



2024 Byron Bay Amateur Open Entry Form

Please download, complete and return this form completed to:
events@byronbaygolfclub.com.au

Please enter me in the **2024 Stone & Wood Byron Bay Amateur Open**. I am an amateur player in accordance with the Rules of Amateur Status as approved by R&A Rules Limited.

I confirm that the information supplied is correct, that I am eligible to enter under the Conditions of the Open and agree to be bound by these Conditions.

I also confirm that I have read and understood the Golf NSW Code of Conduct and agree to be bound by this Code.

Name: _____

Mobile: _____ Home Club: _____

Email: _____

D.O.B: _____ Golf Link No. _____ Handicap: _____

Payment Details - (Please select one of the options below)

Credit Card: Visa Mastercard - We do not accept American Express

Card Number: _____

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6th - 8th December
3 Day - Ambrose & Open
\$150 Visitor - \$80 Member

7th & 8th December
2 Day - Open Only
\$100 Visitor - \$60 Member

6th December
Ambrose Event Only
\$50 Visitor - \$30 Member

Total

EFT - please ref Last name and Open on transfer. **BSB** -122-701 **ACC** - 2088-5807

If playing in Ambrose - please name your partner: _____

If visiting as a group or have preferred playing partners please state here - we will do our best to accommodate:

Please call our ProShop to book carts 02) 6685 6470 - Extension 1

Signed: _____ Dated: _____

Acknowledgment of Receipt will be Emailed.

Entries Close: 25th November 2024

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2024 Byron Bay Amateur Open Conditions

These are to be read in conjunction with the Golf NSW Standard Conditions for Events Run in Golf NSW, the Golf NSW Code of Conduct, should a conflict occur between conditions, then the conditions outlined on the entry form take precedence.

1. Open Procedure

1.1 The Open will be played as follows:

The 2024 Byron Bay Open - A Grade play Stroke over 36 holes. B and C Grade play Stableford over 36 Holes. Grades will be determined once entries close on 25th November 2024.

All players will play from the Black Markers.

In A Grade in the event of a tie, the winner will be determined by a sudden death play off. If insufficient time is available for a play-off, joint winners will be declared. All other ties shall be determined using the Golf Australia Countback System. In the event of B and C Grade being tied - the winner shall be determined using the Golf Australia Countback System..

2. Open Match Committee

2.1 The BBGC Open will be under the management and control of the BBGC Open Match Committee. The composition of this committee is to be determined by Byron Bay Golf Club Match committee. The committee reserve the right to - fix and/or alter starting times; in the event of bad weather or for any other reason, either shorten the contest or fix another day; vary any conditions should they deem it advisable; reject any entry without assigning any reason, therefore. In the case of a wash out players will be offered a 'Rain Check' on the following year's Open or on their next competition round. **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN.**

2.2 In the absence of a full Open Match Committee, such members that may be present at the time may give a decision, and any decision so given will be deemed to be a decision of the full Open Match Committee.

2.3 The decision of the Open Match Committee as to acceptance or refusal of any entry will be final.

3. Rules of Play

The Rules of Golf, as adopted by R&A Rules Limited, will apply, together with any additional Local Rules as drawn up by the Open Match Committee.

4. Entries

4.1 GA Handicap: Eligible players are male amateurs whose GA Handicap (or overseas equivalent) does not exceed 30.3 GA strokes at the time of entry.

4.2 Age: There is no age restriction.

4.3 Entry Fee: the prescribed Entry Fee of \$150 for non- members or \$80 for BBGC members for all 3 days or \$100 for non-members or \$60 for BBGC members for **ONLY THE OPEN 2 DAYS being the Saturday and Sunday.**

4.4 Ballot: In the event of entry applications exceeding the number of places available in the Open, entrants will be determined by a handicap ballot, based on the GA handicap at the close of entries. Unsuccessful applicants will be informed without delay and given the opportunity to compete if withdrawals subsequently occur. Monies received from balloted entrants, who do not subsequently compete, will be refunded in entirety.

4.5 Eligibility: Any player who has their golf playing membership or handicap at the date of the Open suspended by Golf Australia, Golf NSW, or any Club who is a member of Golf NSW / Golf Australia, or a District Golf Association, is not eligible to participate.

4.6 Exemptions: There are no exemptions for this Championship.

4.7 Refunds: Once the draw is completed there will be no refund of entry fees to players who withdraw from the event. Players who withdraw from the event prior to it being published will be refunded their entry fee, less an administration fee of \$11.00. The Draw will be available 4 days prior to the event, and once finalised the draw will be place on the club's website.

4.8 A PGA member is not eligible to contest the amateur competition.

5. Motorised Transport

Carts are permitted for use in this event. Visitors are not permitted to bring their own cart onto the course. Players wishing to book a cart are required to make a reservation by calling the Pro Shop - 02 6685 6470 ext.1

6. Privacy

BBGC may retain the personal details of entries in this Open on its records. The purpose of doing so is such that information on other future events conducted by BBGC can be forwarded as deemed appropriate by BBGC. This information will not be available to any other organisation. Any person may have their details removed from this database by emailing events@byronbaygolfclub.com.au

7. Registration

Competitors MUST register 30 mins before their starting time on each day of play.

8. Pace of Play

Pace of play will be strictly enforced. Any group with a clear hole in front of it will be considered out of position. Penalties will be issued to players in such groups who, by their pace, contribute to such delay. Warnings may not be issued prior to penalties.

9. Prizes

Prizes will be awarded to the 2024 Stone & Wood Amateur Open 36 Hole Gross Winner, 36 Hole A Grade Runner Up. Overall B and C Grade Winner.

There will be a daily Gross Winner and Daily Stableford Winner - plus 1st and 2nd place nett winners in all 3 divisions.

Prizes are limited to on prize per person - **not including the 2 person Ambrose**

Note daily prizes will be allocated based on player numbers and divisions will be based on player numbers at close of entry.