

## **LAURO FINNISH OPEN 2025 HOSTED BY FUGETEAM**

### **1. Dates and venue**

- a) Official practice day: 2nd of January 2025
- b) Tournament days: 3rd – 5th of January 2025
- c) Venue: Lauro Golf
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### **2. The Championship**

- a) The Championship shall be open to boy and girl amateur golfers of all nationalities.
- b) It shall be played by 54 holes of stroke play. One round of 18 holes shall be played on each of the days. No cut.
- c) The winner shall be the competitor who returns the lowest score over 54 holes. In the event of a tie, there will be a sudden death playoff over holes to be decided by the Championship Committee.

### **3. Teams Cup**

There will be a team competition named Teams Cup played over all three rounds. One team can have 2-4 players. Teams can consist of all boys, all girls or mixed. Two best scores from each round will be counted to the team score. Team registration must be done in the tournament office before the start of the first round.

### **4. Rules**

- a) The competition will be played according to the Rules of Golf defined by the R&A Rules Limited and additional local rules.
- b) Players are allowed to use caddies during the championship, but the caddie must be 21 years old or younger and must not be a professional golfer. Penalty for breach of this condition of the competition is two strokes for each hole at which breach occurred. Maximum penalty is 4 strokes. Penalty for repeating this breach is disqualification.

### **5. Entries**

84 players shall play in the Championship. If entries exceed 84, they shall be reduced to 84 by these exemption categories:

- Finnish Golf Union players, 38 players 26 boys and 12 girls. (20 best boys in FJAR ranking and 6 based on handicap, 9 best girls in FJAR ranking and 3 based on handicap)
- Andalucia Federation players, 34 players based on handicap (24 boys and 10 girls)
- Committee, 7 wild cards for international players, more information about wild cards [tapani.saarentola@gmail.com](mailto:tapani.saarentola@gmail.com)
- Lauro Golf, 1 wild card

Spanish Federation 4 players ( 2 boys and 2 girls )

## 6. Entry Qualification

Entrants must be:

- Under the age of 21 at 00:00 hours on 1st January of the year in which the Championship is to be played i.e. entrants must be born in 2004 or later
- Entry for Finnish players is open and closing date for Finnish players is 31th of October 2024 at 23:59.
- Entry for international entries is open and closing date for international entries is 6:00 pm 31th of November 2024.
- All entries must be completed and received by the Championship Committee by the date entries close.
- All entries must be done thru GOLFBBOX.

NOTE:

- All international entrants, if not entered through their federation, must send a handicap certificate to [arto.teittinen@golf.fi](mailto:arto.teittinen@golf.fi) before the closing date, Sunday December 27th 2024. This certificate must be undersigned by the player's home club or the national golf authority.
- If some category is not fully booked after closing date for Finnish players, those places will turn into extra wild cards administered by the Tournament Committee. Tournament Committee has also right to accept late entries. The reserve list will also be used in case of cancellations.
- Tournament Committee have 7 wild cards for international players
- Tournament Committee will send confirmation when wild card is granted to player.
- Requests for wild cards and more information [tapani.saarentola@gmail.com](mailto:tapani.saarentola@gmail.com)

## 7. Entry Fee

The entry fee is 100 € per player. There is no addition entry fee for the team competition.

The entry fee 100 € must be paid to the Lauro Golf caddiemaster before competition.

Entry Fee includes: Three Tournament days on 3rd – 5th of January and prizes

## **8. Prizes**

- a) The winners shall be presented with the Trophies at the Prize Presentation. In addition, prizes shall be awarded to the top 5 places in each category and the top 3 Best U16 players.
- b) The winner team of the Nation's Cup will be awarded.

## **9. Registration**

All players must register at the Lauro caddiemaster office no later than 15:00 pm on Saturday of January 2nd.

## **10. Practice**

The price for the practice round is 25 €. Practice round can be played in official practice day or earlier. All participants should book their own practice tee times. The official practice day is Thursday 2nd of January. Practice rounds are booked via e-mail [info@laurogolf.com](mailto:info@laurogolf.com). When booking the practice time you must mention: Lauro Finnish Open practice round tee time. Starting times for the practice rounds are registered and confirmed by Lauro Golf.

## **11. Accomodation**

Please contact to Lauro Golf (+34) 952 412 767 (+34) 675 387 578  
[info@laurogolf.com](mailto:info@laurogolf.com)

## **12. Tournament information package**

An information package will be sent out to all entrants later. This package includes more information about practical arrangements, schedules, facilities etc.

## **13. Tournament Information**

For further information please send e-mail to: [arto.teittinen@golf.fi](mailto:arto.teittinen@golf.fi) or [tapani.saarentola@gmail.com](mailto:tapani.saarentola@gmail.com)