



ZONE 3 & ZONE 4 2017 Women's Amateur/Senior Championship

**Entry fee: \$145 (Amateur OR Senior)
\$185 (Amateur & Senior)**

Dates: Tuesday, May 30 & Wednesday, May 31, 2017

May 30th Time: 9 : 30 AM

May 31st Time: 8 : 30 AM

**Richmond Country Club
9100 Steveston Highway
Richmond, BC V7A 1M5
Golf Centre: 604 241 3700**

- > Lunch and prize presentations will follow the final round at Richmond Country Club.
- Prizes in each division will be awarded up to and including 5th place and overall Low Net winners in each division based on a full field.

CONDITIONS OF THE COMPETITION:

- ☐ Two (2) days stroke play; Golf Canada rules govern play with approved local rules.
- ☐ Players should understand golf rules and etiquette as well as understand the rules and expectations of the Tournament. (Tournament recommended pace of play, scorecard exchange and the keeping of accurate scores.)
- ☐ Players should have a verifiable Handicap with Golf Canada, calculated from her last 20 scores.
- ☐ Players should be able to communicate in English or alternatively bring with them a caddy/ Interpreter.
- ☐ Maximum field of 60 entries: 24 Amateurs and 36 Seniors. A player eligible for the Senior Division may also compete in the Amateur Division however she would not be counted as one of the Amateur Division's 24 slots. Her Handicap factor must also be within the range of the other Amateur participants. The entry allotments for either the Amateur or Senior Divisions are subject to change based on entries.
- ☐ A player must have reached her 50th birthday by **May 30, 2017** for eligibility to play in the Senior Division.
- ☐ Zone winners and runners-up are expected to represent their Zones at the Provincial Championships.
- ☐ Players are expected to play **rain or shine**.
- ☐ **Entry deadline: May 18, 2017 (Thursday)**

FACTOR / HANDICAP:

- ☐ The field of 60 competitors in both Zone's Amateur (24 players) or Senior (36 players) Divisions will be selected for the Championship draw based on the lowest, verified handicap factors submitted that do not exceed the maximum factor of **18.3** on the first day of play. That factor is equivalent to a **20** course handicap (Green Tees) at Richmond Country Club.
- ☐ Factors will be verified & frozen using the Golf Canada Handicap System prior to the start of the competition.

CARTS:

- ☐ Power carts may be used during the competition. The host club may impose cart path only restrictions.
- ☐ 20 Carts are available on a " first-come-first-serve" basis. To reserve a cart , please call the Golf Centre: (604) 241 3700

DRESS CODE:

- ☐ The dress code and cell phone policies of the host club apply.
- ☐ Soft spikes are mandatory.

CONFORMING GOLF BALLS AND NON-CONFORMING CLUBS

- ☐ The ball the player plays must be named on the current List of Conforming Golf Balls.
- ☐ The use of any club from the Non-Conforming List during any round is prohibited.
Penalty for Breach of Condition: **disqualification.**

PACE OF PLAY:

- ☐ The British Columbia Golf 'Pace of Play' guideline will be in effect.
- ☐ Penalties for breach will be outlined in the "Rules & Conditions of Play" sheet distributed to all players.

CANCELLATIONS:

- ☐ Please notify the Championship Chair as soon as possible if a cancellation is necessary.
- ☐ **No refund will be given after the draw has been completed.**

PRIZES AND BREAKING TIES:

- ☐ Each Zone Chair will present their Zone's trophies and prizes to the winners of each Division.
- ☐ A Championship trophy and "keeper" trophy will be presented to the winner of each of the four Divisions.
- ☐ In the event that after completing 36 holes of stroke play, two or more competitors are tied for first place in either of the Zone's Amateur or Senior Divisions, a sudden death playoff will be used to break the tie, starting on the hole designated by the Golf Shop.
- ☐ Standard procedures for breaking all other ties will be used.

CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE:

Jo Guthrie	Championship Chair, Zone 4 Chair	Tel: 778 847 2848, E-mail: jo4ygea@gmail.com
Virginia Astell	Vice Chair Zone 4	
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