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**COOLANGATTA & TWEED HEADS  
GOLF CLUB**

Soorley Street, Tweed Heads South NSW 2486

**2019**

**TWIN TOWNS AMATEUR  
OPEN**

**(inconjuction with the Gold Coast District Golf Association  
Closed Championship)**

**36 HOLE STROKE EVENT**

**(Golf Australia Stroke Average Sanctioned Event)**

**to be held on**

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October**

**River Course**

**7am & 12noon Shotgun Starts**

**(Carts permitted – Limited Carts Available)**

Open to Male Golfers Only with maximum GA Handicap of 9.4

**ENTRIES CLOSE 5:00PM ON TUESDAY 1 October 2019**

# 2019 TWIN TOWNS AMATEUR OPEN

Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club

## ENTRY FORM

**ENTRY FEE: \$75 (non-Members) or \$50 (CTHGC Members)**

**Lunch will be provided for all competitors on the day**

**Payment of the Entry Fee must be paid at the time of entry and is exclusive of cart hire.**

**Entry Fee is inclusive of GST.**

Please enter me in the 2019 Twin Towns Open. I am an Amateur golfer in accordance with the Rules of Amateur status as issued by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews and eligible under the conditions of the Championship.

**FULL NAME**.....

[PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY]

FAMILY NAME

FIRST NAME

**CONTACT PHONE NUMBER:** .....

**E- MAIL ADDRESS** .....

**HOME CLUB** .....**EXACT GA HANDICAP** .....

I acknowledge and accept the conditions of entry details.

**SIGNATURE OF**

**COMPETITOR** .....**DATE** ...../ ...../ 2019

**GOLFLINK No:**

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Entries for the 2019 Twin Towns Open close at 5.00pm on Tuesday 1 October 2019 and should be sent to Tournament Director, CTHGC, PO Box 6010 Tweed Heads South NSW 2486 or emailed to [enquiries@cooltweedgolf.com.au](mailto:enquiries@cooltweedgolf.com.au)

If you require any assistance phone Nicole James on 07 5524 4544

**PAYMENT BY VISA, MASTERCARD / CHEQUE / MONEY ORDER (Made out to CTHGC)**

**IF PAYING BY CREDIT CARD EMAIL DETAILS to: [enquiries@cooltweedgolf.com.au](mailto:enquiries@cooltweedgolf.com.au)**

**CREDIT CARD NUMBER:**                    /                    /                    **EXP DATE:**                    /                    **CCV:**

**SIGNATURE:**..... **AMOUNT:** .....

# 2019 TWIN TOWNS AMATEUR OPEN

## CONDITIONS OF ENTRY & PLAY

### 1: The Championship

The Championship will be played over 36 holes on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 - on one course only (River) with the player returning the Best Gross Score for the 36 Holes becoming the 2019 Twin Towns Amateur Open Champion.

### 2. The Gold Coast District Championship

The 2019 Gold Coast District Open Championship will be held in conjunction with the Twin Towns Amateur Open and is a closed event only available to players who are members of any Golf Club which is affiliated with the G.C.D.G.A. The Champion will be the leading G.C.D.G.A member who has the best gross score after 36 holes. If scores are tied the winner will be determined by the official count back system. G.C.D.G.A players can win both Championships. The same nomination received covers both events.

### 3. Championship Committee

The Championship will be under the management and control of a Championship Committee – the composition of this Committee to be determined by the Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club Match Committee. The Championship Committee reserve the right to [a] fix and/or alter starting times, [b] in the event of bad weather, or for any other reason, either shorten the contest or fix another day/venue, [c] vary any conditions should they deem it advisable, [d] reject any entry without assigning any reason therefore. The Rules of Golf as adopted by the Royal & Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews will apply together with such Local Rules as are approved by the Championship Committee.

### 4. Entries

- 4.1 The Twin Towns Amateur Open is open to all male amateur golfers with an Australian Handicap **[not exceeding 9.4 at the time of entry]** who are members of a golf club affiliated through their District Golf Association with the GA, or other State/National or Overseas Golf Associations.
- 4.2 The field will be limited to **120 PLAYERS** – should entries be received in excess of this number, the higher handicap players will be balloted out first and the entry fee refunded.
- 4.3 Entries must be received by the Tournament Director, Coolangatta & Tweeds Heads Golf Club, PO Box 6010, Tweed Heads South NSW 2486 by 5pm on Tuesday 1 October 2019.
- 4.4 The prescribed Entry Fee of \$75.00 [incl. GST] for non-Members, or \$50.00 for CTHGC Members, must be paid at the time of entry. For further information, please phone the Coolangatta & Tweeds Heads Golf Club office on (07) 5524 4544.
- 4.5 **Please do not send cash in the mail** – Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club will not accept responsibility for cash sent that is not received.
- 4.6 Once the draw is completed there will be no refund of entry fees to players who withdraw from the event. The Draw will be available 3 days prior to event, and once finalized the draw will be placed on the Club's website.

