



THE



IKOYI LADIES OPEN GOLF
TOURNAMENT

12-14 November 2025

COMPETITION RULES AND CONDITIONS

IKOYI CLUB 1938 LADIES OPEN

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The 50th Ikoyi Club Ladies Open is a Gross tournament and shall be decided by stroke play over three rounds of 18 holes each day, in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by R&A Rules Limited and the Local Rules approved by the Committee.

One round of 18 holes shall be played on each of the first two days after which the leading 50 competitors and all those tying for 50th position shall play a further 18 holes on the 3rd day.

The winner shall be the competitor who returns the lowest gross score over 54 holes. In the event of a tie, there will be sudden death playoff over holes to be decided by the committee.

The tournament committee shall have the sole right to decide on all disputes.

Eligibility

An entry will be accepted from Lady players of all nationalities with handicap 28 and better. Every Competitor must come along with a valid handicap certificate or proof of their WAGR Ranking.

Golden Ladies/Veterans age for the competition is from 60 years and above. Golden Ladies must be handicap/handicap index 28 or better, play 2 rounds of 18 holes each day and are allowed to use a cart during the tournament.

Veteran/Super Veteran Ladies must declare their intent to play in this category to the Starter and must ask the Starter to clearly indicate that they are playing in this category on their scorecard before they tee off on day 1.

Ladies

Main Event: WAGR Ranked Player or HC 0-28 (Day 1, Day 2 & Day 3) 12th – 14th Nov 2025	Special Category: (Stableford): Strictly Ikoyi Club Ladies HC 29 – 36 (Day 1) 12th Nov 2025
Veteran Category: Age 60 – 69 HC 0 – 28 (Day 1 & Day 2) 12th – 13th Nov 2025	Super Veteran Category: Age 70+ HC 0 – 28 (Day 1 & Day 2) 12th – 13th Nov 2025
<i>(Please note that a veteran player can opt to play in the main competition)</i>	

Men/Sponsors

Guest Category: HC 0-28 (Day 2) 13th Nov 2025	Guest Category: HC 0-28 (Day 3) 14th Nov 2025
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General Rules

1. Draws and results for the respective days will be published on www.masterscoreboard.co.uk, competition website as well as Whatsapp group created for the event.
2. All Competitors will strictly adhere to R & A Rules and Ikoyi Club 1938 Rules. We expect every Player to familiarize themselves with the Club's Local Rules contained at the back of the scorecards. If in doubt about any Rule, please seek clarification from the Marshals.
3. You should approach the Starter 10 minutes to your tee time; Players who arrive within 5 minutes of their tee time will receive a 2 strokes penalty on the 1st hole. Players who arrive more than 5 minutes late will be disqualified.
4. Players are responsible for knowing the rules of competition and applying them honestly. If a player knows they have broken a rule and doesn't apply the penalty, they are disqualified.
5. The use of phones on the golf course is prohibited during the round, the first warning will attract a 2-stroke penalty, and a subsequent warning will lead to disqualification.
6. Slow play will attract a 2-stroke penalty for the Player delaying the flight. After the first warning, subsequent infringement will result in disqualification.
7. Violation of any of the guidelines and the Club's regulation may lead to immediate disqualification and the offending Player being presented to the disciplinary committee.
8. The use of golf carts is prohibited for all players except for Veteran/ Super Veteran Ladies.
9. To be eligible to win in any category, the player must play the stipulated number of days for that category except for those playing in the main event category who miss the cut for Day 3.

General Rules (contd)

10. Eligibility for goody bags is limited to players who play on day 1.
11. The player's caddie is allowed to mark and lift the player's ball on the putting green any time the player is allowed to do so, without needing authorization. The caddie continues to be allowed to replace the player's ball only if the caddie was the one who had lifted or moved the ball. Rule 14.1b.
12. Players must submit their cards immediately upon completion of their round but not exceeding 10 minutes after the last flight has finished their round.
13. Players will be playing off their CONGU Handicap or WHS Handicap Index and must provide proof of same. Course/Playing Handicap will not be assigned players with a WHS Index as Ikoyi club has not implemented WHS.
14. Players who belong to multiple clubs with multiple and varied Handicap Indexes on Howdidido must provide their lowest handicap index on howdidido.

