



GolfAustralia

# 2019 Victorian Boys & Girls Amateur – Player Information

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## History of the Victorian Boys & Girls Championship:

The Victorian Boys and Girls Championships are Australian, and World ranked events. In 2018, the Championships moved from Yarra Yarra to Moonah Links (Open Course). Originally the tournament was played over 36-holes qualifying, followed by elimination match play until 2012. However, the Championships are now contested as pinnacle 72-hole junior stroke events without a 'cut'. The event has fast become one of the most coveted titles in the country. Year after year it attracts a huge field with some of the best junior golfers from Australia and overseas assembling in chase of the titles.

## Venue:



### **Moonah Links Golf Club**

55 Peter Thomson Drive, Fingal VIC 3939

03) 5988 2047

[www.moonahlinks.com.au](http://www.moonahlinks.com.au)

## Format:

Monday 23 September:	1 <sup>st</sup> Round 2019 Victorian Boys and Girls Championship	AM & PM tee times
Tuesday 24 September:	2 <sup>nd</sup> Round 2019 Victorian Boys and Girls Championship	AM & PM tee times
Wednesday 25 September:	3 <sup>rd</sup> Round 2019 Victorian Boys and Girls Championship	AM & PM tee times
Thursday 26 September:	4 <sup>th</sup> Round 2019 Victorian Boys and Girls Championship	AM & PM tee times

## Registration:

All players are requested to report to the registration desk 30 minutes prior to the tee time of each round to be allocated scorecards, temporary local rules and pin placements

## Withdrawals:

Any player wishing to withdraw from the Championship should contact Golf Australia on 03) 9626 5000 or [championships@golf.org.au](mailto:championships@golf.org.au)

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).

## Results & Draws:

The Round 1 & 2 draws will be made available approximately 1 week prior to the event.

There is no 'cut', all players will contest all four rounds of the Championships. However, after 36 and 54-holes the draw will be reseeded with the leading players competing in the afternoon field. The draws will be made available on the Golf Australia website at [www.golf.org.au](http://www.golf.org.au) and also e-mailed to competitors, from approximately **8:00pm** on both nights.

## Practice:

Practice rounds are available at any time for an additional cost. Please contact the Moonah Links Pro Shop on 03) 5988 2047 to place a booking;

- Monday to Friday - \$40
- Saturday & Sunday \$50

## Practice Facilities and Balls:

During the championship range balls will be available on the range each morning free of charge. For range balls outside of practice days, please purchase them from the pro shop.

## Pull Buggies:

**Moonah Links only has a very limited number of pull buggies available.** If you are a local player, please ensure you bring your own buggy to use for the championship.



#### Championship Committee:

The Tournament Committee shall consist of representatives of host clubs and Golf Australia. In the absence of the full Championship Committee, present members of the committee at any time may give a decision and any decision shall be deemed the decision of the full Championship Committee.

- Bronwyn Robbins – Golf Operations Manager
- Emily Smith – National Events Coordinator
- Tim Witherow – Victorian Events Coordinator

#### Ready Golf:

The Championship is a “Ready Golf” event. “Ready Golf” should be played, but in a safe and responsible way. Play when you are ready – you don’t have to wait until the farthest away players has played. E.g. play Ready Golf

- When the player farther away has a difficult shot and is assessing options
- When a longer hitter has to wait for the green to clear
- On the tee if a player with the honor is delayed
- By playing your shot before helping to look for a lost ball

#### Course Guides:

Available to purchase from the pro shop for \$10

#### Catering:

Breakfast and lunch can be purchased from the Spike Bar. The Spike Bar will be open from 6am each morning.

#### Golf Australia Hard Card:

The Golf Australia Hard Card will be in effect throughout the Championship and will be provided to players at registration. [Click here](#) to view the Golf Australia Hard Card and related championship policies.

#### Dress Regulations

Please visit the relevant website of the host club. All **players & caddies** are required to adhere to the Club’s dress regulations with particular reference to the links above.

The following is not permitted: jeans, jean-style and cargo pants, track suits, tight stretch pants for women, brief shorts, T-shirts, singlets, shirts without collars, thongs, sandals, significant advertising on any garment, hat, or shoe.

#### Golf Footwear

Players are requested to note that soft spikes are mandatory.

#### Course Care / Club Regulations

Players are reminded that sand buckets **MUST** be taken and used, and pitch marks are to be repaired. 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 GV Code of Conduct.