Cessnock Golf Club, 2018 Booklet

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Cessnock Golf Club may be hired for functions. It is also most welcoming of charity and social groups who wish to use the course and facilities to either raise money or to simply have an enjoyable day out.

Introduction:

Welcome to Cessnock Golf Club. The redeveloped Cessnock Golf Course has rapidly gained a reputation as one of the leading courses in the Hunter Valley. We are particularly proud of our greens, we hope you enjoy the challenge.

We would ask you to adhere to these points of etiquette.

- There is a dress code for the course and the clubhouse, this needs to followed.
- There are rules for usage of carts owned by the club or by individual players, rules are for the safety of all and for the maintenance of the course and will be strictly applied.
- Any individual 18 hole round of golf should be completed in under four and a half hours. Players in competitions may be penalised if they exceed this time, social players may be asked to leave the course if they are holding up other groups.
- Only alcohol purchased at the club may be consumed on the course property.
- Please be courteous and give way to green staff at all times.
- Please repair all divots and damage done to greens and fairways. Please carry a sand bucket and use it generously if a repair is required.
- Please do not hit up on other players.
- Please advise the club pro or management if your ball hits a car, house or other property that is adjacent to the course.

Every effort has been made to ensure this program was accurate at the time of printing. CGC apologises for any inconvenience caused due to a late change in event schedules. Changes will only be made in the event of unforeseen circumstances. All events are open to male and female members, juniors and visitors with approved AGU handicaps. Visitors may not win the major prize in "Board Events".

Saturday Events:

Hit off times are 7.00am - 11.00am. Tee time bookings are required and can be made online or in the proshop. The course will be open to social players from 11.30am. Presentations will be completed between 4.00pm and 4.20pm. Groups who are unable to complete their

rounds by the start time of the presentation may forfeit any prizes to which they may be entitled.

Black tees will be used for all Monthly Mugs and other major events. The Captain may choose to bring the tees forward if the weather and lack of run on the course would make play very challenging. Blue tees will normally be used for other events. Ladies will play off the red tees.

JUNIORS:

On any Saturday when there is an individual event there will be a "Junior Category" prize. This is aimed at encouraging junior participation. The prize will not be awarded if the leading junior wins a prize in the main competition.

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS:

Each of the twelve Monthly Mug winners from December 2017 through November 2018 will be invited to play off for the title of Champion of Champions. This will be a stroke event on the first Saturday in December 2018 and will correspond with the first day of the next twelve month cycle. The Champion of Champions will be eligible to win the December, 2018 Monthly Mug. In the event of a tie the normal countback rules will apply.

ECLECTIC:

In 2018 two eclectics will be run. The first on selected Saturdays and all Tuesday stableford events from the until . The second on selected Saturdays and all Tuesday stableford events from to . The specific Saturdays will be indicated on the Club noticeboard. The Sunday of the Championships will be an eclectic score day. Scores will only be included if they are made during eclectic events. Cost for entering each event will be \$5 and then there is a 50 cent charge for each score change. All money collected will be returned as a cash prize to the winners. A record of player scores will be regularly updated on the Club Noticeboard. An official record will also be kept by the Club Captain. Accuracy of the scores is the responsibility of each individual player.

CONSITENCY TROPHY:

Commencing on Saturday 17th February and concluding on Saturday 27th October the club will run a competition to find the most consistent golfer. Fourteen single stableford events will be nominated as "counters". The winner will be the player who can accumulate the highest tally when his or her best nine stableford rounds are added together. A running total will be displayed on the Club Noticeboard.

Tuesday Event:

A single stableford competition will be run each Tuesday, provided no other major event is scheduled. This competition is open to all male and female members and to juniors and visitors with approved AGU handicaps. Tee off time is 7am until 9.30am, pre booking a tee off time through the proshop is recommended. Social players will be welcome after 9.30am.

Floating Event:

An 18 hole floating stableford competition will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday when there are no other major events scheduled. Hit off is a walk up start. There will be a new competition each fortnight. This competition is open to all male and female members and to juniors and visitors with approved AGU handicaps.

VETS – Thursday:

The VETS play an 18 hole competition each Thursday morning. Occasionally there is a major event on the course, on these days the VETS visit another course. Hit off is between 6.30am and 7.45am with a walk up start. Presentations are held between 12.45pm and 1.00pm. The type of event is determined by the VETS Captain and announced a week in advance. Events are open to members, ladies and visiting VETS who have AGU handicaps.

Ladies:

The ladies run a competition on Wednesday. Hit off is between 8.00am and 9.30am. Tee time bookings are recommended. Contact the proshop for specific event details.

<u>FootGolf:</u> A nine hole FootGolf course has been set up within the golf course. Members of the public, social groups and sporting clubs are welcome to play FootGolf. However bookings are required as there are specific times set aside for golf and FootGolf. It also takes some time to set up the FootGolf course and so without a booking the course may not be ready.