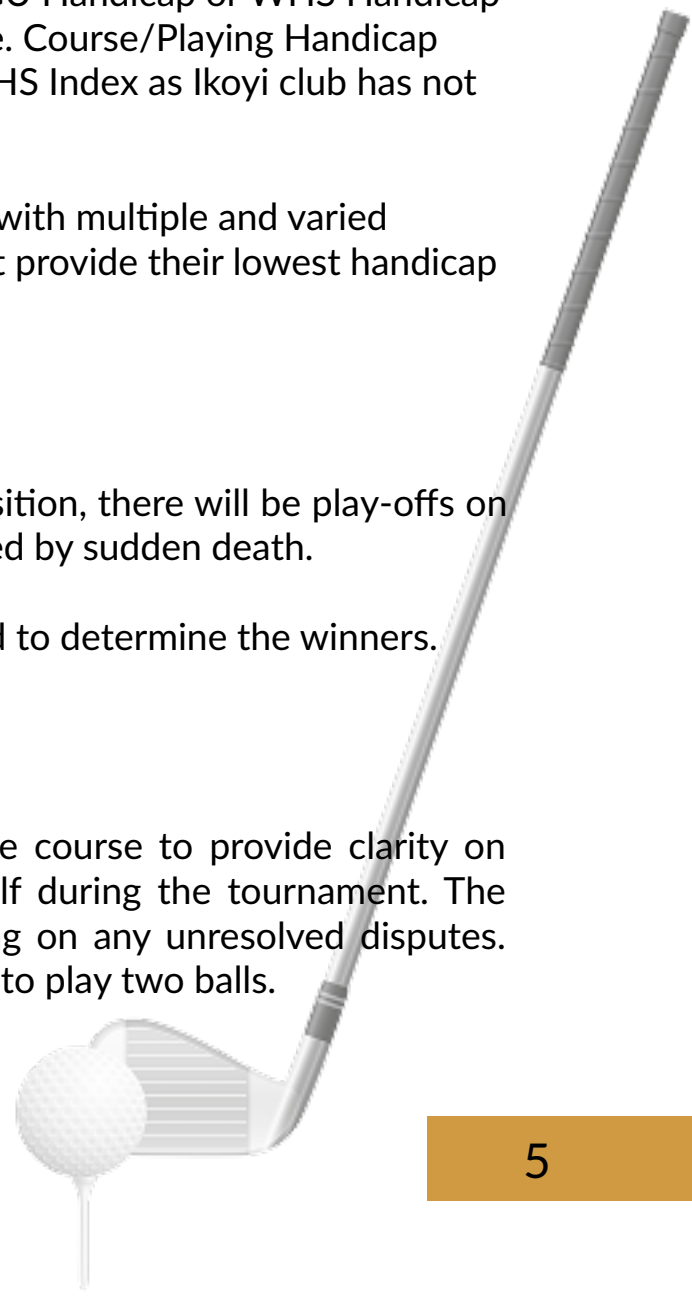
Ties

In the event of a tie for the Champion's position, there will be play-offs on holes 18, 1 and 2. The winner will be decided by sudden death.

For other positions, countback shall be used to determine the winners.

Rules Officials/Marshals

The rules officials/marshals shall be on the course to provide clarity on any disputes pertaining to the rules of golf during the tournament. The Committee reserves the right to final ruling on any unresolved disputes. Where in doubt of a ruling, you are advised to play two balls.



Out of Bounds Ball

A player teeing off and going out of bounds shall be required to play another ball from where the previous stroke was made. The out of bounds markers are clearly marked to avoid any disputes. Where in doubt, all Players are advised to play a provisional ball to avoid slow play.

Caddies

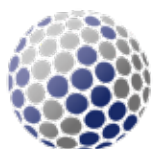
A Player is prohibited from having a professional golfer serve as his/her caddie during any stipulated round.

Penalty is 2 strokes for each hole at which any breach occurred; maximum penalty per round - four strokes (two strokes at each of the first two holes at which any breach occurred).

A Player having a caddie in breach of this condition must, immediately upon discovery that a breach has occurred, ensure that they conform with this condition for the remainder of the stipulated round. Otherwise, the Player will be disqualified.

Players are allowed to use the same Caddie throughout the duration of the tournament.

Players are liable for the actions of their Caddies. Any Player whose Caddie is found in breach of the rules of golf will be penalized accordingly.



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