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Yurihama, Tottori Prefecture: The Home of Ground Golf



Friday, May 24 - Saturday, May 25, 2019 ★2019 Yurihama International Ground Golf Open★



The Birthplace of Ground Golf: Yurihama, Yottori Prefecture

Ground golf was developed in the town of Yurihama (formerly Tomari Village) in Japan's Tottori Prefecture in 1982. With simple rules that allow anyone to enjoy the game, ground golf's popularity has spread throughout Japan, as well as abroad.

The Hometown Park of Ground Golf: Shiokaze no Oka Vomari

The hometown park of ground golf, *Shiokaze no Oka Tomari*, is a ground golf course specifically designed for the sport and has been approved by the Japan Ground Golf Association. With a view looking out across the ocean, it is an ideal location with a total of 3 different courses and a multi-purpose lawn area. Various ground golf tournaments are held at *Shiokaze no Oka Tomari* throughout the year, bringing players together from both inside and outside of Tottori Prefecture.



9:00 – 9:40am Ground Golf Lessons & Practic 10:30am– 3:30pm Gameplay (May 25) 9:00 – 9:30am Registration 10:00 – 11:40am Gameplay 11:40am– 12:20pm Lunch 12:30 – 1:00pm Awards & Closing Ceremony 1:00– 1:30pm Raffle, etc.

Rules of Play: Gameplay will follow the rules established by the Japan Ground Golf Association.

Gameplay: 1. Players will complete 2 rounds of 8 holes.

- 2. Players assigned to Group A will play using the inside and windmill courses, while those assigned to Group B will play using the outside and cape courses. Play will be individual and the final ranking will be determined based on the player's total number of strokes.
- Other: 1. Clubs and balls used must be approved by the Japan Ground Golf Association. *Markers will be provided and free rental equipment will be available for use.*
 - 2. Subject to change in the event of inclement weather.
 - 3. All participants will receive event memorabilia and a certificate of participation.
 - 4. <u>Please refrain from canceling on the day and call to the follow beforehand when</u> <u>there are unavoidable circumstances.</u>

International GG Open Executive Committee TEL: 0858-35-5368

\star Please submit applications form to International Affairs Division of Tottori University \downarrow

https://www.ciatu.tottori-u.ac.jp/online-application/groundgolf-yurihama2019

★Deadline: Monday, March 25, 2019

