



MURRAY DISTRICT GOLF ASSOCIATION

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

PREAMBLE: The 'Player of the Year' is one of the MDGA's most prestigious awards, promoting players of all abilities to be involved in a range of events throughout the year. The award has both Scratch and Handicap categories.

AIMS: * To encourage golfers to attend a wide range of tournaments and events within the District. These will include Sand, Grass and District sanctioned tournaments and events.

* To reward a golfer's participation and excellence throughout the calendar year

ELIGIBILITY: * Players must be registered members of MDGA Member Clubs.

POINTS ALLOCATION: * The winner of any event will receive 20pts., with a graduation of points allocated down to tenth position. These points are as follows:

1st - 20pts 2nd - 16pts 3rd - 13pts 4th - 10pts 5th - 8pts
6th - 6pts 7th - 4pts 8th - 3pts 9th - 2pts 10th - 1pt.

* Countback: If a countback is required, the total number of tournaments played by those involved over the year will be taken into account.

TOURNAMENTS: Players must play at least one event from each of the following categories:

- * **Tier 1** - All grass green open tournaments of at least 18 holes stroke play
- * **Tier 2** - All sand green open tournaments of at least 18 holes stroke play
- * **Tier 3** - Any open tournament of at least 27 holes and all official District events, including the Sand Green Championships.

NOTE: Some Club tournaments require B, C and D Grades to play Stableford which will also count.