

## 2016 SIGNATURE TOURNAMENT – TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS

(To be read in conjunction with the Golf Victoria Standard Event Conditions as published on the GV Website at [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au))

### 1. COMPETITION PROCEDURES

- 1.1 The Championship is scheduled to be played over 18 holes stroke play.
- 1.2 The field for the event will be limited to 100 players.
- 1.3 Entries will be accepted on an as received basis until the field capacity is reached.

### 2. ELIGIBILITY

- 2.1 Eligible players are male & female amateurs who are aged under 21 as at the first day of the competition and whose GA Handicap at the time of entry meets the following criteria;  
Boys – GA handicaps of 27.4 or less  
Girls – GA handicaps of 36.4 or less.

### 3. ENTRIES

- 3.1 The entry fee is \$40 (inc. GST). Entry fee must be paid at the time of entry.
- 3.2 The Tournament Committee shall have the right to refuse the entry of any person without being required to give any reason for such refusal.
- 3.3 Entries shall only be made online at [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au).
- 3.4 The draw for the competition will be sent to players and available at [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au) approximately five days before the event.

### 4. TROPHIES

- 4.1 The male and female player with the lowest stroke score after 18 holes shall be the 2016 Signature Tournament Champions.
- 4.2 The player with the lowest nett score after 18 holes shall be the 2016 Signature Tournament Handicap Champion.
- 4.3 In addition, the gross winner and runner-up as well as the nett winner for each age division will receive a trophy.
- 4.4 In the event of a tie for the overall gross championships a hole by hole play-off will be conducted if time permits (otherwise a count-back will be utilised) on a hole(s) as decided by the Championship Committee, players who are tied being eliminated hole by hole as they fail to maintain equality. In the event of a tie for the runner-up not determined by the above play-off, the count back method recommended by Golf Australia will be used. Golf Australia's count back method will be used to separate all other trophies.
- 4.5 No player may win more than one trophy in the overall 18-hole stroke and nett sections. However, a player may win one additional trophy in his or her age group section.
- 4.6 A minimum of 8 entries is required to constitute an age division. If insufficient entries are received players will move up to and compete in the next age division and/or for overall prizes.

### 5. CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE

The Championship Committee shall consist of representatives of host clubs and Golf Victoria. In the absence of the full Championship Committee, present members of the committee at any time may give a decision and any decision shall be deemed the decision of the full Championship Committee. The Championship Committee reserves the right to vary any condition of this event. In the event of bad weather, or for any other reason, the Championship Committee may shorten the competition, appoint another day or days for completion of, or may transfer play to another course. The decision of the Championship Committee will be final in all matters relating to the Tournament.

### 6. PRIVACY

6. The personal information you have provided in your entry form is collected, used and disclosed in accordance with the Golf Victoria Privacy Policy (available from [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au)). Golf Victoria may use and disclose your personal information for the purposes of conducting the event, administering golfing and other related activities across Victoria, providing you with event-related services or promotional material, complying with legal obligations or otherwise in accordance with the Golf Victoria Privacy Policy. Golf Victoria may share your information, including contact details, date of birth, gender, credit card details, qualifications or communication history, with third parties such as Golf Australia, associations and clubs affiliated with Golf Victoria, other State or Territory golf associations, and companies engaged to carry out functions and activities on Golf Victoria's behalf, including sponsors and direct marketing or otherwise in accordance with Golf Victoria's Privacy Policy. In certain circumstances, your information may be disclosed overseas, for example to the International Golf Federation. The Golf Victoria Privacy Policy contains information about how you may access and request correction of your personal information held by Golf Victoria or make a complaint about the handling of your personal information, and provides information about how a complaint will be dealt with by Golf Victoria. Your event entry may be rejected if the information is not provided. If you do not wish to receive promotional material from Golf Victoria sponsors and third parties you must advise us via email or telephone or via the specific opt-out procedures provided in the relevant communication.