



Come and play Curlewis

47th Annual Open Tournament

Under the Auspices of Golf Victoria
Ivo Whitton, Susie Tolhurst & SWGA Merit Award Status

Thursday, October 12 to Sunday, October 15, 2017

Entries close on Thursday, October 5

Draws available via www.curlewisgolf.com.au from Tuesday, October 10



Please forward entry form to:
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| EVENT | DATE | PROGRAM | PER PERSON |
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| 1 | Thursday October 12 | <p style="text-align: center;">Women's 18 Hole Stroke Susie Tolhurst Ranking Status Event</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Curlewis Stableford Plate (SWGGA Merit Award)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">3 Grades (A, B, C) - Stroke / Nett. 2 Tee start from 9:00am Trophies: Best Gross and Best Nett in all divisions Winners and Runners Up - Curlewis Stableford Plate. NTPs. <i>Light lunch included</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">\$35</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">CGC Members \$30.00</p> |
| 2 | Friday October 13 | <p style="text-align: center;">Men's Irish 4 Ball</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Shotgun start 9.00 am</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Trophies: Winners & Runners up Ball competition included. NTPs <i>Buffet lunch included</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">\$45 pp</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Teams of four</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">CGC Members \$35.00</p> |
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| 4 | Saturday October 14 | <p style="text-align: center;">Curlewis Open Men's 18 Hole Stroke Ivo Whitton Ranking Status Event</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Shotgun start at 8.00am</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Trophies: 18 Hole Gross & Nett Winners in each division 18 Hole Runner up Gross & Nett in each division</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Buffet lunch included</i> *Divisions subject to number of entries received</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">\$60 pp</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">CGC Members \$40.00</p> |
| 5 | Sunday October 15 | <p style="text-align: center;">Four Person Ambrose Men / Mixed - 2 men & 2 women</p> <p style="text-align: center;">12 noon Assembly for 12.30pm shotgun start Trophies: Best Gross Best Nett & Runners up Ball competition. NTPs</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Includes buffet lunch 11am-12 noon for entrants</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">\$60 pp</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Teams of four</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">CGC Members \$35.00</p> |

2017 Curlewis Golf Club Open Tournament

Conditions of play

1. CURLEWIS OPEN TOURNAMENT WEEK

- 1.1. Entries for all events close on Thursday, October 5, 2017.
- 1.2. Late entries will be accepted subject to field size.
- 1.3. Should the number of entries received at close of entries exceed the available positions, a ballot will take place with the highest handicap players being placed on a waiting list. In Event 4, Ivo Whitten players will have preference in the field followed by ballot based on handicap.
- 1.4. Substitutes in single events are not permitted.
- 1.5. The Event Committee shall have the right to refuse the entry of any person without being required to give any reason for such refusal.
- 1.6. Entry fees must be paid at the time of entry and each competitor must lodge a separate entry form.
- 1.7. Entry fees may not be refunded should a cancellation occur after the close of entries.
- 1.8. The Event Committee shall consist of representatives of the Curlewis Golf Club Match Committee along with the Head Professional and Golf Operations Coordinator. In the absence of the full Event Committee, such members thereof as may be present at any time may give a decision of the full Event Committee.
- 1.9. The Event Committee reserves the right to vary any condition of this event.
- 1.10. In the event of bad weather, or for any other reason, the Event Committee may shorten the competition, appoint another day or days for completion
- 1.11. Protests must be made to the Event Committee no later than 10 minutes after the conclusion of each round. The decision of the Event Committee will be final in all matters relating to the Tournament.
- 1.12. No competitor shall win more than one prize per event, with the exception of novelty prizes such as Nearest The Pins and the Hole In One Prize.

2. RULES

- 2.1. The competition shall be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as adopted by the R&A Rules Limited, together with such local rules as are in force on the course over which the competition round is being played. If any dispute arises on any point, it shall be decided by the Event Committee whose decision shall be final. All players are required to adhere to the Curlewis Golf Club Code of Conduct for the duration of the competition. However, the committee, if in doubt, shall have the right to refer such a dispute to the council of Golf Victoria.
- 2.2. All scores will be processed for handicapping at the end of each day's play.
- 2.3. Ties in all events are to be decided as per the count back system recommended by Golf Australia, except the Ivo Whitten 18-hole event, where the committee shall arrange a play-off, and the Ladies 18 Hole Gross event, where the play off holes will be 10, 11 and 18, then, if required, sudden death after that.

