

## CITY OF BRISBANE MASTERS CHAMPIONSHIP

### for The Arthur Starkey Plate

#### The Competition.

Format: Points scoring - order of merit

Events: 4 x Q events ( At designated courses through the year)  
FINAL –event – played in conjunction with the Brisbane Seniors/Veterans Championship- Compulsory to return a score card to win the CBM.

#### Scoring; Q Events

- 1<sup>st</sup> - 20 points
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - 18
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - 16
- 4<sup>th</sup> - 12
- 5<sup>th</sup> - 10

then next 10 cards on 1 point reduction per place.

In the event of ties – the points are totaled and divided by number of players having that score and each is awarded the resultant points.

Where this occurs at 15<sup>th</sup> place each player shall be awarded 1 point.

Each player who returns a card in a Q event is awarded 2 points.

#### Scoring; Final Event

Double points of Q events  
( Except appearance points ).

#### Prizes - Winner

Trophy -The Arthur Starkey Plate

Expenses to Australian Senior Amateur to the value of \$500

If not eligible or entering, a voucher to that amount.

- Runner Up
- Best gross of Final
- Best nett of Final
- Prizes for each Q event.

A player may win only one prize in the final event.

#### Entry Fees – Either;

- A. \$30 per event plus Nomination fee of \$30.00 or
- B. \$150 covering all 5 events including nomination fee.

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### Rules of the Competition

1. The 2010 City of Brisbane Masters (CBM) Championship will commence on the 31<sup>st</sup> January 2010, and will be conducted under BDGA Championship Conditions and these Rules.
2. The CBM will comprise of 5 events designated by the Brisbane District Golf Association and conducted at various Clubs throughout the District, as outlined in the CBM Championship document .
3. These events shall be controlled by the BDGA match committee in conjunction with the Host Club using their Local Rules & "Decisions on the Rules of Golf".
4. To qualify, players must: -
  - (a) Be an amateur golfer in accordance with the Rules of Amateur Status as laid down by the Royal & Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, throughout the period of the event,
  - (b) Have an Australian Handicap of twenty four (24) or less at the time of entry.
  - (c) Have reached the age of fifty (50) years, prior to playing in any fixture.
5. The competition is open to **p**layers who are members of golf clubs who are affiliated with Golf Australia and who hold a GA handicap.
6. Each Competitor **must** enter on the appropriate entry form and submit it to the office of the BDGA by the designated closing date together with the entry fee stipulated. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Match Committee. It is the players responsibility to ensure that all details are correct, including exact handicap
7. The winner shall be decided on a points formulae as laid down by the BDGA Match Committee. ( see attached Conditions of the Competition. )

- 8.** In the event of a tie the winner of the Championship shall be decided by a sudden death playoff conducted over holes designated by the Match Committee of the day.
- 9.** A player will receive no points under any of the following circumstances:

  - (a) Having entered an event and not taken his place in the field.
  - (b) Having started in an event and failing to return his scorecard.
  - (c) Being disqualified in any round of a tournament.
- 10.** It is compulsory for each competitor to use a golf ball and driver named on the current R. & A. and/or U.S.G.A. conforming list.  
Penalty for breach of condition: as per the Rules of Golf.
- 11.** Under BDGA rules the use of a motorised golf cart is permitted in City of Brisbane Masters, Senior and Vets competitions.
- 12.** Where events are abandoned due to adverse weather conditions all scores are cancelled. The event may be re-scheduled at the host course or moved to another, if practical, at the discretion of the BDGA Match Committee. The use of preferred lies or teeing up may exclude any qualifying event unless special permission is obtained from the Brisbane District Golf Association.
- 13.** The CBM will be conducted by the Match Committee of the Brisbane District Golf Association who may vary these conditions at any time should it be deemed necessary.