

# 2011 NSW WOMEN'S SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

# **Cromer Golf Club**

Monday 28 March Tuesday 29 March Thursday 31 March Friday 1 April 2011

#### **HANDICAP LIMIT: 28**

Entrants must be at least 55 years of age as at 28 March 2011

FORMAT: Monday & Tuesday - 36 Holes Stroke Play scratch / nett

Thursday — (am) Championship Match Play, (pm) Age Category and Championship Semi-final Match Play

Friday - Finals of all Match Play

# **ENTRY FEE:** \$60.00

\*\*NEW\*\* Purchase a 2011 Women's Senior Amateur Championship Player Shirt
See entry form for details

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: Monday 14 March 2011, 5.00pm

# For all your Championship information:

www.golfnsw.org

# **GOLF NSW**

Telephone – (02) 9505 9105; Facsimile – (02) 9505 9199; For further information regarding this Championship please contact Christy Collier on the above number or <a href="mailto:chief@golfnsw.org">christy.collier@golfnsw.org</a>

# 2011 NSW WOMEN'S SENIOR AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP – ENTRY FORM

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP ENTRY**

Please enter me in the 2011 NSW Women's Senior Amateur Championship. I am an amateur player in accordance with the Rules of Amateur Status as approved by R&A Rules Limited, and am eligible under the Conditions of the Championship. I confirm that the information supplied is correct, that I am eligible to enter under the Conditions of the Championship, and that I submit myself to be bound by these Conditions. I also confirm that I have read and understood Condition 9.

Name	Surname Preferred Given Name											
Address		Postcode										
Private Phone	(0 )	Business Phone	(0 )									
Mobile Phone		Home Club										
Email												
Date of Birth		Golf Link No.		Australian H'cap (Exact)								

## **CHAMPIONSHIP POLO SHIRT**

A Championship Polo Shirt is available to all competitors at a cost of \$40. It will be embroidered with the Golf NSW logo and event name. The shirt will be available for collection on the first day of play at registration.

SPORTE LEISURE POLO SHIRT	Number of Shirt Size (please circle)						Price per Shirt	Cost		
		8	10	12	14	16	18	20	\$40	\$
A	LADIES DUAL POLO								Total	\$
ay a	Dri-Sporte pique polo with a multi-tipped anti-curl collar and cuffs, 3 button placket and side splits. Golf Fit. Colour: Blush with black and white trim.									

#### **PAYMENT DETAILS**

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# **Acknowledgement of Receipt**

A list of all entries received by Golf NSW will be posted at <a href="www.golfnsw.org">www.golfnsw.org</a> – please note that inclusion on this list is not an indication of inclusion in the Championship field. A player's entry form has not officially been received until her name appears on this list.

Please return entry form to: **Golf NSW**P.O.Box 195, Arncliffe NSW 2205 or in person 1A Duncan Street, Arncliffe or fax: (02) 9505 9199 (Credit card payments only)



#### 2011 NSW Women's Senior Amateur Championship - CONDITIONS

These are to be read in conjunction with the Golf NSW Standard Conditions. Should a conflict occur between conditions, then the conditions outlined on the entry form take precedence.

#### 1. Championship Procedure

- 1.1 The Stroke Play qualifying will be played over 36 holes of stroke play at Cromer Golf Club.
  - Round 1 Monday 28 March, Round 2 Tuesday 29 March
- 1.2 After 36 holes, the eight best scratch scores will qualify for 18 hole scratch match play to determine the NSW Women's Senior Amateur Champion.
  - Round 1 Thursday 31 March (AM), Semi Finals Thursday 31 March (PM), Final Friday 1 April
- 1.3 The winner will be the NSW Women's Senior Amateur Champion and will receive the Amateur Championship Cup and Championship Gold Medal.
- 1.4 The top four scratch scores in each of the age categories who have completed the qualifying (and who have not qualified for the Seniors Amateur Championship Match Play) will qualify for Match Play as follows:
  Semi Finals Thursday 31 March (PM)
  Final Friday 1 April
  - Age Categories (55-59 years, 60-64 years, 65-69 years and 70 years plus, as at 28/3/2011)
- 1.5 TIES: Ties for qualifying positions in the Championship and the age Group Match Play (including the last qualifying position), 36 holes scratch and nett events, and 18 hole events, shall be decided by the Golf Australia Method of Countback (Matching Cards).
- 1.6 18 and 36 hole scratch and nett trophies will be awarded, with a limit of one 36 hole trophy and one 18 hole trophy per day for each participant (awarded in order of value).

#### 2. Championship Play Committee

- 2.1 The Championship Play Committee will comprise the Chair of the Golf NSW Women's Match Committee, Golf NSW General Manager Golf, and Golf NSW Chair Rules Committee, or their appointees.
- 2.2 In the absence of a full Championship Play Committee, such members as may be present at the time may give a decision, and any decision so given will be deemed to be a decision of the full Championship Play Committee.
- 2.3 The Championship Play Committee will have the sole management and control of the Championship, with full power at any time to alter or vary any of the conditions.
- 2.4 The Championship Play Committee's decision on matters affecting the Championship will be final.

