

PARAGOLF NORDIC MATCH 2026

TERMS OF COMPETITION



I. Rules

Competition is followed by the 2023 Rules by the R&A, and Hard Card of Finnish Golf Union (FGU).

Paragolf Nordic Match 2026 will be played simultaneously with Paragolf Finnish Open (PFO) and it will use same Terms of competition as the PFO.

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2. Eligibility

Representatives for the Paragolf Nordic Match are selected by their own national Golf Federation's and their own selection criterias.

General terms of eligibility for the Paragolf Nordic Match:

- amateur and professional players can attend
- player must have an EDGA WR4DG pass
- each country must have representatives at least from **two different Sport Bands**
 - Sport Band 1 (Sitting 1 and 2, Visual 1)
 - Sport Band 2 (Standing 1, Visual 2)
 - Sport Band 3 (Standing 2, Intellectual 1 (Virtus iil & Virtus ii2)
 - Sport Band 4 (Standing 3, Intellectual 2 (Virtus ii3)
- There is a wish for having both sex represented for each country, but it is not mandatory.
- Each country is responsible for their own players' classifications occupancy
- Handicap limit for Paragolf Nordic Match is +8.0-20.4, same as the Paragolf Finnish Open's Gross division.

3. Field size and format of play

Four (4) eligible players from each country.

The results of The Paragolf Nordic Match will be compiled from the Paragolf Finnish Open results as follows:

The three (3) best results per 18 holes will be counted for each country.

5. Registration of the teams

Registration for The Paragolf Finnish Open must be completed through the **Golf Box** system using the player's personal Golfbox ID.

Players taking part in Paragolf Nordic Match are to be asked to register before June 30th.

Each country will name their team representatives latest June 30th; names are given by email to Tournament Director, janne.burman@golf.fi

Early registration for the teams asked due the hotel reservations.

6. Player changes/ Team size

After the registration, a player may withdraw due to illness or injury, which must be reported to the Tournament Director as soon as possible. Country can name a new player to the team before the start of the Match, July 31st. If a new player is not registered already in the Paragolf Finnish Open, Tournament Director can add a new player to the participant list.

Team can also attend the tournament with three players if there are no substitute players.

7. Practice Round / Golf carts

Organizing club will book practice rounds for national teams for July 30th, two teetimes/country.

Need for golf carts need to be pre-booked via Golf Club not later than July 24th.

8. Entry fee

There is not a separate entry fee for the Paragolf Nordic Match; the participation fee for the Paragolf Finnish Open is 100e.

The entry fees must be paid before starting the Tournament starts.

9. Accommodation and transportation

Accommodation is pre-booked by Finnish Golf Union, which will be charged from the national golf federations as agreed.

Number of rooms and players sharing rooms needs to be informed not later than June 30th to Johanna.ahti@golf.fi

Transportation between the airport or the harbor and the accommodation and Golf club are arranged by FGU

12. Ties of the Match

In scratch stroke play (gross), ties for first place are decided by a hole-by-hole playoff. The playoff holes are determined by the Competition Committee.

In the event of tied results, the fourth player ´ s score will be considered.

13. Prizes and Prize Giving

Prize giving ceremony will be held right after the results have been confirmed, simultaneously with the Paragolf Finnish Open.

The winning team will be awarded by a Trophy.

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