



BOWRAL GOLF CLUB

KANGALOO ROAD BOWRAL NSW 2576

ESTABLISHED 1901

FOURSOMES CHAMPIONSHIPS – TERMS OF COMPETITION

EVENT: The Championship will be a 36 Hole scratch event to be played over 2 days. The Champions will be the pair from any division who returns the lowest GROSS score over 36 holes.

ELIGIBILITY: Players will play in divisions determined by their GA Handicaps as follows:

Division 1: 0 - 22.5

Division 2: 22.6 - 30.6

Division 3: 30.7 - 54.0

Should a player wish to play with a partner from another division, the lower marker's division determines their team division.

Country members may play in the daily competition but are not eligible for the Championships.

ENTRY: Entry for Round 1 is online and is not seeded. Round 2 will be seeded across the field on the results from Round 1. Players who enter this event must play in their allotted time slot arranged by the Match Committee (Rule 5.3a).

Carts are allowed. Caddies are not permitted.

Provided the course is open, the event will be played as scheduled.

PLAY: Players MUST alternate their order of play from the 1st tee for rounds 1 and 2, and continue to play alternately from subsequent teeing grounds. (Rule 22.3)

HANDICAP CHANGES: If a player's Handicap changes after the commencement of the Championship, she will continue to play on her original handicap for the duration of the Championships. Any handicap change will apply for the Daily event only.

TIES: In the event of a tie after the final round is played, in **any** of the Championship divisions, a **playoff to determine the Champion will take place AFTER ALL THE FIELD HAS COMPLETED 18 HOLES.** The Playoff will be a "sudden death" playoff on Hole 18 until a result is reached.

DISPUTES: Any dispute arising must be referred to the Match Committee immediately. The Match Committee will rule on any dispute prior to the announcement being made.

TROPHIES: The winners of the Championship will receive the shield and have their names inscribed on the Honour Board.

Division 2 Winners – Honour Board.

Division 3 Winners – Baccarini Trophy.

Shields and Trophies are awarded to scratch winners only.

HANDICAP EVENT IN CONJUNCTION: An 18-hole handicap event across the field will be run in conjunction with the Championships on each day of play. Players in the handicap event will combine their handicaps and divide by 2 to establish their handicap on the day. Vouchers will be awarded to the winners and runners-up **over the field** for the daily handicap event, as per the 2- person event prize schedule. There is no 36-hole handicap event.

The competition is conducted under the R & A Rules of Golf.

The Women's Match committee reserves the right to change the ToC

WOMEN'S MATCH COMMITTEE 2022