



NELSON BAY
GOLF CLUB

**NELSON BAY GOLF CLUB
MENS AND MIXED
COMPETITION PLAYING CONDITIONS
SEASON 2017
AMENDED 3rd OCTOBER 2017**

Rules Governing Play:-

All rounds shall be played under the Rules of Golf as approved by the R & A Rules Limited, the United States Golf Association, Golf Australia as well as the Nelson Bay Club's Local Rules, Temporary Local Rules and By-Laws.

**REGULAR CLUB COMPETITIONS
CONDITIONS OF PLAY
(see extra conditions for special events)**

1. The Match Committee will make all arrangements and have full power to alter or make any variations to the conditions of play should it be deemed necessary. Any disputes will be settled by the Match Committee, whose decision will be final.
2. Competitions will be open to all members and visitors who hold a current Golf Australia handicap or a current handicap certified by the body governing Golf in the player's country of residence.
3. Players enter competitions by adding their name to the appropriate time sheet prior to the event. Timesheet Ballots are held for the Men's Wednesday and Saturday competitions and the Friday and Sunday Mixed Medley competitions. These procedures are outlined under a separate section of Timesheets Ballots.
4. The format for each event appears in the current fixtures book. The Match Committee reserves the right to make any changes to the current fixtures as deemed necessary.
5. Players must start at the time set down on the Timesheet. However, the Match Committee reserves the right to alter starting times where necessary. As provided in Rule 33-7, if the player arrives at his/her starting point ready to play within 5 minutes after the scheduled starting time the penalty for failing to start on time is loss of the first hole in match play or two strokes at the first hole in stroke play. After this time the penalty is disqualification.
6. Players are expected to report to the Pro Shop at least 15 minutes before the appointed time given in the draw.
7. The Rules of Golf and the Nelson Bay Golf Club Local Rules and Temporary Local Rules will be the rules of play for all club competitions.
8. Pace of Play: Each group must maintain its position on the course with respect to the group preceding it. Any group with a clear hole in front of it will be considered to be out of position. Penalties will be issued to individuals in such groups who by their pace contribute to such delay. Warnings may or may not be issued prior to penalties at the discretion of the Match Committee.
9. Motorised carts are permitted in all Nelson Bay Club Competitions, but are subject to weather and course conditions.
10. All players must sign their own score card after checking it for completeness in all respects. Each player is responsible for ensuring that his/her card has been scanned through the club's card reader system and saved. Delegating this to someone else is at the players own risk. The Match Committee will not be responsible for any errors arising from the incorrect marking or saving of cards.
11. Prizes will be awarded as determined by the number of players in the field and by the decision of the Match Committee member on duty at the time.
12. All ties will be decided by the Golf Australia method of count back.



NB: Please see separate conditions of play for all the various events held during the year, including Club Championships.

Countbacks:- *in accordance with the Golf Australia Method of Countback*

1. For 18 hole events the best score for the last **9 holes on the card** shall be used. If there is still a tie the **last 6 holes** will be used, and if still tied the **last 3 holes**. If a tie still persists then **hole by hole** from the 18th. This method of count back applies to Stableford and Par.
2. In 27, 36, 54 or 72 hole events the 18 hole card for the last round will be used. If still tied count back as above.
3. In handicap events the relevant Golf Australia playing handicap or fraction shall be applied i.e. for 18 hole event use $\frac{1}{2}$ of the handicap for the last 9 holes; if there is still a tie use $\frac{1}{3}$ rd of the handicap for the last 6 holes; if there is still a tie use $\frac{1}{6}$ th of the handicap of the last 3 holes; if there is still a tie use $\frac{1}{18}$ th of the handicap for hole by hole from the 18th hole.

Course Record:-

The score must be in a stroke competition and the course must be played:-

- ✓ as the ball lies
- ✓ Off the black plates

Handicaps:-

All club single and team events will be played off each player's **Daily Handicap** for the course being played. Handicaps will be printed on players' cards. If this is not done it is each player's responsibility to ensure that the correct handicap is recorded on his/her card. Handicaps can be checked on any of the computer terminals in the club. Otherwise players can check with the pro shop or a member of the Match Committee.

