

NHDLGA Junior Female Funding Assistance Program

The directive for the NHDLGA is to promote golf, in all its forms, within the Newcastle, Lake Macquarie and Port Stephens regions. An important part of that directive is to encourage and grow junior female golf participation at all levels.

The NHDLGA has appointed a Junior Information Officer to assist and encourage promising young female golfers. Please contact <u>vicepresident@nhdlga.org.au</u>

The NHDLGA Junior Female Golf Funding Program is designed to assist in the development of promising junior female golfers who have reached representative status, by providing financial assistance when they incur expenses or fees in meeting these representative responsibilities.

Once applicants meet the criteria, NHDLGA will, where possible, provide financial assistance for approved events.

<u>Criteria</u>

To qualify for acceptance in the Junior Funding Program, a candidate is to meet the following criteria:

- 1. Be a financial member of an affiliated NHDLGA Golf Club.
- 2. Be a female golfer who has not reached the age of 19.
- 3. Have played in a NHDLGA event.

Guideline for Funding Limit

Financial assistance provided will be determined on the level of funds available. Should funds be available as determined by the NHDLGA Committee, the guidelines for financial assistance will be as follows:

- 1. A maximum of \$1000 will be allocated for funding by NHDLGA in any one year. An applicant will only be able to receive a maximum of \$500 in any one year.
- 2. Fees or other expenses resulting from, for example, selection in School representative teams, including Hunter Regional and NSW State teams and Hunter Academy of Sport.
- 3. Expenses where the applicant is representing the district either regional or state.
- 4. Other expenses that are deemed appropriate by NHDLGA Committee.

Procedure for Claims

- 1. Apply for funding prior to or following an event you have entered to <u>secretary@nhdlga.org.au</u>
- 2. Provide copies of receipts or other documents to verify expenditure of the amounts claimed.
- 3. Provide evidence of participation in the event. In the case where the event is not attended, evidence to support grounds for inability to attend would be reviewed and approved at the discretion of the NHDLGA.