

## 14. Competition Terms and Conditions

Terms of the Competition determine the structure of each competition including who may enter, how to enter, what the schedule and format of the competition will be and how ties will be decided. It is the responsibility of the Committee to:

- Set clear and concise terms for each competition.
- Make these terms available to players in advance of the competition.
- Interpret the terms should any questions arise.

Other than in exceptional circumstances, the Committee should avoid altering the Terms of the Competition once the competition has started.

It is the responsibility of each player to know and follow the Terms of the Competition.

This Bye Law details the Terms for all Handicap effecting Competitions, Board Competitions and Aggregate Competitions played at HMGC.

### 14.1 Gentleman's Competitions

#### 14.1.1 18 Hole Saturday Competitions

Captains Qualifiers (Medal)

Ralph Harrison Trophy (Medal)

Mauldeth Trophy (Medal)

Proctor Trophy (Medal)

Danny Williams (Stableford)

Ken McEwan (Stableford)

Victory Trophy (Stableford)

Development Trophy (Stableford)

Stableford Cup (Stableford)

Jubilee Putter (Bogey)

Crowther Trophy (Bogey)

Monthly Medal

Monthly Stableford

Monthly Bogey

Subsidiary Competition {Captains Final (Medal), Professionals Competition (Bogey)}

Veteran's Trophy ( The Veteran's Trophy is normally played simultaneously with another Saturday medal competition, the "Terms of Competition" for that Competition apply to the Veteran's Trophy, **additionally to be eligible to enter the Veteran's Trophy players must be 60 or over on the day of the competition.** Prizes are normally awarded for the two best nett scores with the winner being presented with the Veterans Trophy and they qualify for the following year's Millennium Trophy. There are no order of Merit Points awarded for the

Veteran's Trophy. (A single player can win prizes in both the Saturday Medal competition and the Veteran's Trophy.)

### **Eligibility**

For Captain's Qualifiers, Stableford Cup, Monthly Medal, Monthly Stableford, Monthly Bogey and Subsidiary competitions all male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

For the, Ralph Harrison Trophy, Mauldeth Trophy, Proctor Trophy, Danny William's Trophy, Ken McEwan Trophy, Victory Trophy, Development Trophy, Jubilee Putter and Crowther Trophy all Male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index. To win these Competitions a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than overall prize in these competitions.

### **Tees**

Played from White Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for competitions is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Reserved tee time booking opens via the Club PSI terminal at 18.00hrs and via BRS at 20.00hrs 15 days before the Competition date.

Players may also play in these competitions outside the reserved tee times on the day of the competition.

Competition bookings remain open until 12 hours before the commencement of the Competition.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions. Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie these competitions are decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and both player's names will be engraved on the Trophy or Honours Board and entered in the following years Millennium Trophy.

## **Results and Prizes**

Results will be published, by the Golf Team on How-Did-I-Do, on the evening of the competition or the day after.

Entry fees for all Competitions must be paid to the Professional before commencing play. The competition entry fee of £3.50 includes 60p fee covering entry into the 2s competition. Players also have the option to pay an additional fee of 50p if they wish to enter the "Nearest the Pin Competition".

The prize for "Nearest the Pin" is £30, the remainder of the "Nearest the Pin" prize fund goes to the HMGC Development Fund to fund improvements to the Course or Clubhouse.

In all Medal Competitions a £25 prize is awarded to the player with the Best Gross Score this prize is funded by C&H and not from the prize fund for individual competitions.

In all competitions there are prizes for the Overall Winner and Winners of the First, Second and Third Divisions. (The overall winner cannot also win a Divisional prize which will be awarded to the player with the next best score in that division)

Prize Money distribution in Captain's Qualifiers is as follows: -

After deductions of £30 for the professional, the 2s prize fund and 10% of the prize fund for C&H expenses, the remaining funds will be distributed as follows.

£70 to the overall winner (Cannot also win a divisional prize)

£35 to the winner of Division 1 (playing handicap up to 12)

£35 to the winner of Division 2 (playing handicap 13 to 19)

£35 to the winner of Division 3 (playing handicap 20 and above)

Any remaining prize fund is carried forward to fund prizes in the Captains Final Weekend Competition.

For other Men's Saturday (one day) Singles Competitions excluding Captains Qualifiers and Subsidiaries, after deductions of £30 for the professional, the 2s prize fund and 10% of the prize fund for C&H expenses, the remaining prize fund will be distributed as follows.

40% to the overall winner (Cannot also win a divisional prize)

20% to the winner of Division 1 (playing handicap up to 12 example)

20% to the winner of Division 2 (playing handicap 13 to 19 example)

20% to the winner of Division 3 (playing handicap 20+ example)

**Note** Divisional splits will be regularly reviewed and altered to ensure members remain evenly distributed between them.

**Note** All prize money is credited to individual's accounts with the Professional to be spent in the Professional's shop.

Where appropriate Overall Winners are also presented with the competition Trophy or Glass Tankard for Captain's Qualifiers.

Overall Winners also qualify for the following years Millennium Trophy, winners of Subsidiary Competitions do not qualify for the Millennium Trophy.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete a Captain's Qualifier, Stableford Cup, 18 Hole Trophy or 18 Hole Board Competition on the scheduled date then the competition will be rescheduled to a "spare" Saturday or if necessary, another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the Captain's Qualifier, Stableford Cup, 18 Hole Trophy or 18 Hole Board Competition to be played. If it is not possible to find a new date to play a cancelled competition they may be cancelled for that year.

If it is not possible to complete any other 18 Hole competitions scheduled for a Saturday these will normally be cancelled.

