

INFORMATION IN RELATION TO COVID-19 (Coronavirus) 14.5.2020

Dear Member.

It has now been formally communicated that NSW social gathering restrictions which required golf to be played in groups of two have now been lifted to be in line with outdoor gathering regulations of up to ten people. This allows the reintroduction of groups of four for our golf competitions and social play and will commence on Saturday 16th May.

To eliminate any real inconvenience to members who have a current tee booking there will be minimal change to booked hit-off times. For the next seven days, current pairings will be amalgamated to make groups of four and group hit-off times will be increased from five to seven minutes. This will open up significant more times for competition play.

IMPORTANT - All players requiring a cart will need to personally contact the Pro Shop to make and confirm the booking. Limitations with our computer system prevent more than two carts booked in a group from being recognised.

Future time sheets will continue to be available online at 9:00am eight days before the competition. Competitions on Wednesday's, Saturday's and Sunday's will revert to the two tee system with both morning and afternoon sessions. Tuesday competitions will revert to two tees once the clubhouse is permitted to reopen. The restriction on 'one live booking' in each seven day period has now been withdrawn.

The Open Medley competitions on Monday's, Thursday's and Friday's have proven popular in our current environment and will continue to occur. The practice fairway, practice nets and putting greens will be reopened.

While this is good news for all golfers, we need to remain vigilant with social distancing requirements of one and a half metres. There is still only one person permitted in a golf cart and the number of people in the Pro Shop, those using practice facilities and congregating before and after golf will be monitored to ensure we stay within government guidelines.

It is the responsibility of everybody to remain safe and respect the personal space of others.

Paul Hilton Club Captain





