



Announcement – CGF Competitions

We trust you are all enjoying your return to golf whether social or competitive.

Several months ago, the CGF Competitions Committee took the right and responsible decision to cancel the remaining 2020 CGF Program of events. There was a duty of care towards you all, player's health and safety and general well-being were crucial considerations. Since then, Cyprus as a nation, has continued to fair well following the end of lockdown and the gradual relaxation of protective measures. As you know competitive golf was permitted from 15th June.

There is much enthusiasm for golf. CGF are ready, organised, responsible and supportive of all governmental advice. We have now been allowed to consider the remainder of the year and through negotiations with the golf courses we are delighted to announce the following:

1. Relaunch of the suspended inaugural CGF Championships

Rescheduled from the original dates of 30-31 May to 19-20 September 2020 with a change of venue from Secret Valley GC to at Eléa Estate GC – This is a two day 36 hole Stroke Play tournament. It is a major on-island event and will determine the Men's CGF Champion; Ladies CGF Champion; National Men's Champion; National Ladies Champion; and (for 2020) Junior CGF Champion. There will be a Hole-in-One Prize and we will provide a meal for all competitors and volunteers on the final day. Please see the CGF Events page for further details.

2. CGF Players' Days

In place of the cancelled NOOM 2020 series, the CGF has secured a date from each of Aphrodite Hills (5 September), Minthis (27 September), Eléa (4 October) and Secret Valley (10 October), and will run stand-alone events for CGF federated players. Each host course will be deciding on the format of the competition and will provide details of extra benefits for competitors, e.g. F&B offers; Nearest the Pin etc., in due course. Further details (when available) can be found on the CGF Events page.

3. Confirmation the **CGF Cup** is taking place as originally scheduled, on 6 December 2020.

4. We are also exploring the viability of setting-up a **CGF Match Play Championship** for 2021 onwards. We will tell you more as soon as we can.

5. The CGF's schedule of events for 2021, along the lines of previous years fixtures is expected to be finalised and published after liaising with the courses in early autumn. The full complement of CGF tournaments will once again run in 2021 (Severis Junior (WAGR), Men's Amateur Open (WAGR), CGF Championships, Men & Ladies Senior Opens, CGF Cup, and of course the NOOM series of events, which from 2021 will be in a new format)

Thank you all for your patience, support and understanding during these difficult few months. Let's hope for no more interruptions. May we continue to play and enjoy golf.

Michele Miller, Chair CGF Competitions Committee

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