Holes in One & Eagles:-

A Hole in One & an Eagle will be recognised in Wednesday and Saturday competitions including match play. An "Eagles Nest" account is kept by the pro shop, with \$5 for each Wednesday and Saturday competition being placed in this account. Players achieving an Eagle will receive the current balance of this account, up to a maximum of \$40 per player. For a Hole in One a copy of the card will be given to the administration staff for recording on the Hole in One board. The club will provide a \$40 voucher, a certificate and a trophy to mount the ball. Players who score an Eagle or Hole in One must place their card in the "Eagles" box on the Match desk counter. They should also alert the Match Committee member on duty. There is a sponsor's prize of \$500 for a Hole in One on the 8th and 11th holes in competition on Wednesdays and Saturdays for Men, or on a Tuesdays and Thursdays for Ladies. This is currently sponsored by A & J AUTO BODY REPAIRS, 2 Georges Rd Salamander 4984-6681. In such cases the player will not receive the \$40 voucher from the club in addition to the \$500 sponsored prize.

Please Note: For a Hole in One the player will not be accredited with an Eagle as well



Competition Conditions & Wet Weather:-

A competition will be held unless the course is declared unplayable and closed or if there are insufficient starters to form a competition. There needs to be 16 starters to form a competition – if there are less than 16 players it will become a ball competition run by the Pro Shop.

The Captain in consultation with the Match Committee has the right to reprogram major events. Any player who enters the competition does so knowing that the competition may be abandoned if the course becomes unplayable or if there are insufficient starters to form a competition. During the play of a major event if the course is declared unplayable and closed by the green staff or Match Committee the event will be rescheduled where possible.

Players are expected to report to the Pro shop a minimum of 15 minutes before their scheduled tee time. 30 Minutes is recommended in case it is necessary to reorganise some groups. The pro shop staff are authorised by the Match Committee to make such changes in the interests of a balanced allocation of players.

If a player has to withdraw from a competition it is his/her responsibility to notify the pro shop as early as possible, (and certainly prior to the scheduled tee time).

Handicap Divisions and Prizes:-

Handicap divisions will be based on each player's **Daily Handicap** for the course being played.

For **Men's competitions on Wednesdays and Saturdays** there will be three divisions based on **Daily Handicaps**:

- A grade: 0 – 15
- B grade: 16 – 23
- C grade: 24 – 36

For **Medley competitions on Fridays and Sundays** there will be three grades for Men as above and two divisions for Ladies.

- Ladies Division 1: 0 - 24
- Ladies Division 2: 25 – 45

The Match Committee may change the Handicap divisions for any event if it is warranted due to playing conditions or playing numbers.

Conditions of Competition (including handicap divisions) for all other **Ladies events** are determined by the **Ladies Committee**.

Awarding of Scratch Prizes:

A scratch prize will be awarded for all Monthly Medal events and Club Championships.

Nearest the Pins:-

For Men's competitions there will be Nearest the Pin awards on two par 3s. In the Friday and Sunday Medley competitions there will be Nearest the Pin awards on one par 3 - one for men and one for ladies.

