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Welcome to the Russley Golf Club

Russley Golf Club is one of New Zealand’s premier golf clubs, offering one of the country’s best presented courses located right beside Christchurch Airport.

Visitors are welcome to play the parkland layout which provides a great challenge to golfers of all levels with a number of tee selections to suit players of all ages and abilities.

A two-year programme of improvement work has seen the total redesign of the back nine by highly-regarded architect Greg Turner which should ensure Russley retains its place as a favourite golfing destination for decades to come.

Expert tuition is available in the Golf Learning Centre from a team of dedicated PGA professionals. Instruction takes place on first class practice facilities with specific areas for each part of the game. Following your game, relax in the Number 19 Café and Bar for a coffee or meal, and share stories of your round with our club members or friendly team. The

club also has a dedicated function centre and is the perfect venue for weddings and special occasions.

Members enjoy not only their golf, but also the kinship and company they share with others and the pleasure in meeting new friends. First-time golfers looking for a place to learn the game are made to feel welcome and can take part in one of the many introductory programmes the club offers.

You will find Russley different, but in a refreshingly good way. Modern in outlook, it is a new breed of golf club that is proud of its traditions, but one that looks forward to welcoming the next generation of golfers to enjoy this wonderful game for which we all share a passion.

A Brief History

Russley grew out of the Hagley Golf Club when a number of then members decided that they needed an extended links to relieve the congestion at Hagley and provide a greater golfing challenge. 120 acres of dry river bed land was purchased at Russley by the Hagley Links Co for 4,200 pounds in August 1927.

Then, in the incredibly short time span of less than nine months, the clubhouse was built, the basic layout of the course was decided on and 12 holes of the course were made ready for the official opening on Saturday 12th May 1928.

The original layout of the course is a credit to Joe A Clements, a winner of the New Zealand Open in 1908, 1909 and 1912 and the first professional at the Club. In 1934 Russley Golf Club was duly incorporated as an independent club and the links company was eventually taken over by the club in 1947.

The course in its early days was stark, windswept and bare with thousands of stones lying on the old riverbed land. In those days members used to pick up stones and put them in piles prior to play. In the mid-thirties thousands of *Pinus radiata* trees were planted along with many other shrubs of various descriptions to create the attractive surroundings still evident today.

During the Second World War an aerodrome defence force was stationed in huts along the roadside on the old 7th hole.

Russley has hosted many prestigious tournaments and visitors over the years. In the 1960s and 70s the Wills Masters and Garden City Classic professional tournaments were hosted at Russley on 12 occasions. Players including Peter Thomson, Kel Nagle and Bob Charles were regular competitors. Other famous names who played Russley at that time were the three Major-winning American Toms: Watson, Weiskopf and Kite.

In 1985 the NZ Open, won by Corey Pavin, was held at Russley and in 1990 the Women’s World Amateur Team Championships (the Espirito Santo) was hosted here. Russley continues to host prestigious national events, the most recent being the New Zealand Amateur Championships in 2017.



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A warm friendly welcome awaits visitors and for those who have not visited Russley in a while, a treat is in store. The course, which has always been rated among the best to be found in the South Island, has undergone something of a makeover.

In 2012 the club was required to sell 1.4 hectares on the corner of Russley Road and Memorial Avenue to facilitate a much-needed local road improvement programme. The development took out part of both the 15th and 16th holes at Russley which meant the club had to redesign the back nine holes to fit comfortably into the smaller available space.

The original layout always provided players with a challenge and the club wanted to ensure the redevelopment retained this challenge while maintaining the "Russley experience".

Famous former New Zealand golf professional, now turned course architect, Greg Turner had already redesigned the 18th green and surrounds so he was engaged to create, in essence, an entire new back nine.

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The old layout, part of which was more than 80 years old, was well known as a tight tree lined course. In recent years an aggressive tree removal programme and the effects of a number of strong winds has seen many of the old pine trees removed, opening up the course. The redevelopment has required further tree removal with the course now having a more parkland appearance. The new course stretches to more than 6,400 metres off the championship tees, allowing it to host more national events. But, as before, there are a number of other choices of tee to offer various lengths to suit the needs of members and visitors.

None of the feel of Russley that many golfers have grown up loving has been sacrificed. Many fairways are now more generous; however there is still a premium on driving accuracy to ensure optimal approach shots. While there are

some fairway bunkers, the majority of traps are to be found guarding the greens meaning that the entrance to many of the putting surfaces is relatively narrow. Some of the greens are long, allowing for numerous pin positions and ensuring the golfer who knows exactly how far they hit each club should prosper. The greens are large and undulating, many of them two-tiered. They are all of exceptional quality, with a true roll and consistent pace.

