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****EVENT DETAILS & CONDITIONS ONLY******JUNIOR VARDON TROPHY 2018**

Open to Amateurs whose Golf Australia Handicaps are GA 10.0 or less.
(Under the auspices of and subject to the control of GOLF SA Inc)

To be played at venues as listed**Entries close at 5.00pm on Friday 8th December 2017****CONDITIONS**

1. The Junior Vardon Trophy comprises scheduled stroke events of at least 18 holes and is open to amateur male golfers who are members of Clubs affiliated with GOLF SA Inc with an Australian Handicap of GA 10.0 or less at the time of registration and who are **under the age of 18 on the 11th April 2018**.
2. A minimum of 19 of the total scheduled rounds must be played to be eligible to win the trophy. If a player competes in 21 rounds the player's worst adjusted score will be deleted, 23 rounds and over, the player's two worst adjusted scores will be deleted.
3. Players representing South Australia in Interstate Tournaments can deduct rounds for which they are consequently unavailable from the total, up to a maximum of six (6) rounds only. Players representing Australia will be allowed to deduct a further two (2) rounds from the total. Should an event(s) be abandoned or curtailed the total will be reduced by the number of rounds lost.
4. Players must register via MiTournament before being eligible. A player has not officially registered until their name is listed in the Registered Participants section of the event registration page. **Players are responsible for their own entries to individual events listed.** Host clubs will provide entry forms and draws for club vardons.
5. A player starting in an event but failing to return his score card, or who is disqualified, will be recorded as having 88 for the round. Similarly a player who enters an event but fails to take his place in the field will have 88 as his result. The above may be waived if a satisfactory explanation is given.
6. All scores will be adjusted to a Scratch Rating of 70.
7. The use of a motorised buggy by a competitor or his caddy is prohibited. Motorised means an electric or motor driven vehicle which a player or caddy may sit or ride, whilst the appliance is in motion. Exceptions to this condition may be granted where a player suffers from a permanent disability that would preclude him from competing in the event without the use of a motorised vehicle. Details for such exemptions are available from the office. Penalty Stroke Play – 2 strokes for each hole at which any breach occurred – maximum penalty per round 4 strokes.
8. It is obligatory for all competitors in the Vardon Events to play with a ball which is named in the current R&A/USGA approved lists.
9. Drug Testing: 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.
10. Dress Rules: Players and their caddies must comply with the dress requirements of the host clubs. Non-compliance could see the player/caddy not allowed to start or asked to leave the course.
11. These conditions may be varied if the Match Committee of GOLF SA deem it warranted. The Match Committee of GOLF SA reserves the right to exclude any player from the event without assigning any reason for so doing. The GOLF SA Code of Conduct applies to all events.
12. The winner shall be the player who has the lowest adjusted scoring average for the year. Trophies First, Second and Third.

EVENTS

Nov 12th 2017	Thaxted Park – 18 Holes	Rd 1	Feb 11th	The Vines – 36 Holes	Rd 18-19
Nov 26th 2017	Mt Osmond – 18 Holes	Rd 2	Mar 4th	Flagstaff Hill – 36 Holes	Rd 20-21
Dec 11th – 12th	Golf SA Junior Open – Blackwood & The Vines – 36 Holes	Rd 3-4	Apr 2nd	Blackwood – 18 Holes	Rd 22
Dec 18th – 19th	Golf SA Junior Open – Thaxted Park & The Grange – 36 Holes	Rd 5-6	Apr 22nd	Mount Compass – 36 Holes	Rd 23-24
Jan 8th – 9th	Golf SA Junior Amateur Champs – Kooyonga & The Grange - 54 Holes	Rd 7-9	Apr 29th	West Lakes – 18 Holes	Rd 25
Jan 11th – 12th	Golf SA Junior Masters – Royal Adelaide – 72 Holes	Rd 10-13	Jul 29th	The Grange – 36 Holes	Rd 26-27
Jan 18th – 19th	Golf SA Junior Open – Mt Osmond & West Lakes – 36 Holes	Rd 14-15	Aug 12th	Glenelg – 36 Holes	Rd 28-29
Feb 4th	Tea Tree Gully – 36 Holes	Rd 16-17			

ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY FOR THIS EVENT

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

REGISTRATION CLOSING DATE:**5:00pm Friday 8th December 2017****REGISTRATION FEE:****\$30.00 (incl GST)**