

Great Golf Courses of Australia:

Australia is a large and diverse continent. Its golf courses are just as diverse, offering spectacular world-class layout amidst jaw dropping scenery and typical Australian hospitality.

Great Golf Courses of Australia profiles and provides a unique level and ease of access to Australia's leading golf courses. A comprehensive and centralized resource for golfers, provides access to information on Australia's leading golf courses and iconic golf tourism experiences.



GREAT GOLF COURSES OF AUSTRALIA

Australian Capital Territory

1 Federal Golf Club

New South Wales

- 2 Magenta Shores Golf & Country Club
- 3 New South Wales Golf
- 4 The Lakes Golf Club

Queensland

5 Hamilton Island Golf Club

South Australia

- 6 Kooyonga Golf Club
- 7 Links Lady Bay
- 8 Royal Adelaide Golf Club
- 9 Tanunda Pines Golf Club
- 10 The Grange Golf Club

Tasmania

- **11** Barnbougle Dunes Golf Links
- 12 Barnbougle Lost Farm Golf Links
- 13 Cape Wickham Links

Victoria

- 14 Commonwealth Golf Club
- 15 Huntingdale Golf Club
- 16 Kingston Heath Golf Club
- 17 Metropolitan Golf Club
- 18 Peninsula Kingswood Golf and Country Club
- 19 Royal Melbourne Golf Club
- 20 The National Golf Club
- 21 The Yarra Yarra Golf Club
- 22 Victoria Golf Club
- 23 Woodlands Golf Club

Western Australia

- 24 Kalgoorlie Golf Course
- 25 Meadow Springs Golf & Country Club
- 26 Nullabor Golf Links
- 27 Secret Harbour Golf Links
- 28 The Cut Golf Links





	Cart Hire	Course Style	Tournaments	Status
Victoria				
1. Royal Melbourne	Medical Certificate	Sandbelt	Women's Australian Open Australian Masters World Cup	Private Club
2. Kingston Heath	Medical Certificate	Sandbelt	Australian Open Women's Australian Open Australian Masters Australian Match Play Championship	Private Club
3. The National	Yes	Link		Private Club
4. Victoria	Medical Certificate	Sandbelt	Australian Open Women's Australian Open	Private Club
5. Metropolitan	Medical Certificate	Sandbelt	Australian Open Women's Australian Open Australian Masters	Private Club
6. Woodlands	Yes	Woodlands	Australian Amateur Championship	Private Club
7. Peninsula Kingswood	Yes	Country Club		Private Club
8. Commonwealth	Medical Certificate	Sandbelt	Australian Open Women Australian's Open	Private Club
9. Yarra Yarra	Yes	Sandbelt	Women's Australian Open	Private Club
10. Huntingdale	Medical Certificate	Sandbelt	Australian Masters	Private Club
New South Wales				
11. NSW Golf Club	Yes	Links		Private Club
12. The Lakes	Yes	Championship		Private Club
Queensland				
13. Hamilton Island	Yes	Resort	PGA Professionals Championship	Public
14. Royal Queensland	Medical Certificate	Championship	Australian Open	Private Club
Tasmania				
15. Barnbougle Dunes	Medical Certificate	Links		Public
16. Barnbougle Lost Farm	Medical Certificate	Links		Public
South Australia				
17. Royal Adelaide	Medical Certificate	Championship	Australian Open	Private Club

OUR WORLD TOP 100 COURSES

- Royal Melbourne West
- Royal Melbourne East
- **Q** Kingston Heath
- **Q** Barnbougle Dunes
- Barnbougle Lost Farm
- Q NSW Golf Course
- Q The National Old Course
- Ω Royal Adelaide
- g Ellerston*
- Q Cape Wickham







Course snapshot: Barnbougle Lost Farm

Australian Ranking: #5 World Ranking: #40

Location: Bridport, Tasmania Closest city: Launceston, 86 kilometres away

Founded: 2010

Facilities: On site accommodation, practice driving range,

short-game practice facilities, restaurant and bar.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required).

