



2011 WOMEN'S NSW SAND GREENS CHAMPIONSHIP

run by Western District Ladies Golf Association

Narromine Golf Club
Monday 26 and Tuesday 27 September

****ENTRY FORM FOR INDIVIDUAL PLAYERS****

HANDICAP LIMIT: 45

FORMAT:

36-hole scratch and nett event
36-hole scratch and nett team events
Divisions will be set after close of entries

Monday 26 September

18-hole scratch and nett event
Nearest to Pin

Tuesday 27 September

18-hole scratch and nett event
Nearest to Pin

ENTRY FEE: \$40 per player
Includes two days play and ball competition
Scratch and nett teams – \$5.00 per team

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: Monday 12 September 2011 at 5.00 pm

For all your Event information:

www.golfnsw.org

2011 WOMEN'S NSW SAND GREENS CHAMPIONSHIP – TOURNAMENT 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. Tournament Procedure

- 1.1** The event will be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by the R&A Rules Limited, the Golf NSW Standard Conditions for State Events and the Local Rules as approved by the Championship Committee.
- 1.2** **Ties:** In the event of a tie in the Sand Greens Championship Salver, Bronze Salver and Bronze Bowl (if played), such players will be declared Joint Winners. Ties in all other events will be determined by the Australian Method of countback.
- 1.3** **Presentation of Trophies:** Will be at conclusion of play at Narromine Golf Club on Tuesday 27th September 2011
- 1.4** **Perpetual Trophies:**
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| DIVISION 1 | NSWLGU Sand Greens Championship Salver – 36-hole scratch |
| DIVISION 2 | NSWLGU Bronze Salver – 36-hole scratch |
| DIVISION 3 | Bronze Bowl – 36-hole scratch (if player numbers allow) |
- TEAMS EVENTS** **RLGA Jug – 36-hole nett teams**
- Over the field** **SWLGA Bowl – 36-hole scratch teams**
- 1.5** **Prizes:** 18-hole scratch and nett prizes will be awarded each day in all divisions. A player may win only one 36-hole trophy and one 18-hole trophy per day, excluding teams and nearest to the pin. Scratch trophies will take precedence over nett trophies. All main events will have scratch and nett winner and runner-up prizes.

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, WDLGA Match 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 with an Australian Handicap (or overseas equivalent), the handicap limit is 45.
- 4.2** The entry fee per player is \$40 (including GST). The entry fee per team is \$5
- 4.3** Entries must be made via the entry form issued by Golf NSW, or a facsimile copy thereof.
- 4.4** The number of Divisions and handicap limits shall be determined after close of entries on Monday 12 September 2011.
- 4.5** All player's current correct handicap on the first day of play will be the handicap for the entire championship and will not reduce or increase for the purpose of this competition. All players will play in the Division their handicap places them on the first day of play. Handicapping of scores will be calculated and sent to GolfLink at the completion of the championship by WDLGA.
- 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 Monday 12 September 2011. IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ENTRANT TO ENSURE THAT THE ENTRY IS RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE CLOSING TIME FOR ENTRIES.
- 4.9** Entries must be accompanied by a copy of the entrant's current handicap record for the previous six months, officially endorsed by entrant's Club, unless the entrant has provided his GOLF Link number on the Entry Form
- 4.10** In the event of entrants exceeding the number of places available in the Tournament, precedence will be given in order of receipt of entry. Unsuccessful entrants shall be informed without delay and given the opportunity to compete if withdrawals subsequently occur. Entrance fees will be refunded to entrants balloted out, who do not subsequently compete.
- 4.11** In the event of an entrant being suspended by an affiliated club, a club affiliated with a District Golf Association, a District Golf Association on a golf related matter the entrant shall not be eligible to enter the Championship, even if they nominate another club as their home club for handicap purposes.
- 4.12** Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the WDLGA.
- 4.13** Acceptable payment methods are only as follows –cheque (personal or bank), money order, cash (please note that WDLGA will NOT accept responsibility for cash sent that is not received). Cheques or money orders are to be made payable to WDLGA.
- 4.14** Entries will not be accepted by telephone. Entry forms will not be accepted unless they are fully completed.
- 4.15** 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, or after the close of entries for medical reasons (a medical certificate must accompany a request for withdrawal on medical grounds). All refunds will incur a \$10 processing fee.
- 4.16** Entrants must abide by the dress regulations of the host club.

5. 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.

6. Drug Testing and Alcohol

All competitors are subject to drug testing as outlined in the Golf NSW Code of Conduct. The Consumption of Alcohol condition as outlined in the Golf NSW Standard Conditions for State Events applies to this tournament.

7. Code of Conduct

All entrants are bound by Golf NSW' Code of Conduct ("the Code"). A copy of the Code is available at www.golfnsw.org. 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.

8. Motorised Transport

The use of motorised transport is permitted without the need for a Medical Certificate.

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

9: Caddies

Caddies are permitted are this tournament.

10: Distance Measuring Devices

Distance Measuring Devices are permitted at this event – see specimen Local Rule on page 140 of the Rules of Golf 2008-2011 permitting their use applies for all play during the tournament.

11: Mobile Phones

The Mobile Phone condition as outlined in the Golf NSW Standard Conditions for State Events applies to this tournament.

12. Practice

To be arranged with host club Professional Shop.

13. Registration

Competitors are to register 20 minutes before their starting time.

ACCOMODATION GUIDE AT NARROMINE

Abbey B&B

Dandaloo Street, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 2213

Narromine Tourist Park

Mitchell Highway, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 2128

Cameron's Farm Stay

'Nundoona' 213 Ceras Road, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 2978

Old Cedar Door

148 Terangion Street, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 1328

Courthouse Hotel

21 Burroway Street, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 1015

Imperial Stay

11-13 Burroway Street, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 7800

Narromine Hotel Motel

116 Dandaloo Street, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 1017

Peppercorn Motel

Mitchell Highway, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 1399

Stockman Motor Inn

Mitchell Highway, Narromine

Phone: (02) 6889 2033