

## INVITATION

To:APGC Member Associations and R&A AffiliatesFrom:John Hopkins, APGC and Dominic Wall, The R&ADate:15<sup>th</sup> December 2022Re:2023 Women's Amateur Asia-Pacific

On behalf of the Asia-Pacific Golf Confederation and The R&A, we are pleased to confirm the following players from Chinese Taipei are invited to participate in the fifth edition of the Women's Amateur Asia Pacific (WAAP) which will be played from the 9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> March 2023 at Singapore Island Country Club.

- 1. Hsin-Yu Lu
- 2. Ting-Hsuan Huang
- 3. Tze-Han Lin
- 4. Nomination
- 5. Nomination
- 6. Nomination

Please note that the first three players are the top three from Chinese Taipei on the World Amateur Golf Rankings (WAGR) and as such they have received invitations. Your association can also nominate three additional players, but they must have a WAGR ranking. If one or more of your invited players cannot participate in the WAAP then the next highest ranked player should be invited. If this is the case, please contact Ling Wong for the details of the next player/s to be invited.

Please note that only eligible APGC Member Association players listed on the WAGR as of 15<sup>th</sup> December 2022 will be invited. We require confirmation of the players by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2023. Please contact Ling Wong if you have any queries about the eligibility of any player.

For the Championship, we will provide flights, accommodation, meals, transfers and various other costs for all players. Any inappropriate behavior of players may cause penalty for the 2024 WAAP. Please note that players and/or their association will be responsible for any expenses for COVID-19 testing prior to departure and on arrival back home.

The winner will receive an invitation to the 2023 AIG Women's British Open at Walton Heath - England (3-6 August 2023), the Chevron Championship at The Club at Carlton Woods, USA (20-23 April 2023) and The Amundi Evian Championship at the Evian Resort Golf Club, France (27-30 July 2023).

We would appreciate if you can confirm by 18<sup>th</sup> January 2023 that the players will accept this invitation, and then register your nominated players on our online system by this date. We are requesting that your nominations be received by this date to ensure that flights and accommodation be booked.

We would also like to confirm that the championship will be broadcast with four hours live coverage during all four rounds.

Please note that the WAAP on-line registration system must be used for all players, officials and guests attending the championship. As such, please find attached, an outline about how to register via this system. It is important to note the following points:

1. You have two options available for registering players.:

(1) a designated representative of your Association can register all players, officials and guests centrally; or

(2) each individual can register themselves. To have the players/officials/guests register themselves your representative must use the on-line registration system to first add their names and then the system will email individual login credentials to each person.

2. Please note that the information you list in the registration system will be used to book flights, accommodation and various other details so please ensure all the information is accurate.

3. We will email log-in details to each National Golf Association early next week. The log-in email will be sent from **WAAP@sportssystem.com** so please add this address to your safe senders list. Once you receive this email, you can log in on behalf of your Association by clicking the link provided in the email, and you can re-enter to edit always through this link.

4. If you have questions regarding accessing the registration web site, please email **WAAP@sportssystem.com** 

All players will be booked to arrive in Singapore on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March and depart on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March. If you have any special requests or requirements or need additional bookings for officials or guests, please contact Ling directly.

All players will be provided a room at no charge on a twin-share basis at the official hotel. The rooms will be allocated for the players and no changes will be permitted without the permission of the WAAP Committee.

The programme for the week of the Championship is as follows:

- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March Arrival of players and officials
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March 1<sup>st</sup> Official practice round
- Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2<sup>nd</sup> Official practice round
- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> March 1st Round
- Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2nd Round (Cut to top 50 players plus ties)
- Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> March 3rd Round
- Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March 4<sup>th</sup> Round followed by the trophy presentation and closing function at Singapore Island Country Club.
- Monday 13th March Players and officials depart

<u>Please note</u>: Official functions to be confirmed

All players will be required to sign a copy of the Terms for the Championship upon arrival at Player Registration, located at the official hotel.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact either:

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We look forward to receiving the confirmation of your players and welcoming everyone from your country to the 2023 Women's Amateur Asia Pacific in Singapore.

Yours sincerely,

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