

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 facility and we hope that you, in applying for Membership will find the nature of this 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 around the turn of the century. There are plenty of historical items on show from 100 year old trophies to a world war one flag retrieved from a Turkish officer near Palestine in 1917, open fire places provides warmth and ambience. As we move with the times we are mindful of maintaining our traditions of the past. In 1901 the Club had no playing area of its own. Members of the new Club played for the first two years by invitation on a private nine hole course owned by Mr. C. J. Royle, one of the foundation Members. After this, play moved to a large area of land opposite the Bowral hospital, part of this land is now occupied by Bradman Oval. The next site for Bowral Golf Club was on the West side of the railway line, it was a nine hole course with sand greens. Part of this property is now occupied by the Gibraltar Hotel. The Club was advised in 1915 that the lease on this land would come to an end.

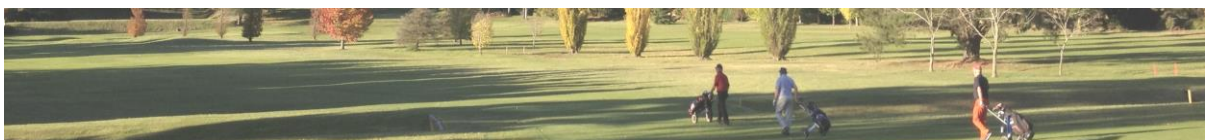
In mid 1917 an area of 36 acres on Kangaloon Rd was purchased from Edwin Boardman, and a new Clubhouse was completed on this land in June 1919. A nine hole course was laid out by Dan Soutar. In 1920 members were advised that a further 49 acres of land had been acquired to extend the course to 18 holes.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

In the recent years many course improvements has been made on the course and in the clubhouse. Fairway extentsions, new bridges, a new tee, distance markers, directions signs, tree plantings, new furniture, concrete paths. In the clubhouse improvemnts include new furniture and painting. Membership numbers continues 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 guests whilst maintaining the legacy of our history and traditions."*

Kevin Kenny,  
Secretary Manager.





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### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Applicant's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail : \_\_\_\_\_ :Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Next of Kin: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous board experience: \_\_\_\_\_

- Type of Membership
- ☐ Full playing member
  - ☐ Visiting member
  - ☐ City Member (must reside outside 50k of Bowral Golf Club)
  - ☐ Country Member (must reside outside 50k of Bowral Golf Club)
  - ☐ Lifestyle Member (23 to 50 years old)
  - ☐ Intermediate Member (23 to 29 years old)
  - ☐ Junior/Student member (19 to 22 years old)
  - ☐ Sub junior member (under 18 years old)
  - ☐ Social member

Current Golf Link Number .....

Would you like to have your Bowral Golf Club as your home club for handicap: \_\_\_\_\_

*I \_\_\_\_\_ wish to become a Member of Bowral Golf Club Limited subject to the rules of Membership and the Constitution of the Club and I understand that membership is offered on a full year basis only.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Mentor program

We have a mentor program here to help you to get your handicap, learn how to navigate the competitions, booking systems and show you around the club.

Would you like to be contacted for this? .....

#### To be completed by the Proposer and seconder

Proposing member: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Seconding member : \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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**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 and Saturdays. A Ladies competition for Full Playing Members is held in conjunction with the Saturday Members competition. The Women's competitions are normally played on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Medley competitions are usually played on Sundays or public holidays. Please refer to the golfing section of this programme. Members in competition have right of way on the Course.

**CITY MEMBERS:** City members have the same playing rights as Full Playing Members and can enter all competitions. Men's Wednesday and Saturday, Ladies Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Whose principal place of residence is beyond the radius of fifty kilometres of the Clubhouse and are not engaged professionally or in a business within that radius, and who are full playing members of another club, and keep their handicap at that club.

**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 are not eligible to win Club Trophies or to compete in the Club Championships. There are also no voting rights with this category. Members in this category reaching 51 years of age may move to 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).

**INTERMEDIATE MEMBERS:** Intermediate Members are members between the age of 23 and 29 and have the same playing rights as Full Playing Members and can enter all competitions.

**VISITING MEMBERS:** Have the same playing rights and privileges as Full Members subject to such limitations or restrictions as the Board may determine from time to time. Visiting members who play on a regular basis may be requested to transfer to full membership.

