

# 2019 MEN'S NSW AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

(Incorporating the NSW Medal and the NSW Champion of Champions)

# **NSW Medal and Champion of Champions**

Terrey Hills Golf & Country Club and Mona Vale Golf Club Monday 21 January & Tuesday 22 January 2019

# **NSW Amateur Championship**

(for those who qualify)

Terrey Hills Golf & Country Club Wednesday 23, Thursday 25, Friday 25 January 2019

**GA HANDICAP LIMIT: 5.4** 

**ENTRY FEE:** \$160 online and \$170 for all other entries (NSW Amateur / Medal) or \$110 online and \$120 for all other entries (Medal only / Club Champion of Champions only)

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: Sunday 6 January 2019 at 8.00 pm

## For all your Championship information:

www.golfnsw.org

This event is a recognised National Ranking Event, R&A World Ranking and Scratch Players World Ranking event

## **GOLF NSW**

## 2019 MEN'S NSW MEDAL & AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP – ENTRY FORM

EVENT ENTRY (NOTE: ENTRY IS AVAILABLE AT DISCOUNTED RATE ONLINE AT www.golfnsw.org)

### Please enter me in the 2019 Men's NSW Amateur Championship / Medal. I am an amateur player in accordance with the Rules of Amateur Status as approved by R&A Rules Limited. I confirm that the information supplied is correct, that I am eligible to enter under the Conditions of the Championship and agree to be bound by these Conditions. I also confirm that I have read and understood the Golf NSW Code of Conduct and agree to be bound by this Code. Please select one of the options below. I would like to enter the: NSW Medal (36 holes stroke), NSW Champion of Champions (36 hole stroke) and NSW Amateur Championship (match play – if qualify) (Online Entry Fee \$160) NSW Medal (36 holes stroke) and NSW Amateur Championship (match play – if qualify) (Online Entry Fee \$160) NSW Medal (36 holes stroke) and NSW Champion of Champions (Online Entry Fee \$110) NSW Medal **ONLY** (36 holes stroke) (Online Entry Fee \$110) NSW Champion of Champions **ONLY** (36 holes stroke) (Online Entry Fee \$110) I am the 2018 Club Champion of \_ Club (if applicable) Players will be ineligible for the Club Champions of Champions unless they nominate above. Name Mobile Phone Home Club **Fmail** D.O.B. Golf Link No. Handicap I require the use of Motorised Transport for this event. (If you have checked the box, please submit a current medical certificate noting that you require the use of a motorised cart to compete in this Championship. Please note bookings and payment of motorised carts are the responsibility of the player). PAYMENT DETAILS - additional \$10.00 administration fee for all of the payments below Method of payment (Please select one of the options below) Payment details Credit Card Visa ■ Mastercard **Entry Fee** \$ 10.00 Other Cheque Money Order Cash Admin Fee Late fee\* (if applicable) \$ \$ **Total** Card CVV **Expiry Date** Number Number Cardholder's Cardholder's Name Signature \* In the event that this entry is received after the closing time for entries and that it is accepted, the entrant shall be automatically liable to Golf NSW for the sum of \$20 (the "late entry fee"). Where the entrant nominates to pay the entry fee by credit card, by providing their credit card details, the card holder additionally authorises Golf NSW to debit the nominated account for the sum of the late entry fee (if applicable). Where payment is made by cheque, money order or cash, the entrant will be invoiced for the amount of the late entry fee and the entry will not be accepted until the full requisite payment has been received.

**Acknowledgement of Receipt** 

**Date** 

Signed

A list of all entries received by Golf NSW will be posted at <a href="www.golfnsw.org">www.golfnsw.org</a> – please note that inclusion on this list is not an indication of inclusion in the Championship field. A player's entry form has not officially been received until his name appears on this list.

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Please return entry form to: **Golf NSW**P.O. Box 195, Arncliffe NSW 2205 or in person 1A Duncan Street, Arncliffe or fax: (02) 9505 9199 (Credit card payments only)

Email: olivia.wilson@golfnsw.org

#### 2019 NSW MEDAL & AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS

These are to be read in conjunction with the Golf NSW Standard Conditions for Events Run by Golf NSW, the Golf NSW Code of Conduct and the Golf NSW Hard Card. Should a conflict occur between conditions, then the conditions outlined on the entry form take precedence.