If a competition is cancelled/abandoned scores for any completed rounds will not be qualify for the Adam Scratch or Eclectic Prizes.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.1.2 Captain's Final Competition (Captains Salver) 36 Hole Medal**

Played over a weekend, first round on Saturday and second round on Sunday.

#### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

To win the Captain's Prize a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than the Captain's Prize.

#### **Qualification**

Qualification criteria is at the Captain's discretion and the criteria for the current year will be communicated at the start of each season. It is normally the best three net scores from 8 competitions with a maximum of the top 100 players plus ties qualifying for the first round. Should players who qualify be unable to play on the Captain's Final weekend their places will not be taken by players who finished outside the Top 100 and ties (or failed to meet any other specified qualifying criteria.). On Captains Final weekend only, players who can play both rounds can enter the competition. (A Subsidiary Competition will be run on the Saturday for

qualifiers who cannot play on Sunday and for players who did not qualify). Qualification, for second round is normally the top 60 net scores and ties from the first round. If due to unforeseen circumstances a player who qualified to play on Sunday is unavailable their place will not be taken by a player who finished outside the Top 60 and ties on Saturday.

Note The serving Captain is not counted as part of the Captain's Final qualification process.

### **Tees**

Played from White Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the first round is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Reserved tee time booking opens via the Club PSI terminal at 18.00hrs and via BRS at 20.00hrs 15 days before the Competition date. Only players who can play both rounds can enter the Captain's Final Competition. Members cannot play in this competition outside the reserved tee times.

Competition booking sheet remains open until 12 hours before the commencement of the Competition.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

Tee times for the second round are allocated by the Golf Team after first round scores have been verified on the Saturday evening, the highest net score that qualified from the first round tees off first and the lowest net score that qualified from the first round tees off last.

### **Scorecards/No Return**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly after finishing may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

If two or more players are tied after 36 holes or after 18 holes if the competition has been reduced, a 9-hole play-off commencing at the first hole will take place immediately after the scores have been verified. The players will go out separately with a marker no more than 20 minutes apart. They will play using the handicap they had at the start of the competition. The 9-hole play-off will be set up as a 9-hole competition using Club V1. The gross scores will be entered and the software will determine the winner.

Should players still be tied then the winner will be decided by sudden death stroke play starting at the first hole using the handicap they had at the start of the competition.

If two players are tied for the Captains Salver after 36 holes or 18 holes if the competition has been reduced then the winner is decided by card playoff. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the Captain's Salver for that year will be shared and both player's names will be engraved on the Trophy and entered in the following years Millennium Trophy.

### **Results and Prizes Captain's Prize**

Results will be announced on the Sunday afternoon. Prizes are awarded for the First, Second, Third and Fourth best 36-hole net scores, additionally there are prizes for the best first round score and best second round score. (Players who comes in the top 4 of the 36-hole competition cannot win a best first or second round net score.)

The winner is also presented with The Captain's Prize Trophy, have their name engraved on the Honours Board and qualifies for the following years Millennium Trophy.

### **Results and Prizes Captain's Salver**

Prizes are awarded for the first and second best aggregate scratch scores over the two rounds of the Captains Prize competition. (Players who come first or second in the 36-hole scratch competition cannot win a best first or second round net score.)

The winner is also presented with the Captain's Salver and qualifies for the following years Millennium Trophy. Prizes will be presented by the Men's Captain on the Sunday afternoon.

### **Captain's Prize and Captain's Salver**

If the competitions are rescheduled to the "spare weekend" and only one round can be completed then the player with the lowest net score in the completed round will be declared the winner (for Captain's Salver lowest gross score). Order of merit points will be awarded for the Captain's Prize and scores will qualify for the Adam Scratch and Eclectic Prizes.

If neither round can be completed when the competition has been rescheduled to the "spare weekend" then the Captain's Final competitions will become an 18-hole competition and will be rescheduled to a spare Saturday or if necessary, another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the Captain's Final (Captain's Salver) to be played.

Order of merit points will be awarded for the Captain's Prize and scores will qualify for the Adam Scratch and Eclectic Prizes.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If both rounds cannot be completed on the scheduled weekend then the competition is incomplete and will be cancelled and rescheduled to the "spare weekend" usually in September, to enable the competition to be rescheduled as a two-day competition played on consecutive days.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned scores for any completed rounds will not be qualify for the Adam Scratch or Eclectic Prizes nor will any "prizes" be awarded if the Saturday Round is completed by all players.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.1.3 Atkinson Tankard 36 Hole Medal**

Played over a weekend, first round on Saturday and second round on Sunday.

#### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

To win the Atkinson Tankard a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their

handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than the Atkinson Tankard.

### **Qualification**

Only players who can play in both rounds can enter the Atkinson Tankard competition. (A Subsidiary Competition will be run on the Saturday for players who cannot play on Sunday)

The top 60 net scores and ties from the first round qualify for the second round of the Atkinson Tankard. If due to unforeseen circumstances a player who qualified to play on Sunday is unavailable their place will not be taken by a player who finished outside the Top 60 and ties on Saturday.

### **Tees**

Played from White Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the first round is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Reserved tee time booking opens via the Club PSI terminal at 18.00hrs and via BRS at 20.00hrs 15 days before the Competition date. Members cannot play in this competition outside the reserved tee times.

