

BELGIAN INTERNATIONAL SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP MEN & LADIES 2025

Royal Limburg Golf

1ST - 3RD AUGUST 2025

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION













VENUE



ROYAL LIMBURG GOLF

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CLUB HISTORY

The Royal Limburg Golf is a championship course in Houthalen in the Province of Limburg (B). This highly strategic and diverse course was designed by Fred Hawtree in 1966.

Its typically British design is very natural and features several dog-legs that require a well-thought-out placement of the first shot.

The golf course is located in the middle of the "Tenhaagdoornheide" nature reserve, half of which is a heathland area and the other half in a more wooded area.



Regularly renewed and adapted, the course is one of the great classics to play when visiting Belgium. Several new tees, well-positioned, add a competitive touch to the course and are a small delight. The arrival at the 18th hole, with the setting sun at your back and the beautiful terrace of the clubhouse in the background, is the breautiful apotheosis of this high-quality course and club.



CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE



GENERAL INFORMATION

ENTRIES

Entries will be open from the 1st of March 2025 and will be accepted from female and male players who are members of a recognized Golf Union.

HANDICAP LIMIT:

Ladies:	12,4	born in 1975 of before
Men:	9,4	born in 1975 or before

The player's National Golf Union must certify the exact handicap at the closing date. Foreign Players must send their WHS handicap certificate no later then Friday 4th of July 2025 at 23:59.



LIMITATION OF ENTRIES - 132 PLAYERS (48 Ladies, 84 Men)

Ladies: 48 players

- > 45 entries will be decided using:
 - The Lowest WHS handicaps all Nations taken into account at the closing date.
- > 3 Wildcards will be attributed by the Royal Belgian Golf Federation

Men: 84 players

- > 78 entries will be decided using:
 - The Lowest WHS handicaps all Nations taken into account at the closing date.
- > 6 Wildcards will be attributed by the Royal Belgian Golf Federation

Entries exceeding the limit will be placed on an ordered by handicap reserve list. In case of ties, players registered earlier will be included.

ENTRY must be done no later than Wednesday 2nd of July at 23:59 through the website of the Royal Belgian Golf Federation.

Final entry list will be published on the website of the Royal Belgian Golf Federation on Friday 4th of July 2025.

Link for registration: BISC 2025

ENTRIES SHALL BE ACCEPTED ONLY:

- > If the entry is fully completed online no later than the closing date.
- If the player's National Golf Union certifies the WHS Handicap before the closing date of entry
- Late entries or entries by phone will not be accepted.
- All entries will be subject to the approval of the Championship Committee, which reserves the right to accept or refuse any entry without giving reason for its decision.
- Entrants must conform in all aspects to the Rules of Amateur Status as approved by the Royal & Ancient Rules Limited and send the confirmation WHS Handicap form to that effect before the closing date of entry.



ENTRY FEE:

130€ must be paid upon registration on our website before Thursday 3rd of July (130€ + Green Fee for Belgian Players cfr. General Regulations 2025).

If your country is not on the list, please use "other union" and send us the confirmation of your Hcp certified by your Union ASAP.

The entry fee includes a practice round on Thursday the 31st of July.

If the player remains in the reserve list, there will be a total refund.

Link for registration: BISC 2025

PRIZES

Prize giving shall be on Sunday around 17:00

The Royal Belgian Golf Federation will reward with mementos:

- > The first 3 gross scores in the Men class regardless of his handicap.
- > The first 3 gross scores in the Ladies class regardless of her handicap.
- > The first gross score for the senior 60+ Men.
- > The first gross score for the senior 60+ Ladies.
- > The first net score Men.
- > The first net score Ladies.

Individual prizes will be non-cumulative. Priority is given to the overall prizes and to the gross scores over the net score.

CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

GENERAL REGULATIONS

The Championship will be played in accordance with the rules of golf as approved by the Royal & Ancient Rules Limited, the RBGF Permanent Local Rules (Hard Card 2025), the General Conditions of the 2025 Federal Competitions, and in accordance with the local rules as approved by the Championship Committee.

Link: General Regulations



CONDITIONS OF PLAY

The Championship will be played by Single Stroke Play over 54 holes on three consecutive days.

After the second round (36 holes) a cut will be established as follows:

Men: 50% of the competitors + ties with a max. of 42 players + ties

Ladies: 50% of the competitors + ties with a max. of 24 players + ties

The player with the least number of strokes will be the winner.

In the event of a tie for the first place, a hole-by-hole play-off stroke play will be organized until a winner has been decided. The holes that will be used for the play-off are to be decided by the Tournament Committee. All other ties will be decided by matching scorecards (last 18, last 9, last 6, last 3 and last hole). If this method does not produce an outcome, lot will decide the ties.

PRACTICE

A practice round will be available on **Thursday 31st of July.** The players are requested to contact the hosting club to reserve a tee-off time.

PRACTICE REGULATIONS

Only players appearing on the starting list, and the first two players on the reserve list, may play the practice round.

One ball only may be played during practice rounds, with the following exceptions:

- If a player misses the putting green with his shot to the putting green, he may play one additional shot;
- Where the Rules of Golf apply (e.g. provisional ball);
- A player may practice putting, chipping or bunker play, provided play is not delayed.

Players should discontinue such practice immediately when the following group is waiting to play.



WITHDRAWAL

Any withdrawal must be notified by email: <u>info@golfbelgium.be</u> at the RBGF the latest one week before the Championship.

- If notified during the week and the day before the championship after 12:00 the player will be announced as disqualified.
- If not notified, the player will be announced as "no show" and not be allowed to play the championship the following year.
- For both cases, there will be no refund of the entry fee.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE reserves the right to:

- Alter at any time the regulations and conditions of this Championship.
- Extend the limitation of the entries and the proportion of the cut.
- Disqualify any competitor making a false statement on his entry form.
- Reject for the next calendar year any competitor who did not send a notification of his withdraw at any stage of the championship. Exemptions may be made in case of sickness with an unauthorised medical certificate given to the Entries' Department and other special circumstances at the discretion of the Championship Committee.

HAVE A NICE CHAMPIONSHIP!



HOTELS NEAR THE GOLF





De Barrier Website



De Boskar <u>Website</u>

Q In Genk



Stiemerheide Hotel Website



Carbon Hotel <u>Website</u>

♀ In Hasselt



Raddison Blu Hotel <u>Website</u>



Holiday Inn <u>Website</u>

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To be completed by the entrant's Federation or Golf Union: We, Federation or Golf Union identified hereby, certify that the index mentioned above is the current exact handicap of the entrant under the handicapping scheme adopted in the country from which he has entered and to the best of my knowledge and belief, he is an amateur golfer in accordance with the Rules of Amateur Status.

SIGNATURE, DATE and OFFICIAL STAMP OF THE CERTIFYING AUTHORITY

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