### 5. Protests

The decision of the Championship Committee will be final in all matters and in the absence of a full Committee; such members as may be present at the time may give a decision. Any decision so given shall be deemed to be a decision of the full Championship Committee. Protests must be lodged in writing with the Championship Committee no later than 10 minutes after the conclusion of the day's play.

### 6. Ties

In the event of a tie for the Gross Championship Event of the Twin Towns Amateur Open [only] there will be a sudden death play-off immediately after the last Scorecards have been returned and checked (light permitting) or players will be declared joint champions. Should a Player not be available for the Play-off he will forfeit the Championship. The Nett Events will be decided by countback.

In the event of a tie for the Gross Event of the Gold Coast District Championship [only] the result will be settled by a countback. The breaking of ties for all events/trophies will be determined by use of the Australian Count-back System. If a winner is still not able to be determined after the countback system is applied, then there will be dual winners.

### 7. Pace of Play

Rules 6-7 will be strictly enforced. 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 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.

## **8. Draws & Starting Times**

A draw for the Tournament will be published on [www.cooltweedgolf.com.au](http://www.cooltweedgolf.com.au)

Competitors **must** be ready to start at the appointed time (7:00am & 12:00pm shotgun starts) and in the order arranged by the Championship Committee. Players must report to the starter 15 minutes before allocated starting time and be prepared to tee off when called. Rule 6-3a provides "The Players shall start at the time laid down by the Committee". The penalty for breach of Rule 6-3a is disqualification. However it is a condition of this Championship that, in the absence of circumstances which warrant waiving the penalty of disqualification as provided in Rule 33-7, if the players arrive at their starting point, ready to play, within five minutes of their starting time, the penalty for failure to start on time is two strokes at the first hole, instead of disqualification.

## **9. Balls**

It will be obligatory for all competitors in this Event to play with a ball which is named in the current list of conforming Golf Balls issued by the R&A. Copies of this list can be obtained from [www.usga.org](http://www.usga.org) or for viewing at the Course. Penalty for breach of condition is Disqualification.

## **10. Use of Motorised Vehicles**

Carts are permitted for use in this event. Players however are not permitted to bring their own cart onto the course. Players wishing to use a cart are required to make a reservation with the Pro Shop.

## **11. Mobile Phones**

The use of a mobile phone by players during the play of any competition round is prohibited.

## **12. Measuring Devices**

Measuring devices are allowed for distance only. Breach of this Rule - **Disqualification**.

## **13. Publicity**

The Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club Ltd. may arrange publicity before, during and/or after this Championship. It is a condition of entry that all players consent to references to them and pictures of them in practice and play being published via any medium or social platform [including the internet].

## **14. Privacy**

The Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club Ltd. may retain the personal details [ie: name, address, handicap] of entries in this Championship on its records. The purpose of doing so is such that information on other future events conducted by the Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club [or other parties] can be forwarded as deemed appropriate by the Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club. This information will not be available to any other organisation. Any person may have their details removed from this database by phoning the Tournament Director, Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club on (07) 5524 4544.

## **15. Dress Regulations**

It is a requirement of this Championship that all players must comply with the dress standards of Coolangatta & Tweed Heads Golf Club. The Club will permit the wearing of short socks if players wish to wear shorts. Denim trousers or denim shorts are not permitted. Players not conforming to the dress requirements of the Courses will not be permitted to take their place in the field.

## **16. Trophies**

Trophies will be awarded to the 2019 Twin Towns Amateur Open 36 Hole Gross Winner, 36 Hole Gross Runners Up, 36 Hole Nett Winner, 36 Hole Nett Runner Up, Best Gross 18 holes Winner – AM, Best Nett 18 holes - AM, Best Gross 18 holes Winner – PM, Best Nett 18 holes Winner – PM. This event will be limited to one trophy per person.