



HORSHAM WESTERN OPEN AMATEUR

(Ivo Whitton & Susie Tolhurst Rankings Event)

to be played at

Horsham Golf Club

Saturday 6 – Sunday 7 October 2018

Entry Fee:	\$100.00 (incl. GST)
Inclusion:	Lunch both days
Format:	36-Hole Stroke 18-Holes each on Saturday & Sunday
Tee Times:	Rolling start off 1 st & 10 th tees from 7:15 am (9 min intervals) Rolling start off 1 st & 10 th tees from 11.45 am (9 min intervals)
GA H'Cap Limit:	9.0 (Men) & 15.0 (Women) at close of entry
Entries Open:	Wednesday 9 May 2018
Entries Close:	5pm on Wed 26 September 2018 or prior if a capacity field is reached

Enter online at www.golfvic.org.au – CLICK HERE



2018 HORSHAM WESTERN OPEN AMATEUR – TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS

1. Entry is open to male and female amateurs whose GA Handicaps or overseas equivalent at the close of entry shall not exceed 9.0 strokes (men) and 15.0 strokes (women) in accordance with the Australian Handicapping System.
2. All entries must be made via the Golf Victoria online registration system at www.golfvic.org.au. Payment must be made at time of entry.
3. Entries are restricted to amateurs who are members of clubs of Golf Victoria or golf clubs registered with such state or overseas associations as are affiliated with or recognised by them, or of clubs affiliated with the Victoria Golf League and the committee shall have the right to refuse the entry of any person without being required to give any reason for such refusal.
4. In the instance the number of entries exceeds the maximum field capacity, a **ballot by handicap** will occur at the close of entries. Unsuccessful entries will be informed without delay and given the opportunity to compete if subsequent withdrawals occur.
5. Competition shall be played in accordance with the rules of golf as adopted by R & A Limited, together with such local rules as are in force on the course over which the competition takes place. If a dispute arises on any point, it shall be decided by the committee in charge of the competition, whose decision shall be final. If the committee is in doubt, it shall have the right to refer any such dispute to Golf Victoria.
6. The Tournament Committee shall consist of representatives of the Horsham Golf Club. 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 Tournament Committee may shorten the competition, appoint another day or days for completion of, or may transfer play to another course. Protests must be made to the Championship Committee not later than 10 minutes after the conclusion of each round. The decision of the Tournament Committee will be final in all matters relating to the Tournament.

7. In the event of a tie for the Men's or Women's Champions, a play-off is to be staged if time permits, otherwise a count-back will be utilised. The play-off will be played at a time and in a manner as decided by the Championship Committee. Ties for all other positions shall be decided by count-back as recommended by Golf Australia.
8. Players may win a maximum of one trophy.
9. Any entrant may withdraw and have their entry fee refunded provided notification is received within **three working days** prior to the commencement of the event. Under no circumstances will entry fees be refunded after this date unless players can provide the club supporting documents regarding their withdrawal from the event (ie. Medical Certificate).
10. All visiting competitors will be made Honorary Members of the Horsham Golf Club for the Tournament.

Venue: Horsham Golf Club

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