Competition booking sheet remain open until 12 hours before the commencement of the Competition.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

Tee times for the second round are allocated by the Golf Team after first round scores have been verified on the Saturday evening, the highest net score that qualified from the first round tees off first and the lowest net score that qualified from the first round tees off last.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie after 36 holes or if it becomes an 18-hole competition an 18-hole play-off will be arranged as soon as possible at a mutually agreed time. The players will go out separately with a marker no more than 20 minutes apart. They will play using the handicap they had in the original competition. The winner will be the player recording the lowest net score. Should the match still be tied then the winner will be decided by sudden death stroke play starting at the first hole using the handicap they had in the original competition.

## **Results and Prizes**

Results will be announced on the Sunday afternoon. Prizes are awarded for the First, Second, Third and Fourth best 36-hole net scores, and the best 36-hole gross score, additionally there are prizes for the best first round score and best second round score. (Players who come in the top 4 of the Atkinson Tankard or wins the best gross prize cannot win a best first or second round score.)

The winner is also presented with the Atkinson Tankard, have their name engraved on the Honours Board and qualifies for the following years Millennium Trophy.

Prizes will be presented by the Men's Captain on the Sunday afternoon.

## **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If only one round can be completed on the scheduled weekend then the prizes will be awarded based on the scores from the completed round. Order of merit points will be awarded and scores will qualify for the Adam Scratch and Eclectic Prizes.

If neither round can be completed on the scheduled weekend then the Atkinson Tankard will become an 18-hole competition and will be rescheduled to a spare Saturday or if necessary another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the Atkinson Tankard to be played.

Order of merit points will be awarded and scores will qualify for the Adam Scratch and Eclectic Prizes.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned scores for any completed rounds will not be qualify for the Adam Scratch or Eclectic Prizes.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.1.4 Ashworth Trophy 36 Hole Medal (Scratch) and Eldridge Cup 36 Hole Medal (Handicap)**

Played simultaneously over a weekend, first round on Saturday and second round on Sunday, players may enter both competitions.

Qualification, for second round of the Eldridge Cup is the top 60 net scores and ties from the first round. If due to unforeseen circumstances a player who qualified to play on Sunday is unavailable their place will not be taken by a player who finished outside the Top 60 and ties on Saturday. (There is no qualification for the Ashworth Trophy, all players who enter play two rounds.)

#### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

To win the Eldridge Cup a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than the Eldridge Cup. There are no handicap eligibility criteria for the Ashworth Trophy as this is a Scratch Competition.

#### **Qualification**



Only players who can play in both rounds can enter either the Ashworth Trophy or Eldridge Cup competition. (A Subsidiary Handicap Competition will be run on the Saturday for players who cannot play on Sunday)

Qualification, for second round of the Eldridge Cup is the top 60 net scores and ties from the first round. If due to unforeseen circumstances a player who qualified to play on Sunday is unavailable their place will not be taken by a player who finished outside the Top 60 and ties on Saturday. (There is no qualification for the Ashworth Trophy, all players who enter play two rounds.)

### **Tees**

Played from White Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the first round is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Reserved tee time booking opens via the Club PSI terminal at 18.00hrs and via BRS at 20.00hrs 15 days before the Competition date. Members cannot play in this competition outside the reserved tee times.

Competition booking sheet remain open until 12 hours before the commencement of the Competition.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

Tee times for the second round are allocated by the Golf Team after first round scores have been verified on the Saturday evening, the highest net score that qualified from the first round tees off first and the lowest net score that qualified from the first round tees off last. (If any players who have entered the Ashworth Trophy fail to make the top 60 nett scores they will tee off first.)

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties Eldridge Cup**

If two or more players are tied after 36 holes or 18 holes if the competition is reduced an 18-hole play-off will be arranged as soon as possible at a mutually agreed time. The players will go out separately with a marker no more than 20 minutes apart. They will play using the handicap they had in the original competition. The winner will be the player recording the lowest net score. Should the match still be tied then the winner will be decided by sudden death stroke play starting at the first hole using the handicap they had in the original competition.

### **Ties Ashworth Trophy**

If two or more players are tied after 36 holes or after 18 holes if the competition has been reduced, an 18-hole play-off will be arranged as soon as possible at a mutually agreed time. Each player will go out separately with a marker no more than 20 minutes apart. The player recording the lowest gross score will be the winner. In the event of a further tie then the above process will be repeated until a winner can be declared.

### **Results and Prizes Eldridge Cup**

Results will be announced on the Sunday afternoon. Prizes are awarded for the First, Second, Third and Fourth best 36-hole net scores, additionally there are prizes for the best first round net score and best second round net score. (Players who comes in the top 4 of the Eldridge Cup cannot win a best first or second round score.)

The winner is also presented with The Eldridge Trophy, have their name engraved on the Honours Board and qualifies for the following years Millennium Trophy.

### **Results and Prizes Ashworth Trophy**

Prizes are awarded for the first and second best aggregate scratch scores over the two rounds. (Players who come first or second in the 36-hole scratch competition cannot win a best first or second round net score.)

Additionally, the winner is presented with the Ashworth Trophy, have their name engraved on the Honours Board and qualifies for the following years Millennium Trophy.

Prizes will be presented by the Captain on the Sunday afternoon.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If both rounds cannot be completed on the scheduled weekend then the competition is incomplete and will be cancelled and rescheduled to the "spare weekend" usually in August, to enable the competition to be rescheduled as a two-day competition played on consecutive days.

If the competitions are cancelled/abandoned scores for any completed rounds will not be qualify for the Adam Scratch or Eclectic Prizes nor will any "prizes" be awarded if the Saturday Round is completed by all players.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

If the competitions are rescheduled to the "spare weekend" and only one round can be completed then the players with the lowest net and gross scores in the completed round will be declared the winners. Order of merit points will be awarded and scores will qualify for the Adam Scratch and Eclectic Prizes.

