

**2017**  
**SORRENTO SENIOR**  
**AMATEUR**

**(INC. VICTORIAN SENIOR CLUB TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIP)**

**THURSDAY 7 – FRIDAY 8 DECEMBER**

**SORRENTO GOLF CLUB**



**PLAYER INFORMATION & DRAW**

## About

The Sorrento Senior Amateur will be contested over 36-hole stroke play and is the first event on the 2018 Victorian Men's Senior Order of Merit calendar.

Played in conjunction is the Victorian Senior Club Teams Championship which will be contested over 36-hole Aggregate stroke with all three scores counting towards a gross and nett team total.

This event includes the Victorian Men's Senior Order of Merit Presentation Dinner on the Thursday evening where the Doug Bachli and Paul Lulofs Handicap Trophy are presented to the 2017 winners.

## Host Club

**Venue:** Sorrento Golf Club  
**Address:** Langford Rd, Sorrento, VIC 3443  
**Phone:** (03) 5984 2626  
**Website:** [www.sorrentogolf.com.au](http://www.sorrentogolf.com.au)

**Date:** Thursday 7 – Friday 8 December 2017  
**Format:** 36-Hole Stroke (Men)

## Tournament Committee

- Michael Burgess (Sorrento GC - General Manager)
- Tim Witherow (GV Golf Events Officer)
- Chris Collingwood (GV Match Committee)

## Event Format

### Thursday 7 December (Round 1)

11:00 am Registration  
 11:30 am Lunch  
 12:00 pm Briefing (Putting Green)  
 12:30 pm Play commences – Multi-tee start  
 6:30 pm Presentation dinner (Optional)

### Friday 8 December (Round 2)

7:30 am Registration  
 8:00 am Briefing (Putting Green)  
 8:30 am Play commences – Multi-tee start  
 1:00 pm Lunch  
 2:00 pm Tournament presentations (Approx.)

## Trophies

Trophies will be awarded to:

### Sorrento Senior Amateur

- Best 36-Hole Gross** – Sorrento Senior Amateur Champion & Runner-Up
- Best 36-Hole Nett** – Sorrento Senior Amateur Handicap Champion & Runner-Up

### Victorian Senior Club Teams Championship

- Best Aggregate 36-Hole Gross:** Champion & Runner-Up teams
- Best Aggregate 36-Hole Nett:** Champion & Runner-Up teams

### Other (Overall)

- 36-Hole Nett ball run-down
- NTP (Golf Fore a Cause) – gold coin donation

No player may win a trophy in both the stroke and nett sections. Points will be awarded for the Men's Doug Bachli & Paul Lulofs Trophies.

## Presentation

All trophies for the Sorrento Senior Amateur & Victorian Senior Club Teams Championship will be presented immediately after the conclusion of the final round on Friday. It would be appreciated if as many competitors as possible remain for the presentation to honour the respective trophy winners.

### 2016 Sorrento Senior Amateur Champions



L-R: Mark Stanford (The National) & Lindsay Brown (Woodlands)

### 2016 Victorian Senior Club Teams Gross Champions



L-R: Kew Team (Stephen Valentine, Mark Brasher & Pancho DeNeefe)

## Final Round Draw

A seeded draw will be created for the final round on the basis of round one gross scores. The final round will commence via a multi-tee start at 8:30am on Friday 8 December. The final round draw will be made available on the GV Website at [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au), from approximately 7:00pm on Thursday. Alternatively, players may call the GV Mobile on 0448 577 640 (Tim).

## Lunch

Lunch will be provided to all players participating in the event both days. Drinks will be at each player's own expense.

### Doug Bachli Presentation Dinner

The 2017 Doug Bachli Trophy Presentation Dinner will be held at 6.30 pm on Thursday 7 December at the Sorrento Golf Club. The cost is \$50 per additional guest and bookings must be made by Tuesday 5 December. **Dress Code:** Smart Casual (golf clothes acceptable)

### Practice

Range balls can be purchased at the players own expense from the Sorrento Golf Club pro shop. Sorrento GC has a driving range, practice nets and practice putting/chipping greens.

### Scratchings

Any player wishing to scratch prior to Thursday 7 December must ring GV tournaments on 8545 6229. On the day of play call the GV mobile (Tim) on **0448 577 640**.

### Course Map

Players are requested to familiarise themselves with the course map below to avoid any delay in commencement of play from allocated holes.