NELSON BAY GOLF CLUB CONDITIONS OF PLAY MENS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

1. The Mens Club Championship is open to Full Playing Members of the club.
2. The Championships will be played over four stroke rounds.
3. The Championships will be played in A, B and C grades. **Grade divisions will be based on GA handicaps from the black course ratings, as follows:- A grade up to 10.0, B grade 10.1 to 16.9 and C grade from 17.0 upwards** all as determined by the Match Committee. In addition, there will be divisions for Seniors (over 55) and Juniors (under 18) as at the first round of the Club Championships.
4. A and B grades will play off the black markers and C graders will play off the blue markers.
5. The Daily Handicap of each competitor in the 1st round will be “frozen” for all four rounds of the Championships. However, there will be a separate Daily Nett event on each day of the Championships based on current Daily Handicaps.
6. Players will be required to register for the Championships by completing an entry form and paying the entry fee covering all four rounds. These must be done at Reception by the advertised closing date.
7. Players may request a morning (6.30am – 8.30am) or afternoon (10.30am – 12.30pm) tee time.
8. Players may lodge their entry forms together and request to be allocated to the same group. However, the Match Committee has final responsibility for the allocation of groups and tee times.
9. After the 3rd round the **top 4 ranked players in each grade will be seeded to play in the final groups in the afternoon session of the final round.**
10. There will be **Scratch and Nett** winners and runners up in each grade. The overall Scratch winner will be declared Club Champion. The Scratch winner cannot also be awarded the Nett winner’s prize.
11. In the event of a tie in a Nett event, or for 2nd place in a scratch event, the result will be determined by countback by ranking each player’s score in the 4th round, and if equal then the 3rd round, then 2nd round then 1st round. If still equal a standard countback will be done on the 4th round scores, and so on until a ranking can be determined
12. In the event of a tie for 1st place in a Scratch event, the result will be determined by a play-off over the 10th, 11th and 18th holes, and thereafter sudden death on the 18th until the tie is resolved.
13. In the event of more than two players being involved in a play-off for 1st place, the final winner will be declared as 1st place and the other players involved will be placed according to finishing order in the play-off.
14. Players need to be aware of the possibility of a play-off, regardless of what time they finish their round. Any player not present and ready to play at the commencement of a play-off will forfeit his place, and will be placed accordingly.
15. Players entering the Club Championship do so in the knowledge that the Match Committee has the final decision on the allocation of players to positions on the timesheet.
16. Match Conditions for the Men’s Club Championships will be printed on the back of the entry forms, and all players are expected to acquaint themselves with these conditions.

MENS MONTHLY MEDAL

1. Monthly Medal competitions are open to Full Playing Members of the club. Flexi members, Limited Day members and visitors may play in the Monthly Medal competitions. However they are only eligible to win 2nd or 3rd places, with the Monthly Medal being awarded to the highest placed Full Playing member. On each round of the Monthly Medal a stableford competition is offered on the other course.
2. A Monthly Medal competition will be held each month from February to October inclusive.
3. Each Monthly Medal competition will be held over one Stroke round, in A, B and C grades.
4. The Medal of Medals event will be held in November. This event is open to all Monthly Medal winners, and will be played over one Stroke round. It would be preferable (but not compulsory) for the Monthly Medal winners to be grouped together on the timesheet.
5. Monthly Medals will be awarded for **Nett** scores. Any ties will be decided by the Golf Australia count-back system
6. Scratch scores in each Monthly Medal competition will be recorded for use in the **TORO SCRATCH CHAMPIONSHIP**. This will be calculated from each player's **best 5 scratch scores** over all Monthly Medal competitions. Prizes will be awarded to the top three players in the overall point-score. In the case of a tie in the final point-score the player with the lower score in his most recent event will be declared the winner. If still equal the countback will compare scores in the players' 2nd last events, and so on until a winner is determined.
7. There will be a **Player of the Year** competition for the **Nett** scores. Points will be awarded on the basis of: Medal winner in each grade: 6 points, Equal points to winner but beaten on count-back: 5 points, runner up: 4 points, 3rd place: 3 points, Break handicap: 2 points, Play to handicap: 1 point. (NB "Play to Handicap" means Nett 72 on the day, regardless of the Daily Scratch Rating calculated by Golfink). There will be a winner and runner-up in the Player of the Year competition. In the case of a tie in the final point-score, the winner will be determined by the highest points in any round. If still equal the winner will be the player with the most recent highest score.
8. The Scratch and Player of the Year competitions conclude at the October Monthly Medal competition.
9. A "**Monthly Mug**" will be provided for each Monthly Medal competition. This is sponsored by **SS & LM JOHNSTON EARTHMOVING**. The Monthly Mug is awarded to the **best Nett score over all grades** in each Monthly Medal competition. The winner's name will be engraved on the mug each month. At the end of the year the Medal of Medals winner will receive the mug plus a shirt.

