

Terms and Conditions

Updated on Monday 28 September 2020

1. General

- a. The purpose of Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open is to encourage more people to play 9 hole golf
- b. Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open competition will run from 1 October 2020 to 31 March 2021
- c. Make Time Play 9 Road to the Open competition is open to anyone who is a member of a golf club that is affiliated to New Zealand Golf and has an official New Zealand Golf handicap
- d. Make Time Play 9 Road to the Open competition will have separate men's and women's prize divisions
- e. Every 9-hole scorecard entered between 1 October 2020 – 31 March 2021 will equate to one entry for the prize draw for that month
- f. The prize will be an opportunity to play in a special 9-hole event at Millbrook Resort in 2021
- g. At the completion of the 9-hole event at Millbrook Resort, two leading players will win a prize package, including the opportunity to play at The R&A 9 Hole Challenge at The 149th Open Championship at Royal St George in 2021.

2. Eligibility

- a. To be eligible to enter Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open competition, you must be a member of a golf club affiliated to New Zealand Golf and have an official New Zealand Golf handicap
- b. To enter, you must play a 9-hole round, hand in a signed scorecard and have your home club or the host club where you played, enter your scorecard into your New Zealand Golf scoring record
- c. A score can be entered by playing an organised 9-hole club competition, twilight competition, business house competition, Make Time Play 9 event or any 9-hole casual round
- d. Employees of New Zealand Golf, and any New Zealand Golf District Association are not eligible to enter
- e. Only 9-hole scores are eligible. Players are not allowed to complete an 18-hole round and hand in two separate 9 hole scorecards
- f. Every scorecard entered goes into the draw to win an invitation at the Make Time Play 9 Road to the Open – Final Event at Millbrook Resort
- g. You do not need to sign up to the Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open competition. Every scorecard is an entry into the competition's monthly draw, until the promotion's completion on 31 March 2021.

3. Recording Make Time, Play 9 Score Cards

- a. At the completion of your 9-hole round, your scorecard needs to be returned to the club as per usual
- b. The golf club where you played and entered your 9-hole scorecard is responsible for uploading the 9-hole scorecard to the National Handicapping System
- c. The scorecard needs to be entered by the golf club into the National Handicapping System before the deadline in order to be eligible to win the Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open
- d. Scorecards entered after the monthly deadlines will revert to the following month
- e. Every scorecard entered goes into the draw to win the prize to attend the Make Time Play 9 Road to the Open – Final Event at Millbrook Resort
- f. Scorecards entered after 31 March 2021 are not eligible to win the Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open competition

4. Winning the Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open Competition

- a. On the final day of the following months, October 2020, November 2020, December 2020 and January 2021, February 2021, entry from the male division and female division will be drawn at random
- b. To draw the ninth person, a random draw will be completed on 31 March 2021 which will comprise of all scorecards entered between 1 October 2020 and 31 March 2021
- c. On 31 March 2021, a random draw will also be undertaken to find a replacement if any winner from previous months has had to withdraw
- d. Any players withdrawing after 31 March 2021 will not be replaced
- e. The winner of the random monthly draw will be announced via New Zealand Golf's website, social media platforms and email
- f. The winner of the random monthly draw will be contacted by a New Zealand Golf representative by email, based on their current email address associated with their New Zealand Golf member ID. If personal details are not up to date, New Zealand Golf will attempt to contact winners via their home golf club
- g. The winners of the random monthly draw will have 7 days to respond to the representative from New Zealand Golf who has made contact with them by email, on whether they wish to take part in the Road to the Open – Final Event at Millbrook Resort in 2021 or if they wish to decline the invitation
- h. If a monthly winner does not wish to or is unable participate in the Road to the Open – Final Event at Millbrook Resort in 2021, then another draw for that month will be immediately conducted by New Zealand Golf
- i. New Zealand Golf, at their discretion can contact you, your club, and your marker to verify your scorecard
- j. Randomly drawn winners of Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open's competition give their consent for their win to be publicised New Zealand Golf's media channels such as social media or website, and agree to take part in general publicity activities including but not limited to: press coverage, to be photographed and TV appearances at New Zealand Golf's discretion
- k. New Zealand Golf's decisions are final, and no correspondence will be entered into.

5. Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open Prize for 9 Randomly Selected Winners

- a. The prize for 9 randomly drawn winners will include
 - o An invitation into the Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open – Final event at Millbrook Resort
 - o Flights to Queenstown from the closest airport to the winner's home golf club
 - o Two nights accommodation in Queenstown
 - o Entry into the Make Time Play 9 Road to the Open – Final event
 - o Transfers to and from the airport to hotel and transfers from the hotel to Millbrook Resort
 - o The prize is non-transferable. If a participant who has been randomly drawn as one of the monthly winners, cannot or does not wish to participate, then New Zealand Golf has the right to randomly draw another participant for that month.

6. Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open – Event Format

- a. An event will be hosted by New Zealand Golf at Millbrook Resort which will be a 9-hole stableford competition for the 9 winners drawn for the Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open competition
- b. The 9-hole competition will be organised by New Zealand Golf with specific rules of that competition issued to the 9 finalists

- c. The maximum handicap limits will be 28.4 for men and 36.4 for women
- d. The leading two individual stableford scores will be the winners and will represent New Zealand in the R&A 9 Hole Challenge on the eve of The 149th Open Championship at Royal St Georges, July 2021
- e. In the event of a tie for one of the two winning spots, a countback will be made based on the best last six, then last three then final hole score. If there is still a tie, then the winner will be drawn by lot
- f. Competitors finishing third to ninth will also be ranked on countback because if a winner is unable to compete at Royal St Georges the next placed finishers will take their place.

7. The R&A 9 Hole Challenge

- a. The prize for the leading two players in the Make Time, Play 9 Road to the Open event is entry into The R&A 9 Hole Challenge to be played on the eve of The 149th Open Championship at Royal St Georges which includes
 - o Return economy airfares, plus regional if needed
 - o 6 nights accommodation
 - o LOVE Golf Apparel
 - o \$500 per person grant
 - o 2 x season tickets to The Open Championship.
- b. Due to the deep impact of COVID-19, the New Zealand winners of the Make Time Play 9 – Final event may not be able to travel and participate in The R&A 9 Hole Challenge. This may occur due to:
 - o Government travel and border restrictions
 - o Risk of international travel prioritising individuals health and safety
 - o The 149th Open Championship being postponed or cancelled.
- c. The R&A 9 Hole Challenge being postponed or cancelled. In the event international travel is restricted, New Zealand Golf will arrange an alternative prize package for the winners of Make Time Play 9.

8. Communication

- a. Emails will be sent to all registrants with information including but not limited to Make Time, Play 9 communications such as winner updates. New Zealand Golf will endeavour to send an appropriate number of communications, however you may unsubscribe from these at any time
- b. Make, Time Play 9 is administered by New Zealand Golf, 120 Abbotts Way, Remuera, Auckland.