

International Open Austrian Foursomes Championships

Women-, Men-, U18- and Mixed-Teams

April 18 to 19, 2026



Venue

Diamond Country Club
Am Golfplatz 1
A-3452 Atzenbrugg

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Dates

April 17, 2026 practice round (please reserve tee times directly at the host club)

April 18, 2026 18 holes four-ball (stroke play)

April 19, 2026 18 holes foursomes (stroke play)

Format

Stroke play for amateurs and professional golfers over 2 x 18 holes without handicap, not WHI-relevant.

Not valid for Austrian amateur rankings.

Conditions of play

The game is played according to the official golf rules (including amateur status) of R&A Rules Limited, the current ÖGV competition rules (hard card), and the course rules approved by the respective Competition Committee.

For players with disabilities, please refer to Rule 25.

For transgender persons, please refer to the ÖGV transgender guidelines.

Tees

Men: white
Women: red

Eligible to participate

are 152 players (76 pairs) excluding 4 wild cards (4 teams)*:

- of these, a maximum of 50 professional golfers. If there are more than 50 entries from professional golfers, professional golfers listed in the Order of Merit will be given priority. The remaining professional golfers will be eliminated after receipt of the entry.
- of these, a maximum of 72 amateur men and women who are members of a regular member club affiliated with the ÖGV or a foreign association.
- of these, a maximum of 30 amateurs under 18 (born in 2008 or later), boys and girls who are members of a regular member club affiliated with the ÖGV or a foreign association.

If there are more amateur entries than the quota allows, the teams with the highest combined WHI will be eliminated by the Competition Committee. In the event of a tie, the decision will be made by drawing lots.

The total team WHI must not exceed 18.0 at the close of registration. This limit also applies to late entries and player substitutions.

For the calculation of the team WHI, a WHI of 0 is assumed for the professional golfer in mixed professional/amateur teams.

Teams with players of different age-categories will not be considered in the U18 tournament ranking.

If the field of participants is not full after the registration deadline, the tournament director, together with the ÖGV sports director, may limit the quotas differently, change the WHI limit, and award starting places to players/teams with a higher WHI than specified in the tournament announcement.

Professional golfers

- a) Austrian citizens who are members of a recognized PGA
- b) Citizens of an EU country who are members of a recognized PGA
- c) Citizens of a non-EU country if they are employed by an Austrian club and are members of a recognized PGA.

In mixed professional/amateur teams, the professional golfer will only receive half of the advertised prize money for their placing. Amateurs are not entitled to prize money.

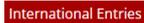
*Wildcards

The ÖGV reserves the right to award a maximum of 4 wildcards (4 teams), which will be awarded by the Competition Committee no later than 3 days after the entry deadline.

Wildcards can only be awarded to named and eligible teams. Applications for wildcards must be sent to the ÖGV tournament coordinator Thomas Schönberger by email to thomas.schoenberger@golf.at by the registration deadline.

Entries

Entries must generally be made (including for foreign players) via the online entry tool at <https://www.golf.at/turniere/oegv-turniere>. To register, please click on the GREEN BUTTON  next to the desired tournament.

Players who are not active members of an Austrian golf club need a user profile for the ÖGV MyGolf area in order to register for ÖGV tournaments. This can be created by registering at www.golf.at, by clicking on the RED BUTTON  International Entries at the top of the website.

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To do this, you must provide an email address to which an automated registration link will be sent. The following information must be provided for registration and tournament entry for contact, tournament processing, and billing purposes: first and last name, email address, telephone number, nationality, date of birth, gender, WHI, home club, and billing address. You can then log in to the MyGolf area and register for ÖGV tournaments. <https://www.golf.at/mygolf/international-entries>

- Registrations by telephone, fax, email, etc. will not be accepted.
- Entries can only be accepted in pairs.
- a waiting list will be maintained.

Team partners can only be selected from your own friends list, which each player manages themselves on the homepage www.golf.at in the MyGolf area (under Flight Partner).