3. THURSDAY - WOMEN'S STROKE and CURLEWIS PLATE

- 3.1. The Event is open to female amateur golfers, who are members of a club affiliated with Golf Australia and with a maximum handicap of 45.
- 3.2. Entrants in the Curlewis Plate are automatically entered in the women's stroke event.

4. FRIDAY - IRISH FOUR BALL

- 4.1. The Event is open to male and female amateur golfers, who are members of a club affiliated with Golf Australia and with a maximum handicap of 36 for men and 45 for women.
- 4.2. Scoring for the event: All scores count on par 3's, best three (3) scores count on par 4's, and best two scores count on par 5's.

5. SATURDAY - MEN'S CURLEWIS OPEN

- 5.1. The Event is open to male amateur golfers, who are members of a club affiliated with Golf Australia and with a maximum handicap of 36.

6. SUNDAY - FOUR PERSON AMBROSE

- 6.1. The Event is open to male and female amateur golfers, who are members of a club affiliated with Golf Australia and with a maximum handicap of 36 for men and 45 for women.

7. DRAW AND STARTING TIME:

- 7.1. A draw will be made by the Event Committee. The Committee has the power to amend the draw or substitute another player for any competitor who is not at the tee at the time of tee off. However, it is a condition of the competition that, in the absence of circumstances which warrant waiving the penalty of disqualification as provided in Rule 33-7, if the player arrives at his starting point, ready to play within five minutes of his starting time, the penalty for failure to start on time is two strokes at the first hole in stroke play instead of disqualification.
- 7.2. Players must report to the starter at least 15 minutes prior to hit off and be prepared to play when called upon to do so. The Committee shall have the power to alter the draw if necessary.

8. HONORARY MEMBERS

- 8.1. Competitors will be made Honorary Members of the Curlewis Golf Club for the day of their entered event.

9. PRACTICE

- 9.1. Practice rounds are available at the Curlewis Golf Club prior to the event at the cost of a green fee.

10. MOTORISED TRANSPORT

- 10.1. In all events other than Event 4, motorised transport may be used. Personal motorised transport may not be brought onto the premises.
- 10.2. In Event 4, during play, it is prohibited for a player or his caddie to ride in or on a motorised vehicle unless specific written permission has been granted by the Event Committee. Penalty: two strokes at the first hole. Procedure when breach discovered: Use of any unauthorised form of transportation must be discontinued immediately upon discovery that a breach has occurred. Otherwise the player is disqualified.
- 10.3. The use of motorised carts or ride on buggies is prohibited in Event 4 under the conditions set down for the Ivo Whitten event. They may be used in all other events. For Event 1 a medical certificate must be provided prior to the day of the event (players over the age of 75 years are exempt from this condition).

11. PACE OF PLAY

- 11.1. Rule 6-7 will be strictly enforced. Each group must maintain its position on the course with respect to the group preceding them. Any group with a clear hole in front of them will be considered out of position. Penalties will be issued to individuals in such groups who by their pace contribute to such delay. Warnings may not be issued prior to penalties.

12. DRESS STANDARDS

- 12.1. Players and caddies must observe the dress standards of Curlewis Golf Club at all times.

13. DATABASE OF COMPETITOR'S DETAILS

- 13.1. The data contained on an entry form submitted by an entrant for a Curlewis Golf Club event is permanently retained by the Club within its database of competitor's details.
- 13.2. This database is operated to assist with the management of current and future Curlewis Golf Club events.
- 13.3. From time to time players may be sent entry forms or event literature for Curlewis Golf Club events, and accompanying material.
- 13.4. Upon receipt by the Curlewis Golf Club of a written request, a player may either have access to their details, or have their details deleted from the database.