

Dear future Member,

Thank you for your Membership enquiry.

Bowral Golf Club is an established club that provides not only a great golf course, but a social centre that holds special Member events regularly. Members are justly proud of their course and clubhouse and we hope that you, in applying for Membership, will also find the nature and atmosphere of our Club enjoyable.

Bowral Golf Club was established in 1901. The clubhouse provides a real 'club' feel with friendly members and staff. Poker machines were voted out at the beginning of this century. As we move with the times, we are mindful of maintaining our traditions of the past. There are plenty of historical items on show from 100-year-old trophies to a WWI flag retrieved from a Turkish officer near Palestine in 1917. Open fire places provide warmth and ambience.

In 1901, Bowral Golf Club had no playing area of its own. Members of the new Club played for two years by invitation on a private nine-hole course owned by Mr C.J. Royle, one of the foundation Members. After this period, play moved to a large area of land opposite the current Bowral Hospital, part of which is now Bradman Oval. The next site of Bowral Golf Club's course was on the west side of the railway line. It was a nine-hole layout with sand greens. Part of that property is now occupied by the Gibraltar Hotel. The Club was advised in 1915 that the lease on that land would come to an end.

In mid-1917, an area of 36 acres on Kangaloon Rd was purchased from Edwin Boardman, and a nine-hole course was laid out by Dan Soutar. Construction of the current clubhouse was completed in June 1919. In 1920, Members were advised that a further 49 acres of land had been acquired to extend the course to 18 holes. The additional layout was designed by Carnegie Clark. In 1950, an extra 5.7 acres was acquired and used for the present 15th hole.

In recent years, many improvements have been made on the course: fairway extensions, new bridges, a new tee, distance markers, direction signs, tree plantings, new furniture and concrete paths, while in the clubhouse, improvements include new furniture, roof and ceiling upgrades and painting. Membership numbers continue to rise and we welcome your application.

Bowral Golf Club's mission

"To provide an enjoyable golf and club experience in a welcoming atmosphere to members and quests whilst maintaining the legacy of our history and traditions."

Kevin Kenny, Secretary Manager. PGA Member.





MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Applicant's Full Name _	DOB				
Phone Numbers: Home	: Mobile:	Wo	ork:		
E-Mail:					
Next of Kin:		Phone:			
Type of Membership	☐ Full playing member ☐ Country Member (must reside outside 50k of Bowral Golf Club) ☐ Lifestyle Member (23 to 50 years old) ☐ Student member (19 to 22 years old) ☐ Sub junior member (under 18 years old) ☐ Social member				
Current Golf Link Num	ber				
Would you like to have	your Bowral Golf Club as you	ır home club for handi	cap:		
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To be completed by the	Proposer and seconder				
Proposing member: —	Sign	nat <u>ure</u>	<u>Da</u> te		
Seconding member : _	Sign	a <u>ture</u>	Date		



KANGALOON ROAD BOWRAL NSW 2576

FULL PLAYING MEMBERS: All Full Playing Members have the right to play on the Course on any day of the week. The Men's competitions are normally played on Wednesdays, Friday, Saturday and Sundays. The women's competitions for Full Playing Members is held in conjunction with the Saturday Members competition. The Women's competitions are normally played on Tuesdays, Thursdays. Medley competitions are played on Fridays and Sundays or public holidays. Members in competition have right of way on the Course.

LIFESTYLE MEMBERS: Lifestyle Memberships "23 to 50 years of age" This category carries 7-day playing access, all daily competitions including monthly medal rounds and the Lifestyle Championship, but no eligibility to win Club Trophies, compete in the Club Championships or interclub teams. There are also no voting rights in this category. Members in this category reaching 51 years of age may remain in this category indefinitely under the same playing rights. Should a member (over 51) move from this category then they can not re-join it. Members in this category may at any time move to the full playing category with a gradual increase in fees over a 3 year period (1/3 of the difference to be added each year to bring fees inline).

COUNTRY MEMBERS:

This category carries 7 day playing access, all daily competitions including monthly medal rounds, but no eligibility to win Club Trophies or to compete in the main Club Championships. There are also no voting rights with this category. At the discretion of the Board they must reside outside a 50 kilometer radius of the club.