If neither round can be completed when the competition has been rescheduled to the "spare weekend" then the Ashworth and Eldridge competitions will become 18-hole competitions and will be rescheduled to a spare Saturday or if necessary, another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the Ashworth and Eldridge competitions to be played.

Order of merit points will be awarded and scores will qualify for the Adam Scratch and Eclectic Prizes.

### **14.1.5 Chevalier Trophy**

36 Hole Medal played on one day.

### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

To win the Chevalier Trophy a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than the Chevalier Trophy.

### **Tees**

Played from White Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the first round is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Reserved tee time booking opens via the Club PSI terminal at 18.00hrs and via BRS at 20.00hrs 15 days before the Competition date. Only players who can play 36 holes can enter the Chevalier Trophy. Members cannot play in this competition outside the reserved tee times.

Competition booking sheet remain open until 12 hours before the commencement of the Competition.

Tee times for the second round are allocated by the Golf Team and will be in the same order as the tee times for the first round with around a 60-minute break between rounds.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie this competition is decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and both player's names will be engraved on the Trophy or Honours Board and entered in the following years Millennium Trophy.

### **Results and Prizes**

Results will be announced on the Sunday afternoon. Prizes are awarded for the First, Second and Third 36-hole net scores, additionally there are prizes for the best first round score and best

second round score. (Players who comes in the top 3 of the 36-hole competition cannot win a best first or second round net score.)

The winner is also presented with The Chevalier Trophy, have their name engraved on the Honours Board and qualifies for the following years Millennium Trophy.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If only the first round can be completed on the scheduled Sunday then the player with the lowest nett score in the completed round will be declared the winner.

If neither round can be completed on the scheduled Sunday then Golf Team will make every effort to reschedule as a 36-hole competition including using the Sunday of the Captain's Final "spare weekend" if that is available.

If only the first round can be completed on the rescheduled Sunday then the player with the lowest nett score in the completed round will be declared the winner.

If neither round can be completed on the rescheduled Sunday then the competition will be cancelled for that year.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.1.6 Millennium Trophy**

Competition played on a Sunday for winners of qualifying competitions in the previous season.

#### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

#### **Qualification**

The winners of all Saturday and Wednesday singles competitions played from the White Tees, excluding any Subsidiary Competitions, plus the winners of the Atkinson Tankard, Eldridge Cup, Ashworth Trophy, Captains Prize, Captains Salver, Chevalier Trophy, Professionals Competition, Singles Scratch Knockout, Singles Handicap Knockout, Seniors Singles Knockout, Stableford Cup, Butter Prize, David Jones Trophy, Adam Scratch Prize, Jack Correy Cup, Derek Wooley Trophy and Millennium Trophy will qualify for the following years Millennium Trophy.

#### **Method of Entry**

Qualifying players advise the Golf Team of their availability and the Golf Team produce a start sheet which is communicated to the qualifiers.

#### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

## **Ties**

In the event of a tie this competition is decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and both player's names will be engraved on the Trophy and Honours Board and entered in the following years Millennium Trophy.

## **Results and Prizes**

Prizes are awarded for the best and second best net scores. Results will be announced on the Sunday afternoon of the competition.

The winner is also presented with The Millennium Trophy, have their name engraved on the Honours Board and qualifies for the following years Millennium Trophy.

## **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete the Millennium Trophy on the scheduled date then the Golf Team will try to rescheduled the competition.

If it is not possible to find a new date to play The Millennium trophy it may be cancelled for that year.

If a competition is cancelled then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

## **14.1.7 Aggregate Competitions**

### **14.1.7.1 Butter Prize (net scores) and David Jones Trophy (scratch scores)**

#### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

#### **Method of Entry**

Scores in the following competitions automatically count towards the Butter Prize and David Jones Trophy, all Captain's Qualifiers, Ralph Harrison Trophy, Mauldeth Trophy, Procter Trophy, Atkinson Tankard Round 1, Captain's Final Round 1, Ashworth/Eldridge Round 1.

Scores for completed rounds in abandoned competitions will not qualify for the Butter Prize or David Jones Trophy.

#### **Ties**

In the event of ties the winner will be determined by the lowest individual round score out of the 6 best scores. If there is still a tie then the lowest 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> round scores will be used. If there is still a tie for 1<sup>st</sup> place, then the Trophy and Prize Money will be shared for that year and all players will have their names engraved on the trophy and honours board.

#### **Results and Prizes Butter Prize**

The winner is the player with the lowest Average score over six completed rounds during the season.

The winners will qualify for next year's Millennium Trophy.

The Winner is presented with £100 prize and the trophy at the Club AGM

#### **Results and Prizes David Jones Trophy**

The winner is the player with the lowest Aggregate score of the six completed rounds during the season.

The winners will qualify for next year's Millennium Trophy.

The Winner is presented with £100 prize at the Club AGM

#### **14.1.7.2 Adam Scratch Prize**

##### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

##### **Method of Entry**

Scores from any Club competition medal round played from the white tees on a Saturday, Sunday or Wednesday, except for the second round of the Chevalier Trophy, automatically qualify for the Adam Scratch Prize.

Scores for completed rounds in cancelled competitions will not qualify for the Adam Scratch Prize.

##### **Ties**

In the event of a tied best gross score the prize will be shared and all names will be engraved on the Honours Board.

##### **Results and Prizes**

The winner is the player with the lowest 18-hole gross score during the season.

The winners will qualify for next year's Millennium Trophy.

