



# OFFICIAL TEAM INVITATION

*Championship & Cup 2013  
for Senior Men 55+*

GREECE 2013 | TOURNAMENT BOOKLET





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*Dear Fellow Golfers,*

It is an honour and a privilege for the Hellenic Senior Golfers Association to have been entrusted by ESGA with the responsibility to organize for the first time in Greece, such a significant event as the 32nd Championship & Cup 2013, Presidents Cup and Ladies Cup.

The tournament will be played on two great courses, both located at the beautiful Costa Navarino Resort. The Championship will be played on the Dunes Golf Course, and the Cup will be played on the Bay Golf Course. The Presidents and the Ladies Cup will be played on the Dunes Golf Course, immediately following the last tee-off time of the Championship.

Accommodations have been arranged at the Westin Resort, Costa Navarino, which has the capacity to accommodate all participants attending this competition, as well as to host events such as the General Assembly, the Presidents Dinner, and the Prize-Giving & Gala Dinner.

Registration will take place at the main reception area of the Westin Resort. Transportation within the resort will be supplied by the Hotel.

The Council and all members of the Atticos Hellenic Senior Golfers Association join me in welcoming you and wishing you a pleasant stay during your visit in the magnificent and historical region of Messinia.

Warm regards,

Odysseus F. Sassayiannis

*President of the*

*Atticos Hellenic Senior Golfers Association*



# *The Official Programme for Greece 2013*



## **Monday, 24 June 2013 | The Westin Resort**

Arrivals of participants & check in.

14.00 – 19.00 Registration of teams at The Westin Resort,  
Captains may obtain folders for their teams.

## **Tuesday, 25 June 2013 | Practice Day**

Arrivals of participants & check in.

10.00 – 12.00 ESGA Committee meeting at The Westin Resort.

09.00 – 19.30 Registration of teams at The Westin Resort.

Official Practice Day according to the official schedule at the 2 golf courses.

17.45 – 18.15 Captains meeting at the Dunes Course Club House.

19.00 – 20.00 Photo Session according to Official Timetable.

20.00 – 22.00 Opening Ceremony & Welcome Reception at The Westin Resort.  
Finger Food Cocktail will follow.

## **Wednesday, 26 June 2013 | First day of competition**

1st day of the Championship competition at the Dunes Golf Course.

1st day of the Cup competition at the Bay Golf Course.

The Presidents & Ladies Tournaments at the Dunes Golf Course will be followed by a "golfers' lunch" and Prize Giving Ceremony.

Players will receive their perspective course score card, local rules, lunch pack.

Free Evening

## **Thursday, 27 June 2013 | Second day of competition**

2nd day of the Championship competition at the Dunes Golf Course.

2nd day of the Cup competition at the Bay Golf Course.

at 19.00 General Assembly meeting for Presidents at The Westin Resort, and  
at 20.30 dinner for Presidents & accompanying persons.

## **Friday, 28 June 2013 | Third day of competition**

3rd day of the Championship competition at the Dunes Golf Course.

3rd day of the Cup competition at the Bay Golf Course.

Tee off times will be determined by the results of the first 2 days.

at 19.30 Closing & Prize Giving Ceremony & Gala Dinner at The Westin Resort.  
Distribution of final results' and team photos folder to all Captains.

## **Saturday, 29 June 2013 | Departure day**

Check out & departure of participants.



## *Committees & Contact Persons*



### 3 | Committees & Contact Persons

#### **A. ESGA Committee**

Philippe Verstraeten, President of ESGA  
Rolf Olland, Secretary General of ESGA

#### **B. Championship Committee**

Odysseus Sassayiannis, President of Hellenic Senior Golfers Association  
Philippe Verstraeten, President of ESGA  
Petros Tourgaidis, Tournament Director  
Iva Papalavrentis, Head Referee

#### **C. Tournament Committee**

George Mamalis, vice President of Atticos Senior Golfers Association  
Petros Tourgaidis, Tournament Director

#### **D. Honorary Committee**

Petros Doukas, President of the Hellenic Golf Association  
Dimitrios Kafadaris, Mayor of Pylos

#### **E. Event Organizer**

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# *Important Informations*



## **4 | Important Informations**

### **Registration**

Registration Desk will be in operation on 24th June, 14.00-19.00 and on 25th June, 09.00-19.30, at the Westin Resort.

