

Houston Telephone Golf Association

2023 Match Play

Single elimination tournament. Assuming we have 20 participants, the bracket will include a preliminary 8 player round determined by the draw at the monthly HTGA April Tournament. The schedule in 2023 will reflect timing to complete 5 rounds sufficient to allow trophy engraving before the annual in October.

The 4 lowest handicap entrants will be seeded in the bracket with the remaining entrants placed into the bracket by blind draw.

Preliminary deadline for round completion:

Round 1 May 21th

Round 2 June 25th

Round 3 July 30th

Semi-Finals September 3rd

Finals October 1st

Prize funded from entry fee distributed 100% to those making the final 4. Preliminary subject to filling the 20 player bracket: First Place \$250, Second Place \$175, Third Place \$125, Fourth Place \$50.

GOY points will be awarded as in past years, 25-24-23-22 for finals participants, 18 points for entrants losing in the third round and 15 points for entrants losing in the first or second round.

Match Handicap will be 80% rounded up or down to whole number of the Course Handicap Index differential for the course / tee box used for the match. Players must play from the same tee box. Matches tied after 18 holes continue play, the winner is not determined by a scorecard playoff. If continuing is not possible, players may determine whether to replay the entire match or resume play at a later date considering the first hole being the 19th hole of the match.

Players are responsible for scheduling their match. The website will have contact information for all participants.

You can contact Steve Denby or Bob Proffitt to have the match handicap provided if you are unable to perform those calculations. For any questions, contact Bob Proffitt, rtproffitt904@gmail.com or text / call 281-460-0791.