



**«GORKI White Nights TRIBUTE 2020»**

**POLICY**

## 1. Place and date of the competition

- 1.1. The place of the competition: Leningrad Region, Lomonosovskiy Area, Gorki Village, No. 6.
- 1.2. For participants who located outside the Russian Federation, participation in the tournament will be remote. The players should choose the course they would like to play and inform the Committee by **22.06.2020**.
- 1.3. The deadline for the admission of preliminary applications is June **26<sup>th</sup> 2020 at 12.00**.
- 1.4. Results will be calculated in real time using Golf Genius app.
- 1.5. The dates of the competition: **from June 27th 2020 till June 28th 2020**
- 1.6. Participation fee:

**For men & women:** guests 12 000 rub./pers., Club Members 8 000 rub./pers.

**For juniors:** guests 8 000 rub./pers., Club Members 5 000 rub./pers.

**The price includes:** playing on the course, half way snacks for two days, lunch on the first day of the tournament, gala dinner and the award ceremony on the second day of the tournament.

**The price for guests without tournament participation:** 5 000 rub./pers.

**Cost of participation remotely (for participants outside the Russian Federation) – 30 euro.**

## 2. Organizers of the competition

- 2.1. The general management of the tournament and its conduct will be the responsibility of GORKI Golf Club (GGC).
- 2.2. The administration of GGC is responsible for forming and approving the main panel of judges.

## 3. Participants of the competition, conditions for admission and guests

- 3.1. The competition is classified as a team competition
- 3.2. The team may only be composed of male or female members, mixed teams are not allowed.  
Mixed teams are allowed only in junior standings.
- 3.3. In order to participate in the competition, sportsmen must be:
  - No younger than 10 years old;
  - In possession of an active handicap that is not worse than 20.0 for men and 25.0 for women and juniors.
- 3.4. The number of participants in the teams are:
  - three people for men;
  - two people for women;
  - two people for juniors.

## 4. Programme of the competition

- 4.1. The first round (18 holes) will begin on June 27th 2020 at 12.00 Moscow time.
- 4.2. Second round (18 holes) will begin on June 28th 2020 at 10.00 Moscow time.
- 4.3. Tournament rewarding will be on June 28<sup>th</sup> 2020 at 18.00 Moscow time.
- 4.4. Additional nominations:
  - Night tournament Fastest hole and Nearest to the pin will be from the terrace of Club House with luminous balls.

- «The best Outfit», «The best voice of the team», «The most impressive team».

## 5. Order of Play

5.1. Men's teams will play from the yellow tees. Players must complete two rounds of 18 holes (36 holes in total)

5.1.1. ***The first round of 18 holes will be played in teams (3 people in each) in the Stableford format with handicap.*** Each player plays their own ball. A team's score is made up of points scored by all team members.

5.1.2. The start of the first round from the 1st to the 10th hole will be from 12.00 - 14.00 on June 27th 2020.

5.1.3. ***The second round of 18 holes will be played in teams (3 people in each) in the four-ball format.*** Points are scored in accordance with the Stableford system. Each player plays his own ball. On each hole, two players with the best score on that hole will be used to calculate the team's overall score.

5.1.4. The start of the second round from the 1st to the 10th hole will be from 10.00 - 12.00 on June 28th 2020.

5.2. Women's teams will play from the red tees. Junior players will play from blue and red tees (boys and girls) Players must complete two rounds of 18 holes (36 holes in total).

5.2.1. ***The first round of 18 holes will be played in teams (2 people in each) in the Stableford format with handicap.*** Each player plays their own ball. A team's score is made up of points scored by all team members.

5.2.2. The start of the first round from the 1st to the 10th hole will be from 12.00 - 14.00 on June 27th 2020.

5.2.3. ***The second round of 18 holes will be played in teams (2 people in each) in the four-ball format.*** Points are scored in accordance with the Stableford system. Each player plays his own ball. On each hole, the player with the best score on that hole will be used to calculate the team's overall score.

5.2.4. The start of the second round from the 1st to the 10th hole will be from 10.00 - 12.00 on June 28th 2020.

5.3. The final order of teams is determined by the sum of Stableford points scored by a team in all rounds of the competition. The winner is the team with the highest Stableford score. In the event of a tie, the winner will be determined by the team with the lowest total handicap.

