

An aerial photograph of the Shelly Beach Golf Club. The image shows a lush green golf course with several sand traps and water hazards. The course is bordered by a dense line of coastal vegetation and a sandy beach. In the background, the ocean waves are visible under a clear blue sky.

SHELLY BEACH GOLF CLUB

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MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION



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INTRODUCTION

Experience Shelly Beach Golf Club

Our pristine club is located in the coastal suburb of Shelly Beach, a leisurely 90-minute drive from Sydney and a 60-minute drive from Newcastle. Shelly Beach Golf Club welcomes members and guests to our inviting clubhouse with spectacular ocean views, seven days per week.

Take to the greens on one of the most scenic golf courses on the Eastern Seaboard, featuring tree-lined fairways, manicured greens and is characterized by a golden sand beach framed by low sandstone cliffs and gently sloping dunes.

This premier golfing destination is suitable for everyone from experienced players to first-time putters, catering for all levels of skill and ability. After a round of golf, enhance your experience in first-class clubhouse facilities and an extensive dining selection.

Shelly Beach Golf Club, welcomes every visitor into our community of like-minded people who want to be a part of this friendly and relaxed culture.



Becoming a Member

CHOOSE THE MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY THAT BEST
SUITS YOUR GOLFING ABILITY & LIFESTYLE

Our golfers enjoy a wide range of tournaments and competitions organised by the Club, whilst our social scene offers something to tempt everyone from BBQ breakfasts to dining and fully catered functions.

Golf membership is run on the financial year. All new members or lapsed memberships will incur a one-off Joining Fee, in addition to an Annual Subscription Fee.

The following pages outline the different types of memberships available including information on fees, competition days, joining procedures and other information that may assist you when considering a membership.

For further information:

Phone: (02) 4332 3400

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GOLF MEMBERSHIP

How to Join

Due to a high demand for a membership at Shelly Beach Golf Club, we currently have a waitlist for all membership categories, with the exception of the Women's 5 Day, Cadet, Junior and Tyro Memberships. These categories are open and available.

The first step is to complete an application form, inclusive of a proposer and seconder, then return the completed application form to the Receptionist at the Club. Applicants who are not known to any member of the Club must supply two written references for members of other Clubs, or from people of standing in the community. Application Forms are available at Reception, or on our website. Alternatively, we can email one to you.

Joining Fees

In addition to the completed Application Form, a non-refundable part Joining Fee of \$500 is to be paid to secure a place on the waitlist. The balance of the Joining Fee will be payable on the offer of a membership. All applicants join the Membership Waitlist in the date order they are received, irrespective of the category of Membership applied for. (The Board of SBGC reserves the right to alter the Joining Fee and/or Annual Subscription Fee. Any variation to fees will be advised to the new member at the time of an offer of membership.)

Our joining fees:

Full Playing (7 day).....	\$1,500
Intermediate 1:	\$ 500
Intermediate 2:	\$1,000
Country.....	\$1,500

Full Playing (7 Day)

Member Benefits

- Competition golf at \$22 per game
- Social Golf at a reduced rate of \$15 per game
- Complimentary Practice Golf - from 2:30pm daily, and from 4:30pm daily during Daylight Saving Time
- Reduced cart fees
- Members Guest rates (limited of 15 competition games per player/ per financial year)
- A Golfink number and Handicap if required
- The privilege of playing on a Top 100 Public Access Courses in Australia

Membership Fees

JOINING FEE.....	\$ 1,500
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$ 1,325
GOLF NSW AFFILIATION FEE.....	\$ 75
HOUSE LEVY.....	\$ 100
TOTAL.....	\$3,000

Women's 5 Day

Member Benefits

- **MEMBERSHIP OPEN - JOIN NOW**
- Access to competition golf Monday - Friday at \$22 per game
- Social Golf Monday - Friday at a reduced rate of \$15 per game
- Complimentary Practice Golf - from 2:30pm Monday - Friday, and 4:30pm Monday - Friday during Daylight Saving Time
- Reduced cart fees Monday - Friday
- Members Guest rates Monday - Friday (limited of 15 competition games per player/ per financial year)
- Golfink number and Handicap if required
- The privilege of playing on a Top 100 Public Access Courses in Australia