The Winner is presented with £75 prize at the Club AGM

##### **Results and Prizes**

The winner is the player with the lowest 18-hole gross score during the season.

The winners will qualify for next year's Millennium Trophy.

The winner is presented with their prize at the Club AGM.

#### **14.1 7.3 Order of Merit (Jimmy Walker Memorial Trophy)**

##### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

##### **Method of Entry**

Order of merit points are automatically awarded for places 1 to 20 in all Saturday Singles Competitions, excluding the Veterans Trophy the Development Cup, any Subsidiary Competitions, the Professional's Competition and the Chevalier Trophy, plus the top 20 two round aggregate places in the Atkinson Tankard, Eldridge Cup and Captains Prize.

Scores for completed rounds in abandoned competitions will not be awarded Order of Merit points.

(Any competitions originally scheduled for a Sunday that are rearranged and played on a Saturday will not qualify for Order of Merit points.)

## **Ties**

In the event of a Tie the prize will be shared.

## **Results and Prizes**

The winner is the player who earns the highest number of 'points' from qualifying competitions over the season.

The Winner is presented with £75 prize and the trophy at the Club AGM.

### **14.1.7.4 Eclectic Prize Gross**

#### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

#### **Method of Entry**

Scores in all Saturday/Weekend competitions, except the 2<sup>nd</sup> round of the Chevalier, The Development Cup, The President's Trophy and The Chairman's Trophy automatically count towards the Eclectic Prize.

Scores for completed rounds in abandoned competitions do not qualify for the Eclectic Prize.

## **Ties**

In the event of a Tie the prize will be shared.

## **Results and Prizes**

The winner is the player with the best aggregate of gross scores achieved at each hole in any of the qualifying competitions over the season.

The Winner is presented with £50 prize at the Club AGM

### **14.1.7.5 Eclectic Prize Net**

#### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

#### **Method of Entry**

Scores in all Saturday/Weekend competitions, except the 2<sup>nd</sup> round of the Chevalier, The Development Cup, President's Trophy and The Chairman's Trophy automatically count towards the Eclectic Prize.

Scores for completed rounds in abandoned competitions do not qualify for the Eclectic Prize.

## **Ties**

In the event of a Tie the prize will be shared.

## **Results and Prizes**

The winner is the player with the best aggregate of net scores achieved at each hole in any of the qualifying competitions over the season.

The Winner is presented with £50 prize at the Club AGM.

### **14.1.7.6 Stableford Cup**

### **Eligibility**

All male Full and Intermediate members who have a current Handicap Index.

### **Method of Entry**

Scores from the Stableford Cup rounds of which there are normally 6.

Scores for completed rounds in abandoned competitions will not qualify for the Stableford Cup.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie for 1<sup>st</sup> place the player with the highest single round score will be determined the winner. If there is still a tie for 1<sup>st</sup> place, then the Trophy and Prize Money will be shared

### **Results and Prizes**

The winner is the player with the highest score from the Aggregate of the two best scores.

The Winner is presented with £50 prize and the trophy at the Club AGM

The winner will qualify for next year's Millennium Trophy.

## **14.2 Wednesday Section Competitions**

### **14.2.1 Men's Singles 18 Hole Competitions**

Fred McKenzie Trophy (Medal)

Jim Brown Trophy (Medal)

Walter Merrin Trophy (Medal)

Rose Trophy (Medal)

Pearson Trophy (Medal)

Spellman Trophy (Medal)

Singles Stablefords

### **Eligibility**

All male Full, Six & Five day and Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index and who are members of the Wednesday Section.

### **Tees**

Played from White Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**



Booking for competitions is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Reserved tee time booking opens via the Club PSI terminal at 18.00hrs and via BRS at 20.00hrs 14 days before the Competition date.

Players may also play in these competitions outside the reserved tee times on the day of the competition.

Competition bookings remain open until any available tee time has passed.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and “sign in” to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club’s PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly after completing your round on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie these competitions are decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and, if appropriate, all player’s names will be engraved on the Trophy and if they are Full or Intermediate members they will be entered in the following years Millennium Trophy.

### **Results and Prizes**

Results will be published, by the Golf Team on How-Did-I-Do, on the evening of the competition or the day after.

If applicable winners are normally presented with the competition Trophy the following Wednesday.

If the winners are Full or Intermediate members they will be entered in the following years Millennium Trophy.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete a Wednesday Section singles on the scheduled date then the competition will be rescheduled and another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the singles competition to take place. If it is not possible to find a new date to play a competition it may be cancelled for that year.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

Completed rounds in cancelled/abandoned competitions do not qualify for the Adam Scratch Prize.

## **14.2.2 Jack Correy Cup**

**Eligibility**

All male Full, 6 and 5 day members with a current Handicap Index who are members of the Wednesday Section and aged 55 or over on the date of the first qualifying competition.

**Method of Entry**

All net scores from Singles Medal competitions played on a Wednesday are automatically entered in the Jack Correy Cup.

**Ties**

In the event of a tie the 4<sup>th</sup> then 5<sup>th</sup> then 6<sup>th</sup> best card and so on will count until a winner can be declared. If it is still tied when one or both player(s) have no more cards to count the prize will be shared for that year and all players will have their names engraved on the trophy.

**Results and Prizes**

The winner is the player with the lowest average score over three completed rounds during the season.

The winner is presented with their prize at the Wednesday Section AGM.

**14.2.3 Derek Wooley Trophy****Eligibility**

All male Full, Six & Five day and Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index and who are members of the Wednesday Section.

**Method of Entry**

All net scores from Singles medal competitions played on a Wednesday are automatically entered in the Derek Wooley Trophy.

