



Promoting Women's Golf since 1928

OPENING DAY 17 FEBRUARY 2022

TERMS OF THE COMPETITION

1. This event is an 18 Hole Stroke event and is open to all Amateur Women members of any golf club affiliated with Golf Australia and clubs recognised by the bodies governing golf in overseas countries.
2. The R&A Rules of Golf 2019 and the Local Rules of the Host Club shall be the rules of play for this competition.
3. **Special Events:**
 - a. **Frances Adam Bowl** – best Nett score by a CSGA player. This is the major prize for this event and the winner will not be entitled to win any other prize, apart from the Special Event trophies as listed below, if entitled.
 - b. **CSGA Champion of Champions** – Three scratch prizes (if applicable) -
 1. Champion of Champions - Overall best gross score
 2. Champion Division 2 – Best gross score in Division 2
 3. Champion Division 3 - Best gross score in Division 3
 - (i) The Club Champion and the Gross Champion(s) for Division 2 and 3 (if applicable) in a Club championship event at CSGA affiliated clubs are eligible for these trophies
 - (ii) If there was only one Division at club level, then the 'Club Champion' will compete for the Champion of Champions trophy
 - (iii) If there was more than one Division at Club level, the 'Club Champion' will compete for the Champion of Champions trophy; the player who won the Division 2 event at Club level (and was not the 'Club Champion') will compete for the Division 2 trophy; and the player who won the Division 3 event at Club level will compete for the Division 3 trophy.
 - (iv) If there is only one player competing for any of these Trophies, then they are still eligible to win that trophy, provided they successfully compete in the competition on the day
 - c. **Diabetes Trophy** – the best Nett score by an eligible player. The eligible players are those three nominated players, returned by a CSGA affiliated club, who had the three best nett scores in competing for this event at club level in 2021.
Players to be nominated on the entry form.



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4. **Ordinary Events**

Prizes will be awarded for Gross and Nett results. The number of prizes will be dependent on entry numbers.

5. One prize only will be awarded per player apart from the "Special Events" that are listed in paragraph 2, "b" and "c"; and any NTPs.
6. The Veteran's prize will be for a player 70 years or older. A Veteran's prize will be awarded to a player who has not already won a prize.
7. The Junior's prize will be for a player 17 years and under, who has not already won another prize.
8. The players in the Champion of Champions event and the Diabetes Trophy event will also be eligible for all other prizes. They will compete for the "Ordinary event" prizes in the relevant Division applicable to their handicap on the day.
9. Divisions for this event will be determined after close of entries on 10th February 2022. Entry fees are not refundable after this date. Should entries exceed course places, a ballot will be conducted, except for those players nominated for the Champion of Champions and for the Diabetes Trophy. Refunds will be given for those entries that miss out.
10. The ball rundown will commence after the main prizes.
11. Ties in all events shall be decided using the GA method of countback (starting with the back 9 Holes 10-18).
12. Golf Link number to be supplied on the entry form for handicap verification.
13. Caddies are permitted.
14. Motorised Transport is permitted without production of a medical certificate (if the Golf Course allows carts on the day). Bookings must be made directly with the Host Club.
15. It is the responsibility of the Competitor to comply with the dress regulations of the Host Club.
16. Mobile phones may be carried on the course if in silent mode. A player may use a Mobile phone for the following uses only (NB: If a phone is used outside of these parameters it will be considered a breach of these conditions):



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- As a distance measuring device. It must not be used to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect her play (e.g. elevation changes, wind speed etc.) otherwise the player will be in breach of Rule 4-3a.
- To look up the R&A Rules and/or Decisions of Golf
- In case of emergency

17. Competitors must report to the starter 15 minutes prior to their scheduled hit off time.

18. Players should ensure their Pace of Play is in accordance with the 2019 R&A Rules of Golf. Each group must maintain its position on the course with respect to the group preceding it. Any group with a clear hole in front will be considered out of position. Penalties may be issued to individuals in such groups, who by their pace contribute to such delay.

19. Players must abide by the R&A Rules of Golf, Rule 1.2 "Standards of Player Conduct".

20. The CSGA Match Committee will have the sole management and control of the Competition with full power at any time to alter or vary any of the terms of the competition. The CSGA Match Committee's decision on matters affecting the Competition shall be final.