



Whickham Golf Club

MEN CORONATION CUP

Background

Donated on 26 March 1953 by the Captain, A (Alf) B Heppell in honour of Queens Elizabeth II's Coronation. To be known as the Heppell Coronation Cup and to be played for on the Saturday nearest the date of the Coronation (2 June)

Format History

The story goes that the only competition Alf Heppell won up to the time of his captaincy was a bogey competition and, therefore, he requested the Coronation Cup to be played in bogey format. In 1973 the format was an 18 hole bogey competition, three-quarters handicap allowance. Subsequently format varied with stableford and stroke.

Current

18 holes stableford.

Full allowance. Handicap limit 28.

White tees when available.

Restrictions

Junior members may play if they have an official handicap of 21 or less, and they play with a member of 18 years of age, or over.

Junior members may not win the competition, unless they have a handicap of 12 or less.

