

# BECOME A RULES GURU

## Week 12 - Maximum score form of stroke play

### THE QUIZ!

#### SCENARIO:

Scott is playing in a maximum score competition. The terms of the competition specify the maximum number of strokes as 5 over par for the hole being played.

On reaching the par 4 16th hole, Scott is level par for the round. On the 16th hole Scott plays a wrong ball, but only realises this after he holes out. He decides not to correct this mistake and walks to the 17th tee.

Scott proceeds to birdie this hole then chooses not to hole out on the 18th. His marker enters a score of 11 on the 16th hole and no score on the 18th hole.

They both sign the scorecard and Scott returns it to the Committee.

#### WHAT IS THE RULING?

- Scott incurs the general penalty on holes 16 and 18.
- The Committee will apply a score of 11 on hole 16 and the maximum score on hole 18.
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- Scott is disqualified.