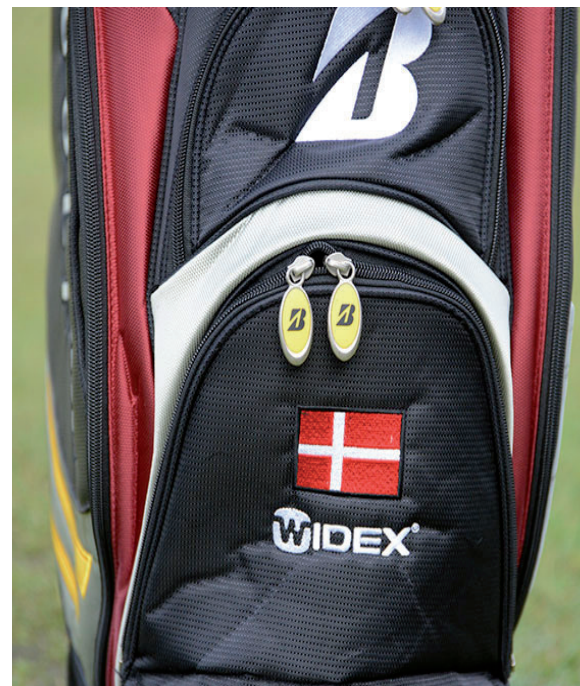


The 11th World Deaf Golf Championships Copenhagen, Denmark 2016





Welcome



It is with great pride , that the Danish Deaf Sport Federation and the Organizing Committee for the WDGC 2016 present our first announcement for the 11th World Deaf Golf Championship to be held in Copenhagen 22 - 29. July 2016.

Copenhagen is a great destination for this event. This vibrant metropolis is the gateway to Scandinavia and among the safest and cleanest cities in the world. Copenhagen offers a wide variety of cultural experiences and stunning architecture within its compact city centre and is furthermore known as one of the most environmental friendly cities in the world with a very low level of pollution. With the Championships in July 2016 the participants and the visitors will be visiting Copenhagen at one of the best times of the year in the middle of the summer with pleasant temperatures and ideal for golf with the courses in the best possible condition. You will find more information about Denmark , Copenhagen and the WDGC 2016 on the following pages and our website will continuously be updated , as we get closer to the event in 2016.

The Royal Golf Club , Crowne Plaza Copenhagen and all our sponsors and partners look forward to welcome you and offer you a great experience in Copenhagen on and off the golf course.

We hope to see you all in Copenhagen in 2016 for the 11th World Deaf Golf Championships and say a warm welcome to you in sign-language.

Best regards

WDGC 2016 Organizing Committee.



Schedule for WDGC 2016



**The WDGC 2016 will take place in Copenhagen from
22.-30. July**

This is at the height of the Danish summer and one of the very best times of the year in Copenhagen.

One of the most notable benefits about holding the event in Copenhagen in July are the long bright evenings. The participants will be able to sit outdoors at cafés enjoying the Danish capital's convivial atmosphere, take a boat tour on its canals, spend time wandering amid the historic half-timbered houses and taking in the exciting modern architecture.

In the warm summer weather, Copenhageners spill out on the city's streets and squares, relax in its parks, and drink and dine beside its waterfronts and quaysides. In 2008 the renowned international lifestyle magazine, Monocle, named Copenhagen the "Most liveable city in the world".



Schedule for WDGC 2016



CPCT – Crowne Plaza Copenhagen Towers

RGC – Royal Golf Club

Friday 22. July	Arrival Day
Saturday 23. July	WDGF General Meeting – CPCT
Sunday 24. July	Officials Meeting – RGC Opening Ceremony , Banquet – RGC
Monday 25. July	Practice Round – RGC WDGF Technical Meeting – CPCT
Tuesday 26. July	First Round – RGC
Wednesday 27. July	Second Round – RGC Half-point Barbeque Evening – TIVOLI
Thursday 28. July	Third Round – RGC
Friday 29. July	Final Round – RGC Commendation Ceremony, Farewell Party – CPCT
Saturday 30. July	Departure Day



Royal Golf Club



The International Championship golf course

The 18 hole International Championship golf course was designed after the latest international requirements as a golf course with inspiration from the Scottish and Irish links courses. The Championship course is designed with two 9 hole loops where the 9th and 18th greens are situated around a large lake. The course length is 6,600 meters with the possibility for expansion if required. This par 72 was built as a stadium course.

