

# WESTERN PROVINCE GOLF

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To: All WP Golf Clubs, members, affiliates and associated golfing institutions

#### **RE: WPG ANNOUNCEMENT AND ADVISORY UPDATE C-19 NO 5**

Further to my communication dated 2020/03/17, 2020/04/14, 2020/05/04 and 2020/05/20 WP Golf would like to advise as follows;

## 1. TOURNAMENTS and LEAGUES

#### 1.1 Tournaments

All WPG Tournaments until 1 August 2020 remain **cancelled**, however reviews will continue on a rolling 4-week basis for tournaments.

The WPG tournaments immediately affected are (and inclusive of the previously mentioned):

- o All Junior Tournaments during this period
- o All PAT Events during this period
- All WP Ladies Tournaments

More communication regarding the reintegration of tournament golf will follow as soon as there is an indication on when we may roll out a tournament schedule.

### 1.2 Leagues

## All 2020 WPG leagues (men and women) are hereby cancelled.

The WPG leagues immediately affected are (along with those previously mentioned):

0	Mid-Amateur League	0	Women's Scratch League
0	Masters League	0	Women's Silver League
0	Harry Solomon League	0	Women's Bronze League
0	Premier & Reserve Leagues		
0	Challenge League		
0	Super Senior League		
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# **1.3 NATIONAL TOURNAMENTS**

Further to the decision by the SAGA and WGSA (7th April 2020) relating to the cancellation of tournaments until the 30th June 2020 (thereafter reverting to a cycle of "60 days prior to Individual Tournaments and

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90 days prior to team events"), the following decision has been reached relating to National Inter Provincial Tournaments for the remainder of 2020.

- Premier Inter Provincial (14th 18th September),
- SA Women's Inter Provincial (22nd 25th September),
- Mid-Amateur Inter Provincial (5th 9th October) and
- SA Junior Inter Provincial (7th 11th December)

The above communication was received by WP Golf on 26 June 2020 from GolfRSA.

#### 2. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Executive Committee of WP Golf is pleased to announce that a Covid-19 Relief Fund was established to assist clubs financially during these trying times.

These funds have been distributed to the respective clubs who are in good standing with WP Golf currently.

#### 3. RAND - A - ROUND

All 2019 contributions received from clubs were to refunded in accordance with their actual contributions received. This action has been completed and all clubs have received these funds.

## 2020 R-a-R contributions (payments) are still to be made in accordance with current policy.

#### 4. AGM

The WP Golf AGM will take place on 13 July 2020 at 18h00.

It will be conducted as a virtual AGM most probably via the MS Teams Platform to allow all clubs to attend accordingly.

Formal notification has been sent along with the meeting documents.

# 5. CLOSING REMARKS

We thank all clubs for adhering to the protocols set out by GolfRSA during this tough and challenging time, and urge them to continue to do so until further notice has been given. As many clubs struggle to generate sustainable income during this time, we urge you to ask your member base to support your clubs as best they can. We are all in this together and are glad to be back, albeit on a rather small scale.

Yours in golf,

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