



2013 MEN'S NSW COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP

incorporating the

2013 Men's NSW Country Inter-District Teams Championship

**Muswellbrook Golf Club
2-3 November 2013**

HANDICAP LIMIT: 9.4

FORMAT: 36-holes stroke, Day 1 – 18 holes, Day 2 – 18 holes.

ENTRY FEE: \$100 per team member (includes two course dinner Saturday evening at Muswellbrook Golf Club)

** DINNER FOR OFFICIALS – Saturday evening at Muswellbrook Golf Club
2-courses: \$25**

Entry fees and dinners for officials will be taken out of the DGA subsidy

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: Friday 18 October 2012 at 5.00 pm

For all your Championship information:

www.golfnsw.org

GOLF NSW

Telephone – (02) 9505 9105; Facsimile – (02) 9505 9199;

For further information regarding this Championship please contact Christy Collier on the above number or

christy.collier@golfnsw.org



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District Golf Association Team Nomination Form

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- A DGA may enter one representative team of six players, with players of any age.
- An entry fee of \$100 (inc GST) per player is not required to be sent to Golf NSW with this form.
- Please note that there will be a PM shotgun start on Saturday and an AM shotgun start on Sunday.
- Please complete all required information.

TEAM	
PLAYER ONE	
Full name:	
Club:	
Golfink no:	Handicap:
Date of birth:	Phone no:
Email:	
PLAYER TWO	
Full name:	
Club:	
Golfink no:	Handicap:
Date of birth:	Phone no:
Email:	
PLAYER THREE	
Full name:	
Club:	
Golfink no:	Handicap:
Date of birth:	Phone no:
Email:	
PLAYER FOUR	
Full name:	
Club:	
Golfink no:	Handicap:
Date of birth:	Phone no:
Email:	
PLAYER FIVE	
Full name:	
Club:	
Golfink no:	Handicap:
Date of birth:	Phone no:
Email:	
PLAYER SIX	
Full name:	
Club:	
Golfink no:	Handicap:
Date of birth:	Phone no:
Email:	

DGA DETAILS

DGA :	
Main contact:	
Email:	
Contact number:	

OFFICIALS FOR SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER (Officials only)

No. of officials		\$25 per person	Total Cost:	\$
NOTE: No payment is required as total cost will come out of DGA subsidy.				
FYI: Dinner will not be Chinese, but a chicken schnitzel and chips, with apple pie desert (or similar)				

PLEASE NOTE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR TEAM HERE:

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM AND PAYMENT TO GOLF NSW BY FRIDAY 18 OCTOBER 2013.

Please return entry form to: **Golf NSW**
P.O.Box 195, Arncliffe NSW 2205 or in person 1A Duncan Street, Arncliffe
or fax: (02) 9505 9199 (Credit card payments only)
Email: christy.collier@golfnsw.org

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2013 MEN'S NSW COUNTRY 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 The Championship will be stroke play over 36- holes at Muswellbrook Golf Club over two days. Day 1 – 18 holes shotgun start p.m., Day 2 – 18 holes shotgun start a.m. (seeded draw). Players are required to play both days.
- 1.2 The winner will be the NSW Country Champion and will receive the Championship Medal, and have his name engraved on the Championship Trophy.
- 1.3 The 2013 Men's NSW Country Inter-District Championship Teams Event will be played concurrently with the 2013 Men's NSW Country Championship. Teams consisting of six male amateur players may be nominated and may be seniors or juniors. All players participating in the Teams Championship must be eligible to participate in the 2013 Men's NSW Country Championship. For each round of the Championship, the BEST FOUR scratch scores from each team member shall count towards the team score. The team with the lowest score from both rounds of the Championship will be the Teams Champions.
- 1.4 TIES: In the event of a tie for the Country Championship, a sudden death play-off will determine the winner, unless the Championship Committee determine there is insufficient time available. All other ties will be determined using the Golf Australia countback system.
- 1.5 Scratch and nett trophies will be awarded, with a limit of one trophy per person (awarded in order of value).

2. Championship Play Committee

- 2.1 The Championship Play Committee will comprise the Chair of the Golf NSW Men'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 male amateurs who:
 - (a) hold a current Australian, or overseas equivalent handicap that does not exceed the handicap limit of 9.4 at the time of entry; and
 - (b) are Members of a Country Golf Club affiliated with Golf NSW; and
 - (c) are a bona fide ACT or NSW resident outside the Sydney Metropolitan Area (defined as the County of Cumberland) (see exception).Exception: An entrant who resides within 50kms of a NSW state border who meets the other membership criteria in the Conditions may be eligible subject to the approval of the Championship Committee provided he is also a member of a District Team competing in the Inter-District Teams competition.
- 4.2 **Age:** there are no age restrictions in this event.
- 4.3 **Entry Fee:** the entry fee applicable for this event is \$100 (including GST) which includes a two course meal.
- 4.4 In the event of entry applications exceeding the number of places available in the Championship (120), 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:** Players who are entered in a District Team are exempt from a handicap ballot, if required.

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

Practice rounds prior to the Championship are at the discretion of the host club. Permission must be sought from the host club's Professional Shop for play.

Muswellbrook Golf Club – Practice rounds will be available on Friday 1 November. Cost will be \$20 for 18-holes. Please contact the Pro Shop on (02) 6543 2128 to make a booking.

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

Competitors may win only one prize. Prizes will be awarded in the following order based on value:

- (i) NSW Country Championship (scratch) – 1st place
- (ii) NSW Country Championship (scratch) – 2nd place
- (iii) NSW Country Championship (scratch) – 3rd place
- (iv) 36 Holes Nett Winner
- (v) 36 Holes Nett Runner Up
- (vi) 1st 18 Holes – Scratch Winner
- (vii) 2nd 18 Holes – Scratch Winner

10. Golf NSW Hard Card

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

Note i: Distance Measuring Devices are permitted.