Courses: One (18 or 20 holes) Length: 6,263 metres/6,503 metres

Par: 72/78

Designer: Bill Coore Course rating: Medium







Course snapshot: Barnbougle Dunes Golf Links

Australian Ranking: #2 World Ranking: #33

Location: Bridport, Tasmania

Closest city: Launceston, 86 kilometres away

Founded: 2004

Facilities: On site accommodation, practice driving range,

short-game practice facilities, restaurant and bar.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required).
Courses: One
Length: 6,148 metres

Par: 71

Designers: Tom Doak and Mike Clayton







Course snapshot: New South Wales Golf Club

Australian Ranking: #5 World Ranking: #30

Location: Botany Bay National Park, La Perouse, New South

Wales

Closest city: Sydney, 17 kilometres away

Founded: 1928

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar

Hire: Carts, clubs and shoes.

Courses: One Length: 6,245 metres

Par: 72

Designers: Dr Alister MacKenzie and Eric Apperly







Course snapshot: The National Golf Club

Australian ranking: #8

Location: Cape Schanck, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 101 kilometres away

Founded: 1985

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required for some courses).

Courses:

Moonah Course Australian Ranking #12

Old Course Australian Ranking #15

Ocean Course Australian Ranking #50 (the Ocean Course is currently under redevelopment by Tom Doak and will reopen

as the Gunnamatta Course in 2020)

Length: 6,313 metres/6,576 metres/6,539 metres

Par: 72 (all courses)

Designers: Robert Trent Jones Jr (Old Course); Greg Norman (Moonah Course); and Thomson, Wolveridge & Perrett (Ocean

Course)







Course snapshot: The Lakes Golf Club

Australian Ranking: #14

Locations: Eastlakes, New South Wales Closest city: Sydney, 12 kilometres away

Founded: 1928

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar, spa and gym Hire: Clubs, shoes and carts.

Courses: One Length: 5,970 metres

Par: 72

Designers: Tom Howard and Howard Apperly (1930), Robert von Hagge (1970) and Ogilvy Clayton Cocking Mead Golf

Course Design (2009)
Course rating: Difficult







Course snapshot: Royal Melbourne Golf Course

Australian ranking: West Course #1. East Course #6 World Ranking: West Course #6. East Course #55

Location: Cheltenham, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 23 kilometres away

Founded: 1891

Facilities: Driving range, short-game practice facilities, bar and

dining room.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required). Caddies are required for al visitors. Courses: Two (West Course and East Course)

Length: 6,039 metres/5,999 metres

Par: 72/71

Designers: Dr Alister MacKenzie (West Course) and Alex

Russell (East Course)
Course rating: Difficult







Course snapshot: Kingston Heath Golf Club

Australian ranking: #4 World Ranking: #18

Location: Cheltenham, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 27 kilometres away

Founded: 1909

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required) Caddies are required for all visitors.

Courses: One Length: 6,373 metres

Par: 72

Designers: Dan Soutar and Dr Alister MacKenzie







Course snapshot: Metropolitan Golf Club

Australian ranking: #13

Location: Oakleigh South, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 20 kilometres away

Founded: 1908

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required) Caddies available (booking request)

Courses: One

Length: 6,430 metres

Par: 72

Designers: J.B. MacKenzie (original); Dr Alister MacKenzie and

Peter Thomson (modifications); Ogilvy Clayton Cocking Mead

Golf Course Design (current)
Course rating: Difficult







Course snapshot: Victoria Golf Course

Australian ranking: #11

Location: Cheltenham, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 21 kilometres away

Founded: 1903

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required) Caddies are required for all visitors.

Courses: One

Length: 6,278 metres

Par: 72

Designers: Oscar Damman, Bill Meader with Dr Alister

MacKenzie, and OCCM
Course rating: Medium







Course snapshot: Commonwealth Golf Course

Australian ranking: #27

Location: Oakleigh South, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 24 kilometres away

Founded: 1915

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar.