Mounding gives the audience a perfect view of the spectacular surroundings and tournaments.

Golf Course Designer – Sir Ron Kirby

Sir Ron Kirby, one of the most respected and experienced golf course architects in the world. Among others Sir Ron Kirby is well known for his design of Gleneagles, Sun City, Paris International, Mount Juliet in Kilkenny and The Old Head near Kinsale. In the mid-1960's he was employed by Robert Trent Jones Inc., building courses in the United States and England. In 1970 he formed an association with golf architect Arthur Davis, based in Georgia. PGA professional Gary Player served for a time as a consulting partner in the company. In the late seventies, Davis and Player left the firm and associate Denis Griffiths became Kirby's partner. Ron Kirby then joined Jack Nicklaus Golf Design Services in 1986 and was responsible for all European Projects. Presently Ron Kirby is living in Florida and Ireland.



Crowne Plaza Copenhagen Towers



As a guest at the international 4-star hotel, Crowne Plaza Copenhagen Towers, you will experience Scandinavian quality, comfort and service in an exclusive and sustainable environment. The hotel is located only 200 m. from Ørestad metro station from where you can reach Copenhagen city center in less than 10 minutes – or you can hire one of the hotel's electric bicycles or cars.

Crowne Plaza hotel also offers free shuttle service to and from Copenhagen airport and provides guests with free wireless internet access throughout the hotel. In the bar “Still” and the restaurant “Storm”, you can enjoy refreshments, coffee or a wonderful meal. There is free access to the hotel gym and all hotel guests can use the swimming pool at the fitness center Fitness.dk, which is situated right next to the hotel. The surrounding area offers everything from shopping at Scandinavia's largest shopping center to golf at Copenhagen Royal Golf Center and walks and biking trips in the protected and beautiful green area of Amager Fælled.

Welcome to Crowne Plaza Copenhagen Towers – www.cpcopenhagen.dk



Golfing Pack for players and non-players



Players

- Entry Fee
- Green Fee
- WDGC 2016 – welcome pack
- Opening Ceremony
- Half-point Barbeque Evening in Tivoli
- Closing Ceremony
- Shuttle service
 - CPCT – Royal Golf Club
 - CPCT – Half-point Barbeque Evening in TIVOLI

Total price 750€ per person

Non-Players

- WDGC 2016 – welcome pack
- Opening Ceremony
- Half-point Barbeque Evening in Tivoli
- Closing Ceremony
- Shuttle service
 - CPCT – Royal Golf Club
 - CPCT – Half-point Barbeque Evening in TIVOLI

Total price 325€ per person



Hotel and other packages



Hotel pack

- Crowne Plaza Copenhagen Towers
- 7 nights, breakfast and dinner – as follows
(Breakfast - Sun, Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri and Saturday)
(Dinner - Sat, Mon, Tues and Thursday)

Total price for double room 750€ per person

Total price for single room 1250€ per person

Total price for an extra night for double room from 150€ per person

Sightseeing pack

- Includes free access to more than 70 attractions , free transport by bus, train and metro, as well a guide to Copenhagen
- Also includes free access to a tour in Copenhagen with a deaf guide

Total price for 24 hours Copenhagen Card 35€ per person

Total price for 72 hours Copenhagen Card 75€ Euro per person

**Participating countries will have a private guide during the stay for the
WDGC 2016 Free**



Copenhagen fact sheet



History: Founded in 1167 by Bishop Absalon (1128 -1201).

Latin Name: "Hafnia", the Latin word for Harbour, was its first name. Later the city was more specifically named "Merchant Harbour", in medieval Danish "Købmannehavn", which then in turn became "København" (Copenhagen).

Language: The official language is Danish. However, most visitors will find communication easy as the Danish population's language proficiency is amongst the highest in Europe.

Size: The Greater Copenhagen region covers an area of 2.862 sq km. Copenhagen is 35 square miles/91 square kilometers.

Population of the city: 1,700,000 of which 600,000 live in the city center.

Most ancient buildings:

- Part of Brønshøj church, c. 1200.
- Konsistoriet (the University), c. 1420.
- Helligåndshuset (house of the Holy Ghost), c. 1475.
- Tower of Sct. Nicolai church, 1591.