MEN'S FOURSOMES CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. The Mens' Foursomes Championship is open to Full Playing Members of the Club.
2. The Men's Foursomes Championships will consist of 1 X 27 holes stroke foursomes round.
3. One of the pair will hit off on the odd-numbered holes, and the other partner will hit off on the even-numbered holes.
4. There will be **Scratch and Nett** winners and runners-up.
5. Annual Presentations will be made to the winners and runners up in the **Scratch event**.
6. In the Nett event the handicap for each pair will be **3/4 of their total handicap**.
7. In the event of a tie in the Nett event, or for 2nd place in a scratch event, the Golf Australia countback system will be used.
8. In the event of a tie for 1st place in a Scratch event, the result will be determined by a play-off over the 10th, 11th and 18th holes, and thereafter sudden death on the 18th until the tie is resolved.
9. In the event of more than two pairs being involved in a play-off for 1st place, the final winner will be declared as 1st place and the other pairs involved will be placed according to finishing order in the play-off.
10. **Players need to be aware of the possibility of a play-off**, regardless of what time they finish their round. Any players not present and ready to play at the commencement of a play-off will forfeit their place, and will be placed accordingly.

PRESIDENTS V CAPTAINS MATCH PLAY

1. Players will enter their names onto the timesheet for the day of this competition.
2. The pro shop staff will mark each card for each player as either in the President's or Captain's team, with two players in each group representing each team.
3. It will be a Stableford competition with individual results going to Golfink
4. The two competing players will play modified match-play on a hole by hole basis, based on the individual Stableford scores, eg 3 pts beats 2 pts for a win.
5. In the event of an odd number of players in a group, the player with the lowest GA handicap will play separate matches against the two other opponents, ie be the swinger.
6. At the completion of the round each player will record the result of his match on his card. Eg: WIN by 2 or LOSS by 4 or MATCH HALVED, etc. These will be totaled to determine the winning team ie President's or Captain's.
7. All players representing the winning team, (President's or Captain's) will be awarded one ball each. There will be no other prizes or ball run-down.

THE MOSES MENS SCRATCH MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. The Mens' Scratch Matchplay Championship is open to Full Playing Members of the club.
2. A qualifying round will be played in the Monthly Medal competition on **Saturday 2 September 2017**. The deadlines for each round will be displayed on the draw. The Finals will be played on **Saturday 14 October** at the end of the President's v Captain's competition.
3. **THE BEST 8 SCRATCH SCORES PER GRADE** will qualify. Players must **place a "Q" on their card** if they wish to qualify.
4. Grade cut-offs are as for the normal Saturday grades based on **DAILY HANDICAPS**: A GRADE 0 – 15, B GRADE 16 – 23, C GRADE 24 – 36. The grades are set on each player's **DAILY HANDICAP ON 2 SEPTEMBER 2017**, regardless if their handicaps change in subsequent weeks.
5. Players' names will be listed on the draw sheet. Phone numbers can be obtained from Reception to make it easier to arrange matches.
6. Players will be seeded into the draw, with 1st v 8th, 2nd v 7th etc
7. All matches will be played under **MATCHPLAY CONDITIONS OFF SCRATCH**.
8. Players will be given a 2 – week period in which to complete their match. As it is Matchplay format it obviously can't be played within a competition. However the pro shop could still reserve the two players a place on the time sheet if they want to play their match on a Saturday. If the two players cannot agree on a suitable date and time the Match Committee will determine the date and time for the match. In extreme cases the Match Committee may have to declare a double forfeit.
9. In the event of a tie after 18 holes the match will continue from the 1st hole played until a winner is determined by winning a hole.
10. In the event of inclement weather causing a match to be either postponed or interrupted, the two opponents shall negotiate a mutually agreeable resumption. In the case of a dispute the Match Committee will make this determination. NB In the case of an interruption not being agreed to by both players, the Match Committee will only order an interruption to the match if the course is considered by the Match Committee representative to be unplayable at that time.

