



TOURNAMENT OVERVIEW

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Why not play 7 golf courses across 2 tournaments?

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Don't delay your on-line entry as this tournament sells out very fast!

Come join us in New Zealand's golfer's paradise by REGISTERING ON-LINE

<https://coagc2018.eventdesq.com> or www.parnz.co.nz/tournaments

SPONSORS

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Enter now and come to Queenstown to enjoy our 5 or 7 courses over a week-long Central Otago Golf celebration.

Entries close on the 9 March 2018 or when entries received total 448. A reserve list will be offered on a 'first come, first served' basis.

Best Regards

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- From our official accommodation partner - The Copthorne Hotel Lakefront Queenstown, each day we are offering a bus service to/from the golf courses.
- Cost is NZ\$175 pp for return transfers to all the 5 courses – Alexandra, Arrowtown, Cromwell, and Queenstown & Wanaka. That's 10 rides!
- The tournament transport package is booked with your entry online.



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Superior Rooms

NZD\$135 pp per night twin share with breakfast
NZD\$247 pp per night single with breakfast

Superior Lake View Rooms

NZD\$152 pp per night twin share with breakfast
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- Rental cars with BUDGET are available at a special deal of PAY FOR 5 AND GET 6 DAYS RENTAL
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- Included is 6 days rental, basic insurance, unlimited km's, multiple drivers, GST
- Not included is petrol and airport fee of NZ\$45+GST payable at the airport direct



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7. All handicaps will be frozen for the duration of the Tournament. The committee may adjust handicaps for competitors from other countries not using the course & player USGA slope system for handicapping.
8. In the event that players are tied, a count-back to determine the winners or place-getter, will be conducted as follows. A count back of the last 18 holes will be counted, and if still tied then the last 9 holes, then the last 6 holes, then 3 and then the last hole played. If still tied, the count-back will be decided by lot.
9. Daily winners will also be announced in all divisions – players winning a prize on any day. Players may only win one aggregate prize. All prizes will be distributed in accordance with the Rules of Amateur Golf Status.
10. The Tournament will be conducted in accordance with the Rules of Golf and such Local Rules as approved by the Tournament Committee.
11. All competitors are responsible for all damage to hotel property including any damage in hotel rooms and / or golf carts.
12. Full Tournament Entry payment is due at the time of entry. Any variation to your booking must be in writing. PaR nz Golfing Holidays reserve the right to change golf courses and venues to that which is advertised providing a replacement of a similar standard is substituted.
13. In the event that you cancel, we will refund your entry fee less \$50 administration fee providing your cancellation has been received in writing. There are NO refunds where players cancel after the draw has been published on 2 April 2018.



14. Refunds for add-on booking arrangements such as hotels, airlines, rental car companies, golf courses etc. will only be considered based on what percentage we are able to secure from suppliers less the non-refundable deposit.

PUBLICITY

PaR nz Corporate Events Limited and Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic Committee (COAGC) may arrange media promotion and publicity before, during and after the Tournament. Competitors assent to references to them and pictures of them appearing and being used for purposes determined by PaR nz Corporate Events Limited.

ELECTRONIC DATABASE

By entering this PaR nz Golfing Holidays event managed tournament, you agree to be added to the COAGC / PaR nz Golfing Holidays database and to receive electronic on-going communications including email newsletters, electronic flyers, and materials as may be sent by post, including specific updates as they pertain to the event you have just entered.

NZ LICENCING LAWS (Clubhouse)

All players and partners participating in the 2018 Mount Michael Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic agree to comply with the NZ Licence Laws when entering and purchasing services from the five golf club venues. This may include providing your name and home address.

INSURANCE

All competitors participating in 2018 Mount Michael Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic do so at their own risk; the Tournament Committee, PaR nz Corporate Events Limited t/as PaR nz Golfing Holidays, sponsors, host golf clubs and other suppliers of goods or services accept no liability for any death, injury, property loss or damage incurred during or arising out of any aspect of the conduct of the Championship. For all New Zealand and overseas golfers, PaR nz Corporate Events Limited t/as PaR nz Golfing Holidays strongly recommends travel insurance is taken by each person travelling. At each course a Health & Safety information advice sheet will be handed out, identifying all risk areas as identified. All players must take note of this and action accordingly.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

The tournament committee shall consist of the tournament director, additional representative from PaR nz Golfing Holidays and a representative from the board of the Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic.

