

# Grant Field Junior Classic 2024

## Conditions of Competition

*Pelican Waters Golf Club and Caloundra Golf Club 2024*

### 1. MATCH COMMITTEE

The Match Committee appointed by the SBG Golf Management Committee has sole management and control of the event with full power at any time to alter or vary any of the conditions. The Committee's decision on matters affecting the Competition will be final.

### 2. RULES OF PLAY

The Rules of Golf will apply, together with any Local Rules for the Host Course.

### 3. FORMAT

The Competition is 54-hole of individual stroke play with 18 holes per day over three days.

There is also an 18-hole individual stroke play with 9 holes per day over two days and a 12-hole individual stroke play with 6 holes per day over two days.

### 4. COMPETITION ENTRIES & ELIGIBILITY FOR PRIZES

Competition entrants must:

- Be an amateur golfer with a current GA Handicap and be under the age of 18 as at the competition date; and
- Be a financial member with playing rights of a Golf Club
- The field for the 54-hole Competition will be limited to 120 players. If a Ballot is required, it will be on a Handicap basis.
- The 18-hole Competition and 12 Hole Competition will be limited to 60 players. If a ballot is required, it will be a first in basis.

### 5. TEE COLOURS & DRAWS

The tee colours for the **54-hole** competitors are,

Pelican Waters Boys 13 and Under = White

Boys 15 and Under = Blue

Boys 17 and Under = Blue

All Girls = Red

Caloundra - Boys 13 and Under = White

Boys 15 and Under = Blue

Boys 17 and Under = Blue

All Girls = Red

The tee colours for the **9-hole competitors** are,

Pelican Waters – Yellow

Caloundra - Yellow

The 6-hole competitors will be using special designated tees at both courses.

The draws for the first two days will be sent to the competitors via email on 30<sup>th</sup> December 2023.

On the Third day, for the 54-hole competitors, there will be a seeded shotgun start at 0830 hrs.

### **Presentations**

The Presentations for the 18 hole and the 12-hole competitions will be held in the Caloundra.

Golf Club, immediately once those competitions have finished. The presentations for the 54-hole competition will be held at Pelican Waters Golf Club at the completion of play on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January.

## **6. PACE OF PLAY**

Rule 5.6 will be strictly enforced. Satisfactory pace of play is defined as: **2 hours and 15 minutes for nine holes, and 4 hours and 30 minutes for 18 holes**. Referees will monitor pace of play and decide whether a group that is “out of position” should be timed. If a decision is made to time the players, each player in the group will be subject to individual timing and a referee will advise each player that they are “out of position” and they are being timed.

The maximum time allocated per stroke is:

Generally – 40 seconds

First player to play a tee shot -50 seconds

Timing ceases when the group is back in position and players will be advised accordingly

### **Penalty for Breach of Pace of Play**

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| I.   | Penalty for first breach:  | One-stroke penalty |
| II.  | Penalty for second breach: | Two-stroke penalty |
| III. | Penalty for third breach:  | Disqualification   |

## **7. DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES & MOBILE PHONES**

Players may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. A “Smartphone” that has a GPS and/or internet capabilities may be used to measure distance only. Mobile phones may be taken on course only if switched off or on “silent”. Serious breaches of etiquette may result in disqualification.

## **8. TIES & PLAYOFFS**

All trophies will be decided by the Australian Countback System. A Sudden death playoff will be held, if required, for the 54-hole Gross Championship trophy only on Holes 10 and 18 and repeated until a winner has been decided.

**9. PROTESTS**

Protest must be lodged in writing with the Match Committee no later than 5 minutes after the conclusion of the player's round.

**10. BEHAVIOUR & ETIQUETTE**

All GA Policies apply including Anti-Doping, Code of Conduct, and Gender as does the Host Club's dress requirements.

It is expected that Caddies & Spectators maintain a positive attitude towards players and other individuals present. In the event of any negative behaviour or conduct, the person in question will be requested to leave the premises.

**11. USE OF MOTORISED TRANSPORT**

Players may use motorised transport for this event only if they possess a medical certificate stating they can.

**12. CADDIES**

Caddies are permitted for all players. COACHING is strictly prohibited.