



# FIG WORLD TOUR JAPAN FOOTGOLF INTERNATIONAL OPEN 2023

November 2nd – 5th,  
Seven Hundred Club, Sakura-city, Tochigi, Japan



JAPAN FOOTGOLF  
INTERNATIONAL OPEN  
2023

Title	FIFG WORLD TOUR JAPAN FOOTGOLF INTERNATIONAL OPEN 2023		
Host	Major FootGolf Tournament Execution Committee		
Certified by	Federation for International FootGolf		
Sponsors	SAPPORO BREWERIES Ltd., SHIELDS JAPAN LIMITED		
Supported by	Sakura city, Sakura city Board of Education, Sakura city FootGolf Town Promotion Committee, Tochigi Prefecture, Shimotsuke Shimbun		
Hotel Partner	The Omaruyama Hotel		
Operated by	Japan FootGolf Association(JFGA), Seven Hundred Club		
Schedule	Thu, Nov 2nd, Registration/Practice Round, Welcome Party Fri, Nov 3rd, 1st Round Sat, Nov 4th, 2nd Round Sun, Nov 5th, Final Round/Award Ceremony		
Host Course	Seven Hundred Club 2370, Saotome, Sakura-city, Tochigi, 329-1414 TEL: 028-686-0700		
Categories	1) Men 2) Senior 3) Women		
Eligibility	FIFG Licensed player		
# of Players	150 total for Mens, Senior, and Womens categories.		
Registration Fee	62,000 yen (w/tax) *From September 1st: 68,000 yen (w/tax) *Exemption: FootGolf World Cup 2023 Individual World Champions. *Lunch from Nov 3 <sup>rd</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup> , Welcome Party meal included. Extra drinks for the Welcome party will be charged.		
Competition	<p>■ Men's category 3 days 54 holes stroke play. After 2nd round there will be a cut made and the top 100 players will play the final round. In the case of a tie in the 1st place, the 1-hole playoff stroke play competition will be played. (Players who miss the cut still can play their 3rd round)</p> <p>■ Senior and Women's category 3 days 54 holes stroke play. In the case of a tie in the 1st place, the 1-hole playoff stroke play competition will be played.</p>		
Competition Rules	Played entirely under the Rules of the FIFG and the local rule given by the tournament committee.		
Onsite Registration	Please show up for the registration at the reception at the clubhouse from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm on Thursday, Nov. 2nd. If you can't register within the specified time, notify the tournament office prior to the event and register on Nov 3rd.		
Yardage	OUT	Men: 1,730, Senior: 1,720, Women: 1,448	PAR 37
	IN	Men: 1,611, Senior: 1,601, Women: 1,367	PAR 35
	TOTAL	Men: 3,341, Senior: 3,321, Women: 2,815	PAR 72

Purse	Total Purse 2,500,000 yen Men/1st: 1,000,000 yen, 2nd: 300,000 yen, 3rd: 150,000 yen, 4th 70,000 yen, 5th 30,000 yen Senior/1st: 250,000 yen, 2nd: 100,000 yen, 3rd: 50,000 yen, 4th 30,000 yen, 5th 20,000 yen Women/1st: 300,000 yen, 2nd: 100,000 yen, 3rd: 50,000 yen, 4th 30,000 yen, 5th 20,000 yen Other prizes considered.
Winners prize	Championship trophy for every category
Other prizes	1st place: The set of sweetfish boiled in soy sauce and sugar, The Ujiie Udon(Noodle) 2nd place: The 3 piece-set of jam from the Atelier Julia Rose, The Ujiie Udon(Noodle) 3rd place: The Sakura glass set, The Ujiie Udon(Noodle) 4th place: Two apple juice, The Ujiie Udon(Noodle) 5th place: The Onsen bread Set, The Ujiie Udon(Noodle)
Admission	Free
Meals	Lunches pack from 3rd to 5th and the welcome party dinner (charges apply for extra drinks) are included.
Official Hotel	Omaruyama Hotel 5445-1 Kitsuregawa, Sakura-city, Tochigi, 329-1412, Japan Email : omaruyama.hotel@gmail.com

#### Official Hotel Special Offer (Nov 1st to Nov 4th)

##### ①Daily Rate \*Same for any day.

16,000 yen per guest, 1 room for 2 guests (inc/dinner, breakfast, and tax)

15,000 yen per guest, 1 room for 3 guests (inc/dinner, breakfast, and tax)

14,000 yen per guest, 1 room for 4 guests (inc/dinner, breakfast, and tax)

- 32,000 yen, 1 room per guest (inc/dinner, breakfast, and tax)
- 30% discount from the above rate with kid/kids

##### ②Benefits

- Tournament special dinner for each day.
- Free reserved bath (reservation necessary).
- Free shuttle JR Ujiie station ↔ hotel and hotel ↔ Seven Hundred Club.
- Pre-reservation for the practice round on 2nd.
- Priority parking at Seven Hundred Club, etc.