#### 1. Championship Procedure

1.1 The Championship will be played in separate stages:

(a) The NSW Medal – stroke play over two rounds of 18-holes, one of the first two rounds will be played at Terrey Hills G&CC and the other at Mona Vale GC. The field shall be evenly divided between Terrey Hills G&CC and Mona Vale GCs on each of the first two days with players changing venues for the second round. The NSW Champion of Champions is played in conjunction and is subject to the additional conditions outlined below.

The leading player(s) at the end of this stroke play stage shall be the 2019 NSW Medallist. In the event of a tie, the winner will be determined by sudden death play-off. All other ties shall be determined using the Golf Australia Countback System for deciding prize winners. See 1.1 (b) regarding ties for determining positions in the match play

(b) NSW Amateur - The leading 32 players from the NSW Medal, who have nominated to participate in the NSW Amateur, will be eligible to compete in the NSW Amateur Match Play. Ties for 32nd place shall be decided by sudden death play-off. If insufficient time is available for a play-off, such ties will be determined by using the Golf Australia Countback System. Other ties for positions will be determined by lot. The NSW Amateur will be match play over 18-holes, with the Final being played over 36-holes. The match play draw will be a seeded draw. If any match is halved at the completion of 18 holes, players shall continue to play until a player wins a hole, when the match is then considered won. The winner of the match play stage of the Championship will be the 2019 NSW Amateur Champion.

(c) NSW Champion of Champions – held in conjunction with the NSW Medal. To be eligible to enter a player must be the 2018 Club Champion of a Club which is affiliated with Golf NSW. Players who enter the Champion of Champions must indicate this and enter their details in the appropriate section of the entry form, otherwise they will not be included in the Champion of Champions event. In the event of a tie, joint winners will be declared. If all entrants are unable to complete 36-holes on the first two days due to suspension of play, the Champion of Champions will be decided on the completed scores for one round.

#### 2. Championship Committee

- 2.1 The Championship Committee will comprise the Chair of the Golf NSW Golf Committee, Golf NSW General Manager Golf or their appointees.
- 2.2 In the absence of a full Championship Committee, such members that 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 Championship Committee.

#### Rules of Play

The Rules of Golf, as adopted by R&A Rules Limited, will apply, together with Golf NSW Hard Card (see condition 10), and any additional Local Rules as drawn up by the Championship Committee.

#### 4. Entries

- 4.1 Handicap: Eligible players are male amateurs whose GA Handicap (or overseas equivalent) does not exceed 5.4 strokes at the time of entry.
- 4.2 Age: there are no age restrictions in this event.
- 4.3 Entry Fee: the entry fee applicable for this event is \$160 (including GST).
- 4.4 In the event of entry applications exceeding the number of places available in the Championship, applications from those higher handicap competitors not exempt from a handicap ballot will be decided by a handicap ballot. Unsuccessful applicants will be informed without delay and given the opportunity to compete if withdrawals subsequently occur. Monies received from balloted entrants, who do not subsequently compete, will be refunded in entirety.
- 4.5 <u>Exemptions:</u> There are no exemptions for this Championship.
- 4.6 Acceptance: The decision of the Championship Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.
- 4.7 <u>Withdrawal:</u> upon withdrawal, as detailed in the Standard Conditions, a \$10 administration fee is deducted (the \$10 admin charge for entries not made online is also non-refundable).

#### 5. Motorised Transport

The specimen condition on pages 159-160 of the Rules of Golf is in effect.

Participants must walk at all times during a stipulated round unless permission to use motorised transport has been granted by the Committee. The Committee will grant permission if the player is able to supply documentation (medical certificate or letter from club official) which states that the player requires use of motorised transport for medical reasons. Applications for permission <u>MUST</u> be made at the time of entry. Player's must book carts with the host club as Golf NSW takes no responsibility for the availability of golf carts.

#### 6. Practice

Practice rounds prior to the Championship are at the discretion of the host club. Permission must be sought from the host club's Professional Shop for play.

Terrey Hills Golf & Country Club - (02) 9450 0155.

Mona Vale Golf Club - (02) 9999 3605.

#### 7. Registration

Competitors MUST register 30 mins before their starting time on each day of play.

#### 8. Pace of Play

Rule 6-7 will be strictly enforced. See the Golf NSW Hard Card for Pace of Play conditions.

#### 9. Golf NSW Hard Card

The Golf NSW Hard Card will be in effect throughout this event.