JUNIOR/STUDENT MEMBERSHIP: Junior /Student playing members are persons who have attained the age of 18 years and are under the age of 23 years who are elected as Junior Playing members of the Club. There are also no voting rights with this category.

SUB-JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP: Sub-Junior Playing members are persons under the age of 18 who are elected as Sub-Junior Playing members of the Club. There are also no voting rights with this category.

SOCIAL MEMBERS: Social members shall be persons who have attained the age of eighteen (18) years and are elected to Social membership of the Club or are transferred by the Board from another category of Ordinary membership to Social membership of the Club. There are also no voting rights with this category. A Social member is entitled to the social privileges of the Club and, but shall not be entitled to use the golf course to play golf except by paying the appropriate green fee. (Subject to the limitations of the articles in which regular play may result in a request of the Member to upgrade to a playing member)

Social members shall not be entitled to attend or vote at general meeting of the Club, or at Annual General Meetings, or vote in the election of the Board.



MEMBER'S GUESTS: On any competition day, playing members may invite visitors at the payment of the member guest green fee plus competition fee. This privilege does not extend to six day playing members on Saturday competition days. Members' guests are not eligible to win Trophy or medal events. A Member may invite the same guest no more than 3 times in any one year.

Member's guests may only play socially or a maximum of three occasions before he or she will be invited to become a member of the Club.

Social members and golfing members are not allowed to be another member's guest and must pay the full visitor green fee plus applicable competition fee.

VISITOR'S: Visitors are welcome to visit the club both socially and for a golfing event. Visitors residing within 5 kilometers of the club may be signed in by a full member on 3 occasions only. Visitors attending a club approved function are not required to sign in.

DRESS CODE

Members and visitors should at all times maintain a standard of dress commensurate with the dignity of the Club. On competition day's members should wear acceptable golfing attire. Blue denim jeans during Club Competitions are unacceptable attire on the course. At all times members and non-members must dress appropriately. A neat casual dress code applies to all people using the Clubhouse & Course.

Unacceptable attire in the Clubhouse or on the Course: Shirts without a collar, Sleeveless/singlet tops, Work wear Beach apparel, Gym clothing, Active Wear, Shoes with heavy treads or thongs, damaged or dirty clothing.

The club's website has all upcoming events and member information listed on the links below.

http://www.bowralgolfclub.com.au/

http://captainsdesk.weebly.com/

http://bgcladiesblog.weebly.com/

https://www.bowralgolfclub.com.au/information-for-members-and-their-guests.html

Room Hire free room hire for members for personal events such as birthdays.

Social Golf

All playing members enjoy unlimited social golf.

Reciprocal clubs

Royal Automobile Club (Sydney) Accommodation only.

Wollongong Golf Club

Eastlakes Golf Club (Sydney)

Bankstown Golf Club (Sydney)

Heidelberg Golf Club (Melbourne)

Subscription Fees 01/07/2023 - 30/06/2024

Category	Annual Subscription	Joining fee	House Credit	Total
Full Playing	\$2,260	\$500	\$200	\$2,960
Lifestyle	\$895	\$500	\$200	\$1,595
Country	\$635	\$500	\$200	\$1,335
Social	\$320	\$150	\$200	\$670
Junior 19-23yrs	\$150	N/A	N/A	\$150
Sub Junior U18	\$120	N/A	N/A	\$120



Membership categories (excluding junior and student) attract a house card of \$200.00 prepaid credit to be used for golf, bar and dining purchases.

Annual subscriptions are offered by the club. The member by selecting to use the monthly payment option also agrees to pay the full year subscription. Member subsidised events held throughout the year.

Monthly payments

- May only be made via accounts@bowralgolfclub.com.au
- 1st Payment will include one month's fees, house card and a admin charge.

Fees

Visitor fees – 7 days \$50.00 Visitors playing in competition - Green Fees \$50.00 + Competition Fee \$17.50 Ball competition value of a \$5.00 ball or \$5.00 credited to your account Member green fee guest rate of \$40.00 valid 7 days (limits apply) Cart hire 18 holes \$35.00 members - \$45.00 visitors