

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Francine Saxton Trophy 2026

Proudly hosted by Golfclub Houtrak — a GJG Tour event
23 – 25 October 2026 · Netherlands



WAGR RANKED* JGR U14 · U18 · U23

AT A GLANCE

TOURNAMENT DATES 24 – 25 October 2026	FORMAT 54 holes stroke play	DAILY PLAY 36 + 18 holes
OFFICIAL PRACTICE ROUND 23 October 2026	FIELD SIZE 68 participants	AGE CLASSES U14 · U18 · U23
TEE BOXES Boys: White · Girls: Blue	VENUE Golfclub Houtrak, Netherlands · www.houtrak.nl	

ENTRIES CLOSE
23 Sep 2026
First come, first served

ENTRY FEE
190 €
Bank transfer to the host

CONFIRM PARTICIPATION
3 days prior
In your GJG player account

1 Schedule & Format

Arrival and practice at Golfclub Houtrak, then 36 holes on Saturday and 18 on Sunday to decide the champions.

Before the Tournament		DEADLINES
23 Sep 2026	Entries Close One month before the official practice round. Entries are first come, first served within the eligibility criteria.	
Prior to arrival	Book the Practice Round Book with Golfclub Houtrak on +31 (0)23 513 29 39 or caddiemaster@houtrak.nl , prior to arrival.	
3 days prior	Confirm Participation Online Confirm in your GJG player account under YOUR TOURNAMENTS — otherwise you will not be listed in the tournament.	

Friday · 23 October		ARRIVAL & PRACTICE DAY
Daytime	Official Practice Round Booked directly with Golfclub Houtrak — +31 (0)23 513 29 39 or caddiemaster@houtrak.nl.	
15:00	Starting Times Announced Announced no later than 15:00 Dutch time on 23 October — on the GJG tournament website, the clubhouse noticeboard and in the tournament office.	
Evening	Welcome Dinner Mandatory for all players. Held on the same day as the official practice round. Programme: introduction of the GJG team. Location: Club house.	
Saturday · 24 October		ROUNDS 1 & 2 · 36 HOLES
TBC	Rounds 1 & 2 — 36 holes Play commences 24 October 2026 — 36 holes on Saturday.	
Sunday · 25 October		FINAL ROUND
TBC	Round 3 — 18 holes Final round of the championship — 18 holes on Sunday.	
After play	Prize Ceremony Trophies awarded across all categories. The competition is deemed closed once the ceremony has finished.	

Full schedule of events is published on the tournament website and updated earliest one week before Round 1.

Format & course

A **54-hole individual stroke play** event played at **Golfclub Houtrak — 36 holes on Saturday and 18 holes on Sunday**, commencing **24 October 2026**. The official practice round is on **23 October 2026**. For course information visit www.houtrak.nl.

BOOK YOUR PRACTICE ROUND EARLY

The official practice round **has to be booked through the golf course** and must be booked prior to arrival. Contact Golfclub Houtrak on **+31 (0)23 513 29 39** or at **caddiemaster@houtrak.nl**.

Tee boxes

BOYS

White

GIRLS

Blue

2 Eligibility to Play

A handicap-qualifying event, open to amateur golfers, both boys and girls. Players are accepted **first come, first served** within the eligibility criteria, in the following age classes (a minimum of 3 participants must be in an age class, otherwise players are allocated to the next higher class):

- **U14** — players age 12–14 (max. 14 at the start of the event)
- **U18** — max. 18 at the start of the event
- **U23** — max. 23 at the start of the event

All players must hold a **GJG membership** regardless of age category, and must be members of a registered golf club.

Entry qualification criteria

- Active **GJG membership** at the time of entry
- Membership of a **registered golf club**
- A **current WHS handicap** within the limits for your category (below)
- Age within the declared class **at the start of the event**
- Entry and payment completed by the closing date — **first come, first served**

Handicap limits

BOYS

HCP 5 · U14: HCP 17

GIRLS

HCP 9 · U14: HCP 24

Remember to update your HCP according to WHS. If a player does not meet the HCP limits or has no GJG eligibility status, send a wildcard inquiry to **service@globaljuniorgolf.com** with latest tournament results. Results from Dutch players are sent to the NGF by the hosting golf club; foreign players must inform their home clubs individually.

3 Field Size & Entries

The field is capped at **68 participants**. The tournament committee reserves the right to change or limit the size of the field. Entries are based on **first come, first served** according to the eligibility criteria. Application for participation is only possible for members of the Global Junior Golf Tour.

