

History & Honour Roll –

Australian Boys' Amateur Championship

History

The first Australian Boys' Amateur Championship was played in 1982 at Royal Queensland Golf Club. It was played over 72-holes stroke play, for players under the age of 21 years.

The format remains unchanged today, however the age limit changed to under 18 years in 1993.

Notable winners of the championship include Brett Ogle (1985), Peter O'Malley (1986), Robert Allenby (1990), Stuart Appleby (1991), Adam Scott (1997, 98), Jason Day (2004), Cameron Smith (2001) and Ryan Ruffels (2014, 15).

The youngest winner of the championship is Anthony Murdaca (SA) at 14 years and 285 days in 2010.

Some other Australian professional golfers who just missed winning the title include Craig Parry (runner up: 1983), Geoff Ogilvy (3rd: 1994) and Aaron Baddeley (runner up: 1997).

Honour Roll & Venue – Australian Boys' Amateur

Year	Champion	Venue	
2019	Elvis Smylie (QLD)	Southport GC, QLD	271
2018	Connor Fewkes (WA)	Gosnells GC, WA	275
2017	Cameron John (VIC)	Wollongong GC, SA	269
2016	Daniel Hillier (NZL)	Ulverstone GC, TAS	278
2015	Ryan Ruffels (VIC)	Kooyonga GC, SA	273
2014	Ryan Ruffels (VIC)	Heritage G&CC, VIC	277
2013	Anthony Murdaca (SA)	Pinjarra GC, WA	272
2012	Tyler Hodge (NZL)	Bribie Island GC, QLD	283
2011	Cameron Smith (QLD)	Carnarvon GC, NSW	279
2010	Anthony Murdaca (SA)	Launceston GC, TAS	280
2009	Do Eun An (QLD)	Alice Springs GC, NT	284
2008	Daniel Nisbet (QLD)	Spring Valley GC, VIC	281
2007	Jason Scrivener (WA)	Cottesloe GC, WA	281
2006	Boyd Watts (QLD)	Toowoomba GC, QLD	277
2005	Eagle Chang (QLD)*	Barwon Heads GC, VIC	284
2004	Jason Day (QLD)	Yowani CC, ACT	282
2003	Tom Davis (QLD)**	Mowbray GC, TAS	205



GolfAustralia

Year	Champion	Venue	
2002	Garrad Weston (QLD)*	Grange GC (East), SA	293
2001	Rick Kulacz (WA)	Melville Glades GC, WA	278
2000	Mark Wuersching (QLD)	Indooroopilly GC (East), QLD	289
1999	Richard Moir (QLD)	Kew GC, VIC	283
1998	Adam Scott (QLD)	Orange GC & Wentworth GC, NSW	287
1997	Adam Scott (QLD)	Alice Springs GC, NT	279
1996	Simon Lacey (WA)	Riverside GC, TAS	287
1995	Nigel Spence (SA)	Grange GC, SA	290
1994	David Gleeson (QLD)	Cottesloe GC, WA	292
1993	Tom Arnott (QLD)	Royal Queensland GC, QLD	299
1992	Saali Herewini (NZ)	Cumberland CC, NSW	278
1991	Stuart Appleby (VIC)	Grange GC (East), SA	292
1990	Robert Allenby (VIC)*	Keysborough GC, VIC	288
1989	Marty Roberts (QLD)	Launceston GC, TAS	286
1988	Peter Zidar (QLD) *	Capel GC, WA	291
1987	Stuart Bouvier (QLD)*	Royal Queensland GC, QLD	301
1986	Peter O'Malley (NSW)	New South Wales GC, NSW	280
1985	Brett Ogle (NSW)	Glenelg GC, SA	281
1984	Steve Jackson (NSW)*	Victoria GC, VIC	305
1983	Grant Waite (NZ)*	Cottesloe GC, WA	297
1982	Grant Waite (NZ)	Royal Queensland GC, QLD	292

* Denotes won in playoff

** Denotes championship reduced to 54 holes