



28 June 2011

To all Australian Golf Clubs,

I am writing to introduce to you two new initiatives that are being added to Golf Australia's Rules & Handicapping General Education Program.

1. Posters – Etiquette & Pace of Play

The enclosed posters are provided to clubs for the education of members. The posters can also be downloaded from www.golfaustralia.org.au under *Rules & Handicapping / Etiquette & Pace of Play*.

Additional posters are available for \$3 each, or \$10 for a set (includes postage & GST). For orders or queries please email orders@golfaustralia.org.au or phone (03) 9626 5000.

2. "Tee it Up" booklet (a new resource aimed primarily at players new to clubs or new to playing in competitions)

This publication replaces the obsolete AGU Etiquette booklet. It also provides the following information which will improve the experience of new members and their playing partners:

- Common Golf Terms
- A Quick Guide to the Rules of Golf
- Local Rules and Competition Conditions
- Handicapping
- Etiquette, Course Care, Pace of Play, and Dress Code
- How Various Competitions are Played and How to Mark a Score Card

A complimentary copy of the booklet and an order form are enclosed. To enable the books to be distributed to clubs as soon as possible, orders received before **1 August** will be prioritised.

We hope these initiatives will be of benefit to your club.

Yours sincerely,

John Hopkins
Chairman
Golf Australia