



2013 - OAMPS - GOLF NT -NT COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP

Conducted by

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To be played at

ALICE SPRINGS GOLF CLUB

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Friday 2nd August 2013

NT Mixed Foursomes Championship

Format 18 holes Foursomes Play

Saturday 3rd August to Monday 5th August 2013

NT Country Championships

Format 54 holes Stroke Play

Closing Date for Entries 6:00PM Sunday 28th July 2013

Registration and Welcome Happy Hour Drinks 5:30pm – 6:30pm Friday 3rd August 2013 Fee includes the Presentation Dinner following completion of event Monday 5th August 2013

To nominate for this event you will need to register online with www.mitournament.com

The draws for the NT Mixed Foursomes Championship and Rounds 1 and 2 of the NT Country Championship will be posted to the Alice Springs Golf Club Website at 6:00PM on Monday 29th July 2013

A limited number of motorised carts & push buggies are available for hire. Players with Medical Certificates will be given first preference with regard to the use of golf buggies for this event. Please phone Alice Springs Golf Club on (08) 8952 6575 to book.

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OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

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You can obtain login details using your Golf Link card as per the Instructions on the website.

Register online as follows: Login as per Instructions

Search Tournaments run by Golf NT – Alice Springs

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Complete Tournament Registration

Option	Cost
NT Country Championship	\$120.00
NT Mixed Foursomes and Country Championship	\$15.00

All prices include GST

Both events \$135.00

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CONDITIONS

1 FORMAT

- 1.1 The Championship will be played over 54 holes stroke play at Alice Springs Golf Club Inc. (ASGC) Round 1 Saturday 3rd August, Round 2 Sunday 4th August and Round 3 Monday 5th August 2013.
- 1.2 Rounds 1 and 2 of the Championship will not be seeded. Players can expect one morning and one afternoon tee time.
- 1.3 A fully seeded draw will be conducted for Round 3 of the Championship.
- 1.4 The winning player shall be the Northern Territory Country Champion, Men's and Women's, Senior Champion, Men's and Women's and Junior Champion Boys and Girls. **NOTE**: A player is eligible to win only one Championship.
- 1.5 In the event of a tie for any major event, which includes gross events for all grades, there will be a sudden-death play-off commencing on the 18th hole until a winner is determined.

2 CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE

- 2.1 The Championship Committee will include a representative of Golf NT together with the Alice Springs Golf Club Tournament Committee.
- 2.2 The Tournament Committee for the event will be the Alice Springs Golf Club's Club Captain and Match Committee.
- 2.3 The Championship Committee's decisions on matters affecting the Championship shall be final. Protests must be made in writing and submitted within fifteen (15) minutes of the conclusion of the day's play.
- 3 RULES OF PLAY
- 3.1 The Rules of Golf, as adopted by the R&A Ltd, shall apply together with the Golf Australia Hard Card and the Local Rules as drawn up by the Championship Committee.
- 4 ENTRIES
- 4.1 Entries shall only be made on the mitournament.com website. Cash and cheque payments must be paid to the Alice Springs Golf Club. Should entries be received in excess of the 200 players, players who have submitted and paid their Nomination Fee, will be confirmed. Entries will be confirmed on the List of Entries on the MiTournament website.
- 4.2 The Entry Fee is detailed on the nomination form.
- 4.3 Eligible players are amateurs who must be a financial member of a recognized affiliated club in the country the player resides in and must have a Golf Australia or equivalent handicap.
- 4.4 The decision of the Championship Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.
- 4.5 Prizes for overall handicap prizes will be based on your Round 1 handicap. Prizes for daily events will be awarded on adjusted handicaps for that day's play.
- 4.6 Entrants into the Junior, players aged under 18 years on the first day of play, and Senior, 55 years of age or older, sections need to ensure they age qualify on the first round of the championships.
- 4.7 Your starting Handicap will remain locked in for the full Tournament.
- 4.8 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Championship Committee. Any such entry shall be subject to a late entry fee of \$20.00 per player.
- 4.9 It is the sole responsibility of the entrant themself to ensure that their entry is received prior to the closing time for entries.
- 4.10 Entry confirmation will be regularly updated on the ASGC Website.
- 4.11 Players take part in this event at their own risk.
- 4.12 In case of cancellation of the Championships Golf NT and the host club is only liable to refund the entry fee.