MENS HANDICAP MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. The Mens' Handicap Matchplay Championship is open to Full Playing Members of the club.
2. A qualifying round will be played in the Monthly Medal competition on **Saturday 1 April 2017**. The deadlines for each round will be displayed on the draw. The **Finals** will be played on **Saturday 13 May**.
3. **THE BEST 8 NETT SCORES PER GRADE** will qualify. Players must **place a "Q" on their card** if they wish to qualify.
4. Grade cut-offs are as for the normal Saturday grades based on **DAILY HANDICAPS**: A GRADE 0 – 15, B GRADE 16 – 23, C GRADE 24 – 36. The grades are set on each player's **DAILY HANDICAP ON 1 APRIL 2017**, regardless if their handicaps change in subsequent weeks.
5. Players' names and phone numbers (preferably mobile) will be listed on the draw sheet to make it easier to arrange matches. These numbers will be taken from the club's data base unless otherwise advised.
6. Players will be seeded into the draw, with 1st v 8th, 2nd v 7th etc
7. All matches will be played under **MATCHPLAY CONDITIONS OFF HANDICAP**
8. The lower handicapped player will play off scratch, and the other player will play off the difference in their handicaps. **The Matchplay index will be used..**
9. Players will be given a 2 – week period in which to complete their match. As it is Matchplay format it obviously can't be played within a competition. However, the pro shop could still reserve the two players a place on the time sheet if they want to play their match on a Saturday. If the two players cannot agree on a suitable date and time the Match Committee will determine the date and time for the match. In extreme cases the Match Committee may have to declare a double forfeit.
10. In the event of a tie after 18 holes the match will continue from the 1st hole played until a winner is determined by winning a hole.
11. In the event of inclement weather causing a match to be either postponed or interrupted, the two opponents shall negotiate a mutually agreeable resumption. In the case of a dispute the Match Committee will make this determination. NB In the case of an interruption not being agreed to by both players, the Match Committee will only order an interruption to the match if the course is considered by the Match Committee representative to be unplayable at that time.

MOSES SINGLES KNOCKOUT

Not played in 2017.

1. The format for the event will be an 18 hole Stableford qualifying round, with 8 players per course to qualify.
2. Each year there will be a **Wednesday** and a **Saturday** Singles Knockout.
3. All who play in the qualifying round are eligible. Players **must put a Q** on their card if they wish to qualify.
4. Players will play off their Daily Handicap on each round of the competition.
5. In the event of a tie for any qualifying position the Golf Australia count-back system will apply.
6. The two opposing players in a round of the knockout must play in the same competition on the same course. It would be preferable for them to play in the same group. The result of each knockout “match” will be the better score of the two players in each “match”. Normal count-back procedures apply in the event of a tie.
7. It is preferable for each “match” to be played as scheduled in the fixture book. However the two players involved in each “match” can agree to play at an alternative time. If consensus cannot be reached the Match Committee will specify a date for the “match”. Unless the Match Committee determines that exceptional circumstances exist, each match must be played **on or before the deadline published in the Fixture book.**
8. If the opposing players in a match agree to play as a social round, it will be under Stableford scoring, and played off the blue markers.
9. There will be a winner and a runner up for the event.



TAYLOR MADE STABLEFORD CHALLENGE

1. The competition will be played over five rounds throughout the year in A, B and C grades.
2. Scores will be recorded for each grade in each round.
3. Winners and placings for the **Overall Prizes** for the Year will be in **A, B and C grades**. The results will be determined by each player's **best three rounds**.
4. Players will play off their Daily Handicap in each round of the competition.
5. A player's grade for a round of the Black Plate Challenge will be determined by his Daily Handicap on the day of competition. **A player's overall score for the Challenge will be calculated by his best 3 rounds in a particular grade.**
6. Ties in each round will be determined by the GA count-back system. Ties in the Overall Championship will be determined by the scores in each player's most recent of their best three rounds, and then in the previous rounds in reverse order until the tie is resolved.
7. On Taylor Made Challenge rounds there will be an additional green fee of \$1 per player. This will be used to provide additional prize money.