#### <Limited Accommodation Plan for our International Players>

The official hotel, the Omaruyama Hotel, is going to offer a limited accommodation plan to international players who have already registered or are still considering joining our major. Please check out the below details and contact omaruyama.hotel@gmail.com to make a reservation from Monday, Oct 3rd JST before the plan is sold out.

Dates: November 2nd to 5th (4 nights), breakfast and dinner included.

Price: ONLY 120 USD FOR 4 NIGHTS!!

Terms:

\*Reservation is available for two persons or more.

\*Required to sightsee the city of Sakura area during the tournament period, and complete the survey.

\*Required to engage in the FootGolf event for local kids during the tournament period.

\*The rooms may be shared with other international players.

\*Subject to benefit no.2 (refer to the tournament web page) from the hotel.

\*Contact the hotel for the room for Nov. 1st.

\*The reservation is not confirmed at the time of inquiry.

\*Please fill out the form provided by the hotel, and the hotel will contact you again to confirm your stay.

### Tournament Registration

Please show up for the registration at the reception at the Seven Hundred Club clubhouse for the tournament at practice round day on Thursday, November 2nd. (Reception opens from 10 am to 5 pm) . If you do not register within the specified time, notify the tournament office prior to the event and register at the reception on November 3rd.

### Locker Key

Locker key is handed to every player at the registration.

- While your locker key can be kept until the final day of the tournament, it also can be returned to the front desk each day.
- The returned key can be picked up at the front desk the next day.
- Payment for food, drink(not included in the registration fee), and others on the course will be made at the front desk on the final day of the tournament.
- Your locker key shall be returned to the front desk on the final day of the tournament.

\*In case you lose your locker key, 5,000 yen will be charged (w/tax) and you shall make a payment for it for a replacement key.

### Lunch Tickets

Lunch tickets (for 3 days) will be given at the registration desk. Please note that in case of loss, the tickets will not be reissued.

### Player Registration

For each day of the tournament, please be at your start hole 15 minutes before your tee time. (No registration is needed during the tournament.)

When you are late for your tee time, FootGolf Rule 2-2-3 shall be applied.

### Practice Round

The practice round for the tournament is available on Tuesday, November 2nd. Please refer below information and make a reservation.

●Slot: Tuesday, November 2nd, 11:30-13:06 in 6-minute increments

●Registration period:

The Omaruyama Hotel guests / Fri. October 20 JST to Wed. October 25 JST

All players: From Thur. October 26 JST

\*May be played with other players depending on the slot as each slot is played by a foursome.

\*Registration also can be made on November 2nd at the tournament site within any available slots.

\*When registering, all names who play for the practice round should be given.

\*The practice round is only available for the tournament participants.

●To register:

Call +81 28-686-0700 (8:00-17:00 JST) or email [entry@700c.jp](mailto:entry@700c.jp) .

### Driving Cart

Each flight/group will have a self-driving cart. Those who do not follow the rules may be prohibited from using a cart from the next day or may be disqualified from the tournament depending on the situation, so please follow the rules. The tournament will not take any responsibility for any cart accidents during the tournament days. (Driving the cart of one who does not have a driver's license will be in violation of the law)

**The welcome party**

The welcome dinner will be held at the clubhouse of the Seven Hundred Club at 5:30 pm on Thursday, November 2nd (Door open at 5:00 pm). All players will be able to join the party. Please note that while food and drinks will be available at the Welcome Party, additional drinks other than prepared will be charged. If you would like to have extra drinks, please provide your locker key number and pay for them at the front desk when you check out on the last day of the tournament.

**The awards ceremony**

The awards ceremony will be held after all players complete the final round at around 4:00 pm on Sunday, November 5th.

