



### Junior Vardon Average/ Junior Derrin Average

The Junior Vardon Averages (JV) for boys and Junior Derrin Averages (JD) for girls consist of all Jack Newton Junior Golf (JNKG) tournaments, club junior open tournaments with JV/JD scoring average status and a number of GOLFNSW Vardon and GOLFNSW Junior Derrin events. The scoring average and overall winner will be determined on a calendar year basis.

Conditions of the Junior Vardon and Junior Derrin ranking system

#### **Player eligibility**

To be eligible to win the JV or JD Averages trophy, a player must participate in the minimum number of rounds before their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. All rounds after a players' 18<sup>th</sup> birthday will NOT count towards their scoring average.

To be eligible for a junior average and to be eligible to win a junior scoring average trophy a player must participate in a minimum of fifteen (15) junior ranking rounds in a calendar year.

#### **How to become a Junior Vardon and/or Junior Derrin Event.**

All club junior open tournaments need to apply for JV and/or JD ranking status. In order to apply a club junior open tournament must meet the following requirements.

- ❖ A minimum of 50 participants in 2011 with a minimum of 15 players on a handicap of 9 or less.

Once a player has completed 21 scoring average rounds the highest score can be discarded. For every 5 rounds played after this time, a player may drop an additional score.

#### **Junior Vardon eligible events include**

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#### **Calculation of a scoring average.**

For boys in 2011, scores returned on a Australian Mens Course Rating (AMCR) of less than 70 will be increased by the number of strokes by which the rating is below 70. Scores returned on a course with a AMCR of more than 70 will be decreased by the number of strokes which the rating is above 70. An average will only be calculated after the minimum 15 rounds have been played.

For girls, scores returned on the Australian Women's Course Rating (AWCR) of less than 72 will be increased by the number of strokes by which the rating is below 72. Scores returned on a course with an AWCR of more than 72 will be decreased by the number of strokes which the rating is above 72. An average will only be calculated after the minimum 15 rounds have been played.

### **No Score Returned**

In the event of a score not returned by a player, the following will apply:-

- A player who has entered for an event and fails to return their card will be recorded as scoring 20 shots above their current handicap.
- A player who has been disqualified shall be regarded as failing to return their card and therefore the above conditions apply.
- Should NCR or Disqualification be recorded for a valid medical or other reason the score will not be recorded. A written application must be made to Jack Newton Junior Golf addressed to the Manager – Tournaments and Events.

### **Results sheet**

All junior scoring average events must complete the JNKG scoring average results sheet correctly and return the completed form to JNKG, PO BOX A138 ARNCLIFFE NSW 2205 or by fax (02) 9567 7720 or email [alison@jnkg.com.au](mailto:alison@jnkg.com.au) within 7 days of the conclusion of the event. Any club failing to do this may risk having their junior scoring average status withdrawn. All results sheets must include the following (Please see example sheet attached):

- Event name and date
- Tournament Director's contact details
- Men's and Ladies Par of the course
- Men's and Ladies AMCR & AWCR of the day
- Players full name, handicap and scratch score