



## H.M. King Leopold III Challenge 2024

Dear Visitors , members  
Dear Friends,

We are very pleased to welcome you back in Belgium for the 33<sup>rd</sup> edition of the King Leopold III Challenge 2024.

This prestigious Challenge was initiated in 1958 by our past King Leopold III and has traditionally been organized every two years since then.

This year, we are proud to welcome about 100 players, representing 8 Countries. The Challenge will be played over 3 days on the two prestigious championship courses of the Royal Waterloo Golf Club, having celebrated its 100th anniversary last year. The “La Marache” course was designed by Frederic Hawtree and the “Le Lion” course by the Belgian architect Paul Rolin. Later on, this course has been redesigned by Martin Hawtree, son of Frederic. Several major international competitions have been organized on these typically Walloon Brabant courses, very close by the Waterloo 1815 battlefield. The club has produced several great champions including Nicolas Colsaerts.

On Tuesday, we will play the four-ball competition on the “Le Lion” course. On Wednesday the single stableford and on Thursday the chapman (shotgun tee off), both on the “La Marache” Course.

We also do organize a cocktail reception at the Royal Waterloo Golf Club on Monday evening at 6:30 p.m. to which you, and your partner too, are invited. Your attendance will be appreciated, and we would kindly ask you to dress in uniform. It will be a perfect opportunity to meet all the teams and organizers as well as some members of our Association. They have not spared any effort to make this week a pleasant and unforgettable one. We are excited to welcome you in our wonderful country to play the King Leopold Challenge 2024.

Francis Meert  
President ARGSB

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