



# THE Federal GOLF CLUB



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## 2019 Federal Amateur Open Championship & Federal Women's Amateur Open Championship

Friday 8 November to Sunday 10 November 2019  
Open to Males and Females



2018 Winners: Grace Kim and Corey Lamb



## World Amateur Golf Ranking Tournament



### The Federal Golf Club

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## 2019 Federal Amateur Open Championship

Open to male amateur golfers with a GA handicap of scratch or less

## 2019 Federal Women's Amateur Open Championship

Open to female amateur golfers with a GA handicap of 3.0 or less  
(A Karrie Webb Series Event)

## 2019 Federal Junior Medal

Best 4 round score by a male player under 18 years

## 2019 Federal Female Junior Medal

Best 4 round score by a female player under 18 years

## Schedule

### Thursday 7 November

**AM:** Championship practice period. Bookings essential on 02 6281 1888

### Friday 8 November

Championship Round 1

### Saturday 9 November

Championship Round 2

### Sunday 10 November

**AM:** Championship Round 3

**PM:** Championship Round 4

Presentation of prizes

# Conditions for 2019 Federal Amateur Open Championship & Federal Women's Amateur Open Championship

1. The entry fee of \$195 MUST be paid at time of entry and includes complimentary light breakfast or light lunch and drink.
2. The field for both events will be limited to 156 players. Entries at their respective handicap limit will close at 5pm on Friday 25th October, subject to entries reaching capacity for both fields. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Committee.
3. Federal Golf Club may enter a small number of FGC members who do not meet the handicap limit in the field of either event.
4. Competition shall be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as adopted by R & A Rules Ltd 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 Tournament Committee, whose decision shall be final. In the absence of a full Committee such number thereof as may be present at the time may give a decision and any decision so given shall be deemed a decision of the full Committee.
5. The Tournament Committee will comprise of the Tournament Director, the Tournament Referee and the Captain of Federal Golf Club.
6. In every event Competitors will be drawn against each other for the day in such manner as the Committee may arrange. The Committee, or such person as the Committee may authorise, shall have the power to select a partner for any competitor whose partner is not at the tee when called upon at the time appointed to start.
7. The Committee to make all arrangements, and to have full power to alter or make any variation in the conditions or program should they deem it desirable.
8. Play will be from the championship tees for both male and female golfers.
9. Any protest must be made to the Committee not more than 15 minutes after the conclusion of play on the day on which the disputed matter has arisen.
10. The Committee may, in the case of bad weather or for any other reason, either shorten the events or fix for another day. In the case of ties for minor prizes, they shall be decided by countback. In the case of a tie for the Federal Amateur Open and/or the Federal Women's Amateur Open, the winner shall be determined by play over the holes decided by the Tournament Committee.
11. Entries are restricted to amateurs who are members with such State or Overseas Associations and who meet the GA handicap limit, or equivalent, of Scratch for males & 3.0 for females. The Committee shall have the right to refuse the entry of any person without being required to give any reason for such refusal.
12. Entrants must conform in all respects to the Rules of Amateur Status as adopted by R & A Rules Ltd.
13. Competitors must report to the Officials at least 30 minutes before the notified time of starting. Failure to comply may cause disqualification. The Committee or such, if circumstances deem it necessary, may direct any competitor to start at an earlier or later time than drawn.
14. The Committee shall have power to cancel the event or to limit the number of entries that will be received and to alter the time fixed for starting the event as indicated in this program.
15. At the conclusion of Round 2, the cut for the final day of play (36 holes) will be limited to the leading 42 male players plus ties and the leading 18 female players plus ties.
16. It is the responsibility of all competitors to ascertain their starting times for Day 3 – seeded draw – AND whether they have qualified for the final day by logging onto the Federal Golf Club's website [www.federalgolf.com.au](http://www.federalgolf.com.au)
17. Competitors must comply with Federal Golf Club's dress code and it is their responsibility to make themselves familiar with this. Copies available on [www.federalgolf.com.au](http://www.federalgolf.com.au)
18. **Code of Conduct** - All entrants assent to be bound by Golf Australia's code of conduct. A copy of the code is available at [www.federalgolf.com.au](http://www.federalgolf.com.au)
19. **Pace of Play** - Rule 5.6 will be strictly enforced. Each group must maintain its position on the course with respect to the group preceeding it. Any group with a clear hole in front of it will be considered out of position. Penalties will be issued to players in such groups who by their pace contribute to such delay. Warnings may not be issued prior to penalties.
20. **Distance Measuring Devices** - 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(1).
21. **Refunds for Withdrawal of Entry** - Any entrant who withdraws from the tournament after 5pm Friday 25 October 2019 but before the draw for Rounds 1 & 2 is posted on Federal Golf Club's website will incur an administration fee of \$20. Any entrant who withdraws from the tournament after the tournament draw has been posted on Federal Golf Club's website will not receive any refund of entry fee unless the withdrawal is accompanied by a medical certificate.