SURESHOT MENS 4BBB NOT PLAYED IN 2017

1. The Keno Mixed 4BBB will be played over one 18 hole round of 4BBB Stableford.
2. The event will be played on two courses.
3. There will be a winning pair and runner-up pair on each course.
4. In the event of a tie the Golf Australia count-back system will be used.



BLUE WATER GRILL CUP AND CHALLENGE

1. **The BLUE WATER GRILL CUP** will be a 2 Man Ambrose event and will be played as two 18 hole events during the year.
2. Normal 2 Man Ambrose rules will apply, except that each pair must use **a minimum of 6 tee shots per player.**
3. 1st, 2nd and 3rd placings will be declared at each event.
4. The best total score per pair over the two events will determine the winners and runners up in the **BLUE WATER GRILL CUP.** A perpetual trophy will be provided for the winners plus small trophies to be presented to the winners.
5. In the event of a tie the Golf Australia count-back system will be used.
6. The **BLUE WATER GRILL CHALLENGE** will be a single Stableford event played on the other course on the day of the Blue Water Grill Cup. The event will be played in A, B and C grades.
7. The two Blue Water Grill Challenge events will be stand-alone events, and there will be no overall winner.

L & Z CHALMERS TROPHY MIXED 4BBB STABLEFORD

1. This event is played over seven designated Mixed 4BBB Stableford events throughout the year.
2. The event is open to members of Nelson Bay Golf Club. However, a visiting pair may win an event in the competition. Members' points towards the Overall championship will be adjusted accordingly.
3. This event is for stand-alone pairs only. ie No "swingers" allowed.
4. Because this event is played in conjunction with an individual Stableford Medley event, **each pair will be required to complete an extra card**. It is the responsibility of the players to ensure that all details, including handicaps, are listed correctly on the cards. These cards will be sorted manually so they should be **placed in the appropriate box at the Match desk**. Individual scores for the Individual event in conjunction should still be entered into the kiosk computer.
5. As a general rule, the \$200 sponsors' money will be allocated to the L & Z Chalmers place-getters. The individual prizes, NTPs and ball run-down will be taken out of Trophy money for the day. However, the Match duty person on the day has discretion to vary this according to circumstances, player numbers etc.
6. Points will be awarded to the top 5 place-getters in each event, with 5 points for 1st, 4 for 2nd down to 1 point for 5th.
7. Points will be awarded separately to men and ladies, (ie different pairings may play in different rounds). There will be a Men's Winner and a Ladies Winner in the overall championship for the year.
8. In the event of a tie in a round, the Golf Australia count-back system will be used.
9. In the event of a tie in the overall championship for Men's or Ladies, the player with the most number of wins will be declared the winner. If a tie still exists, the winner will be determined by the most recent win.
10. For L & Z Chalmers events, the Men will play off the blue markers, and the Ladies will play off the red markers.

KENO MIXED 4BBB NOT PLAYED IN 2017

1. The Keno Mixed 4BBB will be played over one 18 hole round of 4BBB Stableford.
2. There will be a winning pair and runner-up pair. In the event of a tie the Golf Australia count-back system will be used.

MIXED FOURSOMES CHAMPIONSHIP

1. The Mixed Foursomes Championship is open to Full Playing members of the club.
2. The Mixed Foursomes Championships will consist of 1 X 27 holes stroke foursomes round.
3. **Men** will hit off on the **odd-numbered** holes and the **ladies** will hit off on the **even-numbered** holes.
4. There will be **Scratch and Nett** winners and runners-up.
5. Annual presentations will be made to the winners and runners up in the **Scratch and Nett events**.
6. In the Nett event the handicap for each pair will be 3/4 of their total handicap.
7. In the event of a tie in the Nett event, and for 2nd place in the scratch event, the Golf Australia count-back system will be used.
8. In the event of a tie for 1st place in a Scratch event, the result will be determined by a play-off over the 10th, 11th and 18th holes, and thereafter sudden death on the 18th until the tie is resolved.
9. In the event of more than two pairs being involved in a play-off for 1st place, the final winner will be declared as 1st place and the other pairs involved will be placed according to finishing order in the play-off.
10. **Players need to be aware of the possibility of a play-off**, regardless of what time they finish their round. Any players not present and ready to play at the commencement of a play-off will forfeit their place, and will be placed accordingly.