### **Hotel Information**

The Westin Resort | Costa Navarino | 24001 Messinia, Greece  
www.westincostanavarino.com | Tel.: +30 27230 95000 | Fax: +30 27230 95500

Room rates include buffet breakfast daily.

### **Parking & Costs**

Parking is available for participants in the hotel premises free of charge.

### **Transport**

Transportation to golf courses will either be walking as the Dunes course is in walking distance from the Westin Resort, or by shuttle bus to the Bay Course.

### **Caddy room**

At both golf courses, there will be insured secured clubs storage.

### **Important information for net team players**

Identity card is needed for passing boarder to Host-Country. With identity card all citizens of EU can pass and countries with Schengen Agreement (Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland)

### **Official Notice Board**

Boards will be at the Information desks which will be in the official hotel and on both golf courses. **Website [www.golfunion.eu](http://www.golfunion.eu) will be, all the time, up to date, too.**

### **Restaurants**

Several restaurants will be in operation in the resort premises and also at the Golf Club House.



# Our Hotel Accommodation The Westin Resort

## 5 | The Westin Resort, Costa Navarino

www.westincostanavarino.com

Tel.: +30 27230 95000 | Fax: +30 27230 95500

### Prices

Double for Single use Room: € 135,00

Double Room: € 155,00

*Above quoted rates are on a per room per night basis and include all taxes, services and Buffet Breakfast daily.*

**All hotel reservations and payment will be made via AFEA S.A.**

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*Payment & Cancellation policy for reservations will be announced soon.*

In a majestic environment of both verdant land and pristine sea, the signature outdoor options at Navarino Dunes include a variety of indoor and outdoor activities.

A cutting edge sport center and recreation park provides numerous indoor and outdoor options, including squash, basketball, bowling, tennis, racket academy and high ropes.

A 4.000 metres spa and Thalassotherapy Centre, "Anazoe", features a brand new concept in wellness, combining ancient Greek medicine and philosophy with modern scientific treatments. The Westin Resort is set amid lush olive groves overlooking the calm, warm and crystal clear waters of the Ionian Sea.

A multi-functional and highly versatile conference centre, the "House of Events" accommodating up to 2.000pax.

Children are offered a tailor made learning experience either at the "Cocoon" Care center or at the "Sandcastle" which also offers overnight stay facilities.





## *Transportation and Car Rental*

### **5 | Transportation**

The main airport of Greece is Athens El Venizelos International airport and is located in Athens, where most airlines operate. Should you wish to travel to the Westin Resort via Athens El Venizelos, transportation from the airport can be offered at an extra rate either by private car (with driver) or organized bus transfers.

The distance from Athens El Venizelos International airport to the Westin Resort is approximately 3 hours.

Several airlines fly also to Kalamata Airport, which is located 1 hour away from the Westin Resort. Transportation from the Kalamata airport can be offered at an extra rate either by private car (with driver) or organized bus transfers. At the moment there is only one daily flight of Aegean Airlines scheduled to Kalamata airport, however, more charter flights will probably be scheduled for the summer period 2013 that will be announced at a later stage.

The above transportations will be arranged by luxury, air-conditioning buses (16, 22, 50 seater buses.)

### **5 | Car Rental**

Special Car rental rates, from the Athens El Venizelos International airport or the Kalamata airport can be given upon request.







*Our Golf Courses:*  
*The Dunes Course*  
*The Bay Course*

## 6 | Golf Courses

The tournament will take place at the Dunes Course and the Bay Course, which are both located within the hotel venue.

Transportation to golf courses will either be walking as the Dunes course is in walking distance from the Westin Resort, or by shuttle bus to the Bay Course.

There are parking facilities on both courses, driving ranges with practice balls, a golf shop and lockers for players.