Membership Fees

JOINING FEE.....	\$ 1,500
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$ 1,325
GOLF NSW AFFILIATION FEE.....	\$ 75
HOUSE LEVY.....	\$ 100
TOTAL.....	\$3,000

Intermediate 1 & 2

Member Benefits

- Competition golf at \$22 per game
- Social Golf at a reduced rate of \$15 per game
- Complimentary Practice Golf - from 2:30pm daily, and from 4:30pm daily during Daylight Saving Time
- Reduced cart fees
- Members Guest rates (limited of 15 competition games per player/ per financial year)
- A Golfink number and Handicap if required
- The privilege of playing on a Top 100 Public Access Courses in Australia

Membership Fees

Intermediate 1

AGED 18 TO 23

JOINING FEE.....	\$ 500
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$ 425
GOLF NSW AFFILIATION FEE.....	\$ 75
TOTAL.....	\$ 1,000

Intermediate 2

AGED 24 TO 29

JOINING FEE.....	\$ 1,000
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$ 735
GOLF NSW AFFILIATION FEE.....	\$ 75
HOUSE LEVY.....	\$ 100
TOTAL.....	\$ 1,910

Country

To be eligible for Country Membership, the member must permanently reside outside the geographical boundaries of the Central Coast District Golf Association.

Country Members are not permitted to play in Club Championship Events. They have the right to attend and vote at General Meetings, vote for the election of the Board, but may not be a candidate for a Director of the Club.

Member Benefits

- Up to 15 games of competition golf per financial year at \$22 per game
- Social Golf at \$35 per game (\$20 after 2:30pm daily & 4:30pm during daylight savings time)
- Reduced cart fees
- A Golfink number and Handicap if required

Membership Fees

JOINING FEE.....	\$ 1,500
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$ 455
GOLF NSW AFFILIATION FEE.....	\$ 75
TOTAL.....	\$2,030

Cadet

FROM 10 YEARS OF AGE

Member Benefits

- New intake 3 times per year
- 6 x 45 minute coaching clinics with a PGA Golf Professional
- Clinics conducted in groups of 10 with cadets of similar experience
- Cadet competitions with a modified course on scheduled Sundays
- A recognised SBGC Cadet membership
- Equipment can be provided if required (CLINICS ONLY)

Membership Fees

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$	55
CADET COACHING CLINIC.....	\$	70
TOTAL.....	\$	125

Junior

FROM 14 - 17 YEARS OF AGE

Member Benefits

- **MEMBERSHIP OPEN - JOIN NOW**
- Full access to competition golf at a reduced price of \$15 per game
- Eligible to play in Junior Trophy/ Competition held one Saturday per month at a reduced price of \$15 per game
- Complimentary social golf 7 days
- A Golfink number and Handicap if required

Membership Fees

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$	75
GOLF NSW AFFILIATION FEE.....	\$	75
TOTAL.....	\$	150

Tyro – Beginners

The Tyro Program introduces beginner golfers to the game, rules, etiquette, jargon and technique, that can sometimes be overwhelming for beginners. The program operates in groups and is aimed at making the game more enjoyable, and to help the beginner feel more comfortable playing with others.

Member Benefits

- Member intakes 3 times per year
- Mid-week social golf at \$15 per game
- 4 x 1.5 hour coaching clinics with a PGA Golf Professional
- Coaching clinics conducted in small groups of 6
- Opportunity to progress on to Tyro Extension for further coaching

Membership Fees

JOINING FEE (non-refundable).....	\$ 500
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION.....	\$ 75
GOLF NSW AFFILIATION FEE.....	\$ 75
COACHING CLINICS.....	\$ 150
TOTAL.....	\$ 800

Golf Lessons

INDIVIDUAL PRIVATE LESSONS

\$70 for a 40 minute one-on-one lesson with a PGA Golf Professional

PRIVATE LESSONS PACKAGE

\$350 will reward you with 6 x 40 minute one-on-one lessons with a PGA Golf Professional

Please call the Golf Shop on (02) 4332 1103 for availability and bookings.