Registration must be completed by Friday, April 17, 2026, at 12:00 noon at the club office or directly with the tournament director.

To register minor players, the ÖGV image use declaration, available in the general tournament information, must be submitted or confirmed, signed by a parent or legal guardian. For more information, see the data protection regulation.

Entry fee

- €190,-- per professional golfer (including practice round, fruit and granola bars on all tournament days, and a meal on one tournament day)
- €160,-- per amateur (including practice round, fruit and granola bars on all tournament days, and a meal on one tournament day)
- €100,-- per U18 player (including practice round, fruit and granola bars on all tournament days, and a meal on one tournament day)

No discount for members of the host club.

Entry deadline

Wednesday, April 8, 2026, at 11:55 p.m.

If a player is unable to participate, they may be replaced until Friday, April 17, 2026, at 12:00 p.m. at the latest. If a player is replaced after the entry deadline, the combined WHI may not be higher than that of the last qualified pair.

Late entries

Late entries are possible up until Wednesday, April 15, 2026, at 12:00 noon, with an increased entry fee (+50%). Late entries must be submitted in writing to the ÖGV tournament coordinator Thomas Schönberger by email to thomas.schoenberger@golf.at.

Players who have registered by the regular registration deadline and are qualified based on the tournament announcement cannot lose their eligibility to participate due to late entries.

Tournament scoring

In the event of a tie for first place, the winner will be decided by a hole-by-hole playoff (sudden death playoff) in a foursome (stroke play).

The remaining places will be decided as follows:

- a) When starting from one tee, the better last 18, 9, 6, 3, 1 holes
- b) When starting from several tees (tees 1 and 10), the last 18 and then the better 9 holes according to the degree of difficulty 1, 18, 3, 16, 5, 14, 7, 12, 9
- c) If there is still a tie, the 6 holes with the difficulty levels 1, 18, 3, 16, 5, 14 count, followed by 1, 18, 3 and finally the most difficult hole

Prize money

The prize money for professional golfers is derived from the entry fees paid by professional golfers.

The prize money distribution key will be announced before the tournament.

Prizes

Sport Austria medals Gross

- Places 1-3: Amateur classification, national

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- Places 1-3: Overall classification, men and women individually, international
- Places 1-3: AK U18 (if at least three U18 teams participate) Overall classification, international

Competition Committee

The ÖGV Championship Committee is responsible for appointing the Competition Committee and will announce this together with the referees, course rules, and tee times.

Decisions made by the Competition Committee are final.

Anti-doping regulations

By participating, athletes agree to comply with the currently valid anti-doping regulations of the Federal Anti-Doping Act as well as the anti-doping regulations of the ÖGV (especially the statutes, sports regulations, competition regulations) and the relevant international association.

Details can be found at the following link:

<https://www.golf.at/sport/anti-doping/>

Data Protection Regulations

Please note that the Austrian Golf Championships and tournaments are public events which are documented by the Austrian Golf Association, as the media owner of the website www.golf.at and the social media channels it operates, by means of photos and film clips. Participants in the event acknowledge that photos and film clips taken during the event may be published in the aforementioned media and in print media.

By participating in these events, participants consent to the processing and publication of these images in accordance with § 12 DSG and Art. 6 (1) lit. a GDPR and acknowledge the lawfulness of the processing in accordance with Art. 6 (1) lit. f GDPR. In addition, for the naming of underage players, the transmission and consent to the use of images by means of an "image use declaration" by a parent or legal guardian is mandatory.

Registrations without this permission are therefore considered incomplete. Consent to the processing of photos and film clips of underage participants can be revoked at any time by contacting the Austrian Golf Association (oegv@golf.at). In this case, the Austrian Golf Association reserves the right to pixelate faces, especially in photos of winners.

The ÖGV/CC reserves the right to make changes to the tournament announcement up until the first start.

Organizer

Austrian Golf Association

Championship Committee, 2026