Additionally there are places on both golf courses for sheltering, soft drinks and water, etc. Electric trolleys are not available.

Players who have their own electric trolleys should charge the batteries in their hotel rooms. Availability for pull trolleys is limited. Kindly bring your own trolleys if possible.

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# The characteristics of the two golf courses



The Dunes Course				The Bay Course			
CR = 72		SR = 139		CR = 68,7		SR = 132	
Hole	Meters	Par	Index	Hole	Meters	Par	Index
1	372	4		1	282	4	8
2	300	4		2	458	5	10
3	492	5		3	146	3	12
4	413	4		4	326	4	2
5	130	3		5	139	3	14
6	272	4		6	432	5	4
7	461	5		7	435	5	16
8	171	3		8	289	4	18
9	366	4		9	159	3	6
10	158	3		10	466	5	1
11	338	4		11	92	3	17
12	346	4		12	372	4	13
13	321	4		13	320	4	7
14	153	3		14	309	4	11
15	286	4		15	155	3	9
16	472	5		16	128	3	3
17	170	3		17	293	4	5
18	481	5		18	431	5	15
<b>IN</b>	<b>2.977</b>			<b>IN</b>	<b>2.566</b>		
<b>OUT</b>	<b>2.725</b>	<b>71</b>		<b>OUT</b>	<b>2.666</b>	<b>71</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5.702</b>			<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5.232</b>		

They are making some changes at the holes. Index is not available at present.





# *Fees for Greece 2013*



## 7 | Fees

**The following fees apply in € (optional in € and local currency)**

*Note: Add to all fees, if applicable: daily shuttle bus service hotel / golf course v.v..  
If not available please mention that competitors are considered to have their own cars.*

### **A. Player | € 375,00**

This includes f.e.: Greenfees for four days, Opening and Closing Ceremonies, Transportation to the Opening & Closing Ceremonies, Practice balls, Pull trolleys, Electrical charging, Drinks and fruit on the course and Prizes.

### **B. President (non-playing) | € 200,00**

This includes f.e.: Opening & Closing Ceremonies, Transportation to these Ceremonies, Presidents' Dinner and Meeting Costs.

### **C. President (playing in the Presidents' Cup) | € 250,00**

This includes on top fee nr. 2 f.e.: Greenfee Golf Course Presidents' Cup, Transportation Hotel/Golf course v.v., Practice balls, Pull trolleys, Drinks and fruit on the course and Prizes.

### **D. Ladies accompanying Presidents | € 150,00**

This includes Presidents' Dinner, Opening & Closing Ceremonies (including Transportation to the Ceremonies)

### **E. Accompanying persons (non playing), non playing captains etc. | € 110,00**

This includes f.e.: Opening & Closing Ceremonies, Transportation to the Ceremonies.

### **F. Accompanying Ladies (playing) | € 230,00**

This include on top of fee nr. 5 f.e.: Greenfee Golf Course Ladies' Cup, Transportation Hotel/Golf Course, Practice balls, Pull trolleys, Drinks and fruit on the course.



## *Tourism Attractions & Excursions*



### **8 | TOURISM ATTRACTIONS & EXCURSIONS**

#### **Methoni Castle – Pylos Castle | € 55,00 per person**

*Minimum participation 15 persons*

Including bus transportation from/to The Westin Resort, English speaking escort, entrance fee for Methoni & Pylos castles

#### **Pylos day excursion | € 51,00 per person**

*Minimum participation 15 persons*

Including bus transportation from/to The Westin Resort, English speaking escort, entrance fee for Pylos castle

#### **Pylos Castle & Sfaktiria | € 51,00 per person**

*Minimum participation 20 persons*

Including bus transportation from/to The Westin Resort, English speaking escort, boat transport (ca. 2hrs) entrance fee for Pylos castle

#### **Pylos – Nestor Temple | € 58,00 per person**

*Minimum participation 15 persons*

Including bus transportation from/to The Westin Resort, English speaking escort, entrance fee for Nestor Palace & Pylos castle

**For all the above kindly contact the event organizer:**



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