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EVENT DETAILS & CONDITIONS ONLY

2012 Golf SA 77th Women's Open Meeting

(Under the auspices of and subject to the control of GOLF SA Inc)

to be played at the following courses



Tea Tree Gully Golf Club (Mon) The Grange Golf Club (Tues) Mount Osmond Golf Club (Wed)

Monday 15th - Wednesday 17th October 2012

Country Championship Eligibility Criteria:

Open to female amateur golfers whose home club (the body which has primary responsibility for ensuring the proper administration of a player's handicap) is a Member Club of a Country District affiliated with Golf SA.

Players are only required to register for

36 Hole Stroke Event - \$30.00 per player 18 Hole Handicap Foursomes Event - \$30.00 per pair

*Players will automatically be placed into the appropriate divisions based on handicap and age

The 36 Holes Event comprises of Country Championship of South Australia Silver Division Handicap Limit 18 Bronze Division Handicap 19-32

> Metropolitan Stroke Event Silver Handicap Limit 18 Bronze Handicap 19-32

Ethel Wyatt Memorial Bowl Country Veterans' Championship

Champion of Club Champions *Please specify on MiTournament when registering if applicable

<u>Players will be asked to nominate teams on Monday 15th October prior to 2:00pm for:</u> Britten-Jones Cup The Hon Lady Hore-Ruthven Cup

Handicap Foursomes

One player from each pair will need to register your pair for this event Presentation lunch on Wed 17 Oct at Mount Osmond - All competitors welcome - lunch available for purchase on day

ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY FOR THIS EVENT

(Enter via the Golf SA Website > link to MiTournament registration site)

REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE

5:00pm Monday 1st October 2012







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EVENTS

Event 1 – Country Championship and Bronze Championship

Played in conjunction with Country Veterans' Championship, Champion of Club Champions and Ethel Wyatt Memorial Bowl.

All entrants home club must be a Golf SA affiliated country Club.

36 holes stroke play – 18 holes on Monday and 18 holes on Tuesday.

Silver division – Australian handicaps to 18

Monday – 18 holes stroke play at Tea Tree Gully Golf Club.

Tuesday – 18 holes stroke play at The Grange Golf Club (West Course).

Winner (36 hole gross aggregate) to hold for one year the Country Championship Cup donated by the late Mrs K I Cudmore. Prize voucher for winner, runner-up, best net aggregate, best gross each day, best net each day.

Bronze division – Australian handicaps 19 to 32 Monday – 18 holes stroke play at Tea Tree Gully Golf Club. Tuesday – 18 holes stroke play at The Grange Golf Club. (West Course).

Winner (36 hole gross aggregate) to hold for one year the Bronze Salver donated by the late Mrs A R Magarey.

Prize voucher for winner, runner-up, best net aggregate, best gross each day, best net each day.

Country Veterans' Championship

Open to players who have reached their 65th birthday by the first day of play.

Entrants must enter event 1.

Winner (36 hole gross aggregate) to hold for one year the Salver presented by Country Members of SALGU. Prize voucher for winner, runner-up and best nett aggregate.

Champion of Club Champions

Country entrants must enter event 1.

Metropolitan entrants must enter event 2.

Open to current year Club Champions

Winner to hold for one year the Cup. Prize voucher for winner and runner-up. In the event of a tie, there will be a sudden death play-off.

Ethel Wyatt Memorial Bowl

Country entrants must enter event 1.

Metropolitan entrants must enter 36 holes in event 2. Winner (the player with the lowest net aggregate score in relation to the AWCR) to hold for one year the Ethel Wyatt Memorial Bowl donated by the late Mrs H L Rymill in memory of Miss Ethel Wyatt, who was a cofounder of SALGU in April 1925. Prize voucher for winner.

Event 2 – Metropolitan Stroke Event

Played over 36 holes in conjunction with Champion of Club Champions and Ethel Wyatt Memorial Bowl. *All entrants home club must be a Golf SA affiliated metropolitan Club.*

18 holes stroke play on Monday and 18 holes stroke play on Tuesday.

Silver division – *Australian handicaps to 18* Monday – 18 holes stroke play at Tea Tree Gully Golf Club.

Tuesday – 18 holes stroke play at The Grange Golf Club (West Course).

Prize vouchers presented for best gross and best net each day.

Bronze division – Australian handicaps 19 to 32 Monday – 18 holes stroke play at Tea Tree Gully Golf Club.

Tuesday – 18 holes stroke play at The Grange Golf Club (West Course).

Prize vouchers presented for best gross and best net each day.

Event 3 – Britten-Jones Cup

Open to teams of 3 players from affiliated country Clubs. Players must meet conditions of entry for Country Championship. More than one team from a Club may be entered. Players may form teams from different Clubs, but players may only play in one team. Teams to be nominated on Mon 15 Oct prior to 2pm.