Hire: Clubs and shoes. Carts available (medical certificate

required). Pull buggies available, free of charge.

Courses: One Length: 6,380 metres

Par: 73

Designers: Sam Bennett, Charles Lane and Sloan Morpeth

Course rating: Medium







Course snapshot: Peninsula Kingswood Country Golf Club

Location: Frankston, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 54 kilometres away

Founded: 1925

Facilities: Onsite accommodation, practice driving range,

short-game practice facilities, restaurant and bar.

Hire: Carts, clubs and shoes.

Courses: Three (South Course, North Course and Kingswood

Course)

Length: 6,321 metres/6,159 metres/5,811 metres

Par: 72/72/71

Designers: Sloan Morpeth (original), Ogilvy Clayton Cocking

Mead Golf Course Design (current)

Course rating: Fair







Course snapshot: Yarra Yarra Golf Club

Australian ranking: #55

Location: Bentleigh East, Victoria

Closest City: Melbourne, 24 kilometres away

Founded: 1898

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar. Hire: Carts and clubs Courses: One Length: 6,155 metres

Par: 72

Designers: Alex Russell (original) and Dr Martin Hawtree

(current)

Course rating: Medium







Course snapshot: Huntingdale Golf Club

Australian ranking: #40

Location: Oakleigh South, Victoria

Closest city: Melbourne, 21 kilometres away

Founded: 1941

Facilities: Practice driving range, short-game practice facilities,

restaurant and bar

Hire: Clubs. Carts available (medical certificate required). Pull

buggies available, free of charge.

Courses: One

Length: 6,363 metres

Par: 72

Designer: Charles Hugh Alison

Course rating: Medium









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GOLF COURSE	AusGolf 2020	Aust Golf Digest 2020	
NEW SOUTH WALES			
Magenta Shores Golf Club	14	31	
St Michaels Golf Club	33	61	
Bonnie Doon Golf Club	34	40	
The Vintage Golf Club Hunter Valley	40	51	
QUEENSLAND			
Gold Coast			
Sanctuary Cove Golf Club The Palms	35	71	
Links Hope Island	17		
Royal Pines Golf Club	51 green/ gold	91	
Brisbane		1	
Brookwater Golf Club	22	29	
Royal Queensland Golf Club		35	

GOLF COURSE	Ranking	
002/ 000/02	AusGolf 2020	Aust Golf Digest 2020
TASMANIA		
Royal Hobart Golf Club	66	
The Tasmanian Golf Club	45	
WESTERN AUSTRALIA		
Secret Harbour Golf Links	61	89
Meadow Springs Golf Club	23	84
The Cut	16	36
Kalgoorlie Golf Club	30	58
Joondalup Golf Club		18
Links Kennedy Bay	6	38
Lake Karrinyap		15
SOUTH AUSTRALIA		
Glenelg Golf Club		
Tanunda Pines Golf Club		
Links Lady Bay	38	

VICTORIA

	Ranking			
Golf Course	Aust Golf Digest (2020)	Golf Aust (2020)	World (2020)	
Commonwealth Golf Course	30			
Huntingdale Golf Course	50			
Kingston Health Golf Course	3		22	
Full Payment at time of booking				
The National Golf Course				
- Old Course	16			
- Moonah Course	12			
- Gunnamatta Course (Ocean Course)				
Metropolitan Golf Course	14			
Peninsula Kingswood - North and South Courses	North - 6 South - 20			
Royal Melbourne Golf Course - East Course	8		96	
Full Payment at time of booking				
Royal Melbourne Golf Course - West Course	1		7	
Full Payment at time of booking				
Victoria Golf Course	9			
Full Payment at time of booking				
Woodlands Golf Course	27			
Yarra Yarra Golf Course				

NEW SOUTH WALES

	Ranking		
Golf Course	Aust Golf Digest (2020)	Golf Aust (2020)	World (2020)
New South Wales Golf Course	5		46
The Lakes Golf Course	19		







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