**Total cash prize**

2,500,000 yen

- In the case of a tie in the 1st place after 54 holes, the 1-hole playoff at the No.18 hole will be played to decide the winner. If the players are still tied after the playoff, penalty putts will decide the winner in accordance with the FIG World Tour Guidelines.
- The players other than the champion in the playoff will be ranked based on their scores on the final 18 holes (The final day).
- In the event of ties for 4th place and below (up to 5th place), prize money will be distributed according to the number of players with the same score.  
EX.) If there are 3 players tied for 4th place ⇒ The prize money for 4th and 5th place will be divided equally among the 3 players.

**The prize money allocation**

Category	Rank	Prize money
Men	Champion	1,000,000
	2nd place	300,000
	3rd place	150,000
	4th place	70,000
	5th place	30,000
Senior	Champion	250,000
	2nd place	100,000
	3rd place	50,000
	4th place	30,000
	5th place	20,000
Women	Champion	300,000
	2nd place	100,000
	3rd place	50,000
	4th place	30,000
	5th place	20,000
Total		2,500,000

**The prize money payment**

The prize certificates (the prize panels for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place) to be exchanged for the prize money will be given to the prize money winners, so please pick up the prize money at the specified room at the clubhouse. Those who will not be able to attend the awards ceremony due to unavoidable circumstances, please consult at the registration. Please understand that the prize money may not be given to those who don't attend the awards ceremony without notice at the registration.



### Caddie

Players who would like to have a caddie shall apply to the organizer (japanfootgolf@gmail.com) by the day before the round. No player is allowed to be a caddie for any other player in this tournament.

### Trainer

Players who would like to have a trainer shall apply to the organizer(japanfootgolf@gmail.com) by the day before the tournament starts, along with the name of the trainer. The trainers is not allowed to bring beds or other equipment into the golf course. They are also not allowed to give treatment to players in the clubhouse. As the trainer from the organization is available during the tournament, please consult to him if you have any concerns about your health and physical conditions.

### Playoff

- Across all categories, the 1-hole playoff will be held and decide the winner. The hole to be played and the location of the penalty shootout will be the 18th hole (any changes will be posted on the whiteboard in the clubhouse).
- In case of a tie for third place, the scores of the final 18 holes on the final day will be used to determine the second and the third place. After that, the ranking will be determined by the order from "2" below.
- In case of a tie after the playoff, the penalty shootout (each player shall putt 5 putts from a minimum distance of 5m) will be held, and if necessary, a sudden death penalty shootout will be held.

If for any reason (climate conditions, lack of sunlight, safety, etc.) the playoff won't be held, the ranking will be decided as follows:

1. The first place will be decided by the scores of the final 18 holes (on the last day).
2. If the above scores are the same, the score of the final 9 holes.
3. If the above scores are the same, the score of the final 6 holes.
4. If the above scores are the same, the score of the final 3 holes.
5. If the above scores are the same, the score of the final hole.
6. If the above scores are the same, either by splitting the prize money or by a coin toss.

### Bad weather

- If weather conditions force the organizer to suspend the tournament, full points will still be allocated and the result based on the number of completed rounds if the total number of holes played is at least 50% of the total number of holes. If the total number of holes played is less than 50%, the round will be canceled.
- Before the round, if for any reason (flooding, animal damages, etc.) a hole is declared unplayable, it has to be replaced by another similar hole (same par, similar distance) or canceled. If more than three holes are declared unplayable, then the entire course could be considered as unplayable, and therefore the round may be canceled.
- If these(flooding, animal damages, etc.) happen during the round, the tournament has the authority to make the decision to cancel the hole and give all the players the score of the par. If more than three holes are declared unplayable during the round, the entire course could be considered as unplayable and the general rules of bad weather apply.

**The competition briefing**

For every round, the OUT and IN groups combined briefing will be held 10 minutes prior to each start time near the 1st and 10th hole. Please be at the briefing without delay.

**Signing and attesting scorecard**

For this tournament, all players are required to submit a scorecard signed by both player and marker with the player's gross score filled in for each day. Please refer to "2-1-5 Scoring" of the FootGolf Rules and the local rules of the tournament for details on recording scores.

<How to fill in scores and signatures as marker>

Before round :

1. Fill in ❶ with the date.
2. Fill in ❷ with the name you mark .
3. Fill in ❸ with the DOB of ❷.
4. Fill in ❹ with scores of ❷.
5. Fill in ❺ with your scores.

