



‘Conditions Of Competition’ for the
Copperclub Open
Referred to as *‘The Competition’*

To be read in Conjunction with the Rules of Golf and any Local and Temporary Local Rules current at the Start of Play.

1. General:

The following Conditions together with Section 3. ‘Etiquette’ of the ‘Conditions of Play’ will apply under Rule 33-1 to *‘The Competition’* run by the Copperclub. The Match Committee shall have the right to alter or make any variations to the Conditions or Programme should they deem it necessary.

The Match Committee shall have the right to refuse the entry of any person without being required to give any reason for such refusal.

2. Practice:

Rule 7-1b. in use. Competitors **‘may’** use the Practice Facilities provided by the Club.

3. Eligibility:

A Financial Member of an Affiliated Club with GolfAust. and who holds an Official Australian GA Handicap or similar.

4. Entry:

Registration into *‘The Competition’* is via the Entry Form attached.

5. Format:

‘The Competition’ will be a Stroke event incorporating Gross and Nett divisions.

6. Times of starting and groups:

Competitors must be ready to start at the designated Tee Time set by the Match Committee.

The Draw will be made available on our website 48 hrs. prior to the event.

The Match Committee reserves the right to change all Tee Times and Groups.

7. Pace of Play:

Competitors have a responsibility with regards to Pace of Play.

If you fall a full hole behind the group in front you must make every effort to catch up or allow quicker groups to pass through.

Competitors should complete their round in approx. **4 Hours**

8. Decisions of Ties:

Gross ties will be decided by sudden death 'Play-off' and all other events in '*The Competition*' will be decided by the 'GA Count Back' method.

9. Prizes:

Prizes will be awarded for all Gross and Nett events with a limit of one prize per division per player.

10. Motorised Golf Carts:

Competitors are allowed to use Motorised Golf Carts in '*The Competition*' as per the Rules of Golf and the 'Conditions of Play'. Motorised Carts are available for Hire, (Book Early), Private Motorised Carts subject to inspection prior to use on the course.

11. Distance Measuring Devices:

'Allowed' please refer to Local Rules on the back of the Scorecard.

12. Returning of Scorecards:

All Competition Scorecards must be returned to the Golf Shop on Completion of the Round in a Timely manner.

Competitors are encouraged to Scan their Scorecards into the Kiosk, Check their Scores against their Scorecard and Place the Completed Scorecard in the 'Scorecard Box' provided and no alteration to the Scorecard is allowed from that point as it is considered 'Returned to the Committee'.

13. Claims and Disputes:

Any Rules Query, Claim or Dispute not resolved before Play or on the Course during Play by the Playing Group, shall be brought to the attention of the 'Referee' appointed to the '*The Competition*' by the Match Committee, either in Person or via the Golf Shop staff or a Match Committee member and His/Her Decision will be Final.

Failure to comply with these 'Conditions of Competition' **may** result in the player/players being disqualified from the competition.