

THE ABERDEEN LADIES' GOLF CLUB
TERMS OF COMPETITIONS

(updated April 2022)

BALGOWNIE MEMBERSHIP

Open to all members, giving full access to both courses. **NB Play on Saturdays is only permitted on Balgownie Links after 3.30pm on RAGC Competition days and 2pm on non-competition days (Bye-Laws 2 – pg1 ALGC Rules Book).** Members may play in Medals, Stablefords and all Trophy Competitions, off any tee on either course, subject to the individual terms of each competition as set out in this book. Members who have paid the Balgownie subscription may, on the payment of the appropriate fee, invite a guest to play on either course. **Guest fees** are payable to RAGC at the Professional's shop.

SILVERBURN MEMBERSHIP

Open to all members who wish to play only on the Silverburn Course. Silverburn Members who have chosen not to take out a Balgownie Membership are entitled to **'Pay and Play'** for Medals, Stablefords and Trophy Competitions on Balgownie Links, up to a maximum of 6 times a year, subject to the individual terms of each competition as set out in this book. **(NB Restrictions apply to 'Pay and Play' on Balgownie Links on Saturdays - please see Balgownie Membership above).** The **'Pay and Play'** payment should be made to ALGC and is limited to 6 rounds, either competitive or casual, in a year which is in line with the allowance for RAGC Silverburn members. Silverburn Members may, on the payment of the appropriate fee, invite a guest to play on the Silverburn Course **only**. **Guest fees** are payable to RAGC at the Professional's shop.

BOOKING FOR A MEDAL/STABLEFORD

Booking is through the HowDidiDo App for Medals and Stablefords although you can book a time via BRS if you want to play outwith those times. Members may choose their own partners. A member may enter her name opposite a time on the Startsheet and accept anyone who enters with her. Should no-one enter as a playing partner, the last member of the preceding group should drop down to play with the single member. These four players then form two groups of two.

Booking opens 3 weeks prior to the competition and then closes 8 days before the competition at 10.00am. The bookings then become visible on BRS and you can enter directly if a slot becomes available or remove your name. Failing that, contact the RAGC Professional's Shop.

If on the day you cannot play, please withdraw your name from the tee time via BRS and inform your playing partner(s).

Sunday Medals and Stablefords will be played on the Sunday prior to the mid-week Medal/Stableford date (for exceptions see Fixture list). Members may enter and play in both Sunday and mid-week competitions. Members must remember to sign in on HowDidiDo before start of play.

MEDALS, STABLEFORD AND TROPHY COMPETITIONS

Competitions on Balgownie Links are set up with the choice of Red or Green tees, with the exception of the Championship which will be played off Red tees. Remember to select the correct tee when signing in to HowDidiDo

BOOKING FOR A TROPHY COMPETITION

Booking opens approximately 3 weeks before the draw date of each competition and closes at 10am 8 days before competition. The Draw will be visible on BRS 7 days before the competition. Members may **book** either on the Touchscreen, on the HowDidiDo App or online via HowDidiDo.com and playing partners will be assigned following the draw. The exceptions being the Coronation Foursomes and Daily Mail Foursomes which you enter as a pair. NB. The Challenge Bowl is **not** a draw and you can choose to enter either as a pair or individually by booking a time on the Startsheet.

LATE ENTRIES - RESERVE LIST

This list will be held by the Draws Team and will remain open until 10am the day before the competition.

- **No tee times available** - Should there be no places available on HDID for a competition prior to a draw, members are asked to contact a member of the Draws Team to indicate their desire to play. If extra times can be obtained from RAGC these members will be entered into the competition prior to the Draw. If RAGC are unable to offer extra times, their names will be added to the reserve list and, **should there be a withdrawal**, their name will be entered into the competition.
- **Late Entrants** - After the Draw has been made, 8 days before the Competition, members who wish to enter are asked to contact a member of the Draws Team to have their name added to the reserve list and, **should there be a withdrawal**, their name will be entered into the competition. The exception to this rule will be the Balgownie Quaichs where **no** late entries are permitted.

