

## WAMS RULES

### General

There should be a minimum of 11 Players to make a valid competition.

Less than this the week will be void.

All games will be in 4ball or 3ball as necessary according to number playing

Your WAMS base handicap will be your Club handicap converted to Course Handicap multiplied by 95% for Stableford Competitions on your first game of the year. This will be revised on 1<sup>st</sup> July each year.

### Handicaps

For non-winners your handicap will be increased by 1 each week as follows :

Handicaps 0 to 9 up to a maximum of **3** above your WAMS base handicap.

Handicaps 10 to 18 up to a maximum of **4** above your WAMS base handicap.

Handicaps 19+ up to a maximum of **6** above your WAMS base handicap.

The initial upward adjustment will start after your first 2 games

The table below will be used to work out the handicap adjustments for the weekly winners subject to :

Anyone who WINS will go back to a minimum of their WAMS handicap less 2.

Anyone coming 2<sup>nd</sup> will go back to a minimum of their WAMS handicap.

After a win or second 4 games will elapse before you revert to any increase.

Anyone coming 2<sup>nd</sup> with less than 36 points will not be cut but will retain their handicap for 4 weeks (subject to any further wins in that time)

Handicap Ranges	0 to 9	10 to 18	19+
Up to & including 37 points			
WINNER	-1	-2	-2
SECOND	-1	-1	-1
For 38 to 40 points			
WINNER	-2	-3	-3
SECOND	-1	-1	-2
For 41 to 42 points			
WINNER	-2	-3	-4
SECOND	-2	-2	-2
For 43 points or more			
WINNER	-3	-4	-5
SECOND	-2	-2	-3

### Prizes

The weekly stake is £3. A £1 to £3 deduction for annual prize fund (Best 6 scores & Winner of the Alan Taylor Trophy played for at Xmas meeting) and then Individual & Team prizes 60/40 Winner/Second. When 17-25 Players Individual Prizes increased to a 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize and 26-29 a 4<sup>th</sup> Prize and over 29 a 5<sup>th</sup> Prize.