## 6. Rules of Conduct

6.1. Participants for each round and their start times will be organised by the panel of referees. Participants will be notified of their respective start times in advance. The panel reserves the right to establish and/or change the order of start times.

6.2. Players are permitted to employ a caddy and using a golf cart on the course.

6.3. In accordance with Footnote 2 relating to Rule 6-7 pertaining to the preservation of a game that is not excessively slow, the panel of referees is entitled to impose the following penalties for violation of Rule 6-7:

- For the first violation – an official warning;
- For the second violation – a penalty stroke is added to the player’s score;
- For the third violation – two additional penalty strokes are added to the player’s score;
- Any further violations – disqualification.

In the event that a violation is made pertaining to the pace of the game, the entire group of players will be punished by those players that take more than 50 seconds to strike the ball. The procedure in place as to control the speed of the game will be outlined and given to the players before the beginning of the round.

6.4. In the event that a round is completed early or that a group is unable to participate in an upcoming round, participants must inform the panel of referees as soon as possible.

6.5. The governing referee retains the right to make final decisions on disputes during the competition. Claims will be accepted by the panel of referees if they are made in writing within 30 minutes following the completion of the round should there be no provision outlined in Rule 34-1b.

## **7. Rules of Safety**

7.1. During the competition, participants are required to comply with the details pertaining to security as outlined in the section “Etiquette and rules of conduct on the course” as well as Rule 6-8 of the rules of golf as approved by the Ministry of Sport and Tourism of the Russian Federation on 6th March, 2014 No. 115.

7.2. If the game is suspended by the governing referee due to a dangerous situation (Rule 6-8b), players must immediately stop the game. If the players have just finished a hole and are yet to move on to the next, they may not resume play until it has been indicated by the panel of referees. If the players are in the process of playing a hole, they must stop the game immediately and may only resume once it has been indicated by the panel of referees. Should a player refuse to stop immediately, it is possible that they will be subject to disqualification.

7.3. In the event that the panel of referees decides to evacuate players from the field of play owing to a dangerous situation, players must follow the instructions of the referees and those that have been authorized by them, the evacuation plan approved prior to the competition must then be followed.

7.4. The signal that indicates the suspension of the game owing to a dangerous situation is a siren, the following signals are in place:

7.5. Immediately stop playing – one continuous sounding of the siren;

7.6. Resume play – two short blasts of the siren

7.7. In the event that inclement weather conditions makes play impossible, a signal will be given to ‘stop play’ – this will be signaled with three consecutive blasts of the siren. With this signal, if the hole has already started, the players withhold the right to choose either to stop immediately or to play the hole, provided that they are able to do so without any delay. In any case, once that hole has been played, the game must then be suspended (Rule 6-8b)

## **8. Rewards**

- 8.1. The winners that place first in the “main” classification will be given the title “Winner of the GORKI White Nights Tribute 2020”. They will be separate winners for both men and women
- 8.2. Those that place second and third will also be presented with prizes and gifts.

## **9. Applications for participation**

- 9.1. Preliminary applications should be sent to GORKI Golf Resort e-mail address: reception@gorkigolf.ru.
- 9.2. Preliminary applications for participation will be categorised as Application No.1
- 9.3. The deadline for the admission of preliminary applications is – June 22th 2020 at 18.00 Moscow time.
- 9.4. Registration for those that have been admitted is to be held at the venue itself from 09.00 to 11.00 June 27th 2020 Moscow time.

**ЗАЯВОЧНАЯ ФОРМА/APPLICATION FORM  
GORKI WHITE NIGHTS TRIBUTE 2020**

**1. Фамилия Имя / First Name Last name**

**2. Возраст/Age**

**3. Гандикап / НСР**

**4. Название команды/Name of the team**

**5. Участники команды:**

	Фамилия Имя / First Name Last name	НСР
Саритан		
Игрок 1/Player 1		
Игрок 2/Player 2		

**6. Email**

**7. Телефон/Mobile**

**8. Страна/Country**

**9. Тренировочный раунд /Practice round (ДА/НЕТ, YES/NO)**

**10. Дата и время для тренировочного раунда/ Date and tee time for the practice round**

**11. Гости/Guests\***

Фамилия Имя / First Name Last name
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