**COUNTRY MEMBERS:** This category carries 7 day playing access, all daily competitions including monthly medal rounds, but is not eligible to win Club Trophies or to compete in the Club Championships. There are also no voting rights with this category. At the discretion of the Board they must reside outside a 50 kilometre 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.

**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.

**HOUSE MEMBERS:** House Members shall be persons who have attained the age of 18 years and are elected as House members of the Club or transferred by the Board from another category of Ordinary membership to House membership of the Club.

No person who is not already a member of the Club shall be eligible to be elected to House membership of the Club and the only members who can be transferred to House membership of the Club shall be persons who, having been Full Playing members, Six Day Playing Members or Visiting members for at least twelve (12) months, have applied for and have been transferred by the Board to House membership of the Club.

A House member is entitled to the social privileges of the Club and, at such times and upon such conditions and restrictions as the Board from time to time determines may play croquet, bridge or any other social game available in the Clubhouse. A handicap is not maintained and no golfing rights are applicable to this category.

House Members shall be entitled to attend and vote at general meetings of the Club, including Annual General Meetings, and shall be entitled to vote in the election of the Board.

**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.

A Social member is entitled to the social privileges of the Club and, at such times and upon such conditions and restrictions as the Board from time to time determines may play croquet, bridge or any other social game available in the Club, 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)



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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 kilometres 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.



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### **Member Benefits**

**Centennial Vineyards Restaurant**, simply present your Bowral Golf Club membership card to receive a free bottle of wine when having an a la carte lunch (minimum 4 people) [www.centennialrestaurant.com.au](http://www.centennialrestaurant.com.au)

**Mount Ashby Estate** enjoy 10% off the total bill at Mount Ashby Estate, on any Thursday or Friday, simply present your membership card [www.mountashby.com.au](http://www.mountashby.com.au)

**Peppers of Craigieburn** enjoy 10% off the total bill at Hickory's Restaurant and Bar located in Peppers of Craigieburn. Simply present your membership card (2 people per card maximum applies) [www.peppers.com.au](http://www.peppers.com.au)

**Room Hire** free room hire for members

**Membership offer** introduce a new member in the same category and you both receive a 50% discount on that category. Introduce a new member in a different category and receive 50% from that category off your fees, and the new member will also receive 50% off their category (house cards not included)

### **Social Golf**

All playing members enjoy unlimited social golf.

### **Reciprocal clubs**

Royal Automobile Club (Sydney)

Wollongong Golf Club

Eastlakes Golf Club (Sydney)

Heidelberg Golf Club (Melbourne)



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Subscriptions 2019/2020					
Category	Fees	Monthly	House credit	Total	50/50
Full playing	\$2,056	\$171.33	\$200	\$2,256	\$ 1,228.00
Visiting	\$1,239	\$103.25	\$200	\$1,439	\$ 819.50
Intermediate	\$1,226	\$102.16	\$200	\$1,426	\$ 813.00
Lifestyle	\$761	\$63.41	\$200	\$961	\$ 580.50
City	\$761	\$63.41	\$200	\$961	\$ 580.50
City 2	\$468	\$36.00	\$200	\$668	\$ 434.00
Country	\$349	\$29.08	\$200	\$549	\$ 374.50
House	\$410	NA	\$200	\$610	\$ 405.00
Social	\$306	NA	\$200	\$506	\$ 353.00
Student	\$148	NA	NA	\$148	\$ 74.00
Sub-Junior	\$119	NA	NA	\$119	\$ 59.50
Absentee	\$119	NA	NA	\$119	NA

Actual membership entitlements are detailed in the preceding pages.

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. Fees may be paid yearly or by the month where this option is indicated in the above table. 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 'ezidebit' [accounts@bowralgolfclub.com.au](mailto:accounts@bowralgolfclub.com.au)
- The club's ezidebit form can be downloaded from the club's website.
- 1st Payment will include one month's fees, house card and a 5% admin charge.

### Fees

Visitor fees – 7 days \$45.00

Visitors playing in competition - Green Fees \$45.00 Competition Fee complimentary

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 \$30.00 members - \$40.00 visitors