



Australian Senior Order of Merit - Conditions

PREAMBLE

The Australian Senior Order of Merit aims to encourage participation in the series of events for players 55 years of age and older and reward those who play well. The winner should be awarded a gold medal, the runner-up a silver medal and the third place getter a bronze medal suitably inscribed. A medal also to be awarded for the leading "Super Senior" – aged 65 and over

The Australian Senior Order of Merit should be useful device to assist the National Selectors in selecting any Australia Senior Teams.

ELIGIBILITY TO PARTICIPATE

In order to be a participant in the Australian Senior Order of Merit, players must be an amateur golfer 55 years of age or older and hold a Golf Australia approved handicap.

ENTRY PROCEDURES

All players entering in tournaments approved for the event will be included in the Australian Senior Order of Merit listings and will gain points in accordance with the table below. (Any player completing a tournament will gain a minimum of 10 points.)

TIMING: The Australian Senior Order of Merit should commence with the first event after the 1st August each year and the winner to be the leading player on the 31st July each year.

EVENTS: Each State will be invited to nominate two events (and the Territories one event) for inclusion. Each event must be a minimum of 36 holes. By 2008 each State Championship is to be played over 54 holes for inclusion as a level 2 tournament.

ELEGIBILITY TO WIN: To be eligible to win a player can participate in any number of the scheduled ASOOM events and may count his best 9 scores (from an anticipated 15 events).

POINT DISTRIBUTION: All players will be assigned points, based on the official points table (see next page), from official results provided by the State or Territory in which the tournament is played.

Ties for first place should, where possible, be resolved by playoff. All other positions, points will be awarded for the position filled, i.e. if 4 people finish in third place they will each receive third place points. Points will remain current for each event until the next years' event is played when they will be replaced by the new allocation of points received



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Points Accrual System (as at 1 August 2007)

Eligible players completing an Australian Senior Order of Merit (ASOOM) event will be awarded points in the Australian Senior Order of Merit as follows:

| Position | Australian Senior Amateur | State Amateur Titles | Secondary Events |
|----------|---------------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| 1 | 340 | 220 | 110 |
| 2 | 290 | 190 | 90 |
| 3 | 278 | 180 | 84 |
| 4 | 266 | 170 | 78 |
| 5 | 254 | 160 | 72 |
| 6 | 244 | 152 | 66 |
| 7 | 234 | 144 | 60 |
| 8 | 224 | 136 | 54 |
| 9 | 214 | 128 | 48 |
| 10 | 204 | 120 | 42 |
| 11 | 194 | 115 | 39 |
| 12 | 184 | 110 | 36 |
| 13 | 174 | 105 | 33 |
| 14 | 164 | 100 | 30 |
| 15 | 154 | 95 | 27 |
| 16 | 147 | 90 | 24 |
| 17 | 140 | 85 | 21 |
| 18 | 133 | 80 | 18 |
| 19 | 126 | 75 | 15 |
| 20 | 119 | 70 | 12 |
| 21 | 115 | 67 | 10 |
| 22 | 111 | 64 | |
| 23 | 107 | 61 | |
| 24 | 103 | 58 | |
| 25 | 99 | 55 | |
| 26 | 96 | 52 | |
| 27 | 93 | 49 | |
| 28 | 90 | 46 | |
| 29 | 87 | 43 | |
| 30 | 84 | 40 | |

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| 31 | 81 | 37 | |
| 32 | 78 | 34 | |
| 33 | 75 | 31 | |
| 34 | 72 | 28 | |
| 35 | 69 | 25 | |
| 36 | 66 | 22 | |
| 37 | 63 | 19 | |
| 38 | 60 | 16 | |
| 39 | 57 | 13 | |
| 40 | 54 | 11 | |
| 41 | 52 | 10 | |
| 42 | 50 | | |
| 43 | 48 | | |
| 44 | 46 | | |
| 45 | 44 | | |
| 46 | 42 | | |
| 47 | 40 | | |
| 48 | 38 | | |
| 49 | 36 | | |
| 50 | 34 | | |
| 51 | 32 | | |
| 52 | 30 | | |
| 53 | 28 | | |
| 54 | 26 | | |
| 55 | 24 | | |
| 56 | 22 | | |
| 57 | 20 | | |
| 58 | 18 | | |
| 59 | 16 | | |
| 60 | 14 | | |
| 61 | 10 | | |

Notes:

- Eligible player to complete an ASOOM tournament will be awarded a minimum of 10 points.
- Ties for first place should, where possible, be decided by play-off.
- All other positions, points will be awarded for the position filled, i.e. if 4 people finish in third place they will each receive third place points. Points will remain current for each event until the next years' event is played when they will be replaced by the new allocation of points received
- A player's final ASOOM points total for a season will comprise all points accrued during that season.