

## WAUCHOPE LADY GOLFERS

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### ***Match Committee***

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### ***The Match Committee***

*The Match Committee is responsible for all matters connected with the playing of the game within the Club and reserve the right to alter and amend the program and conditions of play when necessary.*

## **CONDITIONS OF PLAY & FURTHER INFORMATION FOR 2025**

Please refer to the Local Rules Board at Pro-Shop or notice boards on 1<sup>st</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> tees before play.  
Players to commence play as directed by the starter.

**Starting Times:** Wednesday - 8.30 am for Single Tee Starts, (Summer Competition) Starting Tee Time 8am-9am)

**Time Sheets** - are available in the computer two weeks prior to the competition.

**Competition Fees:** Wednesday, 18 hole events \$22

All Fees subject to change at the discretion of the Board of the Wauchope Country Club.

**Slow Play:** Must be avoided at all times. Rule 6-7 penalties may apply.

**Practice:** ONE PRACTICE SWING ONLY. Please repair all divots. Practice on course or putting greens prior to any competition round is not permissible. See rule 7-1b. - Exemption Match Play.

**Disqualification:** For other than straight forward offences – Disqualification will result only after a meeting of the Match Committee.

### **PROTESTS**

**In accordance with our by-laws protests must be in writing immediately after completion of the event and handed to the Captain, Secretary or Match Committee member. The decision of the Match Committee shall be final.**

**Number of Players required- (may be altered at the discretion of the match committee)**

Wednesdays: 1-11 Starters – NO competition, Social play only

12-19 Starters – Voucher and Ball Competition [no ball to winner]

20-27 starters – 1 Division

28-34 starters – 2 Divisions

If we have more than 34 players we will play in 3 Divisions which will be allocated on the day.

NTP's will be in Divisions – Division 1 0-26, Division 2 27-54

Ball Competitions to be held in all Club events; exception the Christmas Hamper Day.

Winners do not receive balls.

**Inter Club Events-**In all Inter Club events the allocation of Trophies will be at the discretion of the Match Committee dependent on the Number of Players.

**Summer Competition:** Wednesday 18 Hole Stableford – Time sheet – 8am-9am - One Tee only. Competition Fees must be paid prior to start of play. NTP's over the field if more than nineteen players. Note: No player may start before 7:30am unless previously arranged with the Pro-Shop and Match Committee.

**Match Play: Four Ball and Single** – See fixtures book for qualifying dates and end of round dates – may play any day, excluding Wednesday. Green Fees applicable at the time to be paid before commencement of match -  $\frac{3}{4}$  Handicap to be used. If course is open match must be played. PLEASE ENSURE YOU WILL BE AVAILABLE TO PLAY PRIOR TO NOMINATING.

**Club Championships** – Division 1 & 2 to play through the field from 1st tee. In the final round the 4 seeded players from each division will play at the end of the field following all other players – in order of division 2 followed by division 1

**Foursomes Championship seeding** – 1-3 & 2-4 in gross scores to play at end of field following rest of field  
**Monthly Medal Rounds** – Will be Played in Divisions 1 & 2 In the event of a tie, the Golf Australia countback system will be used to determine the winner.

**Medal of Medals Playoff** - All monthly medal winners are eligible. The winner may also take out the daily trophy. All qualifiers will play at the front of the field off the 1<sup>st</sup> tee.

**4BBB Events** - will be handicapped as a single event.

**Divisions for Championships** outlined below

Division 1 0-26

Division 2 27-54

**WGA Handicaps** - To hold a WGA Handicap you must be a financial member of a club affiliated with Golf Australia.

**Daily Club Vouchers** - \$30-00 Winner, Runner up vouchers \$25-00. Vouchers not claimed on day of presentation will be held for one week. If not collected will be credited in Pro-Shop computer. **Please cash your vouchers in a timely manner.**

In all **Championship Events** daily trophies are restricted to only one per player.

**Visitors playing in Single or 4Ball Events** eligible for Visitors Trophy. 4Ball combined (Visitor and Wauchope Member) may take donated and/or Club Trophies. Visitor's trophy (Voucher from Pro-Shop) equal value to member trophy. No Visitor is eligible to play in Championship Events.

