

2019 South Australian Women's Country Week

75th Silver Country Meeting

Hosted by Whyalla Golf Club – affiliated Eyre Peninsula District South Australia



Includes South Australian Women's Country Championship

Tuesday 23rd - Thursday 25th July 2019

Golf Australia Handicaps to 16.0

Event Schedule		
Monday 22 nd / players arrive, welcome party		
Tuesday 23 rd / 18 holes individual stroke play		
Wednesday 24th / 18 holes individual stroke play and		
presentation dinner		
Thursday 25 th / Foursomes, lunch, players depart		

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Westland Leading Edge Jewellers

Online registration only for this event – registrations open Wednesday 1st May.

https://www.golf.org.au/event-display/south-australian-womens-75th-country-week/13541

Registration will include - (stroke and	foursomes registrations are separate)
 36 holes individual stroke play + option to add dinner 	\$50.00 + \$35.00
2. 18 hole Foursomes	\$50.00 per pair

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE: FRIDAY 5th JULY 2019

Late entries will not be accepted.

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Host Club Match Committee	
Susan Seja – Golf Australia (SA) Representative	Di Thompson – President Northern District
Leonie Kellaway – Women's Club Captain	Val Callaghan – Women's Club Vice-Captain

Welcoming Party

Monday 22nd July 2019 at 5.00pm at Whyalla Golf Club.

Event 1

Silver Salver – 36 holes stroke play (Tuesday and Wednesday – 18 holes each day). Winner to hold the South Australian Country Silver Salver for one year. Trophies for Winner, Runner-up, Best Gross (Round 1) and Best Gross (Round 2).

Event 2

18 holes handicap stroke play on Tuesday. Trophies for winner and runner-up.

Event 3 (in conjunction with Event 1)

Veterans' handicap event – 36 holes stroke play. Open to players who have reached their 70th birthday by the first day of play. Trophies for Winner and Best Gross Aggregate.

Event 4

18 holes handicap stroke play on Wednesday. Trophies for Winner and Runner-Up.

Event 5

Country v Metro Salver – Country and Metro will be represented by 12 players each to be drawn from the entrants on Monday preceding the first day of play. The Best Nett Aggregate total on Tuesday will win the Salver (see Terms of the Competition).

Event 6

18 hole handicap foursomes stroke play on Thursday. Trophies for Winner, Runner-Up and Best Gross. A light luncheon will be served at the conclusion of play of the foursomes when the trophies will be presented. *Note – players may take only one trophy in event 6.*

Event 7

Country Championship – 36 holes stroke play in conjunction with Event 1. For players, whose Home Club is a Member Club of a Country District affiliated with Golf Australia (SA). Trophies for winner and runner up awarded by Golf Australia (SA).

Dinner

Players are invited to attend a dinner on Wednesday evening at Whyalla Golf Club at 6.00 pm for 6.30 p.m. Presentation of trophies will occur at the dinner.

Please nominate to attend the dinner at the time of registration - \$35 per person



Terms of the Competition

- 1. Registrations must be made via the nominated online registration system. Entries by any other method will not be accepted.
- 2. Players must register by **5.00pm on Friday 5th July 2019**. It is the sole responsibility of the entrant themselves to ensure that they have registered correctly.
- 3. Entries may be limited at the discretion of the Host Club Match Committee.
- 4. Late entries may only be accepted at the discretion of the Golf Australia (SA) Match Committee.
- 5. No registration fee or dinner cost will be refunded after registration closing date.
- 6. These events are open to female amateurs with an Australian Handicap or overseas equivalent.
- 7. Competitors are requested to bring proof of handicap.
- 8. A player entering on the GA handicap limit of 16.0 who exceeds that GA handicap before the closing date of registrations may remain in the Silver Salver playing on the daily handicap limit for the first round.
- 9. Players to use their first day daily handicap for all events.
- 10. Foursomes if through illness or another unavoidable cause one entrant must withdraw after the closing date of entries, her partner may substitute another player in her stead.
- 11. The Golf Australia (SA) Match Committee shall have the right to refuse or accept an entry of any person without being required to give a reason for so doing.
- 12. The Golf Australia (SA) Match in conjunction with the Host Club Match Committee has full power to alter or make any variation in the Conditions.
- 13. The Host Club Match Committee in conjunction with the Golf Australia (SA) Match Committee to be absolute umpire of any dispute or protest, which must be lodged in writing at the host Clubhouse before 6.00pm on the day on which the dispute has arisen.
- 14. The Host Club Match Committee may, in the event of bad weather or for any other reason, alter the venue, time or day of play. In the event of dangerous conditions (eg. lightning) the signal for suspending play will be a prolonged note of the siren. Players must discontinue play immediately and not resume play until the committee has ordered a resumption of play. Penalty for failing to discontinue is disqualification. Refer Rule 5.7.
- 15. The Rules of Golf and local rules of the host Club shall be the Rules of Play.
- 16. Competitors will be drawn in such manner as the Host Club Match Committee shall arrange.
- 17. Competitors must start at the appointed time, unless under circumstances approved by the Match Committee. Competitors must report to the starter 15 minutes before the appointed tee time.
- 18. If there is a tie for the winner in event 1 or event 7, there will be a sudden-death play-off. All other ties by countback as per the current Rules of Golf and the Rules of Amateur Status book. The same play-off may be used to determine the winner of Event 7 in conjunction with Event 1.
- Players are prohibited from smoking cigarettes, cigars or the like during a stipulated round. See Golf Australia's Code of Conduct.
- 20. 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.
- 21. Except in case of emergency, mobile phones must not be used to make or receive calls or messages when on the golf course.
- 22. Ride-on buggies will be permitted only on medical evidence from the player's Club and by permission of the host Club. Medical Certificate to be forwarded to Golf Australia (SA) and evidence of approval to be held by the player at all times. Caddies are not permitted to use ride-on buggies.



- 23. 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 4.3a.
- 24. Country v Metro If there is insufficient players to have a team of 12 the Golf Australia (SA) representative may alter the amount of players at the time of the draw. If any player fails to finish the stipulated round the highest net score from the opposing team will not be counted. In the event of a tie, a count back will occur using the total of the back 9 holes of each scorecard.
- 25. Country Championship Eligibility: female amateur golfer whose Home Club is a Member Club of a Country District affiliated with Golf Australia (SA). 36 holes stroke play (18 holes played on Tuesday and 18 holes played on Wednesday). Winner to be awarded the Country Championship Cup donated by the late Mrs K I Cudmore.

Notes

- Competitors are requested to bring proof of handicap as they may be disqualified if evidence of correctness of handicaps is not available. Players are responsible for knowing their own handicap.
- · Please observe dress regulations of Host Club.
- Draws will be posted in competitors' Clubhouses.
- Presentation of trophies at dinner on Wednesday 24th July