

# Tyrifjord Corporate Challenge 2010

## The Road to St Andrews

### Competition

- The competition is open to companies registered in Norway
- Companies may enter a maximum of two teams

### Teams

- Each team is represented by two players in a match
- Each team can be represented by up to 12 different players
- A player may not represent more than one team
- Players must provide proof of a current NGF handicap prior to each match
- Each team shall name a contact person
- The contact person is responsible for all communication with regards to the team

### Format

- The format of the matches is fourball, stableford matchplay, with  $\frac{3}{4}$  handicap allowance
- The matches will be played over 9 holes in the group stage (2 matches per evening) and 18 holes in the knockout (cup) rounds

### Rules

- The competition will be played in accordance to the R&A Rules of Golf
- Team members **must** be registered with Tyrifjord Golfklubb 24 hours prior to each match
- Failure register by the registration deadline will result in loss of the match
- If a team forfeits a match all matches involving the team will be declared null and void
- Any disputes will be decided by Tyrifjord Golfklubb

### Entry fee

- The entry fee is kr.7000 and includes the following:
  - Group stage
    - green fees at Tyrifjord Golfklubb
    - drinks and snacks prior to each match
  - Knockout (cup) stage
    - green fees at Tyrifjord Golfklubb
    - drinks and snacks prior to each match
  - Semi finals and final
    - bed & breakfast at The Scores Hotel, St Andrews
    - airfares (participants are responsible for own luggage costs)
    - prizegiving dinner

### Group stage

- The group stage shall comprise of 32 teams
- The matches are played at Tyrifjord Golfklubb on Tuesdays and Wednesdays and the first match shall commence at 16:00
- The 32 teams are drawn into eight groups of four and teams from the same company cannot be drawn into the same group
- Each team plays one home and one away match against each other team in its group. Two points are awarded for a win, one point for a tied match, and no points for a defeat. The following match sequence applies:

Round 1	Round 2	Round 3
Match 1 Match 2	Match 3 Match 4	Match 5 Match 6
A v. D A v. B	A v. C D v. A	B v. A C v. A
B v. C C v. D	B v. D C v. B	D v. C D v. B

- There are 2 matches per evening with matches 1, 3 and 5 being played on holes 1-9 and matches 2, 4, and 6 played on holes 10-18.
- If two or more teams are equal on points on completion of the group matches, the following criteria are applied to determine the rankings:
  - higher number of points obtained in the group matches played among the teams in question
  - superior holes up from the results of the group matches played among the teams in question

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- The eight group-winners and eight runners-up of the group stage qualify for the first knockout (cup) round

### **Knockout (cup) stage**

- Matches are played over 18 holes under the cup (knock-out) system
- The knock-out round pairings are determined by means of a draw
- A tied match in the knockout rounds will be decided by a sudden death play-off

### **First knockout stage**

- The first knockout stage consists of 16 teams
- Teams from the same company cannot be drawn against each other
- The winners and runners-up of the same group cannot be drawn against each other
- The group-winners cannot be drawn against each other

### **Quarter-finals**

- The eight winners of the first knockout stage contest the quarter-finals

### **Semi-finals**

- The four winners of the quarter-finals contest the semi-finals on the New Course, St Andrews, Scotland, on Monday 11 October 2010.

### **Final**

- The final is played on the Old Course, St Andrews, Scotland on Tuesday, 12 October 2010.

### **3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place playoff**

- The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place playoff is played on the Old Course, St Andrews, Scotland on Tuesday, 12 October 2010.