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To really enjoy your golf and to make the most of the time spent on course, regular lessons are a must. Russley offers a wide range of coaching options and programmes for golfers of all abilities.

Golf lessons are the foundation and structure to game improvement and the pathway to realise your full potential as a player. Russley is home to four resident professional coaches, Rodney Yee, Jess Reid, Tom Hardy and Cameron Barnes, with specialist coaching skills. Our pros are here to help:

- Beginners, who are provided with the foundations on which to build a fundamentally sound golf game and the necessary support to feel comfortable and confident playing on the course.

- Improvers looking to lower their scores and turn problem areas into parts of their game they can rely on, eliminating any major weaknesses.
- Advanced players who are wanting to take their game to the next level.

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- Putting and Chipping Area - close to the clubhouse and kept in the same exceptional condition as those you will find on the course.
- Bunkers and Pitching Area - two well-maintained areas to allow you to develop and perfect your bunker and pitching technique.





Becoming a Member

Russley welcomes applications from potential new members. Our friendly, welcoming approach also extends to membership and we try to make the joining process as easy as possible.

The club has an extensive choice of membership categories aimed at ensuring that the majority of golfers are catered for. Whatever your age, if you love your golf and are looking to make new friends on and off the course, then you have come to the right place.

The club has much to recommend it. The attractive parkland golf course that is highly regarded and which has recently undergone a major upgrade and a well-appointed and iconic clubhouse would be high on the list of appealing features. Ask our members their main reason for choosing Russley above all other clubs, however, and many would say the company of fellow members they play and converse with. Traditional seven-day golf memberships are by far the most popular, giving unlimited access to the beautiful 18-hole championship golf course and a host of competitive events.

Full Member: Full golf course access allowing competition and social golf seven days/week.

Full Member Restricted: As for Full Member, but a 6-day membership, with no play on Saturday.

Off Peak Member: Can play any number of times after 1pm. In addition, they can play before 1pm with payment of a green fee at a preferential rate.

Flexible Member: Full golf course access allowing competition and social golf, seven days/week. Limited to either 15 or 25 rounds per annum.

Members can also chart their continual improvement by gaining a New Zealand Golf handicap, recognised at golf clubs worldwide and make their bookings either in person in the Golf Shop, by phone, or online.

For those who find they are unable to get to the course as often as they like there is still the opportunity to enjoy all the benefits of club life.

The Off Peak Membership, for example, is aimed at the player who loves the game but is generally too committed to family and career to justify a full golf club membership. It is also a great way to get a feel for the golf club and membership without having to pay the full subscription. Here is a summary of some of our most popular membership categories:

Junior & Intermediate: Reduced rates for children under the age of 18 and young adults under the age of 30.

Parent Member: 6-day membership, must play with your junior child.

Joining a golf club can feel like a daunting and intimidating step, but not at Russley! New members will find they soon feel at home and quickly make friends.

For full details of membership please phone (03) 358-4748 or download and fill in the form available on the membership page of the club website, www.russleygolfclub.co.nz

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Benefits of Membership

The ultimate way to enjoy the game of golf is to become a member of Russley Golf Club.

Here are just a few reasons why choosing to join us could be the best decision you make all year:

- A well established and beautifully maintained parkland golf course
- Get an official New Zealand Golf Handicap that allows you to play on most courses in New Zealand and is recognised around the world
- A club that values its traditions yet is progressive in its views
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- Well stocked Golf Shop with professional coaching services available
- Online tee booking
- Member electric golf cart rates
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- Full access to first class practice facilities
- Well controlled tee times so that members are given the highest priority
- The chance to represent the club against others in team interclub competitions
- Well run golf competitions for players of all abilities
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Members' Golf

Those who enjoy competitive golf will find themselves well catered for at Russley.

Men, women and juniors all enjoy annual interclub play, while within the club there are a range of competitions played on most days to suit members of all ages and golfing ability.

The aim of many aspiring club golfers is to play interclub, which offers the opportunity to represent one's home club in a team environment. With the added pressure that only team competition can bring, it gives a golfer a fantastic insight into how their game holds up under intense scrutiny and where one missed putt or sliced drive out of bounds can mean the difference between overall victory and defeat!

The men play in the Woodward Cup, Blank Cup and Simon Cup, three scratch match play events featuring eight-man teams. They have an enviable recent record and Russley has been by far the most successful club in these competitions over the past decade.

Don't think, though, that you have to be a scratch golfer to represent the club. With sides also fielded in other Metro and Presidents' Grade competitions (catering for 6 to 24 handicappers) many can experience the thrill that interclub golf can bring.

