the Rules of Golf and the rules of the host club. Please note the "caddie service" depends on the host venue's availability and/or the host venue's security policy, etc.

**iCaddies:** is a program designed to uplift the caddie industry in South Africa. They can be reached at <a href="mailto:info@icaddies.com">info@icaddies.com</a> or +27 81 041 3971. For more information or to book a caddie visit their <a href="website">website</a>.

**Golf Carts:** Motorized transportation may be used for the duration of the tournament. Players wanting to qualify for SA Women's Premier IPT and the SA Women's 72 Hole Championship are not allowed to make use of motorized transportation.

### 7. Withdrawals:

Refer to the BGU Tournament Withdrawal & Non-Completion Policy.

#### 8. Registration:

Competitors must register with Boland Golf at the host club before teeing off for their first round. Non-compliance may result in a player being incorrectly marked as a no-show and disqualified from the tournament.

#### 9. Decisions:

Decisions and disputes of any kind will be dealt with by the Tournament Committee of the Boland Golf Union. Please refer to the Boland Golf Union General Terms of Competition.

#### 10. General:

All players are kindly requested to acknowledge and appreciate the courtesy extended by the host club. It is essential to prioritize personal well-being by fully complying with and adhering to both the rules set out by the Boland Golf Union and GolfRSA, as well as the specific rules established by the host club. Please familiarize yourself with and strictly follow the host club's guidelines to ensure a safe and enjoyable experience for all. Remember to take responsibility for your own safety and act accordingly in accordance with the host club's rules.

THE BOLAND GOLF UNION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY ENTRY.