Winners – the lowest net aggregate score of the 3 players in relation to the AWCR in the Tuesday round of event 1. The winning team to hold for one year a Cup donated by the late Lady Britten-Jones. Prize voucher for winners.

Event 4 – The Hon Lady Hore-Ruthven Cup

Open to teams of 4 players from an affiliated Club. Team players must be members of the same Club and may only play in one team. Teams to be nominated on Mon 15 Oct prior to 2pm.

Winners – the lowest net aggregate score of the 4 players in relation to the AWCR in the Tuesday round of events 1 and 2. The winning Club team to hold for one year the Cup donated by the late Hon Lady Gowrie. Prize voucher for winners.

Event 5 – Handicap Foursomes

Wednesday at Mount Osmond Golf Club. Country and metropolitan divisions. Partnership of country and metropolitan players to compete in metropolitan division.

Prize vouchers for nett winners in each division, runnersup in each division and best gross in each division. *Note – players may take only one trophy in event 5*

Conditions

1. Format

- 1.1 Refer to Events 1 5
- 1.2 In the event of ties for trophies there will be a sudden death playoff.

2. Handicaps

- 2.1 Competitors are requested to bring proof of handicap
- 2.2 Players to use their first day handicap for the 36 hole net aggregate event.
- 2.3 A player entering Silver Division who exceeds the handicap limit of 18 before the first day of play may transfer to Bronze Division. A player entering on the handicap limit for Bronze who exceeds that handicap before first day of play will remain in draw playing on the handicap limit. Reductions in handicaps from Bronze to Silver before the first day of play take effect immediately.

3. Match Committee

- 3.1 The Match Committee will comprise the Golf SA Match Committee.
- 3.2 In the absence of the full Match 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 Match Committee.
- 3.3 The Match Committee will have the sole management and control of the event, with full power at any time to alter or vary any one of the Conditions.
- 3.4 The Match Committee's decision on matters affecting the event will be final.
- 3.5 Any dispute or protest must be made to the Match Committee not later than 15 minutes after the conclusion of play on the day on which the disputed matter has arisen.
- 3.6 The Match Committee may, in the event of bad weather or for any other reason, alter the venue, time or day of play.

4. Rules of Play

4.1 The Rules of Golf, as adopted by R & A Rules Limited, will apply together with Local Rules of the venue Club.

5. Entries

5.1 Country Player Eligiblity: female amateur golfer whose home club (the body which has primary responsibility for ensuring the proper administration of a player's handicap) is a Member Club of a Country District affiliated with Golf SA.

Metropolitan Player Eligibility: female amateur golfer whose home club (the body which has primary responsibility for ensuring the proper administration of a player's handicap) is a Metropolitan club affiliated with Golf SA.

- 5.2 Entries must be made via the Golf SA online registration system. Entries by any other method will not be accepted.
- 5.3 The decision of the Match Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.
- 5.4 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Match Committee.
- 5.5 Players must register by 5.00pm on Monday 1st October 2012. IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ENTRANT THEMSELVES TO ENSURE THAT THEY HAVE REGISTERED CORRECTLY. A player has not officially registered until their name is listed in the **Registered Participants** section of the event registration page.

5.6 Entrance fees will only be refunded in the case of a withdrawal being advised before the closing time for entries.

6. Conforming Golf Balls, Conforming Driver Heads, One Ball Condition and Time of Starting

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

7. Drug Testing

7.1 All competitors are subject to drug testing by the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Agency for banned substances as laid down in Golf Australia's Anti-Doping Policy. Any competitor infringing this policy, or refusing to take a test, will be disqualified and subject to any sanction(s) brought down by ASADA.

8. Mobile Phones

8.1 Mobile phones must be switched off when on the golf course and may only be used in an emergency.

9. Pace of Play

9.1 Rule 6-7 will be strictly enforced. Each group must maintain its position on the course with respect to the group preceding it. Any group with a clear hole in front of it will be considered to be out of position. Penalties will be issued to individuals in such groups who by their pace contribute to such delay. Warnings may not be issued prior to penalties.

10. Motorised Transport

10.1 Ride-on buggies will be permitted only on medical evidence from the player's Club and by permission of the venue Club. Application and approvals to be forwarded to Golf SA at time of registration. Caddies are not permitted to use ride-on buggies.

11. Code of Conduct

11.1 All entrants assent to be bound by Golf SA's Code of Conduct. A copy of the Code is available at <u>www.golfsa.com.au</u>.

12. Measuring Devices

12.1 For all play, a player may obtain distance information using a device that measures distance only.

13. Draws

- 13.1 Competitors will be drawn in such manner as the Match Committee shall arrange. The Match Committee reserves the right to alter the draw without notice.
- 13.2 Tee times will be available on the Golf SA website www.golfsa.com.au from Monday 8th October 2012.

Notes

• At the presentation luncheon following the Handicap Foursomes, trophies and prize vouchers for Open Week and annual Statewide competitions will be presented. Special guests, club representatives and all prize winners are invited to attend.