



# 2019 Nexus Risk WA Open

## PLAYER INFORMATION

### TOURNAMENT

<b>Host Venue</b>	Cottesloe Golf Club
<b>Dates</b>	17 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> October 2019
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.pga.org.au">www.pga.org.au</a>
<b>Prize Fund</b>	\$100,000
<b>Event Status</b>	Order of Merit
<b>Entries Close</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> September 2019 at 5:00PM AEDT
<b>Field Size</b>	120 players
<b>Field Breakdown</b>	80 Professionals ranked 2019 Tournament Exemption Categories. Professional entries will be ranked using the <a href="#">2019 Preliminary National Pro-Am Tournament Exemption categories</a> as at close of entries. 20 Exempt Amateurs: 20 Pre-Qualifying Amateurs.

### SOCIAL MEDIA

@GolfWestAust; @PGAofAustralia

**Twitter/Instagram:** #WAOpen #GolfWA, #LadbrokesProAmSeries

### TOURNAMENT FORMAT

The tournament shall be decided over 4 rounds (72 holes) stroke play. 120 players will play one round on each of the first two days, after which the leading 50 professionals plus ties for 50<sup>th</sup> place, plus any amateurs on the same score after the second round, shall qualify to play rounds 3 and 4. In the event of a tie for first place, it is a condition of the tournament that a 'sudden death' play-off will take place repeatedly until a result has been achieved or as otherwise determined by the tournament committee. The play off will decide the prize money, title holder and Divisional winner as per PGA Member Regulations.

The WA Open All Abilities tournament will run Saturday/Sunday following the field.

**Presentations: It is compulsory for all players teeing off within 1 hour of the final tee time to attend the presentations on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October, approx 3pm.**

**Live Scoring** is a requirement for all players in the tournament.

### TEE TIMES

No prior registration required, score cards will be on the Tee.

Thurs/Friday – Rolling Start approx 6.30am and 11.40am

Saturday/Sunday – Rolling Start approx 9am

### PRACTICE FACILITIES AND TIMES

The following practice facilities are available at the course:

- Driving Range • Putting Green • Chipping Green • Golf Shop • Soft spikes compulsory

Range balls will be available **for purchase** from the pro-shop, operation hours below:

- Wednesday 7.30 (or one hour before tee off) – 17:30
- Thursday and Friday 6.00 – 17:30 (or minimum 1 hour before first tee time)
- Saturday 7.30 – 17.00 (or minimum 1 hour before first tee off)
- Sunday 7.30am (or a minimum 1 hour before first tee time)

**\*\*Please note Drivers are not to be used on the range. Maximum of 7 iron at any time on range\*\***

## COURSE PRACTICE

Practice rounds are available on both the 1<sup>st</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> tees. There will be no timesheets

Monday	Course practice available from 9am
Tuesday	Course practice available from 9am
Wednesday	Course closed all day for Sponsors Day

## SPONSORS DAY

Confirmed one on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October, lunch and registration from 11am a shot gun start at 12:15PM. A minimum of **27** professionals will be required for Sponsors Day; players will be notified by Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October.

## PLAYER REQUIREMENTS

Soft spikes	It is compulsory for soft spikes to be worn.
Carts/Buggies	Limited Pull buggies available
	All Divots must be repaired by knocking them in
	Yardage books will be on sale in the pro-shop.

## DRESS REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with minimum standard of dress during a tournament as per the PGA Membership Regulation. i.e. neat casual/golf attire, no denim