



## **2011 NORTHERN TERRITORY SENIOR AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP**

(An Official Australian Senior Order of Merit Tournament)

**Thursday 2 June to Sunday 5 June 2011**

**Conducted by Golf NT**

**To be held at**

**Darwin Golf Club**

**Phone: (08) 8927 1322**

**Fax: (08) 8927 2567**

**Email [info@darwingolfclub.com.au](mailto:info@darwingolfclub.com.au)**

### **Format**

**72 holes Stroke Play**

**Closing Date for Entries**

**6:00PM Friday 27 May 2011**

**Maximum Handicap**

**Limit 27**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

**All male affiliated golfers 55+ years of age on 2 June 2011  
with a Golf Australia handicap not exceeding 27.**

### **COSTS**

**Senior Championship only: \$140.00 (Dinner included)\***

**Senior Championship and NT Amateur: \$140.00 (Dinner included)\***

**Senior Championship Presentation Dinner: partners etc \$30.00\* per person extra**

**\*All Prices include GST.**

**(Sunday evening 5 June 2011)**

**2010 Champion – Stephan Albinski – Mona Vale Golf Club - New South Wales**

### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT**

**Peter Shapcott – 0437 272 632 – Golf NT**

**Or the following web sites**

**[www.golfnt.org.au](http://www.golfnt.org.au) ; [www.ausoom.com](http://www.ausoom.com) ; [www.darwingolfclub.com.au](http://www.darwingolfclub.com.au)**

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

**The Northern Territory Senior Championship is being played in conjunction with the  
NAB NT Men's Amateur Championship, an 18-hole Foursomes and 72-hole stroke event,  
from Wednesday 1 June to Sunday 5 June 2011 at the same venue.**

**Visiting golfers may also register for this event.**

**[See the above websites for details and Registration Forms]**

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**OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM**

Name	Surname <span style="margin-left: 100px;">Preferred Given Name</span>		
Postal Address			
		Postcode	
State/Territory or Nationality (if non-Australian)			
AH ☎		Mobile ☎	
Email			
Travelling with			
Date of Birth		Age on 2 June 2011	
Home Club			
Exact GA Handicap		GOLF Link Number	
Motorised Cart Required?	No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Medical Certificate?	No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/>

**NB:** If a Golf Link Number is not included, you will be required to produce written evidence of your current Golf Australia handicap signed by your club secretary, manager or Captain at the Championship Registration.

**Subject to availability, preference for motorised buggies will be given to players with medical certificates.**

Please enter me in the 2011 Northern Territory Senior Amateur Championship. I confirm that I am eligible under, and agree to be bound by, the Competition Conditions. Please note the Condition of Play for the use of motorised transport if you wish to participate in the NT Senior Amateur Championships. ☐

**Please indicate numbers for the Presentation Dinner on Sunday 5 June 2011:** ☐

**WAIVER**

I acknowledge I am participating in, or observing, such activities at my own risk, recognising that any employee, volunteer, associate or member of the Darwin Golf Club is absolved from liability for any such risk or risks that may arise from my participating in, or observation of, any event or activity organised or managed by the Darwin Golf Club.

I acknowledge that, of my own free will and desire, I have contracted with the Darwin Golf Club to participate in the event named in this entry form and I have read and understood the warning stated above.

<i>Signature of Competitor</i> [Signature Required]	
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**METHOD OF PAYMENT (tick selected option and complete credit card details if applicable)**

Visa ☐   
 Master Card ☐   
 Bankcard ☐   
 CHQ ☐   
 CASH ☐ (cash payments can only be made at Darwin Golf Club)

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Card Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholders Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

<p><b>Entries may be emailed to <a href="mailto:matchcommittee@darwingolfclub.com.au">matchcommittee@darwingolfclub.com.au</a>, faxed to (08) 89 27 2567 or mailed to</b>  <b>Darwin Golf Club</b>  <b>Links Road</b>  <b>MARRARA NT 0812</b></p> <p><b>Cheques or money orders for \$140.00* include the Presentation Dinner (+ \$30* per person for partners etc if required) must be forwarded to the same address. *All GST inclusive.</b></p>
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# CONDITIONS

## 1 FORMAT

- 1.1 The Championship will be played over 72 holes stroke play at Darwin Golf Club (DGC).  
**Round 1** Thursday 2 June, **Round 2** Friday 3 June,  
**Round 3** Saturday 4 June and **Round 4** Sunday 5 June.
- 1.2 Rounds 1 and 2 of the Championship will not be seeded. Players can expect one morning and one afternoon tee time.
- 1.3 A fully seeded draw within grades will be conducted for Rounds 3 and 4 of the Championship.
- 1.4 The winning player shall be the Northern Territory Amateur Champion. There will also be a Northern Territory Closed Champion, a Junior Open Champion and a Senior Open and/ Closed Champion run in conjunction with this event.
- 1.5 In the event of a tie for any major event, which includes gross events for all grades, there will be a sudden-death play-off commencing on the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> holes until a winner is determined.

## 2 CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE

- 2.1 The Championship Committee will include a representative of Golf NT together with the Darwin Golf Club's Tournament Committee.
- 2.2 The Tournament Committee for the event will be the Darwin Golf Club's Club Captain and Match Committee.
- 2.3 The Championship Committee's decisions on matters affecting the Championship shall be final. Protests must be made in writing and submitted within fifteen (15) minutes of the conclusion of the day's play.