The women enjoy similar interclub matches run by Canterbury Golf. From the top level Pollock Cup team through to the Nine-hole teams, there are many opportunities for women to represent their club during the week or at the weekend. Nine-hole golf is becoming increasingly popular for those with busy lifestyles who are short of time but still need that regular golfing fix!



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Members' Golf continued

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All sections enjoy competition for numerous trophies within the club throughout the season in a variety of formats, from singles to fourball and stroke play to match play, meaning there should be something to appeal to everyone.

Remember you don't have to join in the club competitions to be a member here. One of the main benefits our members enjoy is the flexibility of the golfing schedule and the space regularly available on the course to play socially without the pressure of competition golf should it not be desired. Golf, after all, is such a wonderful social sport and this side of the game should be cherished. While some thrive on serious competition there are numerous opportunities of a more relaxed nature which enable

members just to go out and enjoy each other's company and take in the beauty of the course. Offering the best of both worlds is a balance we strive to achieve. One such example is our hugely-popular Twilight Golf series. During the daylight saving hours of summer (October to March inclusive) a nine-hole twilight golf tournament is held every Wednesday afternoon. Tee-off times are from 4.30pm to 6pm.

The costs are very reasonable, and for their modest entry fee visitors are eligible for prizes and are also put in the "twos" pool. First class, simple and reasonably priced meals are served in the Lounge afterwards.

Twilight nights are a real feature of our summers here, a wonderful relaxed atmosphere is evident in the clubhouse after golf and many players take the opportunity to invite their non-playing partners to join them for a meal and drink after the game. Golf really doesn't get much more enjoyable than this!



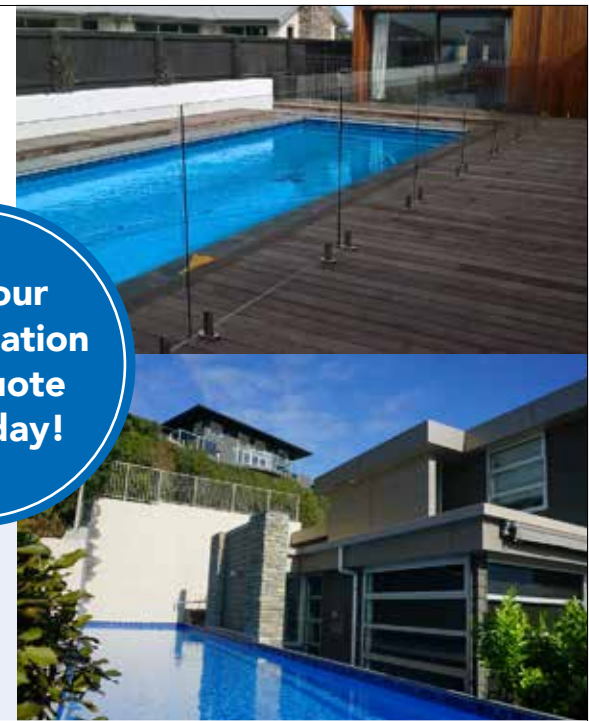
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The following reciprocal agreements are in place:

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Agreements vary from club to club. It is recommended that members check with the office prior to visiting a reciprocal club in relation to any special arrangements and regarding details of current participating clubs as the list is regularly updated.

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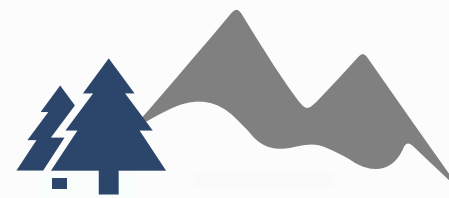
Come down to the club any day of the week and you cannot help but notice how many young golfers there are here. We have more than 70 keen players in our junior category and it is not only a sign that Russley is in good health right now, but that the future looks equally bright.

The juniors particularly are important, not only because they rapidly become the best players and represent the club with distinction in interclub, but also because their energetic and

enthusiastic presence gives the club a vibrant feel. And for those who perhaps take their game just a little too seriously, it also helps lighten the mood a little!

For parents looking to introduce their children to golf, you really could not choose a better club. Russley has a tried and tested coaching structure in place which has proved to be very successful in developing the next generation of talented golfers.





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Our junior coaching programme is held on Sunday mornings in 10 week blocks in line with the school terms. The programme features boys and girls of all ages and abilities, from beginners as young as 3 or 4 years of age right through to championship players. For their part, juniors can learn so much from golf. As well as being a hugely enjoyable sport, it teaches so many life skills such as common courtesy, good manners and playing by rules.

