

**VETERAN WOMEN GOLFERS  
ASSOCIATION OF NSW INC  
PRESIDENT vs SECRETARY CUP  
GOSFORD GOLF CLUB  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018**



Overall Winners 2 Ball Ambrose: Pamela MacDonald and Barbara Finn (CASTLE HILL)

Gosford was our third one-day outer-metropolitan tournament, following Kooindah (2016) and Windsor (2017) and once again was extremely well supported –proving the success and undoubtedly a need for these events. A field on 104 ladies hit off in a 2-person Ambrose team event in very chilly conditions. I went out to set-up the promotional flags on the first tee and had to chip ice away with my trusty hammer. There was frost on the fairways but this did not deter our valiant ladies who were all rugged up for the conditions. 16 Clubs were represented –and as could be expected the majority were from the Central Coast! Delegates in attendance included: Caro Roope (Everglades), Rhonda Tester (Kooindah), Kathleen Ridsdale (Morisset), Marlene Peters (North Ryde), Jenny Chapman (The Breakers), Ellen Goodwin (Highlands) and Lorraine Smith (Waratah).

Jacky Parsons and I played and represented the Association. Sally Hopkins, the new delegate for Gosford was an absolute gem working behind the scenes and filling in the gaps while we enjoyed the course. She helped with the flags, setting up the presentation table and also entering the results into the computer. This allowed us to get the results out quickly after the final results were received. Unfortunately even though we had a shot-gun start there was still an hour difference between the first and last teams finishing! However, no-one seemed to mind!



This was the first time that the VWGA had used Gosford and the greens staff presented the course in magnificent condition. Combined with the pro shop staff (to whom nothing was a problem) made a very enjoyable day. Dad's army was out and about building a new shed and one lady maintains the gardens in a very quirky manner! Morning tea was varied and plentiful and well received on such a cold morning. A huge thank you to all the helpers at Gosford who combined together to ensure the day was a huge success. Special thanks to Sally



– we couldn't have done it without you!

The results were close but I am absolutely delighted that the **trophy was won by the President's team in 2018** –1938/1959 in my final year as President! Thank you to everyone who contributed and congratulations to all the individual winners.

- Overall Winners:** Pamela MacDonald (17) and Barbara Finn (17) (CASTLE HILL) 68.5 Nett
- Division 1:** Marianne Lanham (17) and Sheena Asken (11) (GOSFORD) 70 Nett
- Division 2:** Vicki Duesbury (31) and Bronwyn Dwyer (27) (THE BREAKERS) 71.5 Nett
- Senior Veterans 70+:** Dawn Jamieson (29) and Gail Gear (25) (MORISSET) 73.5 Nett
- Scratch:** Jennifer Kidd (13) and Roslyn Sheehey (16) (WYONG) 83 gross c/b

*Lyn Walker*, VWGA President, 16/08/18