2018 Golf Program

E1 = Eclectic Event 1, E2 = Eclectic Event 2. C = Consistency Trophy Event

Jan 6th: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug Start of E1

Jan 13th: Single Stableford E1

Jan 20th: 2BBB Stableford E1

Jan 27th: Single Stableford E1

Feb 3rd: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug, Season Opening, Captain's Welcome. E1

Feb 10th: 2BBB Stableford and Qualifying Round for 2 Ball Knock Out. E1

Feb 17th: Single Stableford. E1. C

Feb 24th: Single Stableford and Round 1 of 2 Ball Knock Out. E1. C

Mar 3rd: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug. E1

Mar 10th: Single Stableford and Round 2 of 2 Ball Knock Out. E1. C

Mar 17th: Par. E1

Mar 24th: Single Stableford and round 3 of 2 Ball Knock Out and Anniversary Cup. E1. C

Mar 31st: Single Stableford. E1. C

April 7th: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug. E1

April 14th: 2BBB Stableford and Final of 2 Ball Knock Out. E1

April 21st: 2 Player Ambrose

April 28th: Single Stableford. E1. C

May 5th: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug. E1

WESTPAC Helicopter Charity Week of Golf

May 12th: Single Stableford. E1. C

May 19th: 2BBB Stableford. Final Day of E1

May 26th: Single Stableford.

June 2nd: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug.

June 8th: (Friday) 2BBB Preliminary for Cessnock Cup

June 9th: Stroke Cessnock Cup Round 1

June 10th: Stroke Cessnock Cup Round 2

June 16th: Single Stableford. Start of E2. C

June 23rd: Irish 4BBB

June 30th: Single Stableford. E2

July 7th: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug. E2

July 14th: Single Stableford. E2. C

July 21st: 2BBB Stroke Championships Round 1. E2

July 28th: 2BBB Stroke Championships Round 2. E2

August 4th: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug, Qualifying Round for Singles Knock Out. E2

August 11th: Bisque Par

August 18th: Early Shotgun Hit Off Single Stableford.

August 18th: Regional Championships

Sunday 19th: Regional Championships

August 25th: Single Stableford, Round 1 of Singles Knock Out. E2. C

September 8th: Stroke MetalMates Monthly Mug. E2

September 15th: Single Stableford, Round 2 of Singles Knock Out. E2. C

September 22nd: 4 Player Ambrose

September 29th: Single Stableford, Round 3 of Singles Knock Out. E2. C

October 6th: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug. E2

October 13th: Single Stableford, Final Singles Knock Out. E2. C

October 20th: 2BBB Cessnock Stableford

October 27th: Single Stableford. E2. C

November 3rd: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug, Round 1 of Club Championships.

E2

Played in 3 grades - A: to a hcp of 12, B: 13 to 20, C: 21 to 36. Also Juniors and Masters events.

Scratch, Nett and an across the field Stableford events all run in conjunction with daily events.

Sunday 4th: Stroke, Round 2 of Club Championships. E2

November 10th: A) Stroke, Seeded and Optional Round 3 of Club Championships. E2

November 10th: B) Single Stableford. Last Day of E2

November 17th: 4 Player Stableford, best 3 count. (Sub 3rd Championship Day if

needed)

November 24th: Par

December 1st: Stroke, MetalMates Monthly Mug, Champion of Champions.

December 8th: Single Stableford

December 15th: 2BBB Stableford

December 22nd: 2 Player Ambrose

December 29th: Single Stableford

2017 Major Event Winners

Scratch winners and runners up are calculated first, they are then removed from the field and the nett winners and runners up are then determined.

Event	Winner(s)		Runner(s) Up
Anniversary Cup	Bill Warren		Michelle Lyall
2BBB Knock Out	Danny	Schofield,	Paul Adams,

	James Schofield	Peter Conroy
4BBB Champions	Michael Clark	Glen Foster
A Grade Scr	Matt Hopley	Matt Proctor
4BBB Champions A	Richard Craft	Robert Swan
Grade Nett	Robert Hodge	Peter Conroy
4BBB Champions	Wayne Peel	Jeff Taylor
B Grade Scr	Daryl Joliffe	Gary Arnold
4BBB Champions	Graham Morris	Ron Findlay
B Grade Nett	Colin Somerville	Bill Mitchell
Individual K. Out	Gordon Foster	Scott Ingram
A Grade Champ	Michael Clark	Matt Hopley
Scratch		
A Grade Champ	James Hogg	Paul Mason
Nett		
B Grade Champ	Jamie Crampton	Thomas Bell
Scratch		
B Grade Champ	Lindsay Meyn	Alan Provenzano
Nett		
C Grade Champ	Ian Lyall	Fred Wakeman
Scratch		
C Grade Champ	Liam Dureau	Phil Wetzler
Nett		
Masters Champ	James Hogg	Trevor Collins
Scratch		
Masters Champ	Ian Lyall	Fred Wakeman
Nett		
Junior Champ	Joshua Crampton	Lachlan McDonald
Scratch		
Junior Champ	Liam Dureau	Zac Mitchell
Nett		
Captain's Cup	Ian Lyall	Lachlan McDonald

Champion	of	Liam Dureau	
Champions			
Course Record		Brendan Smith, 73	Joshua Knott, 74
Eclectic		Robert Logue	David Kennedy
Consistency		Scott Ingram	Ron Stewart