Should there be no reserve player available the Committee may, at their discretion, appoint a marker to fill a space on the day of any competition. If a marker pre-registers her round before playing, it may be counted as a General Play score for handicap purposes.

DRAWN COMPETITIONS AND WITHDRAWALS

Entry for all Trophy competitions will close at 10am 8 days before the competition is to be held. Tee times will be entered on the BRS 7 days before the competition. Any changes up to 6pm on the day before the competition will be done by the Draw Convenors. Thereafter, changes will be dealt with by Committee, if possible.

EARLY/LATE TEE TIME OPTIONS

If you regularly require an early/late tee time, please email the Draw Convenor at the start of the season stating your reason. If during the season you require an early/late tee time for a specific competition, please email the Draw Convenor stating your reason. Every effort will be made to accommodate requests but may not always be possible.

PLAY OUTWITH THE RESERVED TEE TIMES

After the Draw has been made, a player having entered a competition and having intimated to the Draws Team their wish to play outwith the reserved tee times, must agree and arrange their own tee time with their drawn partner and/or playing partners via BRS.

Please refer to each individual competition. Exceptions to this rule:

- Knockout matchplay stages of both the Club and the Silverburn Championships
- Spring and Autumn Meetings - strokeplay
- Matheson Foursomes
- Pro's Day
- Guest Day
- Club Day
- Captain's Prize
- Captain v Vice-Captain
- The Lyon Salver
- Winter and Summer Foursomes
- Fun Days

GENERAL PLAY SCORES

General Play scores may be submitted for handicap purposes on both Balgownie Links and the Silverburn Course. A marker is required to verify your score. The rounds must be pre-registered before play by signing in on HowDidiDo. **N.B. Sign in and score entry must be completed within a one mile radius of the club.** There is no limit to the number of General Play rounds permitted per year provided you play on a fully measured course.

LATE ARRIVAL FOR COMPETITIONS

Competitors arriving late but within 5 minutes of their tee time will be penalised 2 strokes at the 1st hole in Stroke Play and loss of hole in Matchplay. Any later than 5 minutes and they will be disqualified from the competition, except due to extenuating circumstances at the discretion of the Committee. They may be allowed to play as a marker at the discretion of the Committee.

ABANDONING A COMPETITION

The Committee will make any decision as to abandoning a competition within the Rules of Golf, which would normally occur only for reasons of safety and playability of the course. The underlying principles are set out in the Rules of Golf, a key one being that the whole field must have the opportunity to play (18.7).

It should be noted that there is no authority within the Rules of Golf for a Committee to determine that a competition result will be declared if a certain percentage of the field, e.g. 50%/75%, have completed their rounds. Similarly, a Committee cannot simply reduce the number of holes to be played once play has commenced (Decision 33-1/2).

The abandoned competition may, at the discretion of the Committee, be rescheduled as an entirely new competition. All eligible members may enter, and a new draw may be made.

BEFORE PLAY

A player **MUST** sign in on the HowDidiDo App or online via [HowDidiDo.com](https://www.howdidi.com) prior to play for individual competitions. For team competitions (e.g. foursomes/greensomes) sign in as a team on the Touchscreen. Failure to do so will result in disqualification. This is not applicable for fun competitions.

AFTER PLAY

A player should enter their score on the HowDidiDo App or online via [HowDidiDo.com](https://www.howdidi.com) as soon as possible following their round. After a team competition, please enter your score on the Touchscreen and post your completed card in the box.

PRIZEGIVINGS

There are three main prize-givings in the year: one each at both the Spring and Autumn Meetings and one at the Christmas Lunch in December. This is at the discretion of the Committee and may be subject to change.

JUNIORS AND YOUNG MEMBERS

Junior and Young Members who hold a handicap index are eligible to play in Club Competitions for Club Trophies, provided that they are not otherwise excluded from so competing by the particular terms of any competition. Members winning any of these competitions will win the prize of the day and may qualify for the Medal Finals, the Stableford Finals and the Wishart Trophies.

