



# 2012 WOMEN'S NSW AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

**Castle Hill Golf Club & Twin Creeks Country Club**  
14-22 May 2012

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## **Women's 72-hole Stroke Play Championship**

Castle Hill Golf Club  
14-15, 17-18 May 2012  
Format: 72-hole stroke play

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## **Women's Mid-Amateur Championship & Club Champion of Champions**

Castle Hill Golf Club  
14-15 May 2012  
Format: 36-hole stroke play

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## **Match Play – NSW Amateur Championship & NSWLGU Salver**

Twin Creeks Country Club  
20-22 May 2012  
Format: Match Play

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### **HANDICAP LIMIT: 14.4**

Note: Club Champions are exempt from handicap limit

### **ENTRY FEE:**

**\$100 online or \$110 all other forms of entry, for the following options:**

- Option 1 - Entry into the 72-hole Stroke Play and NSW Amateur Championship Match Play (if qualified)
- Option 2 - Entry into the 72-hole Stroke Play, NSW Amateur Championship Match Play (if qualified), and the NSW Champion of Champions (must be 2011 Club Champion)
- Option 3 - Entry into the 72-hole Stroke Play ONLY

**\$50 online or \$60 all other forms of entry, for the following options:**

- Option 4 - Entry into the NSW Champion of Champions ONLY
- Option 5 - Entry into the NSW Mid Amateur Championship (for those aged 30-54) ONLY

**CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES:** Friday 27 April 2012, 5.00pm

**For all your Championship information:**

[www.golfnsw.org](http://www.golfnsw.org)

**GOLF NSW**

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# 2012 WOMEN'S NSW AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS

These are to be read in conjunction with the Golf NSW Standard Conditions for Events Run By Golf NSW, the Golf NSW Code of Conduct and the Golf NSW Hard Card. Should a conflict occur between conditions, then the conditions outlined on the entry form take precedence.

## 1. Championship Procedure

### 1.1

- (a) **72-HOLE STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP** will be played over 72 holes of stroke play at Castle Hill Golf Club. Round 1 – Monday 14 May, Round 2 – Tuesday 15 May, Round 3 – Thursday 17 May, Round 4 – Friday 18 May

**Other Perpetual Trophies played in conjunction:**

**Leo Wray Bowl** – 72 holes nett, played in conjunction with 72 Holes Stroke Play.

**Country Championship Cup** – played in conjunction with first 36 holes of 72 Holes Stroke Play, best 36 hole scratch score recorded by a player whose Home Club is in Country NSW.

**Metropolitan Championship** - played in conjunction with first 36 holes of 72 Holes Stroke Play, best 36 hole scratch score recorded by a player whose Home Club is in Metropolitan NSW.

**Silver Basket** – played in conjunction with 72 Holes Stroke Play, best scratch score.

**Mid Amateur Championship** – played in conjunction with first 36 holes of 72 Hole Stroke Play, best 36 holes scratch score, by a player aged 30-54 years as at the first day of play.

**Ties:** Ties for first place in the 72-hole Stroke Play Championship will be determined by sudden death play-off, should time permit, otherwise joint winners will be declared. All other ties will be determined by count back.

- (b) **NSW AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP (Match Play)**– the leading 16 scratch scores in the 72 Hole Stroke Play, who have nominated for the match play, will compete for the **NSW Amateur Championship**, with each match consisting of 18 holes, or as many holes are required to achieve a result, except the Final, which shall be of 36 holes, or as many holes are required to achieve a result. The **NSWLGU Salver** shall be played for by players with the next best 8 scratch scores (from players on handicaps 6-14) with all matches consisting of 18 holes, or as many holes are required to achieve a result.

**Ties:** Ties for positions in the match play draw will be determined by blind draw.

## 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 that 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.

## 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 **Handicap:** Eligible players are female amateurs whose Australian Handicap (or overseas equivalent) does not exceed 14.4 strokes at the time of entry, or who are an exempt player as detailed in 4.5. Should a player's handicap on the day of play be above the handicap limit they will play off the maximum handicap for the event.
- 4.2 **Age:** there are no age restrictions in this event.
- 4.3 **Entry Fee:** the entry fee applicable for this event is \$110 or \$60 (hard copy) depending upon which events are entered. When entering online the entry fee is reduced by \$10.
- 4.4 In the event of entry applications exceeding the number of places available in the Championship, applications from those higher handicap competitors not exempt from a handicap ballot as detailed in Condition 4.5 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.
- 4.5 **Exemptions:** There are no exemptions for this Championship.

## 5. Motorised Transport

See Golf NSW Standard Conditions. Participants must walk at all times during a stipulated round unless permission has been granted by the Committee. Applications for permission **MUST** be made at the time of entry. Golf NSW takes no responsibility for the availability of golf carts.

## 6. Practice

**Castle Hill Country Club** - Practice rounds will be available for tournament entrants for a fee of \$10 per round for the week preceding the tournament. Entrants are welcome to play in competitions on the preceding Monday and Friday. Some tee times will be available on Thursday and Sunday. Bookings must be made through the Pro Shop on 02 9634 2499.

**Twin Creeks Golf & Country Club** – Practice rounds will be available for Match Play qualifiers on Saturday 19 May 2012. Tee times from 11am – 1pm are available for a green fee of \$50. Tee times after 1pm are available free of charge. Bookings must be made through the Pro Shop on 9670 8888. Please quote GOLF NSW to obtain these offers.

## 7. Registration

Competitors are encouraged to register 30 mins before their starting time on each day of play.

## 8. Pace of Play

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

## 9. Prizes

Prizes will be awarded for the following:

NSW Champion of Champions (36 holes Stroke Play) - Scratch Winner; Nett Winner

NSW Mid Amateur Championship – Winner; Runner Up; Daily scratch and nett prizes

NSW 72 holes Stroke Play - Winner; Runner Up; Nett Winner; Nett Runner Up; Daily scratch and nett prizes

NSWLGU Salver – Winner; Runner Up

NSW Amateur Championship (Match Play) - Winner; Runner Up.

## 10. Golf NSW Hard Card

The Golf NSW Hard Card will be in effect throughout this event.

Note i: Distance Measuring Devices are permitted.

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