

PINJARRA LADIES CHARITY DAY
WEDNESDAY 31ST AUGUST 2022
TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PLAY

1. Women's Match Committee

The Women's Match Committee is in charge of all aspects of the competition.

On competition day, the Captain shall be responsible for all competition play and for ensuring play is conducted within these guidelines.

If the Captain is unavailable she shall appoint a designate from the Women's Match Committee to take charge and be titled "**Captain of The Day**". The designate has full authority as the Captain to conduct this competition.

The "**Captain of The Day**" will be listed at the top of temporary local rules notice board.

Where not otherwise specified, a single member of the Women's Match Committee can make a decision on the day and any such decision shall be deemed to be the decision of the full committee.

The Committee's decision on matters affecting the Competition will be final.

2. Format

The Ladies Charity Day is to be played as a Yankee Foursomes Stableford Pairs competition, using 1/2 handicaps, over 18 holes. The Ladies Match Committee may decide to use a different type of competition if they so wish. This must be indicated on the entry form at time of issue.

3. Nomination and Entry Fees

Nomination for this event by entry form closing as per closing date on entry form. The entry fee for this event shall be \$35.00 payable at nomination, and is reviewed by the Pinjarra Golf Club Board before entry forms are sent out.

4. Draw

The Women's Match Committee shall make and publish the draw approximately one week before the event. The draw will be placed on the Pinjarra Golf Club website.

5. Registration

Prior to the event Miclub cards will be printed for all players entered in the competition and placed in the Match Committee Office.

All players shall report to the Registration desk to register for the event 15 minutes prior to their nominated teeing time.

If the entrance fee has not been pre-paid, it must be paid at registration to be eligible for any trophies.

A player registering late for teeing time will only be accepted for the event if there are vacant teeing times available.

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6. Starting

The Club Professional or his agent or a Women's Match Committee Appointee will act as starter to ensure the players start at the time established by the Committee and to issue each competitor with a dated score card.

They are empowered to settle any problems which may arise regarding starting times, provision of markers, handicaps, etc.

If a player, after registration, fails to report to the tee at the correct time without acceptable grounds as determined by the Women's Match Committee:

- Within 5 minutes of her teeing time she will be allowed to tee off with a penalty of two (2) strokes, per Rule 6-3a, to be deducted by the Match Committee on completion of the game.
- After 5 minutes be disqualified.

7. Handicaps

All nett results for trophies shall be determined using the Players' Australian Handicaps.

8. Practice on Course

Practice is not permitted on the course prior to any stroke play event.

The area around the practice green is deemed to be part of the course and practice is not permitted in that area.

Practice is permitted only as follows:

- All strokes – Practice fairway only
- Chipping – Chipping green only
- Putting – Practice green or Chipping green only.

NOTE: Chipping is NOT permitted on to or near the practice green for safety reasons.

Practice on the competition course (or parts of it) is **NOT** permitted during suspension of play. Players may practice only on designated practice areas prior to resumption of play.

9. Distance Measuring Devices (including GPS)

For all play a player may obtain distance information by using a device that **measures distance only**. See Local Rules.

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10. Motorised Carts

Motorised carts including single person carts and motor bikes can be used in any normal club event without restriction subject to course condition being acceptable and the player keeps the cart within designated areas.

10.1 Limitation of Use

The Grounds Superintendent shall decide on the day of the event whether the course is in suitable condition to accept motorised carts

11. Suspension and Cancellation of a Competition – Dangerous or Unplayable Conditions

Discontinuance of play for all rounds of golf (including competitions) at PGC is governed by Rule 6-8 and 33-2.

Play **shall be suspended** if conditions are **dangerous** to players or people on the course.

Otherwise play shall continue and will **only** be suspended if conditions render the course to be **unplayable** to the extent that continued play would be unfair, there are circumstances that render the proper playing of the game impossible or serious damage may be caused to the course impacting on future play.

On notification of suspension all players shall cease play in accordance with Rule 6-8.

The following signals shall be used by the Women's Match Committee to signify suspension and resumption of play:

- ***Discontinue Play for Dangerous Situation (i.e. immediate suspension):***
One prolonged note of siren
- ***Discontinue Play for Non-Dangerous Situation***
Three consecutive notes of siren, repeated
- ***Resume Play:***
Two short notes of siren, repeated

12. Results - Splitting Ties in Stableford Play

A count back shall be used to separate matching scores in the following manner. If two or more pairs of players are equal then:

- The count-back will be determined by normal 18 hole count back:
 - The best score for the last nine holes.
 - If the tying players have the same score for the last nine, determine the winner on the basis of
 - the last six holes,
 - last three holes, and
 - Finally hole-by-hole from the 18th hole to the first.

NOTE: With a multiple-tee start, that the "last nine holes, last six holes, etc." shall be considered to be holes 10-18, 13-18