R&A STUDENT

TOUR SERIES

PLAYER HANDBOOK

Sweden

10 - 12 September 2025 Halmstad Golf Club, Sweden



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THE SERIES.

Taking place on prestigious world class golf courses, the aim of The R&A Student Tour Series is to provide elite amateur championships to enhance high performance competition amongst the leading student golfers outside of the USA and Mexico.

Players can earn Tour Series Order of Merit points by playing in qualifying events which take place in Sweden, Ireland, Portugal and Spain. The top 42 players (30 men and 12 women) from the Order of Merit after Portugal qualify for The R&A Student Tour Series Final in April 2026 over the Jubilee and Old Course in St Andrews.





ENTRY CRITERIA.

The Series shall be open to male and female players who have reached the age of 16 on 01 January 2025, but are no older than age 28 on 31 December 2026 provided that the entrant is a fully registered student and the holder of a student card for the university or educational institution with which they are internally registered. The following individuals shall be eligible to compete:

- i. A student who has been accepted and is due to enrol in the forthcoming academic semester, and commencing study not later than 31 October in the year of the Series;
- ii. A student satisfactorily finishing their course of study after 1 December 2025 will be eligible until the end of the academic year provided their institution still classifies them as a registered student. Satisfactorily finishing a course of study is not when a student graduates, but is deemed to be when their teaching, research and/or examinations are completed. Suspension of studies is not classed as satisfactorily finishing a course of study. Any student who has their studies suspended must wait until their studies recommence to compete again; and
- iii. A student embarking on a Sandwich Course and/or Study Abroad Course (e.g. Erasmus) is eligible during this time provided that: (a) the duration of the placement/course in industry and/or study abroad is 1 year or less; (b) if the duration is more than 1 year, then the student will be deemed ineligible after the passing of the 12-month mark.
- iv. A student who is either: (a) ranked within WAGR® listing 1 4000 (see wagr.com) at date of entry, or (b) hold a Handicap Index® of not more than +0.0 for men and 2.0 for women at date of entry, as issued by an Authorised Handicapping Body. In the absence of a Handicap Index® a current equivalent exact handicap, as issued by a r recognised Handicap Authority.

Entrants holding both a WHS Handicap Index and a handicap issued by a recognised Handicap Authority, must enter Series events using their WHS Handicap Index. The penalty for failure to enter a Series event in compliance with this section is disqualification.



HOST VENUE.



2025 HOST VENUE HALMSTAD GOLF CLUB

Designed by Rafael Sundblom, Halmstad Golf Club in Tylosand was founded in 1930, it has hosted several major championships over the years. In 1985, the European Championships, in 2007 the Solheim Cup and in 2022 the Volvo Car Scandinavian Mixed.

The North Course is a real gem that a true golfer never tires of. Beautifully and carefully laid out it provides a natural experience while being a real test for any golfer. Each hole is its own room among tall pines with the wind from the nearby sea as a constant influencing factor.



PRIZES.



The prize presentation will take place immediately after play in the Players Lounge. The following prizes will be presented:

1st place - Memento 2nd place - Memento 3rd Place - Memento

All competitors in receipt of a prize should attend the prize giving and all other players are politely requested to attend.

Players finishing in the top 20 places (Male) and top 10 places (Female) will receive points towards the R&A Student Tour Series Order of Merit 2025/2026. Point values are listed in the R&A Student Tour Series Terms of Competition.

PLAYER SERVICES.

Water

Water is available on the course at designated points. Please bring a reusable water bottle.

Clubhouse and Players' Lounge

Players will have exclusive use of the players' lounge on the second floor to dine and relax in.

Pull Trolleys

Complimentary pull trolleys will be available for players courtesy of the Championship. Please indicate in the entry process whether you would like a pull trolley.

Practice Range

Opening Hours – 24 hours a day

Players will have access to unlimited free of charge range balls for the duration of the championship (including practice day)

Practice Round

The official practice day is Tuesday 9
September. should you wish to
practise outside of the official practice
day, please contact the club to
confirm availability and cost. To book
your complimentary practice round
please email Halmstad Golf Club at
info@hqk.se

Player Portal

All information, including pin positions and course length can be found HERE.









PROGRAMME OF EVENTS.

DAY	EVENT	TIME
Tuesday 9 September	Practice Day	From 9am – Must be booked in advance.
Wednesday 10 September	Round 1 (3 balls) Women first	8.30am – 1.16pm
Thursday 11 September	Round 2 (3 balls) Men First	8.30am – 1.16pm
Friday 12 September	Round 3 (3 balls) (in score order – leaders teeing off last) Prize Presentation	8.00am – 12.46pm



OFFICIAL HOTEL AND ACCOMMODATION.

Player accommodation has been reserved at Halmstad GOLFARENA approx. 5-7 min drive from Halmstad Golfclub. We have provisionally reserved the accommodation for you until 31 July. The accommodation is then released to other guests. There are several accommodation options at Halmstad Golfarena. Preferred rates have been secured from 8 - 13 September 2024 (can be extended). Contact the reception to book and provide the booking code "STS2025". Email reception@golfarenan.se or call +46 (35) 241 19 20. All price include access to the gym and the adventure golf Himalayas.

Cancellation – If cancellation is made later than 30 days 20% is due, if later than 14 days 50% is due.

Hotel room

Here you can sleep up to four people in nice bunk beds. Price: 2 000 SEK per room / night

Golf cottages (up to 5 people/cottage)

There are two hotel standard bedrooms in each golf house and you can sleep up to five adults / house.

Accees to all facilities, free WiFi, TV, air conditioning and golf bag storage, etc.

Price: 2 300 SEK per house and night

<u>Cabins</u> (bunk beds)

2 x 4 bed - 1100 SEK per cabin / night 1 x 8 bed - 1800 SEK per cabin / night All cabins have large and lovely patios. Gym, bedlinen and towels included.

All cabins have free WiFi and air conditioning. Price for final cleaning is added: 1000 SEK per cabin.

Breakfast and cleaning not included.



AIRPORT TRANSFERS AND TRAVEL.

We hope the following information and arrangements assist you when planning your trip.



Airport Transfers

Airport Transfers will be available to/from Copenhagen Airport at a cost of £45 per person per journey. Should you require a transfer please complete this online form HERE (please note payment by credit/debit card at point of booking is required).



Taxi
Sennans Taxi AB
+46 3566111
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Local Taxis are available at competitor's own cost.

Airports



International and domestic flights operate to several airports withing easy reach of Halmstad Golf Club including:

Copenhagen Airport (180km) https://www.cph.dk/en

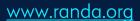
Halmstad City Airport (7km) www.halmstadcityairport.se/

Angelholm-Helsingborg Airport (58km) www.angelholmhelsingborgairport.se/

Gothenburg Airport (160km) www.swedavia.com/landvetter/

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