Waiting list

Once the tournament reaches its maximum number of participants, a waiting list applies. Players are allocated by entry date, with the order shown on the tournament page. If confirmed from the waiting list due to a cancellation, a player must react **within 24 hours** to confirm the

spot — otherwise it is lost and offered to the next player on the list.

Closing date & cancellations

Closing date of entries: **23 September 2026** — one month before the official practice round.

Cancellations made **after** the closing date: the full entry fee is charged. Any cancellation **before** the entry deadline: a **30 € handling fee** applies.

4 Entry Fee & What's Included

ENTRY FEE (MANDATORY)

190 €

The entry fee must be paid to the host, **Golfclub Houtrak**, by **bank transfer**. Make sure your entry fee is paid in due time — **you are only confirmed once the entry fee is paid**.

ACCOUNT HOLDER	Golfclub Houtrak
IBAN	NL61RABO0373136617
PAYMENT CONTACT	jeco@houtrak.nl

Once the transfer has been made, a **proof of payment must be sent to jeco@houtrak.nl** to confirm the payment.

The entry fee includes the **official practice round on 23 October, 3 tournament rounds**, and water and fruit on the golf course during tournament days.

Trolleys

A limited number of trolleys is available — contact Golfclub Houtrak on +31 (0)23 513 29 39 or at caddiemaster@houtrak.nl to reserve one.

Accommodation *(recommendation only, not mandatory)*

Accommodation details are to be announced.

5 How to Register

A. Existing GJG Tour members

Log in to your account and choose “Francine Saxton Trophy.” Login: globaljuniorgolf.com/register. After you have been confirmed by the tournament director, book and pay the entry fee directly with the golf course (Golfclub Houtrak). Once the entry fee is fully paid, you are confirmed.

B. New members

First register as a GJG member at globaljuniorgolf.com/register and read the information carefully. Once the entry fee is fully paid, you are confirmed.

Confirming participation

Use the online registration tool in your GJG player account at ssl.globaljuniorgolf.com/member. Check **3 days before** the tournament under YOUR TOURNAMENTS for the instructions to confirm participation — do not forget this process, otherwise you will **not** be listed in the tournament. An automatic confirmation email is sent to your account email once complete.

6 Prizes

Trophies only, awarded 1st – 3rd gross for both boys and girls in each category:

- **U23** (age 23 at the start of the event & under) — in this category every player will tee off (besides U14), and the **overall winners, boys and girls, of the Francine Saxton Trophy** are determined here
- **U18** (age 18 at the start of the event & younger)
- **U14** (age 14 at the start of the event & younger)

In the event of a tie, see GJG Tour Rules paragraph 8: globaljuniorgolf.com/tour-rules.

7 Conditions of Competition

The tournament is held in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by the R&A Rules Limited, the current rules of the **Dutch Golf Federation**, the Tour Rules of GJG, the GJG Hard Card and the local rules approved by the tournament committee. Make sure to check the Local Rules info sheet before starting your round.

Local rules will be published and posted on the tournament notice board at the venue, given out on the starting tee and made available on the tournament website.

Subject to change

The competition committee reserves the right to alter starting times and amend the regulations if necessary. Decisions of the committee are final (subject to alterations without notice).

Media

All players accept that photos, videos or livestream made during the tournament can be used by GJG and its partners on any media channel for marketing activities or publication in regard to the tournament.

Schedule of events

Please check the tournament website under **Schedule of Events**. Details will be updated earliest a week before round 1.

8 Travel & Getting There

For directions to Golfclub Houtrak, see www.houtrak.nl.

It is each player's responsibility to check any governmental restrictions in their home country or in the country/state where they plan to play. Houtrak and GJG cannot advise on travel restrictions, as these differ between countries — please inform yourself thoroughly before you start travelling.

9 Contacts & Committee

HOST CLUB

Golfclub Houtrak
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www.houtrak.nl

GJG MEMBERS ADMINISTRATION

service@globaljuniorgolf.com
globaljuniorgolf.com

Tournament Director: Sander van Duijn — jeco@houtrak.nl. The members of the committee, along with contact details and emergency numbers, will be announced before the start of the competition.

10 Rankings & Player Acceptance

IMPORTANT

When a player is confirmed to participate at the Francine Saxton Trophy, they have accepted and fully read the **Tour Rules of Global Junior Golf** — globaljuniorgolf.com/tour-rules.

This tournament is **WAGR and JGR ranked**. For further information, contact service@globaljuniorgolf.com.

**Please check with each ranking institution individually which rankings apply and what the minimum criteria are.*

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