We start the beginners in our SNAG Golf Group. SNAG stands for Starting New At Golf and features fun, easy-to-use equipment for beginners that combines simplified rules and terminology to allow youngsters to learn golf anywhere and at any age.

Each child is taught the basics, so they have the foundations in place to be able to go on and enjoy a lifetime's good golf. As the child's confidence and ability grows, they can work towards achieving targets to enable them to advance to the next skill level with the ultimate aim being to get them out enjoying play on the course as quickly as possible.

The primary goal of all our sessions is fun and enjoyment in a structured learning environment. But any golfer will tell you the game is so much more enjoyable if you play it well and our young members are all encouraged to become as good a player as they are able. Each year we field several teams in the Canterbury Golf's Junior Interclub competition and have enjoyed much success in recent years.

The competition provides young golfers with the opportunity to test their skills and learn match play competition in an environment that is fun and supportive. It gives the youngsters valuable experience of competitive golf and is a perfect stepping stone to the adult interclub teams.

The club encourages its younger players to enter competitions elsewhere and also stages its own. For example, the club has recently started a Junior Twilight competition after school on Mondays which has proven to be very popular.





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can be tailored to a group of friends interested in learning together. The basics are taught and ingrained on the range, as the confidence grows and a certain level of competence is achieved, it's out on to the course for a few holes.

We have an understanding of how daunting it can be especially for adult beginners and are aware of the obstacles that can get in the way of embracing the game and the steps that can make it easier. The lack of time available to play and practice.

The need for it to be fun and not constrained by rules or customs that seem confusing to the outsider. The importance of not only a great course, but the promise after a round of golf of an enjoyable social experience in the café and bar afterwards.

Learn to Play

Golf would appear to be just about the perfect sport. It can be played by young and old, enjoyed equally whether you are an eight-year-old just starting out in the game or an octogenarian with decades of experience.

It keeps you physically fit and literally provides a lifetime's enjoyment. An outdoor leisure activity that allows the player to enjoy personal and team highs and lows and nature's beauty in all its glory, there is also the often overlooked social side to the game. Friendships that last for a generation can be made in an instant. It sounds too good to be true, right?

There is a catch – it takes a degree of determination to learn the game but we can assure you it is worth it! The Pros make it look so easy on the television; at times it's almost as if they have the ball on a string. But you only have to see a beginner taking their first tentative steps on the practice range to know that often that little white ball does not go where you want it to. Sometimes it seems to have a mind of

its own and sometimes the turf travels further than the ball! The coaching team at the Golf Learning Centre are conscious of how difficult the game is to learn and the need for a support structure to ensure that aspiring players are given all the help they need to master the basic skills. We never forget that everyone was a beginner golfer at one stage or other and without that friendly understanding face on hand to offer meaningful and constructive advice; future players can become frustrated and decide that golf is not the game for them.

Thinking of taking up the game? We offer Learn to Play programmes for adult beginners and those players who are looking to get back into golf after a long break away from the game. Learn to Play is offered on an individual basis or





Visitors

Russley Golf Club welcomes visitors to play our 18-hole championship golf course and would love to host you for your next golfing day out.

The course is designed to suit a wide range of golfing abilities from beginners through to those who would like to challenge the course record off the Black Championship tees.

Tee times are available six days a week, from Sunday to Friday, with Saturdays being reserved for our members and their guests.

It is always advantageous to make a booking if you have a tight timeline for your game of golf. If you are booking alone, the club will do all they can to introduce you to other players to share your day with. If you are visiting us for the first time please remember that the club has an appropriate

dress code. If you respect this and standard golfing etiquette such as maintaining a good pace of play you will always be most welcome.

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Clubhouse and Catering

Russley's iconic clubhouse was designed by the renowned architect Sir Miles Warren and opened in October 1994.

Its crescent shape faces out due north overlooking the 18th green and several fairways that radiate out from the clubhouse. The perfect way to finish off after a round of golf is spending some quality time relaxing in the café and bar of the clubhouse.

The café and bar cater to a range of appetites including sandwiches, scones, espresso coffee or for those simply wanting to relax and enjoy the view over the course with a beer and a light bite. We also offer a breakfast menu and daily lunch specials from 9am-3pm Tuesday to Saturday.



Number 19 Events Centre

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Clubhouse and Catering continued

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At Number 19 Events Centre our aim is to provide you with a quality service, a professional style like no other and a passion that will leave you relaxed and confident. From start to finish we will work with you to make your event fantastic!

