



沃尔沃中国公开赛 VOLVO CHINA OPEN

国内资格赛 · Domestic Qualifying

2019 TERMS & CONDITIONS

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1. **Organizer** China Golf Association
2. **Co-Promoter** Volvo Cars Distribution Shanghai Co., Ltd; Mitime Sports Shanghai Co., Ltd
3. **Event Title** 2019 Volvo China Open Domestic Qualifying
4. **Title Sponsor** VOLVO
5. **Venue and Schedule** Guangzhou Nansha Golf Club
 - Monday 18th March: Practice Day
 - Tuesday 19th March: 1st Round
 - Wednesday 20th March: 2nd Round
6. **Format** Gross stroke play over 36 holes
7. **Field Composition** Maximum field is 126 players
8. **Eligibility**
 - 8.1 The 2-5 leading gross score mainland players from 2019 Volvo China Open Amateur Qualifying Final.
 - 8.2 Open entry: The Domestic Qualifying Tournament hosted in Guangzhou Nansha GC is open to all professional golfers who hold a mainland Chinese passport AND WHO
 - 8.2.1 Are not otherwise qualified for the Volvo China Open from the 2nd – 5th May 2019, AND
 - 8.2.2 Are professional golfers or teaching pros (should use professional), who are members of recognized CGA, OR
 - 8.3 Are Sponsor exemptions
9. **Cut after 1st Round**
 - If the player field is 60 or more, then only the leading 60 scores plus ties will go forward to the 2nd round.
 - If the player field is less than 60, then players who finish the 1st round 15 strokes or more than the leading 1st round score will not compete in the 2nd round.
10. **Tees**

All competitors (male and female) will play from the same tees assigned.
11. **Rules of Play**

The tournament will be played in accordance with the 2019 Rules of Golf (Chinese version) as approved by the R&A and CGA, along with the Local Rules set by the committee.
12. **Decision on Ties**

In the case of a tie for a place in the Volvo China Open, this will be decided by sudden death play-off immediately after the 36 holes. If there is a tie for other places, the leader will be decided on a count back the last 18 holes of the final round. If there is still a tie then the count back will be decided over

the last 9 holes and then last 6 holes, if deemed necessary, last 3 holes then last hole.

13. Caddie

The rules of each qualifying are that caddies are mandatory. They are available for hire from each qualifying but players may also bring their own caddie. No buggies are permitted but caddies may use pull trolleys if they are available for the qualifying.

14. Prize

The 9 leading gross score will qualify for 2019 Volvo China Open. They will also get the trophy. We will allocate CNY 350,000 to prize money for the Domestic Qualifying.

Professionals:

1 ST	CNY 76,100	14 TH	CNY 7,000
2 ND	CNY 50,700	15 TH	CNY 6,700
3 RD	CNY 28,600	16 TH	CNY 6,400
4 TH	CNY 22,800	17 TH	CNY 6,200
5 TH	CNY 19,400	18 TH	CNY 5,900
6 TH	CNY 16,000	19 TH	CNY 5,700
7 TH	CNY 13,700	20 TH	CNY 5,500
8 TH	CNY 11,400	21 ST	CNY 5,300
9 TH	CNY 10,200	22 ND	CNY 5,200
10 TH	CNY 9,100	23 RD	CNY 5,000
11 TH	CNY 8,400	24 TH	CNY 4,900
12 TH	CNY 7,800	25 TH	CNY 4,700
13 TH	CNY 7,300		

The prize money above is before taxation.

Remark: Should a player who qualifies for the Volvo China Open notify the Tournament Committee that he or she is unable to participate then the place will be offered to the next in line (first alternate) of the leading scores from that qualifying. Should there have been a tie among those scores designated as first alternate, then the leading score to qualify will be decided on a count back the last 18 holes of the final round. If there is still a tie then the count back will be decided over the last 9 holes and then last 6 holes, if deemed necessary, last 3 holes then last hole. Should the first alternate not be able to participate further then the spot will be offered to the second alternate on the same basis or until an alternate is found who can participate in the Volvo China Open.

THE DECISION OF THE VOLVO CHINA OPEN COMMITTEE IN ALL MATTERS WILL BE FINAL.

15. Spectators

Walking alongside with the players is allowed. Spectator should be walking in buggies path only. Tournament committees, referees shall have the rights to send spectator out of the golf course if the following behaviors are considered to disturb the tournament, including without limited, walking on the Tee, fairway and greens, etc.

16. Suspension of Play

If it is not possible to achieve 18 holes during the 1st day at any of the Qualifying Tournaments, play may continue the following day. If play is not possible on the following day, then that particular Qualifying Tournament will be rescheduled.

17. Entries and Registration

17.1 Professionals and teaching pros with PGA membership card should submit entry application with a proof of recognition by CGA through the [entry link](#).

17.2 All entries start with immediate effect. Applicants should submit entry application through the

entry link of official website www.volvochinaopen.com no later than 10 days before the start of tournaments. After the tournament office has received an entry, the applicant's name will be [posted on the official website](#) to confirm receipt of entry. The tournament office will post the qualified applicants' information on the Volvo China Open official website 3 days after entries close.

ALL APPLICANTS SHOULD CHECK IF THEIR APPLICATION IS SUCCESSFUL.

17.3 Applicants shall pay the entry fee through the specified QR code when he receive the confirmation email by committee (wechat Pay) within 2 days. The player's entry is confirmed as final only after the entry fee has been received.

17.4 Please be kindly note that all players are required to register with the effective identity certification and to sign event disclaimer and other documents as tournament committee required.

18. Fees

18.1 Entry Fee: CNY 1000

This payment covers entry for the Volvo China Open for those successful qualifiers.

18.2 Players should settle by themselves for transportation, dining, accommodation, playing fee and personal consumption.

18.3 Players should enquiry Host Venue to purchase insurance by themselves.

19. Remarks

19.1 All entries are subject to the approval of the Tournament Committee which reserves the right to accept or refuse, or having accepted, subsequently reject any entry without giving reason for its decision.

19.2 The Tournament Committee may disqualify any player giving false information on his or her entry form or on accompanying credentials, and will report to CGA.

19.3 If the entries are oversubscribed, withdrawal shall be based on date of entry.

19.4 No refund will be made to any successful applicants.

19.5 All players have obligation to attend the related activities, including Pro-Am, Prize Giving and media interview.

20. Contact

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The Tournament Committee reserves the right to change any of the conditions without prior notice