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## Registration

All competitors are required to report to Golf Victoria representatives inside the clubhouse at the respective clubs upon arrival at the course. Players must then be present at the briefing then on the appropriate tee **no later than 10 minutes prior the tee time.**

## Handicaps

All players must ensure that their current and correct daily handicap is recorded on the scorecard in accordance with Rule 6-2b. Players must play from their **DAILY** handicap during the Championship, with the exception that no player shall play from a daily handicap greater than 24.

## Scorecards

All score cards are to be returned to the registration area immediately at the conclusion of play.

## Dress Regulations

All **players and caddies** are requested to adhere to the Club's dress regulations. Neat, tidy and clean golf attire is required. Advertising or display materials must not appear on clothing except for small logos. Denim clothing and metal spikes are not permitted. Players and guest not adhering to the Host Clubs' dress regulations may be prohibited from playing and requested to leave the facilities.

## Course Care / Club Regulations

Players are reminded that sand buckets **MUST** be taken and used, pitch marks are to be repaired, and bunkers raked following play at each course. Mobile phones are not to be used in the clubhouse or on the course unless in the case of an emergency or a ruling during the round. Play will be from the nominated tee markers. Any player not complying with these requirements will be subject to action in accordance with the GA Codes of Behaviour.

## Slow Play

Rule 6-7 will be strictly enforced. Each group must maintain its position on the course with respect to the group preceding them. Any group with a clear hole in front of them will be considered 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.

## Suspension of Play

In the event of heavy rain, lightning or for any other reason, the Championship Committee will be responsible for deciding whether to suspend play. The signal for suspending play will be one short siren blast. The procedure when play is suspended is outlined under Rule 6-8b. When the course is ready for play, players will be advised to return to various locations. The signal for the resumption of play will be one long siren blast.

## Refunds

Any entrant may withdraw and have the entrance fee refunded provided notification is received within three working days prior to the event. Under no circumstances will entry fees be refunded after this date unless players can provide Golf Victoria supporting documents regarding their withdrawal from the event (ie. Medical certificate).

## Motorised Carts

According to GV's standard conditions of competitions, it is the responsibility of the player, if they require the use of a golf cart during the event to send a Medical Certificate and a completed copy of the Golf Victoria Motorised Transport Approval Return Form for consideration by the Match Committee.

Please go to the GV website under *Championships & Events* → *Event Resources* → *Motorised Transport* for the return form and more information. **Exemption:** Players aged 75 years and over do not require a Medical Certificate.

Golf carts are at the player's own expense and **MUST** be booked directly with the respective golf. Golf Victoria cannot guarantee the use of a golf cart on any given day of play as this is subject to each host club's conditions of usage.

**Note:** In the event in which a limited number of carts are available, players requesting carts will be paired together. Caddies are permitted to ride in the cart with the player **ONLY** when sufficient carts are available.

## 'Safe thru 18' – First Aid Information Guide for Golfers

Golf Victoria is aware that occasionally situations arise out on golf courses where first aid or emergency action is needed, and often golfers are unsure of the best way to respond.

A compact and comprehensive first aid guide titled "Safe thru 18" has been developed in a format that can easily fit into a player's bag. This guide provides information covering many situations that players may face out on course, both critical and common.



A PDF version of the 'Safe Thru 18' guide can be obtained at [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au) under *Championships & Events* – *Event Resources*. In addition, a complimentary "Safe thru 18" guide will be available for all players at registration. Additional copies can be purchased through the Golf Victoria office for \$1 per guide.

Golf Victoria stresses that "Safe thru 18" is not designed as an alternative to a first aid course and we encourage all clubs and members to consider taking a professionally delivered first aid course.

## Golf Victoria Website

The Golf Victoria Website is located at [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au). Complete tournament draws, preview/review articles and a full summary of results can be found within the "Senior" section of the "Championships & Events" page from the Golf Victoria homepage.

## Further Conditions

For further conditions please consult the Event Entry Form and GV Standard Event Conditions.