CLUB TROPHIES

THE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Winner
Runner Up
Beaten Semi-finalists
Handicap Winner
Handicap Runner Up

Danish Copper Plate
Mellis Tankard
The Kennaway Quaichs
The Booth Trophy
The Eva Robertson Trophy

THE SILVERBURN CHAMPIONSHIP

Winner
Runner Up
Beaten Semi-finalists
Handicap Winner

The Sellar Trophy
The Norah Morrice Salver
LGU and SLGA Quaichs
The Jean MacNaughtan Vase

THE CHALLENGE BOWL (HANDICAP)

Winner

The Challenge Bowl & Brooch

THE CHALLENGE BOWL AGGREGATE TROPHIES

Scratch Winner
Handicap Winner

The Davidson Trophy
The Armada Dish

SPRING & AUTUMN MEETINGS AGGREGATE TROPHIES

Balgownie Scratch Aggregate
Balgownie Handicap Aggregate
Silverburn Scratch Aggregate
Silverburn Handicap Aggregate

The Spence Salver
The Kennaway Trophy
The Stott Trophy – Onyx Ink Stand
The Kennaway Trophy

THE MACDONALD VETERANS' TROPHIES

Spring Meeting

Balgownie Scratch
Silverburn Handicap

Silver Teapot
Silver Breadbasket

Autumn Meeting

Balgownie Handicap
Silverburn Scratch

Silver Breadbasket
Silver Teapot

MEDAL FINALS

Balgownie Scratch
Balgownie Handicap
Silverburn Scratch
Silverburn Handicap

The Kennaway Cup
The Club Silver Tray
The Gold Medal
The Mellis Cup

STABLEFORD FINALS

Balgownie Winner
Silverburn Winner

The Lyon Picture
The Lyon Picture

THE RING BOX TROPHIES

Balgownie
Silverburn

Silver Ring Box
Silver Ring Box

THE ELLA REID SALVER

Winners

Ella Reid Silver Salver

JEAN BROWN TROPHY

Balgownie
Silverburn

The Jean Brown Trophy
The Jean Brown Trophy

BETTY DAVIDSON TROPHY

Balgownie
Silverburn

Horn Sailing Ship
Horn Sailing Ship

SHEPHERD TROPHY

Balgownie
Silverburn

The Shepherd Silver Quaich
The Shepherd Silver Bowl

CENTENARY TROPHY

Balgownie
Silverburn

Centenary Silver Brooch
Carriage Clock

MILLENNIUM TROPHY

Balgownie
Silverburn

Millennium Quaich
Millennium Quaich

TONY MOFFAT CUP

Winner(s)

Tony Moffat Cup

MATHESON TROPHY

Winners

The Matheson Silver Salver

THE LITTLEJOHN BOWL/TAPPIT HEN

Balgownie
Silverburn

The Littlejohn Bowl
The Tappit Hen

LYON SALVER

Winners

The Lyon Silver Salver

BALGOWNIE QUAICHS

Winners
Runners Up

Balgownie Quaichs
Antique Silver Cups

MEARNS WINTER TROPHY

Winners

Mearns Wine Coasters

THE MACDONALD TROPHY

Winners

MacDonald Quaich

ROBERT ARCHIBALD TROPHY

Winners Balgownie Links
Winners Silverburn Course

Robert Archibald Wooden Trophy
Pat Archibald Silver Bowl

MURRAY QUAICH

Winner

The Murray Quaich

COURSE RECORDS

These must be attained in Competitions

BALGOWNIE LINKS

| | | |
|--------------------|----|--------------|
| Miss E Farquharson | 69 | 16 July 1987 |
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CHANGED 2004

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|---------------|----|----------------|
| Miss S M Wood | 77 | June 2006 |
| Miss S M Wood | 76 | 16 June 2011 |
| Miss S M Wood | 74 | 21 August 2014 |

CHANGED 2015

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| Miss S Wood | 80 | 26 May 2015 |
| Miss S Wood | 74 | 24 May 2016 |
| Miss S Wood | 73 | 6 July 2021 |