## 3 RULES OF PLAY

- 3.1 **The Rules of Golf, as adopted by the R&A Ltd, shall apply together with the Golf Australia Hard Card and the Local Rules as drawn up by the Championship Committee.**

## 4 ENTRIES

- 4.1 Entries shall only be made on the Entry Form issued by Golf NT or copies thereof. Should entries be received in excess of the 200 players, who have submitted and paid their Nomination Fee, will be confirmed. Entries will be confirmed on the List of Entries on the DGC Website.
- 4.2 The Entry Fee is detailed on the nomination form.
- 4.3 Eligible players are male amateurs who must be a financial member of a recognised affiliated club in the country the player resides in and must have a Golf Australia or equivalent handicap at the time of play that does not exceed 27.4.
- 4.4 Your starting Handicap will remain locked in for the full Tournament.
- 4.5 Entrants into the Junior and Senior sections need to ensure they age qualify on the first round of the championships. (18 years of age or younger for Juniors and 55 years of age or older for Seniors).
- 4.6 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Championship Committee. Any such entry shall be subject to a late entry fee of \$20.00 per player.
- 4.7 It is the sole responsibility of the entrant himself to ensure that his entry is received prior to the closing time for entries.
- 4.8 Entry confirmation will be regularly updated on the DGC website [www.darwingolfclub.com.au](http://www.darwingolfclub.com.au)
- 4.9 Players take part in this event at their own risk.
- 4.10 In case of cancellation of the Championships Golf NT and the host club is only liable to refund the entry fee.

## 5 MOTORISED TRANSPORT

During play, it is prohibited for a player to ride in or on a motorised vehicle unless specific written approval has been granted by the Championship Committee. (NB Subject to host club permission, a caddie may use motorised transport at any time.)

Penalty (unless permitted to ride by a member of the Championship Rules Committee): 2 strokes for each hole at which a breach occurred; maximum penalty per round – 4 strokes.

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.

- Note i: Permission will only be granted to entrants who can provide a Medical Certificate.
- Note ii: Golf NT takes no responsibility for the availability of golf carts.
- Note iii: Permission will be granted on the basis that the following requirements are adhered to. Players failing to adhere to these requirements are liable to have such permission revoked:

Players and caddies who drive at a pace which is clearly quicker than walking pace; and/or who drive to a point past their ball which is clearly unreasonable for a player who is not using motorised transport to reach, are in breach of these requirements.

Use of motorised transport may be approved, in writing, by the Championship Committee if the participant can show, in writing, sufficient cause. The vehicle used must comply with the club's local policy and must be registered

## 6 PACE OF PLAY

- 6.1 **Rule 6-7 of the Rules of Golf will be strictly enforced. Further details can be found on the Golf Australia Hard Card.**

## 7 CODE OF CONDUCT

- 7.1 All entrants assent to be bound by Golf NT's Code of Conduct. This code is available via the Golf NT website ([www.golfontorq.au](http://www.golfontorq.au)).

**8. DATABASE OF COMPETITOR'S DETAILS**

- 8.1 The data contained on an entry form submitted by an entrant for a Golf NT event is permanently retained by Golf NT within its database of competitor's details.
- 8.2 This database is operated to assist with the management of current and future Golf NT events. From time to time Golf NT may also allow a sponsor/s and/or host clubs to utilise this information contained in the database for its/their own purposes.
- 8.3 From time to time a player may be sent entry forms or event literature for either Golf NT events or events conducted by Golf NT approved bodies.
- 8.4 Upon receipt by Golf NT of a written request, a player may either have access to their details or have their details deleted from the database.

**9. DRESS STANDARDS**

- 9.1 Players and caddies must observe the dress standards and any course requirements of the host club.

**10. DRAW AND STARTING TIMES**

- 10.1 A draw for each days play will be made by the Championship Committee.
- 10.2 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 appointed to play. It may also alter the starting time for any player.
- 10.3 It is a condition of the competition that, in absence of circumstances which warrant waiving the penalty of disqualification as provided in Rule 33-7 of the Rules of Golf, 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 2 strokes instead of disqualification.

**11. GOLF BALLS**

- 11 It will be obligatory for all competitors in the Championship to play with a ball that is listed in the current R&A and/or USGA Conforming Golf Balls. Penalty: Disqualification.

**12. PRACTICE**

- 12.1 Practice will not be permitted on the course between rounds of the Championship. Penalty: Disqualification.
- 12.2 The Committee has prohibited; (a) the practice on or near the putting green of the hole last played, and (b) rolling a ball on the putting green of the hole last played.

**13. DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES**

- 13.1 For all play at DGC, a player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. However, if, during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance measuring device that is designed to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g. gradient, wind speed, temperature etc), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3 of the Rules of Golf, for which the penalty is disqualification, regardless of whether any such additional functions are actually used.

**DARWIN GOLF CLUB*****The Premier Golf Course of the Top End!***

The Frilled Neck Lizard, the emblem of the Darwin Golf Club, is abundant around the golf course.

Located in the lush tropical Top-End of the Northern Territory, the Darwin Golf Club offers a golfing experience unparalleled by any other golf course in Australia.

We invite visitors from the local area, interstate and overseas to come and enjoy a game, then relax with a drink and a chat in the air-conditioned clubhouse.

Our facilities are available to the public – and we specialise in assisting you with the arrangements for your Corporate Golf Day or social function.

Spend a little time and explore our web site further, -then pick up the phone and book a round!

The course is not far from Darwin Airport and hire carts or buggies and clubs are available.