

2019 GIPPSLAND SUPER 6

PLAYER INFORMATION

TOURNAMENT

Host Venue	Yallourn Golf Course
Dates	7 th – 10 th November 2019
Website	www.pga.org.au
Prize Fund	AUD \$125,000
Entries Close	Thursday 17 th October, 2019 at 5:00PM AEST
Field Size	132 Competitors
Field Breakdown	98 PGATA Exempt Players; 10 Tournament Invitations; 8 VIC PGA State Exempt Players; 6 Invited Amateurs; 10 Pre-Qualifiers

TOURNAMENT FORMAT

- The tournament shall be decided over 3 rounds (54 holes) of stroke play, followed by a 24 player medal match play competition, with each match played over 6 holes. (Each match is decided based on the total score recorded by players over the six hole stipulated round)
- 132 players will play one round on each of the first two days, after which the leading 50 professionals plus ties for 50th place, plus any amateurs on the same score or better after the second round, shall qualify to play round 3.
- Following the completion of round 3 on Saturday the field will be cut to the leading 24 players who will progress to the medal match play rounds of the tournament.
- The top eight players at the conclusion of round 3 will be automatically seeded through to the 2nd round of the Knock-out Medal Match Play. A hole by hole play-off will be used to resolve any ties for 8th position using hole 16. Any ties other than for 8th place within the top eight seeded players will be decided by card play-off (countback) as follows:
 - o Best Round 3 score; then
 - o Best scores on holes 10-18, 13-18, 16-18, hole 18 of the course in Round 3; then
 - o Card match play starting at hole one of the course based on Round 3 scores
- In the event of a tie for 24th place after round three, a hole by hole play-off will take place on the 18th hole. Any ties other than for 24th place will be decided by card play-off (countback) using the method outlined above
- The 16 players in positions 9 – 24 after round 3 will be paired relative to their ranking and will play the first round of Knockout Medal Match Play. - The eight winners from those matches will advance to play the eight seeds in the second round of Knockout Medal Match Play.
- Knockout Medal Match Play format continues until a final with two players. The two players that lose in the semi-finals will playoff for positions three and four;
- Any matches tied after the six holes have been completed will proceed to the 'shootout' hole where a hole-by-hole play-off will be used to determine the winner. The shootout hole utilises the existing 18th green played from a new tee box located approx. 80-90 metres from the green on the right-hand side of the 18th fairway.

Please refer to the end of this document for further information.

REGISTRATION

Registration will be at the PGA Tournament Office. Registration will be open from Monday 4th November, 9:00AM to 5:00PM and Tuesday 5th November, 8:00AM until 5:00PM. Players who fail to register with the PGA tournament office may be removed from the tournament and replaced with the first available alternate.

TOURNAMENT OFFICE

The PGA Tour of Australasia Tournament Office will be located inside the main clubhouse building.

PRE QUALIFYING

Date: Monday 4th November
Venue: Moe Golf Club
Time: From 9am

All players entered in the Pre-Qualifying tournament will be ranked by the following criteria.

1. PGA of Australasia Full Tournament Members (in order of date of entry)
2. Full Members of the PGA of Australia (based on most recent Final National Rankings, then order of entry)
3. PGA Affiliate Members (in order of date of entry)
4. PGATA Senior Tournament Members (in order of date of entry)
5. Members of other recognised Tours (in order of date of entry)
6. Members of other recognised PGAs (in order of date of entry)
7. Non-aligned professionals (in order of date of entry)

PRACTICE FACILITIES AND TIMES

Due to the practice fairway being required for parking from Wednesday onwards, the practice fairway at Moe Golf Club (less than 5 minute drive) will be in use from Wednesday onwards. The Yallourn Golf Course driving range will be available for players to use on Monday and Tuesday however this will be irons only.

(Times are TBC)

Monday	9:00AM to 5:30PM
Tuesday	7:00AM to 5:30PM
Wednesday	6:00AM to 5:30PM (Pro-Am players have priority on the range)
Thursday	5:45AM to 5:30PM
Friday	5:45AM to 5:30PM
Saturday	1 Hour before 1 st tee time to 5:30PM
Sunday	1 Hour before 1 st tee time until last tee time

COURSE PRACTICE

Practice rounds are available on Monday and Tuesday off both the 1st and 10th tees. There will be no timesheets.

