Australia's Top 100 Courses

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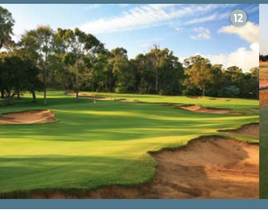
RANK	CHANGE	COURSE	DESIGNERS	LENGTH	PAR
1	▲2	Kingston Heath	VIC – Dan Soutar (1925)/Alister Mackenzie (1926)	6,436	72
2	–	New South Wales	NSW – Alister Mackenzie (1928)/Eric Apperly (1937 & 1951)	6,240	72
3	▼2*	Royal Melbourne (West)	VIC – Alister Mackenzie (1931)	6,061	72
4	▲1	Barnbougle Dunes	TAS – Tom Doak & Michael Clayton (2004)	6,148	71
5	▼1	Ellerston	NSW – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (2001)	6,677	72
6	▲2	The National (Monash)	VIC – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (2000)	6,576	72
7	–	Metropolitan	VIC – J.B. MacKenzie (1906)/Dick Wilson (1959)/Michael Clayton (ongoing)	6,500	72
8	▼7*	Royal Melbourne (East)	VIC – Alex Russell (1932)	6,007	71
9	▼3	Royal Adelaide	SA – H.L. Rymill & C.L. Gardiner (1904)/Alister Mackenzie (1926)/Thomson & Perrett (1997)	6,619	73
10	▲1	Victoria	VIC – Oscar Damman, William Meader & Alister Mackenzie (1927)	6,278	72
11	▼2	The Australian	NSW – Jack Nicklaus (1976)	6,610	72
12	▲7	Lake Karrinyup	WA – Alex Russell (1928)/Michael Clayton (2008)	6,427	72
13	▲1	Moonah Links (Legends)	VIC – Thomson & Perrett (2004)	6,315	72
14	▲11	The Dunes	VIC – Tony Cashmore (1997)	6,464	72
15	▼5	Royal Sydney	NSW – Carnegie Clark (1913)/Ross Watson (2003)	6,344	72
16	▼4	The National (Old)	VIC – Robert Trent Jones Jnr (1968)	6,313	72
17	▲8	The Lakes	NSW – Bruce Devlin & Robert von Hagge (1967)/Michael Clayton (2009)	6,290	72
18	▼3	Newcastle	NSW – Fred Popplewell Snr (1915)/Eric Apperly (1937)	6,345	72
19	▲3	Joondalup (Quarry/Dune)	WA – Robert Trent Jones Jnr (1985)	6,332	72
20	–	The Links Kennedy Bay	WA – Michael Coate, Roger Mackay & Ian Baker-Finch (1998)	6,420	72
21	▲8	Barwon Heads	VIC – Victor East & Mick Morcom (1921)	5,856	70
22	▲10	Woodlands	VIC – J.D. Scott & R.J. Banks (1913)	6,097	72
23	▼10	Kooyonga	SA – Herbert Lockett Rymill (1924)	6,214	72
24	▲3	Commonwealth	VIC – Sam Bennett (1926)/Sloan Morpeth (1938)/Kevin Hartley (1994)	6,380	73
25	▲11	Peninsula (North)	VIC – Sloan Morpeth (1967)/Michael Clayton (2005)	6,158	72
26	▼9	Moonah Links (Open)	VIC – Thomson, Wolveridge & Perrett (2001)	6,829	72
27	▼9	Royal Canberra	ACT – James Herd Scott (1945)/John Harris (1962)	6,395	72
28	▼4	Magenta Shores	NSW – Ross Watson (2006)	6,305	72
29	▲4	Thirteenth Beach (Beach)	VIC – Tony Cashmore (2001)	6,391	72
30	▲27	Royal Queensland	QLD – Michael Clayton (2007)	6,414	72
31	▼15	The Cut	WA – James Wilcher (2005)	6,385	72
32	▼2	St Andrews Beach	VIC – Tom Doak & Michael Clayton (2006)	6,074	70
33	▼7	Brookwater	QLD – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (2002)	6,505	72
34	▲3	Yarra Yarra	VIC – Alex Russell (1929)	6,104	72
35	▼4	Links Hope Island	QLD – Thomson, Wolveridge & Perrett (1993)	6,417	72
36	▼8	Huntingdale	VIC – Charles H. Alison (1941)/Newton, Grant & Spencer (2006)	6,363	72
37	▲10	The National (Ocean)	VIC – Thomson, Wolveridge & Perrett (2000)	6,552	72
38	▲11	Portsea	VIC – Jock Young (1925)/Sloan Morpeth (1962)/Michael Clayton (2002)	5,971	72
39	▲17	Peninsula (South)	VIC – Sloan Morpeth (1967)/Michael Clayton (2007)	6,321	72
40	▼2	Coolum (Hyatt Regency)	QLD – Robert Trent Jones Jnr (1988 & 2009)	6,085	71
41	▲1	Bonville	NSW – Terry Watson & Ted Stirling (1992)	6,206	72
42	▲2	The Grand	QLD – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (1997)	6,209	72
43	▼9	Concord	NSW – Dan Soutar (1916)/Ross Watson (1998)/Mark Parker (2009 and ongoing)	6,146	71
44	▼4	The Vintage	NSW – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (2003)	6,310	71
45	▲1	Glenelg	SA – H.L. Rymill (1927)/Vern Morcom (1955)/Neil Crafter & Bob Tuohy (2004)	6,267	71
46	▼5	Terrey Hills	NSW – Graham Marsh & Ross Watson (1994)	6,501	72
