



Guidelines for Ladies, Let's Golf



Welcome

The Brisbane Golf Club has over 350 lady members, of which 50 are graduates from our Ladies, Let's Golf program.

These ladies first attended a free introduction session and progressed into our Ladies, Let's Golf membership categories. They are now either six or seven day members.

The Brisbane Golf Club is proud to run one of the most successful Ladies, Let's Golf programs in Queensland.

The Brisbane Golf Club is the perfect place for you to enjoy your competition golf. We run competitions for Ladies six days a week with Mondays available for social play as well as most afternoons after 3pm.

Our heritage-listed Clubhouse stands proud and our members, most importantly, adore our 18-hole championship golf course, which is ranked in the Top 100 golf courses in Australia according to Golf Australia Magazine and Golf Digest Australia Magazine.

The Brisbane Golf Club is also the only golf course in Australia to have Champion greens, a putting surface installed on over 700 golf courses in the United States.

Hosting the Queensland Open on a record 21 occasions, with the last being in 2018, compliments our list of recent achievements.

These guidelines have been prepared to provide you with everything you need to know about our Ladies, Let's Golf membership categories.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

Geoff Kuehner
Chief Executive Office

Background

The Ladies, Let's Golf program was developed by Golf Queensland to help ladies experience the game of golf in a welcoming, relaxed and non-threatening environment.

The aim of the Ladies, Let's Golf program is to enable to The Brisbane Golf Club to:

- Entice, introduce, increase and retain ladies at The Brisbane Golf Club.
- Provide a culture and experience that is welcoming, motivating, inclusive and supportive of every player.
- Implement new strategies to encourage continued participation and retention of golfers within the club landscape.
- Provide a clear pathway for female participation and membership.

The Ladies, Lets Golf program provides a clear pathway for the complete beginner through to individuals who have played little or previously participated in clinics and or private lessons.

The Brisbane Golf Club offers two levels of membership in conjunction with the Ladies, Let's Golf program commencing with Introductory Membership progressing to Pathway to Membership and extending into four regular membership categories.

LLG Introductory Membership

This is a six-month restricted membership category.

It is aimed at providing you the support you need to decide whether golf membership is something you wish to pursue. It will provide you an understanding of the etiquette of golf and will allow you to become familiar with the layout of the course.

It allows you:

- access to social golf with an escort as follows:
- to play 1 x 9 holes of golf escorted by lady members in timeslots designated for Ladies Let's Golf. These escorted sessions are organised Thursday and on Saturday.
- to play an optional 1 x 9 holes of golf in social timeslots with another member.
- Entry to Clubhouse.
- Use of practice facilities.
- Use spare holes (with a Member).

Conditions of Membership

- You must have registered with GQ and attended a LLG Come & Try Free Clinic, and participated in the GQ Level 1 Coaching Clinic to be eligible.
- You are ineligible if you have previously been a member of another golf club, or held a Golf Australia (GA) handicap.
- You are not eligible for competitions.

Fees

- \$500 Membership Subscription.

Booking your Tee Times

- You must book your tee time for social golf through the Golf Shop.
- If you are unable to play on the day, as a matter of courtesy you need to call the Pro Shop cancel your tee time. It is also courteous to let at least one of your playing partners that you are not playing.
- You must check in at the Golf Shop before heading to the tee.
- Please be at the tee at least ten minutes before your tee-time.

Social Golf

- Escorts will be arranged based on the number of players on the time sheet. If there are no names on the time sheet, no escorts will be made available.
- Please do not tee-off if you do not have an escort. Return to the Clubhouse and inform the office.
- Entry-level golf is all about having fun. For this reason, it is recommended you do not keep score – it's about hitting the ball, not counting strokes.
- The ladies escorting you are unable to coach or provide any advice on swing techniques and so on.
- The escorts are able to help you with matters relating to course management and etiquette and application of basic rules.

Upgrading to Membership

The option of upgrading to a full playing category from Introductory level is permitted with payment of a \$2,400 entrance fee and any annual fees due.

LLG Pathway to Membership

This is a six-month restricted membership category.

It is designed at progressing you towards membership by providing you assistance in getting a GA handicap. Once you have a GA handicap you will be encouraged to join medley competitions in the company of lady members.

It allows you:

- A total of 36 holes per week which may consist of:
- 2 x 9 holes in designated social time slots.
- 1 x 18 holes in Medley competition (GA handicap required).
- Entry to Nine & Dine events (GA handicap required).
- Entry to Clubhouse.
- Use of practice facilities and spare holes.

Conditions of Membership

- You must have participated in our Ladies, Let's Golf program as an Introductory member.
- Eligible for competitions only as above.

Fees

- \$900 Membership subscription.

Booking your Tee Times

- \$900 Membership subscription.
- You may book your tee time through the on-line time sheet.
- Bookings can be made up to 14 days ahead.
- If you are unable to play, as a matter of courtesy you need to cancel your tee time and let at least one of your playing partners that you are not playing. If the time-sheet for that day has closed, please call the Golf Shop to cancel.
- You must check into the Golf Shop before going out on the course.
- Please be at the tee at least ten minutes before your tee-time.

Assistance to Obtain a GA handicap

- Once you move to Pathway to Membership a member of the Ladies' Committee will contact you and work with you to get a GA handicap.
- This involves playing with a member who will record your strokes on a card.
- To obtain a GA handicap you need 6 x 9-hole cards or 3 x 18 hole cards.
- Through this process you will be taught how to score and you will be taught some of the rules.

- This is an introduction to competition play.

On the Course

- Be aware of your pace of play. Always keep up with the group in front of you.
- If necessary, allow the group behind to play through.
- You may look for a lost ball for a maximum of three minutes only.

Upgrading to Membership

The option of upgrading to a full playing category from Pathway to Membership is permitted with the payment of a \$1500 entrance fee and any annual fees due.
(Price based on entry through Introductory membership.)

Dress Code

The Brisbane Golf Club has a dress code that must be adhered to while on the course and when using the practice facilities. Clean, neat and tidy golfing attire (of a style similar to the apparel stocked in our Golf Shop) is to be worn. Golf shoes are to be worn, and must be clean and have soft spikes.

Website

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