5 MOTORISED TRANSPORT

During play, it is prohibited for a player to ride in or on a motorised vehicle unless written approval has been granted by the Championship Committee. The written approval advice must be carried by the player at all times, on the course, when competing in this Championship. (NB Subject to Tournament Committee approval, a caddie may use motorised transport at any time.)

Penalty (unless permitted to ride by a member of the Championship Committee): 2 strokes for each hole at which a breach occurred; maximum penalty per round – 4 strokes.

Procedure when breach discovered: Use of any unauthorised form of transportation must be discontinued immediately upon discovery that a breach has occurred. Otherwise the player is disqualified.

Note i: Permission may be granted to entrants who can provide a Medical Certificate.

Note ii: Golf NT takes no responsibility for the availability of golf carts.

Note iii: Permission will be granted on the basis that the following requirements are adhered to. Players failing to adhere to these requirements are liable to have such permission revoked:

Players and / or caddies who drive at a pace which is clearly quicker than walking pace; and/or who drive to a point past their ball which is clearly unreasonable for a player who is not using motorised transport to reach, are in breach of these requirements.

Use of motorised transport may be approved by the Championship Committee if the participant can show, in writing, sufficient cause. The vehicle used must comply with the club's local policy and must be registered.

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6 PACE OF PLAY

6.1 Rule 6-7 of the Rules of Golf will be strictly enforced.

7 CODE OF CONDUCT

7.1 All entrants assent to be bound by Golf NT's Code of Conduct. This code is available via the Golf NT website.

8. DATABASE OF COMPETITOR'S DETAILS

- 8.1 The data contained on an entry form submitted by an entrant for a Golf NT event is permanently retained by Golf NT within its database of competitor's details.
- 8.2 This database is operated to assist with the management of current and future Golf NT events. From time to time Golf NT may also allow a sponsor/s and/or host clubs to utilise this information contained in the database for its/their own purposes.
- 8.3 From time to time a player may be sent entry forms or event literature for either Golf NT events or events conducted by Golf NT approved bodies.
- 8.4 Upon receipt by Golf NT of a written request, a player may either have access to their details or have their details deleted from the database.

DRESS STANDARDS

9.1 Players and caddies must observe the dress standards and any course requirements of the host club.

10. DRAW AND STARTING TIMES

- 10.1 A draw for each day's play will be made by the Championship Committee.
- 10.2 The Committee has the power to amend the draw or substitute another player for any competitor who is not at the tee at the time appointed to play. It may also alter the starting time for any player.

11. GOLF BALLS

11.1 It will be obligatory for all competitors in the Championship to play with a ball that is listed in the current R&A and/or USGA Conforming Golf Balls. Penalty: Disqualification.

12. PRACTICE

- Practice times will be available on the course. Players not participating in the NT Mixed Foursomes at 12Noon, on Friday 2nd August 2013, may book a practice round that morning.
- 12.2 Practice will not be permitted on the course between rounds of the Championship. Penalty Disqualification.
- 12.3 The Committee has prohibited; (a) the practice on or near the putting green of the hole last played, and (b) rolling a ball on the putting green of the hole last played.

13. DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES

For all play at ASGC, a player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. However, if, during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance measuring device that is designed to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g. gradient, wind speed, temperature etc), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3 of the Rules of Golf, for which the penalty is disqualification, regardless of whether any such additional functions are actually used. **NOTE**: The use of an iPhone as a Distance Measuring Device is strictly prohibited and is a breach of Rule 14-3.