**Ties**

In the event of a tie the 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> then 7<sup>th</sup> best card and so on will count until a winner can be declared. If it is still tied when one or both player(s) have no more cards to count the prize will be shared for that year and all players will have their names engraved on the trophy.

**Results and Prizes**

The winner is the players with the lowest average score over four completed rounds during the season.

The winner is presented with their prize at the Wednesday Section AGM.

### **14.3 Ladies Section Competitions**

All 18-hole Medal and Stableford Competitions are England Golf (EG) Qualifying.

#### **14.3.1 Lady Captain's 18 Hole Medal Competition and 9-hole Subsidiary**

##### **Eligibility**

All Lady Full, 6 and 5 day and Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index. To win the Lady Captain's Prize a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 10 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than the Lady Captain's Prize.

##### **Qualification**

Qualification criteria main Competition is at the Lady Captain's discretion and the criteria for the current year will be communicated at the Ladies AGM.

##### **Tees**

Played from the Red tees commencing on the first hole.

##### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of course handicap

##### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the competition is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System and opens four weeks before the Competition date.

Competition bookings remain open until available tee times have passed.

Before teeing off players must "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

##### **Scorecards/No returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

##### **Ties**

In the event of a tie for 1<sup>st</sup> place there is a three-hole play-off starting at the first hole to take place immediately after the competition. The players will go out separately with a marker no more than 20 minutes apart. They will play using the handicap they had at the start of the competition and the player with the best net score after three holes will be declared the winner.

Should players still be tied after 3 holes then the winner will be decided by sudden death stroke play starting at the first hole using the handicap they had at the start of the competition.

Other places in the main competition and the subsidiary are decided by card playoff.

##### **Results and Prizes**

The prizes for these competitions are donated by the Lady Captain and she determines the number of prizes to be awarded each year. They are awarded to the players with the best net medal scores in the main Lady Captain's Competition and the Subsidiary.

The overall winner has their name engraved on the Honours Board.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete the Lady Captain's Competition on the scheduled date then the competition will be rescheduled and another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the competition to take place.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

## **14.3.2 Ladies 18 Hole Competitions**

### **Ladies 18 Hole Major Competitions**

Lady Captain's Prize (Medal) See Section 14.3.1 above

Centenary Salver (Medal)

Charity Cup (Stableford)

Gibbon Bowl Medal

Jubilee Cup (Bogey)

Maxwell Cup (Stableford)

Rose Bowl Trophy (Medal)

### **Other Ladies 18 Hole Competitions**

England Golf (EG) (Medals)

Mauldeth Medal & Bunty Booth Competition (Medal)

### **Eligibility**

All Lady Full, 6 and 5 day and Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index.

For a player to win the Centenary Salver, Charity Cup, Gibbon Bowl, Jubilee Cup, Maxwell Cup, Rose Bowl Trophy a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of **6 10** acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than overall prize in these competitions.

### **Tees**

Played from the Red tees commencing on the first hole.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of course handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for competitions is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System and opens four weeks before the Competition date.

Competition bookings remain open until available tee times have passed.

Before teeing off players must “sign in” to the competition and pay the entry fee, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

**Note** Mauldeth Medal entry fees, less prize costs, are donated to the Golf Foundation, Bunty Booth competition entry fees are donated to the Manchester District Ladies Golf Association.

### **Scorecards/No returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club’s PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie these competitions are decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and both player’s names will as appropriate be engraved on the Trophy or Honours Board.

### **Results and Prizes**

Prizes are normally awarded for the best three net scores, in EG Medals it is best two net scores.

Mauldeth Medal only two prizes are awarded the first prize being a Golf Foundation Brooch. Winner of the Bunty Booth competition qualifies for a Manchester District Competition held the following year.

The overall winner of a competition as appropriate have their name engraved on the Trophy and Honours Board.

Each month during the season a prize is awarded for the best gross score from all the medal competitions held that month.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete one of the Major competitions on the scheduled date then the competition will be rescheduled and another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the competition to take place. If an alternative date cannot be found the competition may be cancelled for that year.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

## **14.3.3 Heaton Moor 36 Hole Challenge (36 Hole Medal played on one day)**

### **Eligibility**

All Lady Full, 6 and Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index.

To win the 36 Hole Challenge a player’s Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 **10** acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the scores submitted to obtain their

initial handicap index. Players whose handicap index don't meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than overall prize in this competition.

### **Tees**

Played from Red Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the competition is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System and opens four weeks before the Competition date. Players must book both their morning and afternoon tee times.

Competition bookings remain open until available tee times have passed.

Before teeing off players must "sign in" to the competition and pay the entry fee, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie this competition is decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared.

### **Scorecards/No Return**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition will result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Results and Prizes**

Prizes are awarded for the First, Second 36-hole net scores, additionally there is a prize for the best gross score. The prize winners in the net competition cannot also win the gross prize so if that was the case it would be awarded to the player with the next best gross score over the 36 holes. (The same prizes are awarded if the competition is reduced to 18 holes.)

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If only the first round can be completed on the scheduled Sunday then the player with the lowest nett score in the completed round will be declared the winner.

If neither round can be completed on the scheduled Sunday then the Golf Team will make every effort to reschedule as a 36-hole competition on another Sunday.

If only the first round can be completed on the rescheduled Sunday then the player with the lowest nett score in the completed round will be declared the winner.

If the 36-hole competition cannot be rescheduled it will be cancelled for that year.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.3.4 Veterans Cup 18 hole Medal**

#### **Eligibility Veterans Cup**

All Lady Full, 6 and 5 day with a current Handicap Index who are aged 60 and over on the date of the competition.

