

### 2022 - Issue 19

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# Your Invitation to WDGC 2022

The Australian team is being finalised and will be formally announced once the player registrations are paid in full in May.

In the meantime, state members of Deaf Golf Australia are invited to travel to Lihue in Kauai, Hawaii to support our team. If you are thinking about a holiday in Hawaii and be part of the unique World Deaf Golf Championship community, the Royal Sonesta Hotel has offered discount rates for the duration of the championships - US\$296 per night (for 2 people twin share). For an extra US\$300 per person there are three dinner events:-

Opening Ceremony - Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> October Hawaiian Luau -Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October Closing Ceremony - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October

If you would like to be a supporter of the Aussie team and are interested please send your inquiry to the Australian Team Manager who will be able to confirm discount rates at the Royal Sonesta Hotel in Lihue. Please send your inquiry by email ASAP to

## team-manager@deafgolfaustralia.com.au

# **DGA State 2022 Championships**

We asked our member states for details of their own State Championships. Here are some of the details that are planned for the year:-

### 1. Deaf Golf Victoria Championships

For only \$200 you will get two nights stay at **Rich River Golf Club Resort, Moama** on the Murray river (arrive Fri 17<sup>th</sup> June) and check out Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June – play both the West and East courses on Saturday and Sunday respectively.

**Great value for money!** If you are interested please email **deafgolfvictoria@gmail.com** for an entry form.



#### 2. Deaf Golf NSW Championships

Our friends in NSW are yet to finalise this year's championships – hopefully to be finalised for some time at the end of the year closer to Christmas.

#### 3. Deaf Golf Queensland Championships

We are looking forward to any plans that our Queensland friends might have for this year. We will keep our eyes peeled.

Any one interested to play at any State Championship will need to be a financial member of their state to qualify. DGWA and DGTAS have not made any plans for their Championships this year.



# Deaf Games - Postponed

As you can see from the graphic (see left) the AUS DEAF GAMES has now been officially postponed to 13-20 January 2024 and the golf will be at the same venue.

**REFUND:** For those of you who have already paid in advance for the Games that were originally planned for next month (April 2022) and would like a full refund – you have until 14<sup>th</sup> April 2022. Otherwise you can still keep your registration for 2024. Click here for your refund

www.austdeafgames.org.au/registration/

**ACCOMMODATION TIP:** Although the games are 2 years away and to avoid any disappointment, we would recommend everyone make their hotel booking at **Club Macquarie** which is right next to the Waratah Golf course.