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

2017 Golf SA Men's & Women's Senior Amateur Championship

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

to be played at

Tanunda Pines Golf Club



Monday 4th - Wednesday 6th September 2017

Played over 54 hole Stroke Play - 18 holes each day

Open to all male & female amateur golfers who are members of Clubs affiliated with Golf SA or State or overseas associations as are affiliated with or recognised by this Association

For players 55 years of age or over on the first day of the event

Men's Handicap Limit: GA 16.0
Women's Handicap Limit: GA 28.0

Men's winner to hold for one year the Veterans Championship Salver
Donated by Alex McLachlan renamed "Seniors Salver Sept. 1988"
Women's winner to hold for one year the Veterans Cup

Trophy vouchers for:
Winner, Runner-up, Third
Nett Aggregate Winner & Runner Up

ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY FOR THIS EVENT

(Enter via the Golf SA Website > link to MiTournament registration site)

REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE

5:00pm Monday 21st August 2017

ENTRANCE FEE:

\$80.00 (inc GST)



Government of South Australia
Office for Recreation and Sport

be active.



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CONDITIONS

1. Format

- 1.1 The event will be played over 54 holes of stroke play.
- 1.2 In the event of a tie for the Championship, unless the Match Committee determines otherwise, players in such a tie will continue play over such holes as the Match Committee will decide, in a sudden-death, hole-by-hole playoff until the winner is determined. Ties for other placegetters will be decided by countback.

2. Match Committee

- 2.1 The Match Committee will comprise the Golf SA Match Committee.
- 2.2 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.
- 2.3 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.
- 2.4 The Match Committee's decision on matters affecting the event will be final.
- 2.5 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.
- 2.6 The Match Committee may, in the event of bad weather or for any other reason, alter the venue, time or day of play.

3. Rules of Play

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

4. Entries

- 4.1 Eligible male players for the Championship are amateurs whose GA Handicap or overseas equivalent does not exceed 16.0 strokes. Eligible female players for the Championship are amateurs whose GA Handicap or overseas equivalent does not exceed 28.0 strokes.
- 4.2 Entrants must be 55 years of age or over on the first day of the event.
- 4.3 The Golf SA Match Committee reserves the right to limit the number of entries accepted. If a ballot is required, the higher handicap competitors in the Men's Championship as at the closing date of registrations will be eliminated first. Unsuccessful entrants will be informed without delay. Entrance fees will be refunded to competitors balloted out.
- 4.4 The Entrance Fee for the event is \$80.00 (including GST), and must be paid at the time of entry.
- 4.5 Entries must be made via the Golf SA online registration system. Entries by any other method will not be accepted
- 4.6 The decision of the Match Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.
- 4.7 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Match Committee.
- 4.8 Players must register by 5.00pm on Monday 21st August 2017. **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 event registration page.
- 4.9 **Entrance fees will only be refunded in the case of a withdrawal being advised before the closing time for entries.**

5. Conforming Golf Balls and Conforming Driver Heads

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

6. Drug Testing

- 6.1 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.

7. Mobile Phones

- 7.1 Except in case of emergency, mobile phones must not be used to make or receive calls or messages when on the golf course.

8. Pace of Play

- 8.1 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.

9. Motorised Transport

- 9.1 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.

10. Smoking

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

11. Code of Conduct

- 11.1 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.

12. Measuring Devices

- 12.1 A player may obtain distance information by use of a distance-measuring device. If, during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance-measuring device to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect their play (e.g. elevation changes, wind speed etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3.

13. Draws

- 13.1 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.
- 13.2 Tee times will be available on the Golf SA website www.golfsa.com.au from Monday 28th August 2017.

Tee Times - will commence at: 10.00am on Monday 4th September
*Subject to change 8.30am on Tuesday 5th September
8.00am on Wednesday 6th September (A seeded draw will be made at the conclusion of play on Tuesday with the leading players hitting off at the end of the field)