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COMPETITION DATE		❶		PLAYER 競技者名														❷		DATE OF BIRTH					❸	
HOLE No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOTAL	HDCP	NET			
PAR	5	4	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	37	5	3	4	4	4	3	5	3	4	35	72					
SCORE	❹																						❺			

After round

6. Check the scores ❷ recorded with ❹.
7. If above 6 is correct, fill in ❻ with the signature of ❷.
8. Fill in ❼ with your signature.
9. Submit the scorecard at attest

PLAYER'S SIGNATURE  
競技者署名

❻ \_\_\_\_\_

MARKER'S SIGNATURE  
マーカー署名

❼ \_\_\_\_\_

セブンハンドレット  
競技用SC\_表面  
270×91

HOLE NO.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOTAL	HDCP	NET
MY SCORE	❺																						

**OFFICIAL SCORE CARD**



**Bluegolf App**

The Bluegolf app will be used to provide live scoring for this tournament. We kindly ask the players listed on the far left of each pairing to enter the hole-by-hole scores of the players in your group into the app.

### **Clubhouse**

The clubhouse of the Seven hundred Club will open at;

- 6:30 am on Friday. November 3rd
- 7:00 am on Saturday. November 4th
- 7:00 am on Sunday. November 5th

### **Lunch pack**

Please pick up your lunch pack by giving the Lunch ticket each day from 3rd to 5th of November. The lunch pack is available from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm.

### **Restaurant**

The vegetable curry with salad and dessert (1,100 yen w/tax) will be available from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm on Thursday, Nov 2nd only. The restaurant is scheduled to be closed at other times throughout the tournament except for the welcome party and the awards ceremony.

### **Food Stalls**

A few food stalls will be onsite from November 3rd to 5th. (cash only).

### **Vending machines**

The vending machines at the course concession stand will only accept cash.

### **Taking a bath**

During the tournament, the big bath in the clubhouse is available from 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

### **Parking**

During the tournament, the parking lot is available for anyone.

### **Currency exchange**

Please exchange money at the airport since there is no foreign money exchange around the course.

### **Privacy policy agreement**

When applying to this tournament, you are required to agree in advance to provide your personal information acquired by the tournament to others within the following objectives.

- (1) Operation works related to this tournament include (A) communication of information regarding the competition to participants and (B) airing of your names, dates of birth, and other information to tournament officials (including members of the media).
- (2) The preservation of your personal information acquired by your application and the record of your tournament result, and airing of above (1) (B) as needed for the tournament marketing after the tournament.



### Agreement on portrait rights

All tournament participants are required to agree in advance to transfer their portrait rights (The right to make the player's name and portrait on the recordings available to the public and to provide them to others through lending, distribution, etc. by exhibition, communication, broadcasting, and screening) in photographs, television, film, radio and other recording media collections, reproductions or compilations (limited to editing to the proper extent) for the purpose of broadcasting, replaying, reporting and publicizing the tournament or for use within the scope not contrary to the purposes of the organizers.

### Notes

- Payment other than credit cards is unacceptable.
- Any refunds of the registration fees for reasons not attributable to the tournament organization, including cancellations by the players is unacceptable.
- Reduction or cancellation of the tournament due to stormy weather, earthquake, wind and flood damage, snow, incidents, accidents, epidemics, etc., refunds, and the notification method will be determined and decided by tournament organization on a case-by-case.
- Photo ID is needed for onsite check in. Players without the tournament registration are not allowed to play for the tournament.
- Players other than the applicant are not allowed to play for the tournament.
- Except if allowed by the golf course, stepping on the golf green is not allowed.
- Please follow the etiquette on the golf course.
- There will be media coverage and photography during the tournament, and the tournament will be posted on SNS and media of the tournament organization and media.
- False declaration of name, age, gender, address, record, etc. is not allowed.
- Please follow the instructions of the tournament organizer related to the tournament.
- Portrait rights for the tournament belong to the tournament organization and will be managed according to the regulations of the tournament organization.

### [Disclaimer]

- The tournament organization is not responsible for any illness, any injuries, any loss, or any other accidents on the golf course.
- The tournament organization is not responsible for any delays due to public transportation or traffic conditions.



**THANK YOU.**

**Major FootGolf Tournament  
Execution Committee**

