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# 2013 South Australian Men's & Women's Mid Amateur Championship

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

to be played at

**The Links Lady Bay Resort**



**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November & Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2013**

Open to all male and female amateur golfers aged between 30 to 54 years as at Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2013 who are members of Clubs affiliated with Golf SA or State or overseas associations as are affiliated with or recognised by this Association

**Handicap limit Men 18.4**  
**Handicap limit Ladies 27.4**

**Prizes Awarded for both Gross and Nett Competitions**

**ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY FOR THIS EVENT**

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

**REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE**

5.00pm Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2013

**ENTRANCE FEE**

\$65.00 (incl GST)



Government of South Australia  
Office for Recreation and Sport

**be active.**

# CONDITIONS – South Australian Men’s & Women’s Mid Amateur Championship

- 1. Format**
  - 1.1 The event will be played over 36 holes of stroke play.
  - 1.2 In the event of a tie for the Championship, unless the Match Committee determines otherwise, players in such a tie will continue play over such holes as the Match Committee will decide, in a sudden-death, hole-by-hole playoff until the winner is determined. Ties for other placegetters will be decided by countback.
- 2. Match Committee**
  - 2.1 The Match Committee will comprise the Golf SA Match Committee.
  - 2.2 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.
  - 2.3 The Match Committee will have the sole management and control of the Championship, with full power at any time to alter or vary any one of the Conditions.
  - 2.4 The Match Committee’s decision on matters affecting the Championship will be final.
  - 2.5 Any dispute or protest must be made to the Match Committee not more than 15 minutes after the conclusion of play on the day on which the disputed matter has arisen.
- 3. Rules of Play**
  - 3.1 The Rules of Golf, as adopted by R & A Rules Limited, will apply together with Local Rules of the venue Club.
- 4. Entries**
  - 4.1 Eligible male players for the Championship are male amateurs aged between 30-54 years as at 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2013 who’s Australian Handicap or overseas equivalent does not exceed 18.4 strokes. Eligible female players for the Championship are female amateurs aged between 30-54 years as at 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2013 who’s Australian Handicap or overseas equivalent does not exceed 27.4 strokes.
  - 4.2 The Entrance Fee for the Championship is \$65.00 (including GST).
  - 4.3 Entries must be made via the Golf SA online registration system. Entries by any other method will not be accepted
  - 4.4 The decision of the Match Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.
  - 4.5 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Match Committee.
  - 4.6 Players must register by 5.00pm on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2013. 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.
- 4.7 The Match Committee reserves the right to determine the size of the field. If a ballot is required, the higher handicap competitors will be eliminated first. Unsuccessful entrants will be informed without delay. Entrance fees will be refunded to competitors balloted out.
- 4.8 Entrance fees will only be refunded in the case of a withdrawal being advised before the closing time for entries.
- 5. Conforming Golf Balls, Conforming Driver Heads, One Ball Condition and Time of Starting**
  - 5.1 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.
- 6. Drug Testing**
  - 6.1 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.
- 7. Smoking**
  - 7.1 Players are prohibited from smoking cigarettes, cigars or the like during a stipulated round. See Golf SA’s Code of Conduct.
- 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 [www.golfsa.com.au](http://www.golfsa.com.au)
- 12. Measuring Devices**
  - 12.1 For all play, a player may obtain distance information using a device that measures distance only (this does not include applications for mobile phones).
- 13. Draws**
  - 13.1 Tee times will be available on the Golf SA website [www.golfsa.com.au](http://www.golfsa.com.au) from Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2013.