



Golf NSW State Team Managers Expressions of Interest

Golf NSW seeks expressions of interest from individuals with a desire to manage one of a Golf NSW's State Teams – Boys, Girls, Men or Women.

Applicants should possess the following key attributes:

- Keen interest in elite golfers and their development
- Excellent understanding of the needs of elite athletes
- Experience of managing, or ability to manage a team of athletes (eg Club Junior, Eric Apperly or Major Pennant, Other Sport)
- Excellent communicator with players, coaching staff, Golf NSW staff and committee members
- Ability to work within a team of managers and coaches
- Possess personal integrity and create an environment in which the players will feel comfortable and seek to excel
- Ability to attend training sessions and trial matches on a regular basis (there will be a mixture of mid week and weekends)
- Ability to plan, organise and administer training sessions and team trips
- Competent electronic communication (email, text, Facebook etc)
- Good understanding of the Rules of Golf and regulations governing Tournaments
- First aid certificate
- Ability to drive a 12 seater team bus with trailer attached
- Manage the cost budget of the relevant team program
- Working with Children accreditation

The Manager would be responsible to work with the High Performance Manager and the General Manager – Golf, to organize the team's itinerary and accommodation requirements, within the budget.

There may be a requirement to also arrange a training session, which may take place any day of the week dependant on player availability and will be at a nominated training venue.

Manager roles are voluntary, however all relevant expenses while in a manager capacity will be at Golf NSW's expense.

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Interstate Series (Men and Women)

Date: 9-13 May, 2016, preceded by a Practice Day

Venue: Royal Queensland Golf Club, QLD and Brisbane Golf Club, QLD.

The Australian Men's and Women's Interstate Teams Matches are Australia's pinnacle Amateur Team Golf Championships. The Women play for the *Gladys Hay Memorial Trophy*. Each State plays each other State over singles match play in a round robin format, concluding with a Final. The Men's teams consist of eight players, while the Women's teams consist of six players.

Australian Junior Championship and Interstate Series (Girls)

Date: 13 - 15 April 2016

Venue: Devonport, TAS

The Australian Girls' Amateur Championship is open to players aged under 18 years on the first day of play. It is contested over 72-holes stroke play (with a cut after 36-holes). The handicap limit is 15.4.

The Australian Girls' Amateur Championship was first played in conjunction with the Australian Women's Amateur Championship qualifying rounds in 1953 at Royal Perth Golf Club and was won by Margaret Masters, claiming victory over 36 holes. The event remained 36 holes until 1975 and 1976 when the championship was played over three rounds of stroke play, while in 1977 it was played over four rounds of stroke play. It returned to a 36 holes format from 1978 to 1983, before a separate championship was introduced in January 1984. From 1984, the championship was played over 36-holes of qualifying with the leading 16 qualifiers contesting match play for the title.

From 1993 the age limit changed from under 21 to under 18, and in 2000 the format changed to 54-holes stroke play. From 2012 it has been played over 72-holes.

Date: 17 - 19 April 2016

Venue: Devonport, TAS

The Australian Girls' Interstate Teams Matches for the Burtta Cheney Cup is Australia's premier Junior Amateur Team Golf Championship. Each State is represented by six players with five players contesting singles match play each round in a round robin format.

In 1977 the Junior Interstate Handicap Matches were initiated for competition between State Junior Teams of two players under 21 years of age. In 1986 the trophy was named the Burtta Cheney Cup and the format changed to a team of four players until 1993 when each team consisted of six players under the age of 18. Between 2002 and 2005 the competition was played as 18-hole medal matches, but reverted back to match play in 2006.

Australian Junior Championship and Interstate Series (Boys)

Date: 13-15 April 2016

Venue: Ulverstone Golf Club, TAS

The Australian Boys' Amateur Championship is open to players aged under 18 years on the first day of play. It is contested over 72-holes stroke play (cut after 36-holes), with a handicap limit of approximately 4.4. The first Australian Boys' Amateur Championship was played in 1982 over 54-holes stroke play for players under 21 years of age. Past winners include Adam Scott, Jason Day, Stuart Appleby and Robert Allenby.

Date: 17 - 20 April 2016

Venue: Ulverstone Golf Club, TAS

The Australian Boys' Interstate Teams Matches is Australia's premier Junior Amateur Team Golf Championship. Each State and Territory is represented by six players with five players contesting singles match play each round in a round robin format. The first Australian Boys' Interstate Teams Matches was played in 1958. The Australian Capital Territory and the Northern Territory joined the competition in 2000, while New Zealand last competed in the event in 1997.