#### 3. Rules of Play

The Rules of Golf, as adopted by R&A Rules Limited, will apply, together with Golf NSW Hard Card (see condition 15), and any additional Local Rules as drawn up by the Championship Play Committee.

#### 4. Entries

- 4.1 Eligible players are female amateurs who have reached their 55<sup>th</sup> birthday by 28 March 2011 and whose Australian Handicap (or overseas equivalent) does not exceed 28.4 strokes at the time of entry or who are an exempt player as detailed in Condition 5.
- 4.2 The Entrance Fee is \$60.00 (includes GST).
- 4.3 Entries must be made via the Golf NSW entry form issued by Golf NSW, or a facsimile copy thereof. Entry by email is acceptable provided it is a scanned image of the official entry form.
- 4.4 Any player who has entered the Championship on a correct handicap whose handicap has increased beyond the handicap limit for the Championship will be permitted to play in the Championship on her current handicap.
- 4.5 Players will compete for the duration of the Championship on the handicap current on the first day of play.
- 4.6 The decision of the Championship Play Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.
- 4.7 Entrants must conform in all respects to the Rules of Amateur Status, as adopted by R&A Rules Limited.
- 4.8 Fully completed Entry Forms must be received by Golf NSW prior to 5.00 pm Sunday 13 March 2011. IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ENTRANT TO ENSURE THAT HER ENTRY IS RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE CLOSING TIME FOR ENTRIES. A player's entry form has not officially been received until their name has been posted at <a href="https://www.golfnsw.org">www.golfnsw.org</a>.
- 4.9 In the event of entry applications exceeding the number of places available in the Championship (168), applications from those higher handicap competitors not exempt from a handicap ballot as detailed in Condition5 will be decided by a handicap ballot. Unsuccessful applicants will be informed without delay and given the opportunity to compete if withdrawals subsequently occur. Monies received from balloted entrants, who do not subsequently compete, will be refunded in entirety.
- 4.10 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Championship Play Committee.

- 4.11 Acceptable payment methods are only as follows credit card (Visa or MasterCard only), cheque (personal or bank), money order, cash (please note that Golf NSW will NOT accept responsibility for cash sent that is not received). Cheques or money orders are to be made payable to *Golf NSW*.
- 4.12 Only entry forms accompanied by credit card payment will be accepted by facsimile or email. Entry forms accompanied by other acceptable payment methods must be submitted by post or in person. Entries will not be accepted by telephone. Entry forms will not be accepted unless they are fully completed.
- 4.13 Entrance Fees will only be refunded in the case of a withdrawal being advised before the closing time for entries, except for those entrants who fail to secure a place.

#### 5. Exemptions

5.1 There are no exemptions for this Championship.

#### 6. Television and Media

All rights for televising live, television recordings or for any visual or electronic reproduction of the Championship are reserved only to Golf NSW and may only be made under licence.

# 7. Conforming Golf Balls, Conforming Driver Heads, and Time of Starting

The specimen conditions in the Rules of Golf are in effect as regards Conforming Golf Balls, Conforming Driver Heads, and Time of Starting.

#### 8. Drug Testing

All competitors are subject to drug testing as outlined in the Golf NSW Code of Conduct.

#### 9. Code of Conduct

All entrants are bound by Golf NSW' Code of Conduct ("the Code"). A copy of the Code is available at <a href="www.golfnsw.org">www.golfnsw.org</a>. Any breach of the Code may be recorded on the Central Register of the Code ("the Register"). The Register may be accessed (and published from time to time) by any State Association or Golf Australia for the purposes of administering Competitions or state championships, events, competitions, practice sessions or major activities conducted or sanctioned by a State Association, or any State Association or Golf Australia codes of conduct and/or other related matters.

#### 10. Motorised Transport

During play, a player in the NSW Senior Women's Amateur Championship <u>may</u> ride in or on a motorised vehicle.

Note i: Golf NSW takes no responsibility for the availability of golf carts.

#### 11. Practice

To be arranged with host club Professional Shop.

Phone: 02 9971 2263

### 12. Registration

Competitors are to register 30 mins before their starting time at Cromer Golf Club on Monday 28 March. Failure to comply may result in disqualification from the Championship.

# 13. Pace of Play

Rule 6-7 will be strictly enforced. See the Golf NSW Hard Card for Pace of Play conditions.

# 14. Database of Competitors' Details

The personal data contained in this entry is permanently retained by Golf NSW. This data may be utilised by Golf NSW or its sponsors for the distribution of correspondence, in both electronic and hard copy means. From time to time players may be sent entry forms, event literature, the Golf NSW e-newsletter, or marketing material by the sponsor(s) of Golf NSW events, or information about events conducted by Golf NSW-approved bodies. Upon receipt by Golf NSW of a written request, a player may either have access to their details, or have their details deleted from the database.

# 15. Golf NSW Hard Card

The Golf NSW Hard Card will be in effect throughout the NSW Women's Senior Amateur Championship.

Note i: Distance Measuring Devices are permitted.

Note ii: The new condition relating to Club Face Grooves will not be in effect until 2014.

Note iii: Practice between the play of two holes, including putting or rolling a ball on the green, is prohibited.