

FORMAT AND RULES 2018/19

FORMAT	Team, 3-person Ambrose.
GROUPINGS	Two teams play on each hole. Tees allocated on the day.
TEES	White tees, or the equivalent on each course.
MO MASTERS AMBROSE	On every hole, each member of the team may hit a tee shot. The captain then selects one of the tee shots from which to play next. The team members tee shot that is selected does not play the next shot. After the 2nd shot all team members are back in play. Par 3, if the green is missed the player whose tee shot is selected does not chip on. If the green is hit every player putts.
5 TEE SHOTS	Each team member's tee shot must be selected at least 5 times per 18 holes.
SELECTED SHOT	The position of the selected shot is marked, each team member must place their ball within 30cm of the marked position, no nearer the hole, and play from this position.
PLACING	Placing is allowed throughout the course from tee to green. (You cannot place into a better position, e.g. from out of bounds to in bounds, from rough to fairway).
PUTTING ON THE GREEN	The position of the selected ball is marked, each team member must place their ball within one putter head length of the marked position, no nearer the hole, and putt from this position.
SELECTING WHICH CUP TO Play to	Both cups on the putting green are in play. Teams can decide which hole to putt or chip too. Players are not allowed to slow down play by walking forward on fairway to check hole placement.
SIMULTANEOUS PUTTING On the green	Players can putt at different holes at the same time to speed up play.
ORDER OF PLAY	First player/team at tee block and ready to play can tee off for pace of play. Do not have to wait for person/team who scored best at last hole to tee off first.
HANDICAPPING	Handicap of each player in team is added together. From this total 15% is the team handicap. Each team handicap is rounded to the nearest whole number.
NON HANDICAP PLAYERS	If a player does not have a handicap coming into tournament the maximum they can play off is 18 (Although we will access old NZ Golf handicap records to check players past handicaps).
COUNTBACK SYSTEM	18,17,16,15