47	▲4	Elanora	NSW – Dan Soutar (1929)/James Wilcher (2003)	6,264	72
48	▼3	Glades	QLD – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (2000)	6,431	72
49	▲6	Grange (West)	SA – Vern Morcom (1956)/Michael Clayton (2007)	6,241	72
50	▼11*	The Vines (Lakes)	WA – Graham Marsh & Ross Watson (1989)	6,494	72
51	▼16	Sanctuary Cove (Pines)	QLD – Arnold Palmer & Ed Seay (1989)	6,681	72
52	▲11	Mount Lawley	WA – David Anderson & James Tinlin (1930)/Michael Coate (2004 and ongoing)	6,213	72
53	▼32	Laguna Whitsundays	QLD – David Graham & Gary Panks (1992)	6,366	72
54	▼4	Club Pelican	QLD – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (2000)	6,359	72
55	▼12	The Heritage (St John)	VIC – Jack Nicklaus (2000)	6,667	72
56	▲3	Pacific Harbour	QLD – Ross Watson (2006)	6,402	72
57	▼5	Links Lady Bay	SA – Newton, Grant & Spencer (2000)	6,400	72
58	▼10	St Michael's	NSW – Michael Moran & C.W. Cole (1938)	6,282	72
59	▼5	Capricorn (Championship)	QLD – Karl Litten (1992)	6,542	72
60	▲5	Port Fairy	VIC – club members (1963)/Kevin Hartley (1990)/Michael Clayton (2007)	5,887	72
61	▲9	The Western Australian	WA – Alex Russell (1928)/Graham Marsh (2001 and ongoing)	5,800	70
62	▲10	Spring Valley	VIC – Vern Morcom (1948)/Michael Clayton (ongoing)	6,161	71
63	▲35	Cottesloe	WA – David Anderson (1931)/Graham Marsh (1998 and ongoing)	6,065	72
64	New	Settlers Run	VIC – Greg Norman, Bob Harrison & Harley Kruse (2007)	6,607	72
65	▲13	Meadow Springs	WA – Robert Trent Jones Jnr (1993)	6,129	72
66	▲3	Sanctuary Lakes	VIC – Greg Norman & Bob Harrison (2000)	6,489	72
67	▼3	Secret Harbour	WA – Graham Marsh (1999)	6,423	72
68	▲9	Twin Creeks	NSW – Graham Marsh (2006)	6,444	72
69	▼16	Alice Springs	NT – Thomson & Wolveridge (1985)	6,196	72
70	▼9	Lakelands	QLD – Jack Nicklaus (1997)	6,489	72
71	▼9	Tasmania	TAS – Al Howard (1972)	6,200	72
72	▲4	The Heritage (Henley)	VIC – Tony Cashmore (2006)	6,353	72
73	▼13	Grange (East)	SA – Vern Morcom (1967)	6,352	72
74	▼16	Pacific Dunes	NSW – James Wilcher (2005)	6,411	72
75	New	Avondale	NSW – Eric Apperly (1927)/Ross Watson (2008)	6,059	71
76	▼10	Paradise Palms	QLD – Graham Marsh & Ross Watson (1990)	6,464	72
77	▼2	Araluen	WA – Michael Coate & Roger Mackay (1994)	6,380	72
78	▼4	Royal Hobart	TAS – Vern Morcom (1956)	6,133	72
79	New	Eynesbury	VIC – Graham Marsh (2008)	6,577	72
80	New	Long Island	VIC – Gordon Oliver (1938)	6,205	72
81	–	Arundel Hills	QLD – Fred Bolton (1992)	6,372	72
82	▲13	Amstel (Ramfurlie)	VIC – Michael Clayton (2002)	6,279	72
83	▲6	Murray Downs	NSW – Ted Parslow (1990)	6,197	72
84	▼17	Macquarie Links	NSW – Robin Nelson (2002)	6,278	72
85	▼17	Narooma	NSW – John Spencer (1980)	5,941	72
86	New	Bunbury	WA – Albie Gough, Joe Allen & Fred Flanagan (1948)	6,071	72
87	▼7	Riversdale	VIC – Alex Russell (1930)	6,057	72
88	▲11	Sorrento	VIC – J.D. Scott (1929)	5,694	70
89	▼10	Twin Waters	QLD – Thomson, Wolveridge & Perrett (1991)	6,183	72
90	New	Yering Meadows (Nursery)	VIC – Ross Watson (2008)	6,408	72
91	▼52*	The Vines (Ellenbrook)	WA – Graham Marsh & Ross Watson (1989)	6,561	72
92	▼1	Albany	WA – William Henry Angove (1898)/various (1963)	6,068	72
93	New	Kooindah Waters	NSW – Ross Watson (2006)	6,083	72
94	▼1	North Lakes	QLD – Graham Marsh (2002)	6,455	72
95	▼8	Noosa Springs	QLD – Graham Papworth (1999)	6,189	72
96	▼14	Southern	VIC – Sam Berriman (1949)/Thomson & Wolveridge (1979)/Bob Shearer (1990 and ongoing)	6,255	72
97	▼5	Castle Hill	NSW – Eric Apperly (1951)/Newton, Grant & Spencer (1992)	6,187	72
98	▲2	Tallwoods	NSW – Michael Hurdzan (1999)	6,100	71
99	▼28	Indooroopilly (West)	QLD – Ross Watson (1985 & 2008)	6,375	72
100	▼29	Horsham	VIC – Sam Berriman (1949)	5,919	71

* Ranked as part of a composite layout in 2008



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