Competition Schedule

- Monday - Mad Monday Medley Individual Stableford
- Tuesday - Individual Medley Stableford + medley 2 ball
- Wednesday - Ladies Individual Stableford + Chook Run
- Thursday - Men's Individual Stableford + 2 ball
- Friday - Men's and Ladies Individual Stableford + Chook Run
- Saturday - Men's and Ladies Individual Stableford + Men + Medley 2 ball
- Sunday - Individual Medley Stableford + Medley 2 ball
- **Social times available 7 days a week after the morning competitions**

Member Benefits

- Member discounts within Clubhouse & Golf Shop
- Club fittings
- Putting Green
- Chipping Green
- Practice Nets
- Competition Golf 7 days
- Competition prizes
- Launch Monitor Technology
- Diverse calendar of golf events
- Well stocked Pro-Shop
- Knowledgeable and helpful Golf Shop staff
- Access to golf carts and buggies
- Member's Golf Draws
- The opportunity to play in external competitions and social events
- The privilege of playing on a Top 100 Public Access Courses in Australia

Member's Golf Draw

OVERVIEW

Shelly Beach Golf Club (SBGC) hosts member competition golf seven days a week. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday competitions are extremely popular.

The default draw booking process is via the SBGC app. Timesheets become available at 6pm 7 days prior to the event. However, for the busy days Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, two separate in clubhouse draw nights are held.

- The draw for Tuesday and Thursday occurs the full week before on a Monday night.
- The draw for the Saturday and Sunday occurs the full week before on a Thursday night.

DRAW PROCESS

1. The online draw requires members to log in, join the draw, and then wait for their random allocation. They then can enter themselves or a group into the draw for that day.
2. The 'in clubhouse' draw procedure differs from the on-line draw, as follows:

- Member approaches draw table from 5pm and before 6pm to register their membership number.
- Member completes a booking slip with one to four names, including member numbers.
- Member waits until their name is called (via random shuffle), and presents their booking slip sheet to the draw table. Member indicates their preferred tee time, which is then entered onto draw sheet.
- At the conclusion of the process, the draw is uploaded, generally within 24 hours.
- Members are then able to access the draw sheet online to identify gaps in the field, should they wish to book a game.

DRAW RULES

A member may not book in multiple groups ie one-person, one-time slot. The member drawn **MUST** be the person who registers the group, and their name **MUST** appear on the draw sheet. In respect to golfers who enjoy playing in 'subgroups' around the same time, a person may bring a draw sheet containing their name (and others) even if their name is already on another sheet. This rewards members who are present at the draw.

DRAW DROP OFF SHEETS

The Board recognise that some members may not be able to stay for the duration of the draw, for a variety of reasons. Therefore, a member can drop off their booking slip on the day of the draw anytime from 5pm. Only that one member's name will be registered in the draw.

NOT IN USE

The Board recognise that we have a group of volunteers who greatly assist with the movement of many golf carts, and other tasks, before the morning sunrise. These volunteers can take up one of the three (3) 'Not In Use' group spots prior to the first official group tee time. These time slots are generally before or near sunrise, and do not appear on the timesheet.

This group is not exclusive to any particular group of members. Anyone can apply to be considered a 'Not In Use' volunteer, but it does require a dedicated commitment to volunteer work over a period, not simply a one-off process to get an early tee time. The Pro shop manages this process.

TIMES TAKEN PRE-DRAW

There will be a maximum of three pre-draw tee times allocated on the time sheet.

- The President and the Captain get a pre-draw time as per Special Resolution at the AGM. In the event the Captain or President cannot play, that spot may be delegated to another Board member.
- The last member drawn out on a Monday and Thursday evening Draw is given a 'first choice' at the next draw. That person can pick any time they want for the next week.

MEMBER CONDUCT

The draw process has evolved over decades and is currently the fairest process available. Some members do get frustrated when they miss out on their preferred time. This frustration should never involve anger or abuse towards draw officials who are there to facilitate the draw in their own time.

Inappropriate behaviour may lead the member open to Disciplinary action per the Disciplinary Proceedings in our Club's Constitution.