Monday	Course practice available all day
Tuesday	Course practice available all day (there will be a small junior pro-am from 3:30pm on the front nine, final details to be confirmed)
Wednesday	No practice available due to tournament pro-ams

PRO-AM

The tournament Pro-Ams will take place on Wednesday 6th November. The **times will be confirmed at a later date.**

FUNCTION

Details of the official tournament welcome function will be **confirmed at a later date.**

PLAYER SERVICES

Medical	First Aid Staff will be on site
Parking	Participating players will park in the club car park using their PGA Tour accreditation for access and will be given priority however due to the size of the car park, some players may be required to park on the driving range which is less than a 250m walk to the clubhouse area.
Caddies	Caddies are not mandatory for the Gippsland Super 6. Due to a LIMITED NUMBER of pull buggies being available at the venue, players are strongly advised to bring a carry bag rather than a Tour bag.
Locker Room	There is no locker room available for players
Bag Storage	Bag storage is not available at this event

PLAYER ATTIRE

Players are permitted to wear shorts on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. However **All Players** must wear long pants for all four Tournament rounds.

PLAYER ACCOMODATION

TBC

Billets (TBC)

Players should contact

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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| Monday 4 November | Official practice day – all day
Player Registration
Pre-Qualifying – Moe Golf Club |
| Tuesday 5 November | Official practice day – all day
Player Registration
Round 1 draw released
Junior Pro-Am – 3:30pm |
| Wednesday 6 November | Course closed all day due to Tournament Pro-Ams |
| Thursday 7 November | Round 1 - commencing at approximately 6:45AM |
| Friday 8 November | Round 2 - commencing at approximately 6:45AM
Field cut to leading 50 professionals + ties as well as any amateurs on the same score or better |
| Saturday 9 November | Round 3 – last tee time approximately 10.30AM
Cut to determine Top 24 Qualifiers |
| Sunday 10 November | Medal match Play – Round one of the medal match play will commence at approximately 7.15am |

THANK YOU CONTACTS

MATCH PLAY FORMAT CONTINUED (TBC)**HOLES**

Hole	Original Hole Number	Par
1	1	5
2	8	3
3	2	4
4	16	4
5	17	4
6	18	4
SH	18 (2 nd tee)	3

MATCHPLAY DRAWS**Round 1 – 7.15am**

Seeds 1 – 8 receive a bye in Round 1

Match	Seed		Seed	Time
1	16	v	17	7.15am
2	9	v	24	7.23am
3	12	v	21	7.31am
4	13	v	20	7.39am
5	14	v	19	7.47am
6	11	v	22	7.55am
7	10	v	23	8.03am
8	15	v	18	8.11am

Winners progress to Round 2

All losing players are ranked based on their 54 hole total score

Round 2

Match	Seed		Opponent	Time
9	1	v	Match 1 Winner	9.05am
10	8	v	Match 2 Winner	9.15am
11	5	v	Match 3 Winner	9.25am
12	4	v	Match 4 Winner	9.35am
13	3	v	Match 5 Winner	9.45am
14	6	v	Match 6 Winner	9.55am
15	7	v	Match 7 Winner	10.05am
16	2	v	Match 8 Winner	10.15am

Winners progress to Round 3

All losing players are ranked based on their 54 hole total score

Quarter Finals

Match	Opponent		Opponent	Time
17	Match 9 Winner	v	Match 10 Winner	11.15am
18	Match 11 Winner	v	Match 12 Winner	11.25am
19	Match 13 Winner	v	Match 14 Winner	11.40am
20	Match 15 Winner	v	Match 16 Winner	11.50am

Winners progress to Semi Final
Positions 5 - 8 are deemed to have tied for 5th position

Semi Finals

Match	Opponent		Opponent	Time
21	Match 17 Winner	v	Match 18 Winner	1.30pm
22	Match 19 Winner	v	Match 20 Winner	1.40pm

Winners progress to the Final
Losers play off for 3rd and 4th place

3rd and 4th Place Play Off

Match	Opponent		Opponent	Time
3 rd & 4 th	Match 21 Lose	v	Match 22 Loser	3.15pm

Final

Match	Opponent		Opponent	Time
Final	Match 21 Winner	v	Match 22 Winner	3.25pm