The Tournament committee reserves the right to amend any condition and / or to alter the number of playing days in the case of inclement weather.



Should any individual course be forced to abandon / cancel play in any day, the number of tournament rounds contributing to the overall team and individual points will be reduced accordingly, regardless of whether some courses / players are not affected by such round cancellation.

The course or courses involved will offer players the chance to play at a later date (within a 12 month time frame) complimentary, in lieu of the cancelled round.

The tournament committee reserves the right to not accept any entry, without having to give a reason. The tournament committee may accept entries from players, whose current handicap is higher than when they entered, providing all play is off the maximum handicap levels as stated.



THE GOLF COURSES

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WANAKA GOLF CLUB

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QUEENSTOWN GOLF CLUB

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8. In the event that players are tied, a count-back to determine the winners or place-getter, will be conducted as follows. A count back of the last 18 holes will be counted, and if still tied then the last 9 holes, then the last 6 holes, then 3 and then the last hole played. If still tied, the count-back will be decided by lot.
9. Daily winners will also be announced in all divisions – players winning a prize on any day. Players may only win one aggregate prize. All prizes will be distributed in accordance with the Rules of Amateur Golf Status.
10. The Tournament will be conducted in accordance with the Rules of Golf and such Local Rules as approved by the Tournament Committee.
11. All competitors are responsible for all damage to hotel property including any damage in hotel rooms and / or golf carts.
12. Full Tournament Entry payment is due at the time of entry. Any variation to your booking must be in writing. PaR nz Golfing Holidays reserve the right to change golf courses and venues to that which is advertised providing a replacement of a similar standard is substituted.
13. In the event that you cancel, we will refund your entry fee less \$50 administration fee providing your cancellation has been received in writing. There are NO refunds where players cancel after the draw has been published on 2 April 2018.



14. Refunds for add-on booking arrangements such as hotels, airlines, rental car companies, golf courses etc. will only be considered based on what percentage we are able to secure from suppliers less the non-refundable deposit.

PUBLICITY

PaR nz Corporate Events Limited and Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic Committee (COAGC) may arrange media promotion and publicity before, during and after the Tournament. Competitors assent to references to them and pictures of them appearing and being used for purposes determined by PaR nz Corporate Events Limited.

ELECTRONIC DATABASE

By entering this PaR nz Golfing Holidays event managed tournament, you agree to be added to the COAGC / PaR nz Golfing Holidays database and to receive electronic on-going communications including email newsletters, electronic flyers, and materials as may be sent by post, including specific updates as they pertain to the event you have just entered.

NZ LICENCING LAWS (Clubhouse)

All players and partners participating in the 2018 Mount Michael Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic agree to comply with the NZ Licence Laws when entering and purchasing services from the five golf club venues. This may include providing your name and home address.

INSURANCE

All competitors participating in 2018 Mount Michael Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic do so at their own risk; the Tournament Committee, PaR nz Corporate Events Limited t/as PaR nz Golfing Holidays, sponsors, host golf clubs and other suppliers of goods or services accept no liability for any death, injury, property loss or damage incurred during or arising out of any aspect of the conduct of the Championship. For all New Zealand and overseas golfers, PaR nz Corporate Events Limited t/as PaR nz Golfing Holidays strongly recommends travel insurance is taken by each person travelling. At each course a Health & Safety information advice sheet will be handed out, identifying all risk areas as identified. All players must take note of this and action accordingly.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

The tournament committee shall consist of the tournament director, additional representative from PaR nz Golfing Holidays and a representative from the board of the Central Otago Autumn Golf Classic.

The Tournament committee reserves the right to amend any condition and / or to alter the number of playing days in the case of inclement weather.



Should any individual course be forced to abandon / cancel play in any day, the number of tournament rounds contributing to the overall team and individual points will be reduced accordingly, regardless of whether some courses / players are not affected by such round cancellation.

The course or courses involved will offer players the chance to play at a later date (within a 12 month time frame) complimentary, in lieu of the cancelled round.

The tournament committee reserves the right to not accept any entry, without having to give a reason. The tournament committee may accept entries from players, whose current handicap is higher than when they entered, providing all play is off the maximum handicap levels as stated.



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