#### **Tees**

Played from the Red tees commencing on the first hole.

#### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of course handicap

#### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the competition is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System and opens four weeks before the Competition date.

Competition bookings remain open until available tee times have passed.

Before teeing off players must "sign in" to the competition and pay any entry fees failure to do so may result in disqualification.

#### **Scorecards/No returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

#### **Results and Prizes**

Prizes are normally awarded for the best two net scores in the Veterans Cup.

The overall winner of the Veterans Cup will have their name engraved on the Trophy.

#### **Ties**

In the event of a tie these competitions are decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and all player's names will be engraved on the Trophy.

#### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete the Veterans Cup on the scheduled date then the competitions will be rescheduled and another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the Veterans Competition to take place. If an alternative date cannot be found the Veterans Competition may be cancelled for that year.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.3.5 Sunday EG 18-hole Medal Competitions**

**Eligibility**

All Lady Full, 6 day and Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index.

**Tees**

Played from the Red tees commencing on the first hole.

**Handicap Allowance**

95% of course handicap

**Method of Entry**

Booking for the competition is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System and opens four weeks before the Competition date.

Competition bookings remain open until available tee times have passed.

A single payment that covers entry into all Sunday EG Medals is payable by players before they play their first competition.

Before teeing off players must "sign in" to the competition failure to do so may result in disqualification.

**Scorecards/No returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

**Results and Prizes**

A single prize for the best score in all Sunday EG medals is presented at the end of the season. In the event of a tie the result will be decided by card play off if the card playoff is tied then the prize is shared.

**Ties**

In the event of a tie the result is decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card play-off is tied then the prize will be shared.

**Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete a Sunday EG Medal on the scheduled date then where possible the competitions will be rescheduled. If an alternative date cannot be found the competitions may be cancelled for that year.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.



## **14.4 Juniors Competitions**

### **14.4.1 Singles Competitions including Hibernian Cup Qualifiers**

#### **Eligibility**

All Junior Members with a current Handicap Index.

#### **Tees**

Male players with a handicap of 25 or more and all Female players play from the Red Tees, Male players with a handicap of 24 or less play from the Yellow Tees. Play commences at the first hole.

#### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

#### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

#### **Method of Entry**

Booking for competitions is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Booking opens 14 days before the Competition date.

Competition bookings remain open until tee times have passed.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

#### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie these competitions are decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared.

### **Results and Prizes**

Results will be published, by the Golf Team on How-Did-I-Do, on the evening of the competition or the day after. Prize money is credited to players accounts in the Professional's Shop.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete a Junior Singles Competition on the scheduled date then the competition may be rescheduled. If it is not possible to find a new date to play a competition it may be cancelled for that year.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

## **14.4.2 Hibernian Cup (Junior's Medal Aggregate Competition)**

### **Eligibility**

All Junior Members with a current Handicap Index.

### **Qualification**

Normally the player with the best three scores from 6 qualifying competitions wins the Hibernian Cup (This can be modified if fewer qualifying competitions are played.)

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> best card will count until a winner can be declared. If it is still tied when one or all player(s) have no more cards to count the prize will be shared for that year and all players will have their names engraved on the trophy.

### **Results and Prizes**

The winner of the Hibernian Cup will be published by the Golf Team on How-Did-I-Do, on the evening or the day after the final qualifying competition is played.

The Hibernian Cup is presented to the Winner at the Wednesday Section AGM normally held in November.

### **Mixed Competitions**

9 Hole Competitions normally held on Thursdays and Sundays

### **Eligibility**

All male and female Full, 6-day, Intermediate, Students, Junior, Country and Introductory members with a current Handicap Index, 5-day members with a current Handicap Index can play in Thursday competitions.

### **Tees**

Men play from Yellow Tees Ladies play from Red Tees commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for the competition reserved tee times is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Booking opens 20.00, 15 days before the Competition date.

Players may also enter and play in the competition at any time during the day the competition is scheduled for.

Before teeing off all players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

Competition bookings remain open until any available tee time has passed.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie these competitions are decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then any prize will be shared.

### **Results and Prizes**

Results will be published, by the Golf Team on How-Did-I-Do, on the evening of the competition or the day after.

There will normally be three prizes awarded and the prize money will be credited to the players account in the Professional Shop.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete a 9-hole competition on the date scheduled that competition will be cancelled.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 9 holes must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.5 Member's Opens (Mixed)**

### **Development Cup, Chairman's and President's Trophies**

### **Eligibility**

All members other than Introductory or Academy members who have a current Handicap Index. Juniors, of Year 8 school age or above may play unaccompanied in these competitions. Juniors younger than Year 8 school age must be accompanied by a responsible adult (A person aged 18 or above).

### **Tees**

Any player may play from any tee commencing at the first hole.

### **Format**

Singles Stableford, Two or Three ball groups at 10-minute intervals.

### **Handicap Allowance**

95% of Course Handicap

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for competitions is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System. Reserved tee time booking via BRS at 20.00hrs 16 days before the Competition date.

Competition bookings remain open until any available tee time has passed.

In the President's and Chairman's Trophies competition Cards may be taken out at any time during the day not only in the "reserved tee times".

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee of £3.50 (including 2s Club) and "sign in" to the competition, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered on the Club's PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and scorecards placed in the Competition Box under the PSI Unit. Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly may result in disqualification and players who repeatedly fail to return cards may be suspended from entering future competitions.

Any player completing 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI Unit.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie these competitions are decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card playoff is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and both player's names will be engraved on the Trophy.