### **TIES IN COMPETITION**

#### **Championships & Medal of Medals:**

Playoff for Winner immediately following competition - over 3 holes (7, 8, 9) then sudden death. All other ties determined by the Golf Australia countback system as follows:

In 18 hole events – last 9 holes (18-10) to be used regardless of starting hole, then the last 6 holes (18-13), then the last 3 holes (18-16), then hole by hole from 18<sup>th</sup> hole.

In 36/54/72 hole events the last 18 holes (from the first hole) to be used, then if still tied, countback as for 18 hole events.

#### **WGNSW Medals Finals**

Joint winners may apply in all Divisions.

## **HANDICAPS**

*Stroke, Stableford, Par and Fourball Events off full Handicap.*

### **Ambrose**

*3 Person 1/6, of the Combined Handicap.*

### **Foursomes**

*½ Combined handicap. Players must tee off in same order for both rounds.*

### **American Foursomes**

*Played on 3/8 of combined handicap. Each player tees off. After the tee shot the players play their partners ball and then select one ball to play alternately from there.*

### **Wet Weather – DNF Cards**

*When a game is washed out or you do not finish due to wet condition, sign your DNF card to be eligible to participate in the ball competition. These cards are also needed for handicapping.*

### **Eclectics**

*A game which takes into account that not all of us play the same hole well every time. An 18 hole scoresheet is kept over a period of time for each player. As a player improves their score on a hole, that score is then recorded on their scoresheet. The winner is a player with the best "18 Hole Gross Round" at the end of the period. The Nett Winner is calculated on half handicap on the day in each division.*

### **Nearest the Pins**

*A nearest the pin will only be awarded if the ball is on The Putting Surface or has holed out in one. NTP to be won each Wednesday on the 4<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> holes in each Division. Did Not Finish [DNF] and Disqualified cards may take NTP in any 18 hole programmed event. All claims must be signed off by the marker or group member.*

### **Eagles**

*Eagles may be won in all programmed Ladies competitions, including Open Day and Friendship Days with an Eagle Badge presented on the day of competition, plus 4 balls in the 18 hole events. Eagles can NOT be won in Ambrose or Foursome Events.*

### **Holes in One**

*The player's ball will be mounted, and a Hole in One Badge presented by the Club on day of competition plus 6 balls in 18 hole events played.*

**Christmas Hamper Day** – Members only. You must have played in **6 Single Wednesday games** in the year to be eligible for a major prize. (1<sup>st</sup> February 2025– 30<sup>th</sup> November 2025). All members invited to play even if you have not met the criteria. You must play on the day to receive any prize.

## **LIST OF MAJOR EVENTS**

**Club Championships:** 2 Divisions with 3 Rounds of 18 Hole Stroke to be played on consecutive Wednesdays.

**Foursomes Championships** - 2 Rounds of 18 holes on consecutive Wednesdays.

**GOLF NSW Medals:** Best 3 Aggregate Scores over 6 Rounds run in conjunction with the Monthly Medal rounds with a draw in divisions and under conditions set down by Golf NSW. Only Wednesday players are eligible. Entry fee of \$5.00 must be paid to pro-shop before the start of the 4<sup>th</sup> round. Player's club handicap division at the time of the first medal round shall apply throughout. The winners or joint winners are eligible to play in the District Final. Divisions determined by their G.A. handicaps – 0-20; 20.1-29; 29.1-45. District Final to be played at Monday 13<sup>th</sup> at Port Macquarie Golf Club.

**Monthly Medals:** Best Nett score in 2 Divisions. The winners may also take out the Daily Trophy. Gross Balls & Putting –2 Divisions in Medal Rounds.

**Medal of Medals:** All Monthly Winners are eligible. The winner may also take out the daily trophy. Winners' medal presented on Ladies Presentation Luncheon.

**President's Trophy** - 1 Round each, Stroke, Stableford and Versus Par. The best 2 Rounds to count.

**Judith Bransdon Trophy** - Gross OTF – Nett 2 Divisions

**Olga Coombes Memorial Trophy** - Over 3 Stroke Championship Rounds – Aggregate of best 2 Netts to count.

**Barbara Mort Memorial Trophy**- One Round each of:-Single stroke, Single Stableford and Single V Par. Best two scores to count. Sponsored by Betty Ezzy and Phyl Barnaby

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## **NOTES**