

2021 Qualifying Tournament

Information of Dates and Venue, and Measures against Coronavirus Disease

Venue of Final stage:

Tom Watson Golf Course

Date: From Tuesday, December 7th to Friday December 10th, 2021 (4days)

Designated Practice day: Monday, December 6th, 2021 (1day)

REGISTRATION AT THE VENUE: Monday, December 6th, 2021, 7 a.m. ~12 noon

Participants failing to register will lose their qualification to participate in the tournaments.

Without caddy (You can play with your private caddy. Use the cart to drive by yourself)

Players with a private caddy should apply using the enclosed caddy application form.

(Deadline for application for private caddy: at the time of registration)

Award Ceremony: After the hole-out on December 10, 2021 (Friday)

*** Players within the 20th place in the final grade**

and three players participating in after-pro-am should participate in the award ceremony.

After-Pro-Am: Saturday, December 11, 2021 at Phoenix Country Club

Among the Players targeted for the tour member guidance, the three players with the final QT final results of 1st to 3rd place are required to participate in the pro-am competition including SMBC Mobit (obligatory).

JGTO will cover the accommodation expenses (Sheraton Grande Ocean Resort) on December 10th (Friday).

Details such as the start time will be announced at the final venue.

Tour member guidance: January 12th, 2022 (Wednesday)

*Changed from December 11th, 2021 (Saturday)

Remote conference method by ZOOM

Details will be provided to the target audience at the final venue.

● Notice about competition

Distance-Measuring Devices:

During a round, players are allowed to obtain distance information by using an electronic distance measuring device. However, players must not obtain the information such as elevation changes.

Club & Balls: a. List of Conforming Driver Heads

Model Local Rules G-1 is in effect.

b. Groove and Punch Mark Specification

Model Local Rules G-2 is in effect.

c. Ball (1) Conforming Ball List

Model Local Rules G-3 is in effect.

(2) One Ball Condition

● Notice regarding measures against new coronavirus infectious diseases

As a general rule, the 2021 QT will be held based on the JGTO Tournament New Coronavirus Infectious Disease Control Manual and in accordance with the following contents. Please understand and comply with it.

We ask that you take action to prevent infectious diseases on a daily basis and avoid "denseness" at the venue.

Special notes will be posted on the QT homepage <http://www.jgto-qt.jp/>.

About JGTO New Coronavirus Infectious Disease Control Special Tournament Regulations

The following contents of the JGTO New Coronavirus Infectious Disease Control Special Tournament Regulations apply.

Section 2: JGTO Tournament Participation

The players must comply with the following:

- ① In principle, if a player has visited a country/region to which the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan urges to avoid all travel within 14 days prior to his arrival at the venue of the JGTO tournament in which he is scheduled to participate, the player cannot participate in the tournament. (He must complete a 14-day quarantine before his first arrival at the venue.)
- ② Within 7 days (for those having undergone testing such as PCR testing) or within 14 days (for those having not undergone testing such as PCR testing) of the first designated practice day of a JGTO tournament in which a player is scheduled to participate, the player shall keep track of his body temperature and activity records as instructed by JGTO, and submit these records to JGTO upon arrival at the venue.
→ Please submit the enclosed questionnaire when you arrive at the venue.
- ③ During the tournament week, a player must undergo a body temperature check and physical examination each day before practicing or playing a round at a place designated by JGTO and the tournament host organization.
- ④ If a player refuses to undergo the temperature check and the physical examination arranged by JGTO and the tournament host organization, or fails to comply with the instructions of JGTO during the tournament week, he cannot participate in the tournament.
- ⑤ If a fever of 37.5 °C or higher persists through two temperature checks during the tournament week, a decision will be made on whether or not the player may continue to participate in the tournament based upon the instructions of a medical advisor or other experts.
- ⑥ If a Pro-Am competition or any related events (such as a reception) is scheduled to be held, a player shall follow the instructions of JGTO.
- ⑦ If there are any abnormalities to a player's physical condition, it shall be reported to JGTO and the player shall follow the instructions of JGTO
- ⑧ JGTO may require all participating players to undergo testing (such as PCR testing) prior to each tournament. If a player does not undergo testing required by JGTO, or tests positive, he cannot participate in the tournament.
→ An antigen test will be conducted upon arrival at the first venue. Details will be described later.
- ⑨ The criteria for returning to the tournament are in accordance with the JGTO Novel Coronavirus Disease Special Tournament Regulations..

- ⑩ If a player is identified as a close contact to a COVID-19 positive individual, he is required a 14-day self-isolation period. Once identified as a close contact, the player must follow the instruction of a Public Health Center and the self-isolation period will not be reduced even if he tests negative.

About the private caddy

If you wish to have a private caddy with you, please fill out the enclosed application form and fill it out. Please apply by fax (03-3583-7383) or email (qt_jgto@jgto.jp).

The application deadline is at the time of registration, Please apply as soon as possible for the convenience of caddy preparation.

Antigen tests (costs will be borne by JGTO), temperature measurements, and questionnaires will be submitted to private caddies.

* Lockers will not be rented to private caddies to prevent the new coronavirus.

About antigen test

Antigen tests will be conducted at each venue when arriving at the golf course on Monday (before entering the clubhouse). It will take about 15 to 25 minutes for the test results to be known, so please come to the venue with plenty of time. At the same time, we will collect the pre-questionnaire and the consent form for collecting and utilizing personal information (both enclosed). The private caddy and interpreter will be treated in the same way as the players (JGTO will bear the cost).

Precautions for visits, clubhouses, etc.

- i Only players, private caddies, and interpreters are allowed to enter the golf course.
No admission to golf courses for families, coaches, trainers, managers, etc.
* Players who need to be picked up are allowed to enter the pick-up vehicle to the entrance of the clubhouse.
Infection prevention measures similar to those for players will be applied to private caddies and interpreters (antigen test, body temperature / behavior history / questionnaire for the past 7 days, submission of consent form, daily temperature measurement / questionnaire submission, mask Wearing etc.).
- ii It is mandatory to wear a mask in the clubhouse (masks must be arranged by yourself). Please carry a mask while playing.
- iii Eating, drinking and stretching in the locker room are prohibited. If a stretch venue can be set, we will inform you by posting at the venue.
- iv The dress code worn by the blazer at the time of visit does not apply. We accept golf wear and golf shoes.