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### Jin Jeong to Defend Riversdale Cup Title

South Korean born Australian, Jin Jeong, second in the world's amateur rankings, is hoping to win back-to-back Riversdale Cup titles after an impressive display in 2010.

Jeong also finished with the silver medal at the British Amateur Championship held at 2010 British Open home Muirfield Golf Course in Scotland last year.

The Riversdale Cup, with 116 years of tradition, will once again showcase the cream of the world's amateur golfing talent between 11 and 14 March.

The Course is in pristine condition whilst the impressive new clubhouse is fully operational for what promises to be a busy weekend, with talented golfers and enthralled galleries enjoying the unique urban surroundings of a course no more than 30 minutes outside Melbourne's CBD.

The international flavour of the event is exemplified by the eight countries that are represented. Some of the best amateur talent from Australia, New Zealand, Malaysia, Italy, U.S.A, England and Switzerland are all taking part in what promises to be an intense and pulsating tournament.

Riversdale Golf Club President, Mike Wilton, believes the course is in the best condition he has seen, attributing the lush fairways and tricky greens to course superintendent Dave Mason,

"The course has come together magnificently, our superintendent, Dave Mason and his team have been working tirelessly over the past month despite testing conditions, to prepare the course for the Riversdale Cup," Wilton said.

Wilton also remarked that the newly completed clubhouse will add an extra degree of excitement to the tournament, boasting 180 degree panoramic views of the beautiful Riversdale surrounds,

"We are excited that the new clubhouse is completed and we are ready for the biggest Riversdale Cup in 116 years, the members have been clamouring to sign up as volunteers, to be a part of this tournament," he said.

Past champions at Riversdale include Australian golfing royalty in Robert Allenby, who won back-to-back titles in 1990-91 and Aaron Baddeley in 1999, just weeks after becoming the first amateur since 1960 to win the Australian Open.

The challenging Riversdale layout offers opportunity for low scores as well as massive blowouts if things go awry and with the course being located in the heavily populated



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suburb of Mount Waverley organisers are confident of seeing bumper crowd's turnout to get a glimpse of the 185 strong field of professional hopefuls.

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