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****EVENT DETAILS & CONDITIONS ONLY****

2015 Golf SA Men's & Women's Country Open Event

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

to be played at the following courses

**Royal Adelaide Golf Club
The Grange Golf Club
Mount Osmond**

Monday 19th – Wednesday 21st October

Eligibility Criteria:

Open to male and female amateur golfers who are members of a country club affiliated with a Country District of Golf SA.

Handicap Limit: Men GA 36.4 & Women GA 45.4

The following events will be played (Grades subject to playing numbers):

Individual Stableford – Monday 19th October at Royal Adelaide GC (1.00pm Shotgun Start)

No Grades – Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd & NTP Men & Women

District Teams event for H.C McDonald Shield (Men) – Teams consist of six players with the four best stableford scores counting

District Teams event for Britten Jones Cup (Women) - Teams consist of four players with the three best stableford scores counting

Teams will be selected based on lowest handicaps for that district.

Stroke Play – Tuesday 20th October at The Grange GC (West Course) (Two Tee Start from 10.00am)

Gross and Nett Prizes for Men and Women's Grades

Men's Grades: A Grade GA 0-12.4 & B Grade GA 12.5-36.4

Presidents Cup presented to the overall Nett Winner over both Grades

Women's Grades: A Grade GA 0-16.4 & B Grade GA 16.5-45.4

Ethel Wyatt Memorial Bowl presented to the overall Nett Winner over both Grades

Country Foursomes Championship – Wednesday 21st October at Mount Osmond GC (8.30am Shotgun Start)

Gross and Nett Prizes for Men's Grades

Men's Grades: A Grade Aggregate handicap limit GA 18.4 & B Grade Aggregate handicap limit GA 18.5+

Country Foursomes Championship awarded to the A Grade Gross Winner

Vice President's Salver awarded to the B Grade Gross Winner

Women (No Grades) – Gross & Nett Prizes

Nora Maskell Trophy awarded to the overall Nett Winners

****ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY FOR THIS EVENT****

(Register via the Golf SA Website www.golfsa.com.au > link to MiTournament registration site)

Click on **Events > Golf SA Events > 2015 Oct > Golf SA Country Open Event**

REGISTRATION FEE

\$190.00 per person inc three days golf, lunch and range balls

REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE

5.00pm Monday 5th October 2015



Government of South Australia
Office for Recreation and Sport



CONDITIONS

1. Format

- 1.1 Refer to Events list
- 1.2 All ties will be decided by countback.

2. Handicaps

- 2.1 Players to use their first day GA handicap for all events to calculate their Daily Handicap at each course.
- 2.2 Grades will be determined on a players GA handicap as of day one of play.
- 2.3 Grades are subject to playing numbers and may be changed at any time without notice by the Match Committee.

3. Match Committee

- 3.1 The Match Committee will comprise the Golf SA Match Committee.
- 3.2 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.
- 3.3 The Match Committee will have the sole management and control of the event, with full power at any time to alter or vary any one of the Conditions.
- 3.4 The Match Committee's decision on matters affecting the event will be final.
- 3.5 Any dispute or protest must be made to the Match Committee not later than 15 minutes after the conclusion of play on the day on which the disputed matter has arisen.
- 3.6 The Match Committee may, in the event of bad weather or for any other reason, alter the venue, time or day of play.

4. Rules of Play

- 4.1 The Rules of Golf, as adopted by R & A Rules Limited, will apply together with Local Rules of the venue Club.

5. Entries

- 5.1 Eligible players for the event are male and female amateur golfers with a recognised GA Handicap who are a member of a Country Club affiliated with a Country District of Golf SA.
- 5.2 Entries must be made via the Golf SA online registration system. Entries by any other method will not be accepted.
- 5.3 Registration fee must be paid at time of entry.
- 5.4 The decision of the Match Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.
- 5.5 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Match Committee.
- 5.6 Players must register by **5.00pm on Monday 5th October 2015**. 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 relevant event registration page.
- 5.7 **Entrance fees will only be refunded in the case of a withdrawal being advised before the closing time for entries.**

6. Conforming Golf Balls and Conforming Driver Heads

- 6.1 The specimen conditions in the Rules of Golf are in effect as regards Conforming Golf Balls and Conforming Driver Heads.

7. Drug Testing

- 7.1 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.

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. Smoking

- 9.1 Players are prohibited from smoking cigarettes, cigars or the like during a stipulated round. See Golf SA's Code of Conduct.

10. Pace of Play

- 10.1 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.

11. Motorised Transport

- 11.1 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.

12. Code of Conduct

- 12.1 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.

13. Measuring Devices

- 13.1 For all play, a player may obtain distance information using a device that measures distance only (this does not include applications for mobile phones).

14. Draws

- 14.1 Competitors will be drawn in such manner as the Match Committee shall arrange. The Match Committee reserves the right to alter the draw without notice.
- 14.2 Tee times will be available on the Golf SA website www.golfsa.com.au from Monday 12th October.

PRESENTATIONS OF TROPHIES

Vouchers & Trophies will be presented to the winners at the conclusion of play on Wednesday 21st October at Mt Osmond at the Closing Lunch.

