

# 2015 – 2016 JUNIOR SQUAD APPLICATIONS

U14, U16 & U18 Junior Squads

**Information Booklet** 

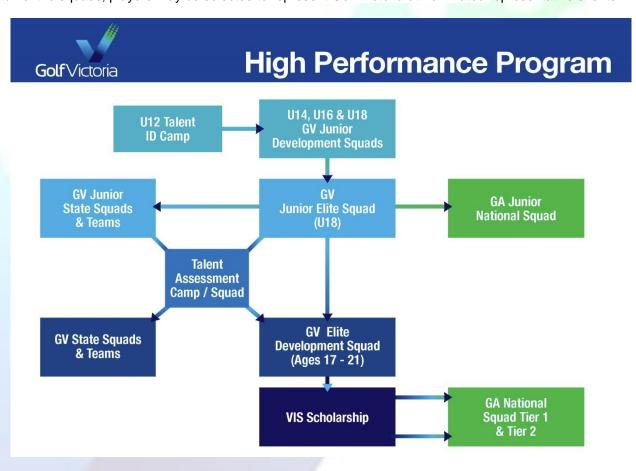


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#### **About Golf Victoria's High Performance Program**

The vision of Golf Victoria's High Performance Program is to capture as early as possible Victoria's most talented golfers and give them the best possible opportunities and resources to fully develop their potential on and off the golf course with a view to becoming successful international players.

The program includes ongoing tuition through the year with Golf Victoria's state coaches at the nominated squad camps. From each of the squads, players may be selected to represent Golf Victoria at nominated representative events.



### **About the Junior Squads**

The U14, U16 & U18 Junior Squads (formerly known as the Development Squads) form part of the Golf Victoria High Performance Program. Throughout the year the squads are provided with ongoing tuition with Golf Victoria's state coaches, this will include technical, physical, mental and course management skills.

#### U14 & U16 Junior Squads

Applications open: April

Squad Season: June 2015 – February 2016

Camps: 2 x 1-day sessions, 1 x Junior Performance Camp Coaches: GV State Coaches & Regional Academy Coaches Service Providers: Strength & Conditioning, Physiotherapist, 3D Technology

#### **U18 Junior Squad**

Applications open: April

Squad Season: June 2015 - February 2016

Camps: Junior Boys Assessment Camp (boys), Burtta Cheney Girls Assessment Camp (girls)

The U18 squads will also be invited to attend the U14/U16 day sessions.

Coaches: GV State Coaches & Regional Academy Coaches

Service Providers: Strength & Conditioning, Physiotherapist, 3D Technology

## **Eligibility**

#### U14/U16 Junior Squads

Open to juniors under the age of 14 and 16 as at January 1, 2015.

#### **U18 Junior Squad**

Open to juniors under the age of 18 as at April 13, 2016.

# **Application Process**

All applications are online via survey monkey. Follow this link: <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/PJJL6WJ">https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/PJJL6WJ</a> Entries Close at 5.00pm Friday 2 May, 2015.

#### **Selection Exemptions**

Please note: despite each of the below exemptions. It is MANDATORY for ALL players to send in an application.

#### **U18 Junior Squad Exemptions**

- 2015 Junior Boys & Girls State Team
- The top 10 boys in the 2015 Geoff Ogilvy Trophy (as at April 30, 2015) will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U18 Junior Squad. Players must have played at least 5 rounds prior to the above designated date. If a player has not met the required number of rounds as at April 30, 2015 they will be deemed ineligible under this exemption and the next placed eligible player will be awarded the exemption.
- The top 5 girls in the 2015 Future Champions Trophy (as at April 30, 2015) will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U18 Junior Squad. Players must have played at least 5 rounds prior to the above designated date. If a player has not met the required number of rounds as at April 30, 2015 they will be deemed ineligible under this exemption and the next placed eligible player will be awarded the exemption.
- The top 10 boys in the final standings of the 2014 Geoff Ogilvy Trophy will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U18 Junior Squad.
- The top 5 girls in the final standings of the 2014 Future Champions Trophy will gain automatic selection into the 2015 – 2016 U18 Junior Squad.

#### **U16 Junior Squad Exemptions**

- The top 5 boys in the 2015 U16 Geoff Ogilvy Trophy (as at April 30, 2015) will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U16 Junior Squad. Players must have played at least 5 rounds prior to the above designated date. If a player has not met the required number of rounds as at April 30, 2015 they will be deemed ineligible under this exemption and the next placed eligible player will be awarded the exemption.
- The top 3 girls in the 2015 U16 Future Champions Trophy (as at April 30, 2015) will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U16 Junior Squad. Players must have played at least 5 rounds prior to the above designated date. If a player has not met the required number of rounds as at April 30, 2015 they will be deemed ineligible under this exemption and the next placed eligible player will be awarded the exemption.
- The top 5 boys in the final standings of the 2014 U16 Geoff Ogilvy Trophy will gain automatic selection into the 2015

   2016 U16 Junior Squad.
- The top 3 girls in the final standings of the 2014 U16 Future Champions Trophy will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U16 Junior Squad.

#### **U14 Junior Squad Exemptions**

- The top 5 boys in the 2015 U14 Geoff Ogilvy Trophy (as at April 30, 2015) will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U14 Junior Squad. Players must have played at least 5 rounds prior to the above designated date. If a player has not met the required number of rounds as at April 30, 2015 they will be deemed ineligible under this exemption and the next placed eligible player will be awarded the exemption.
- The top 3 girls in the 2015 U14 Future Champions Trophy (as at April 30, 2015) will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U14 Junior Squad. Players must have played at least 5 rounds prior to the above designated date. If a player has not met the required number of rounds as at April 30, 2015 they will be deemed ineligible under this exemption and the next placed eligible player will be awarded the exemption.
- The top 5 boys in the final standings of the 2014 U14 Geoff Ogilvy Trophy will gain automatic selection into the 2015

   2016 U14 Junior Squad.
- The top 3 girls in the final standings of the 2014 U14 Future Champions Trophy will gain automatic selection into the 2015 2016 U14 Junior Squad.

In the instance where a player is exempt for both the U18 and U14/U16 Junior Squads, the player will be selected in the U18 Junior Squad. As a result the subsequent eligible player on the Junior Averages rankings (U14/U16 Section) will be given a position in the U14/U16 junior squad.

#### **Selection Criteria**

Once all exemptions are finalised, selection for remaining places will be based upon results in local, state and national tournaments.