The geographic position (Toldboden): 55°41' N, 12° 36' E

Elevation: 16 feet/5 meters

Electricity: 230 volts, 50Hz, standard two pin plugs

Time Zone: GMT/UTC +1

Country Dialing Code: +45

Currency: Danish Kroner (DKK). 1 Euro is app. 7.45 DKK.

Water: Tap water is completely safe to drink throughout Denmark

Weather: Denmark's weather is quite mild. Denmark has a temperate climate, which is largely conditioned by the generally westerly winds and by the fact that the country is virtually encircled by water. The winters are not particularly cold and the summers are mild. In the light summer months of June to August, the average daytime temperature is 66°F (19°C) and in the coldest month of February the average is 34°F (1°C).

Fast facts about Denmark

Population: 5.5m

Area: 43,098 sq km

Government type: Constitutional monarchy

Legislative branch:
Unicameral parliament (or Folketing),
179 seats, including 2 from Greenland
and 2 from the Faroe Islands.

Members are elected by popular vote
on the basis of proportional
representation to serve four-year terms

Head of state: Queen Margrethe II

Religions: Predominantly Evangelical
Lutheran

Key industries: Biotech / pharma, med
tech, food/farming, IT / telecom,
service and tourism

Largest companies: A.P. Møller/Mærsk,
TDC (former Tele Danmark), Carlsberg,
FLS Industries, Danisco, Novo Nordisk,
J. Lauritzen Holding and ISS.

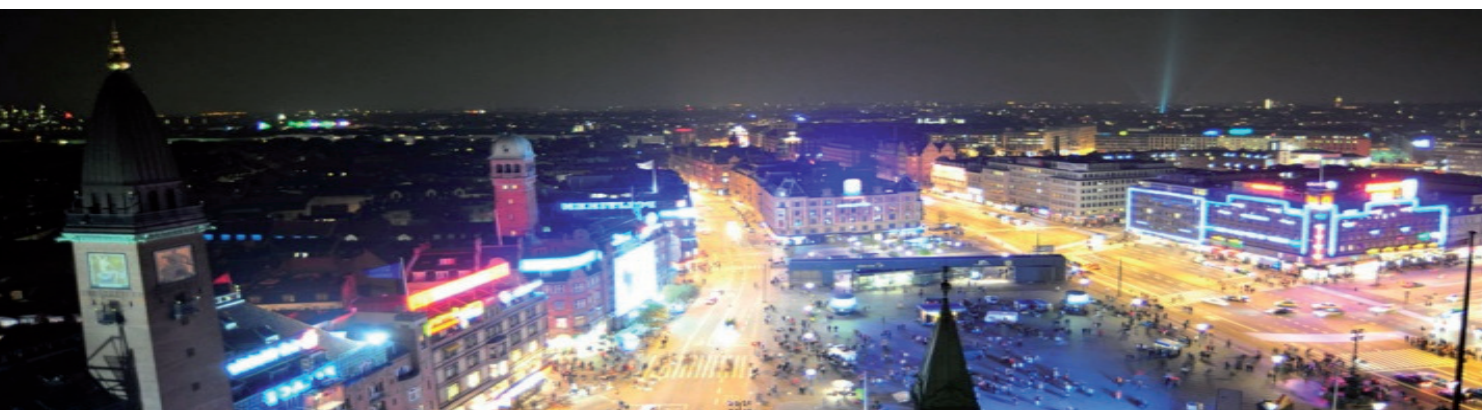


The Danish Flag

Fun facts about Copenhagen



- The Little Mermaid is made of bronze, and it stands only 165 centimetres tall and weighs 175 kilos.
- The Copenhagen citizens pedal more than 1.13 million kilometres a day.
- Copenhagen has the fastest and cheapest airport to city-centre rail link of any European capital – it takes just 12 minutes.
- Copenhagen is the main Cruise Port of Scandinavia.
- The Michelin Guide has confirmed that Copenhagen is the number one food-lover's destination in Scandinavia.
- Copenhagen has the longest pedestrian street, called Strøget, in Europe.
- Denmark is now the country in Europe with the most breweries per capita.
- The Danish monarchy is the oldest in the world and the Royal family live in Copenhagen.
- Copenhagen has 2000 free cycles for visitors: the city bikes.
- In Copenhagen Harbour the water is so clean that you can swim in it.
- Copenhagen has its own sand beach in the middle of town: Amager Strandpark
- Copenhagen is northern Europe's largest festival city.



Map of Copenhagen





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