



Golf Western Australia Affiliated Club Regulations

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Currently the definitions for each category state several identical criteria. For simplicity these have been removed and grouped as one set of criteria at the beginning for all categories

Affiliated Club Groups

To be considered for affiliation with GolfWA all clubs must:

1. Be an incorporated body or in the process of incorporation
2. Agree to comply with the Rules and Regulations of Golf WA.
3. Agree to abide by the Rules of Golf and Rules of Amateur Status
4. Manage members handicaps according to the Australian Handicap System
5. Recognise GolfWA as the authority for golf in Western Australia and Golf Australia as the national authority for golf.
6. Have satisfactory and relevant secretarial services

Clubs can be considered for affiliation in the following categories and must meet the relevant criteria:-

1. Metropolitan Clubs

- 1.1 The Club's course must be located within 150 kms radius of the Perth GPO
- 1.2 The club's course shall have grass greens and its course and clubhouse facilities shall be suitable and accessible, free of charge, to Golf Western Australia to host Golf WA, state, national or international events
- 1.3 The club should have either freehold ownership of the land on which the course is located or leasehold tenure confirming exclusive rights or the club must have agreed majority access to the course for recurrent and clearly defined periods.

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2. Suburban Clubs

- 2.1 The Club's course must be located within 70 kms radius of the Perth GPO
- 2.2 The club's course shall have grass greens and its course and clubhouse facilities shall be suitable and accessible, free of charge, to Golf Western Australia to host Golf WA, events
- 2.3 The club should have either freehold ownership of the land on which the course is located or leasehold tenure confirming exclusive rights or the club must have agreed majority access to the course for recurrent and clearly defined periods.

3. District Clubs

District Clubs are golf clubs which are generally members of a District Association being:-

3.1 Country Clubs

- 3.1.1 The Club's course must be located outside a radius of 70kms of the Perth GPO
- 3.1.2 The club's course must have at least nine holes.
- 3.1.3 The club should have either freehold ownership of the land on which the course is located or leasehold tenure confirming exclusive rights or the club must have access to the course for recurrent and clearly defined periods.
- 3.1.4 In addition any sand green club within 70 kms radius of the GPO of Perth that meets the above criteria can be considered for Country Club status.

3.2 Public Clubs

- 3.2.1 The club operates in a "structured club environment" and generally play on public courses on agreed recurrent and clearly defined periods.