For further information or to arrange an inspection please phone (03) 358 5903 or email functions@russleygc.co.nz.



Corporate Golf

Golf is the ideal way for your company to entertain clients and build new business relationships.

Russley Golf Club is a popular venue for corporate golf days offering a first class golf course and function facilities to match. Corporate golf days are lots of fun and a great way to treat the people who make your business successful. Key features and benefits of a golf day spent with us include:

- Quality time with clients and your team - quite the opposite to a standard business meeting. Here you have the opportunity to spend the day with them, strolling the fairways having fun.
- Professionalism – we can ensure your golf day is run professionally and goes smoothly from start to finish. This reinforces the service and quality levels of your brand.
- Thanking the people who matter – what a great way to say thanks to clients and your team. We’ve never seen someone leave a golf day without a smile on their face.

Russley is able to provide a complete package for the corporate client that takes care of the whole day. All you need to do is send out the invitations and advise us who is playing. We cater for corporate golf events of all sizes from 20 players up to a full field of 128 players.





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- Assistance with pre-event planning
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- Golf carts
- Use of the Tournament Office for player registration
- Competition markers for nearest the pins and longest drive
- Pre-start player briefing
- Tailored menus for pre and post golf functions
- Collation of results

We are able to offer some additional services which will add to the success of your event:

- Coaching clinics with our PGA Professionals
- On course professional host
- Accessory pack for players
- Prizes

Should you enjoy your corporate golf day at Russley, please also bear in mind we are an exceptional function host and are a popular venue for conferences, business meetings and trade fairs.

For more information and to make a booking for your next corporate/charity golf day at Russley Golf Club, phone (03) 358-4681.



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Open Competitions

Russley is an historic golf club with a rich heritage dating back to the founding of our club in 1928.

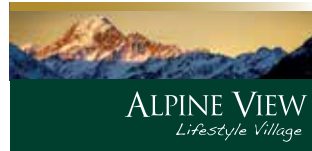
We know we have something special here and nothing gives us greater pleasure than to share the enjoyment of our magnificent course with people who may not have experienced it before.

One of the ways in which we can do this is by staging a number of open competitions throughout the year aimed at golfers from all walks of life and all abilities. Among the highlights of the golfing year is the Russley Open, which generally takes place in February. A 36-hole event for the

championship golfer with some superb prizes, this event is one to mark on your calendar. Limited to 96 players and in 3 grades it is a CGI Vardon Trophy Event.

There are several events during the year for female golfers and March also sees a popular nine-hole tournament. Events may change from year to year, so make sure to check out the club website, www.russleygolfclub.co.nz, for the latest information and details of how to enter.





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Social Activities

Russley's members love their golf and their love of the game is probably only matched by their desire to have a good time.

Being able to play on a wonderfully picturesque and historic course as often as they choose is something special in its own right, but arguably what sets Russley apart from many others is the incredible atmosphere in the clubhouse.

The club is very social in the sense that the members enjoy the camaraderie to be found within the club as much as they do their golf.

Members are able to attend several large social evenings throughout the year, some of which revolve around the golf

and others featuring entertainment of some kind, perhaps a band or performer or a comedy night.

These functions can be impressive with the Main Lounge and functions rooms opened up into one big room that seats in excess of 200. Here you can really get a feel for what Russley is all about, though you will do that equally well should you wander into the clubhouse any day as members enjoy relaxing with a drink after one of the club's many competitions.



How to Find Us

Russley is just over 10kms (or a 15-minute drive) away from Christchurch's CBD.

Directions from the CBD

Head north west out of the city on Tuam Street and Riccarton Avenue. At the roundabout, take the 3rd exit on to Deans Ave. Follow this road for 2km and turn left at the junction on to Fendalton Road, which becomes Memorial Avenue. Remain on this road for around 5km. After passing the Copthorne Hotel on your left, you will soon see the entrance to the club on your right, just before a tall line of trees. Proceed with caution turning right over the dual carriageway.

Public Transport

Russley is well served by public transport. Catch a No. 29 bus from the Central Station in Christchurch's CBD to Airport via Fendalton and alight just before the airport in Memorial Avenue. Journey time is around 35 minutes. For international travellers, the club is just a short walk or taxi ride from the airport.

Contact Us

We look forward to welcoming you to Russley Golf Club. If you have any questions or would like further information then please do not hesitate to contact us.

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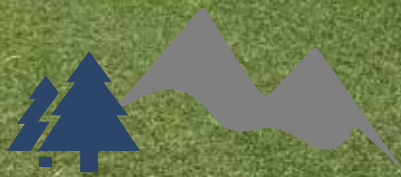
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