## Supporting





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Round 1 Draw - Thursday 7 December - Multi-Tee Start at 12:30pm



Hole	Surname	First Name	Home Club
1A	O'Brien	Ken	Rossdale
	Valentine	Stephen	Kew
	Palinkas	Frank	Woodlands
	Wilson	John	Yarrowonga Mulwala
1B	Wheeler	John	The National
	Deneefe	Pancho	Kew
	Boehm	Kerry	Patterson River
2	Bray	Paul	Metropolitan
	Ebinger	Greg	Spring Valley
	Harold	Tom	Darwin (NT)
3A	Bullas	Alan	Portsea
	Domann	Michael	The National
	Rucinski	John	Cranbourne
3B	Bottomley	Ross	Torquay
	Moriarty	Wayne	Commercial Albury
	Kelly	John	Metropolitan
4	McCleary	Ian	Koorlingal
	Krall	Guy	The National
	Bence	Peter	Peninsula-Kingswood
5	Abeyaratne	Mark	Peninsula-Kingswood
	Wearne	Paul	The National
	Sherwen	Peter	Kew
6A	Sadlon	Robert	Yarra Yarra
	Stanford	Mark	The National
	Wallace	Robert	Midlands
	Ansell	Paul	Metropolitan
6B	Frost	Ian	Bendigo
	McDonald	David	Sandhurst
	Charleston	Adam	Lonsdale
	House	Gary	Sanctuary Lakes
7A	Finkelde	Keith	Latrobe
	Kotaridis	George	Kew
	Schnelle	Roger	Commercial Albury
	Ryan	Robert	Ballarat
7B	Meneghini	Michael	Woodlands
	Juran	Boris	Thirteenth Beach
	Duncan	Glenn	Prospect Vale (TAS)
	Newton	Frank	Metropolitan
8	Davis	Stan	Bendigo
	Turnbull	Ian	Koorlingal
	Coxon	Rob	Green Acres
	Adams	Greg	Bacchus Marsh
9	Briers*	Tony	The National
	Giles*	Pat	The National
	Tyndall	Michael	Victoria
	Walker	Andrew	Jubilee
10	Bayly*	Kerry	Koorlingal
	Welsh*	Greg	Colac
	Doak*	Ian	Bendigo
	Van De Ven*	Henk	Howlong

Hole	Surname	First Name	Home Club
10	Hyde	Tony	Patterson River
	Aigner	Wayne	Sandhurst
	Allen	Stuart	Peninsula-Kingswood
	Puskas	Andy	Thirteenth Beach
11A	Spalding	Brian	Koorlingal
	Wood	Trevor	Rossdale
	Same	Mervin	Huntingdale
11B	Mole	Richard	The National
	Thomson	Nigel	Metropolitan
	Jay	Peter	Portsea
12A	Etherington	Stephen	Thirteenth Beach
	Duffy	Peter	Yarra Yarra
	Archibald	Ken	Woodlands
12B	Balgue	John	Green Acres
	Hoare*	John	Pakenham
	McConville	Stephen	Centenary Park
	Buxton	Andrew	Royal Melbourne
13	Brown	Lindsay	Woodlands
	Bruton*	Ken	Glen Waverley
	Noy*	John	Metropolitan
	Ellis	Stephen	Spring Valley
14A	Lockhart	Neil	St Andrews Beach
	Miles	Barry	Sanctuary Cove (Qld)
	Giudice	Peter	Leongatha
	Enright	Steve	Metropolitan
14B	Eberius	Horst	CBA
	Hodson	John	Woodlands
	Hodson	Robert	Koorlingal
	Broadhead	Ian	Wangaratta
15	Dowdle	David	Peninsula-Kingswood
	Long	Denis	Metropolitan
	Fink	Paul	Racv Cape Schanck
	Gunn	Anthony	Peninsula-Kingswood
16A	Wakeham	Richard	Victoria
	Ashmore	Terry	Southern
	Lowe	Robert	Dorset
	Beyers*	Barry	Woodlands
16B	Duivenvoorden*	Ignatius	Yarram
	Hunter	Alan	Thirteenth Beach
	Bannenberg	Michael	The Metropolitan
	Lilley	Stephen	Royal Melbourne
17	Myer	Sebastian	Commonwealth
	Kotaridis	Socrates	Sandhurst
	Keeshan	Chris	Centenary Park
	Mansour	Chris	Centenary Park
18A	Thompson	Philip	Spring Valley
	Magee	Dermot	Racv Cape Schanck
	Steel	Kelvin	Eastern
	Weir	Frank	Woodlands
18	Jones	Adrian	Bendigo
	Pickett	Robert	Commercial Albury
	Gray	Brian	Patterson River
	Peavey*	Kevin	Foster
Vial	Peter	Royal Melbourne	



'A' Groups to play at 12:30pm with 'B' groups to follow

Note: This draw is subject to minor changes due to cancellations and substitutions.

\*Denotes players recommended to share motorised transport

**Seeded draw based on 18-hole gross scores will be created for Rd 2 (8:30am multi-tee start)**