### **Results and Prizes**

Results will be published, by the Golf Team on How-Did-I-Do, on the evening of the competition or the day after.

After deductions of £30 for the professional, the 2s prize fund and 20% of the prize fund for M&H expenses, the remaining prize fund will be distributed as follows.

50% For Best Nett Score

30% For Second Best Nett Score

20% For third best Nett Score

The winner will be presented with the competition Trophy

Scores in these competitions do not qualify for any of the Aggregate Prizes or the Order of Merit. Scores by qualifying golfers do qualify for the Adam Scratch Trophy.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete these competitions on the scheduled date then they will be rescheduled, subject to availability, to another Sunday during the season. If it is not possible to find a new date to play a cancelled competition they may be cancelled for that year.

If a competition is cancelled/abandoned scores for any completed rounds will not qualify for the Adam Scratch.

If the competition is cancelled/abandoned then players who have completed 10 holes or more must enter their score in the PSI.

### **14.6 Mixed Competitions**

#### **14.6.1 Coronation Cup**

##### **Eligibility**

This is a mixed pairs competition open to Men and Ladies, who are Full, 6 day or Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index.

To play in the Coronation Cup a pair needs to have submitted a minimum of four Running Mixed cards during the qualifying period (usually Easter to the third week of September). The 20 pairs with the lowest net scores, are eligible and to play in the Coronation Cup.

To win the Coronation Cup, a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index does not meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than the Coronation Cup.

##### **Tees**

The men play from the white tees and the ladies from the red tees commencing on the first hole.

The Red Tees determines both the Par and the Stroke Index.

##### **Format**

This is a Greensomes medal competition.

##### **Handicap Allowance**

The handicap of the pair is calculated as 0.4% of the higher handicapped player and 0.6% of the lower handicapped player, based on the Course Handicap for the relevant tee.

This is a Multi-Tee competition which requires an additional allowance adding to the playing handicap of half the difference between the two Course Ratings rounded to the nearest integer.

(Playing handicaps will be calculated automatically by the system when players sign into the competition.)

##### **Method of Entry**

The organisers of the competition will produce a list of the twenty pairs with the lowest net scores from the best four running mix cards submitted over the season and who have indicated that they are able to play in the Coronation Cup. A draw will then take place. All players will be notified by email of their tee time and a notice placed will be on the mixed noticeboard.

Pairs cannot play in this competition outside the reserved tee times.

Scorecards are collected on the day from the Club Professional.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition on the Club PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered in the Club PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and handed to the Club Professional.

Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie this competition will be decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card play-off is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and both team's names will, as appropriate, be engraved on the Trophy and Honours Board.

### **Results and Prizes**

Prizes are awarded for the best two net scores and the lowest gross score in the Coronation Cup competition, the gross prize cannot be won by either of the net score prize winners.

The winners are the pair with the lowest net score, they will be presented with the trophy and their names, as appropriate, will be engraved on the Trophy and Honours Board.

Additionally, prizes are also awarded to the couple with the lowest gross score and the lowest net score from four cards in the Running Mixed qualifying period.

### **Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete the Coronation Cup on the scheduled date then the competition will be rescheduled, and another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the competition to take place.

## **14.6.2 Centenary Trophy**

### **Eligibility**

This is a mixed pairs competition open to Men and Ladies who are Full, 6 day or Intermediate members with a current Handicap Index.

To win the Centenary Trophy, a player's Handicap Index must be based on having submitted a minimum of 6 acceptable scores (3 of which must be in competitions) in the twelve months prior to the date of the Competition, this is in addition to the initial scores submitted to obtain their handicap index. Players whose handicap index does not meet the "eligibility criteria" may win any other prizes other than the Centenary Trophy.

### **Tees**

The men play from the white tees and the ladies from the red tees, commencing on the first hole.

The Red Tees determines both the Par and the Stroke Index.

### **Format**

This is a Greensomes medal competition.

### **Handicap Allowance**

The handicap of the pair is calculated as 0.4% of the higher handicapped player and 0.6% of the lower handicapped player, based on the Course Handicap for the relevant tee.

This is a Multi-Tee competition which requires an additional allowance adding to the playing handicap of half the difference between the two Course Ratings rounded to the nearest integer. (Playing handicaps will be calculated automatically by the system when players sign into the competition.)

### **Method of Entry**

Booking for competitions is via the Club PSI terminal or BRS Booking System and opens a minimum of four weeks before the Competition date.

Members cannot play in this competition outside the reserved tee times.

Scorecards are collected on the day from the Club Professional.

Before teeing off players must pay the competition entry fee and "sign in" to the competition on the Club PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do, failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### **Scorecards/No Returns**

Immediately after finishing play all scores should be entered in the Club PSI Unit or via How-Did-I-Do and handed to the Club Professional.

Failure to submit a completed or partially completed card promptly on the day of the competition may result in disqualification.

### **Ties**

In the event of a tie this competition will be decided by a card play-off. In the event that a card play-off is tied then the prize for that year will be shared and both team's names will as appropriate be engraved on the Trophy and Honours Board.

### **Results and Prizes**

Prizes are awarded for the best two net scores and the lowest gross score on the day, the gross prize cannot be won by either of the net score prize winners.

The winners are the pair with the lowest net score, they will be presented with the trophy and their names, as appropriate, will be engraved on the Trophy and Honours Board.

**Cancelled or Abandoned Competitions**

If it is not possible to complete the Centenary Trophy on the scheduled date then the competition will be rescheduled, and another planned competition may be cancelled to allow the competition to take place.