WATER WONDERLAND TOURNAMENT

This event is played over two Stableford rounds for Men on the Saturday and Sunday of the June Long Weekend. Rules and Conditions for the event appear in a separate document.

SPRING CUP

This event is played over four Stableford rounds for Mens and Ladies at various courses on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 14, 15, 17 and 18 August 2017. This event is for **visiting golfers only**, and is not available to members. Rules and Conditions for the event appear in a separate document.



NELSON BAY SOCIAL CLUBS CHALLENGE

1. The tournament is contested in a pairs format, with divisions for Men, Ladies and Mixed.
2. Day 1 (Friday 27 October 2017) will be a 4BBB event, and Day 2 (Sunday 29 October) will be a 2 Person Ambrose event.
3. Players may play in one or both days of the tournament. However, they must play in both days to be eligible for the overall prizes.
4. Daily prizes will be awarded overall rather than per division.
5. There will be a Club Championship prize which will be calculated by the total of the best 2 scores for each club on each day. This includes scores for players who played in only one day of the event.
6. Full Rules and Tournament Conditions are set out in a separate document.



ECLECTIC COMPETITION NOT CONTESTED IN 2017

1. The Mens Eclectic competition is open to all Saturday competition players (members of NBGC)
2. It is based on each individual player's scores on each of the club's courses (holes 1 – 27).
3. At the end of the competition each player's scores will be totaled, and **half** his handicap will be deducted to arrive at the final score.
4. The competition commences on the first Saturday competition in February, and it will conclude at the October Monthly Medal. It does not include special events, ie Water Wonderland.
5. There will be one division only, with prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. However, if numbers permit, the Match Committee may institute grades.
6. The entry fee is \$5 per person, with entry envelopes available from the Match desk or reception during January.
7. Prize money (total of entry fees) will be based on the divisions created.
8. Handicaps will be used for the final result. They will be applied at the last Monthly Medal event for the year (October).



TIME SHEETS PROCEDURE

The procedure for entering names on the Wednesday/Saturday Men's competitions and the Friday/Sunday Mixed medley competitions is as follows:

WEDNESDAY MENS: Available from **5.15 pm on the Tuesday** of the week preceding the competition date. Time sheet entry at the Match Desk and Kiosk.

FRIDAY MEDLEY: Available from **5.00 pm on the Tuesday** of the week preceding the competition date. Time sheet entry at the Match Desk.

SATURDAY MENS: Available from **5.15 pm on the Thursday** of the week preceding the competition date. Time sheet entry at the Match Desk and kiosk.

SUNDAY MEDLEY: Available from **5.00 pm on the Thursday** of the week preceding the competition date. Time sheet entry at the Match Desk.

After the times listed above, the time-sheets will then go "live" from **7.00 pm that night for online entries**. For instructions on how to access the club's website, including the time-sheets, new members should consult the Reception or Administration staff or any member of the Match Committee.

The procedure is as follows:

Members wishing to be involved in the draw must place their membership card in the relevant barrel prior to the commencement of the draw for that competition. When a member's card is drawn out of the barrel he/she has the opportunity to enter **four names** onto the time-sheet. **One of these names must be their own**. Once all members in the draw have been given the opportunity to enter their group, the time-sheet will then be declared open for general entry.

The club's web address is www.nelsonbaygolf.com. It contains information about club events, both on the course and in the clubhouse. Members can also register their email address with club administration so they can receive bulletins, newsletters and other communications.

It is the responsibility of every member to delete his/her name as soon as it is known that he/she will be unable to play in the relevant competition.