SILVERBURN COURSE

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|----------------|----|-------------------|
| Mrs G M Reid | 70 | 26 June 1990 |
| Mrs J M Slater | 69 | 15 September 1992 |
| Miss C Hunter | 68 | 8 October 1994 |
| Mrs G M Reid | 66 | 16 January 1996 |

CHANGED 1999

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| Mrs G M Reid | 70 | September 2002 |
| Miss L Murray (Alford Junior) | 65 | August 2005 |

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THE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

In 1947 The Aberdeen Ladies Golf Club presented a Danish Copper Plate for the Club Champion. This plate was made by a Danish sculptor, Just Andersen. He used a secret formula of metals for his work. There are marks on the plate caused by wear and tear, but we have been advised by Jamieson and Carry Jewellers that it would be impossible to restore it to its original state and any attempts to do so would detract from its value and appeal.

In 1947 Mrs. W. Mellis presented a Silver Tankard for the runner-up.

In 1967 Mrs. J. P. Kennaway presented two Silver Quaichs for the semi-finalists.

1. The Club Championship shall be played over 2 weeks on Balgownie Links off **Red** tees and shall be open to Members of the Club, with a current handicap, as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules. Entrants who qualify will automatically be entered into the match play stages of the competition. Entrants who are **not** available to progress to the match play rounds, and who only wish to play in the 2 qualifying rounds may do so. They **MUST** inform the Draws team by e-mail when they book, be available to play in **both** of the qualifying rounds and play off Red tees only.
2. The Championship shall consist of two qualifying stroke play rounds after a matched draw, with the eight lowest scratch scores qualifying for match play. Qualifying ties will be decided on the last 18, 9, 6, 3 and 1 hole(s).
3. Late entries are permitted (please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)
4. After the matchplay draw has been made, a player having to withdraw shall scratch and give her opponent a walk-over.
5. If a player's handicap index changes during the Championship, they must continue to play the remainder of the competition on Balgownie Links off their new Handicap Index.
6. Each match, including the final, shall consist of one round of 18 holes. The loser of the match shall be responsible for recording the result on the noticeboard.
7. In the event of a tie after 18 holes, competitors shall continue to play on until one or other shall have gained a hole when the match shall be considered won.
8. The Winner shall be the Club Champion and the Championship Trophy shall be held for that year.
9. The Runner-up shall hold the Mellis Tankard for that year.
10. The Semi-finalists shall hold the Kennaway Quaichs for that year.
11. Playing outwith the reserved times is permitted only in the qualifying rounds (please refer to page 2) NB - late afternoon tee times are reserved for this competition

THE BOOTH HANDICAP TROPHY

Presented by Mrs. P. Booth in 1991

The competition is open to the eight members with the lowest handicap scores who have not qualified for the Club Championship. The competition will run concurrently with the Club Championship and the same rules will apply.

THE SILVERBURN CHAMPIONSHIP

THE SELLAR TROPHY

In 1963 Mrs. J. Sellar presented a Silver Fruit Dish for the winner and Mrs. E. C. Thomson a Silver Cup for the runner-up. The E. C. Thomson cup was replaced with the Mrs. Norah Morrice Salver in 1990

1. The Silverburn Championship shall be played over 2 weeks on the Silverburn Course and shall be open to all members of the Club, with a current handicap, as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules. Entrants who qualify will automatically be entered into the match play stages of the competition. Entrants who are **not** available to progress to the match play rounds, and who only wish to play in the qualifying round may do so. They **MUST** inform the Draws team by e-mail when they book.
2. The competition shall consist of one qualifying round of stroke play after a matched draw with the eight lowest scratch scores qualifying for match play. Qualifying ties will be decided on the last 9, 6, 3 and 1 holes.
3. Late entries are permitted (please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)
4. After the matchplay draw has been made, a player having to withdraw shall scratch and give her opponent a walk-over.
5. If a player's handicap index changes after the qualifying round, they must continue to play the remainder of the competition on the Silverburn Course off their new Handicap Index.
6. Each match including the Final shall consist of one round of 18 holes. The loser of the match shall be responsible for recording the result on the noticeboard.
7. In the event of a tie after 18 holes, competitors shall continue to play on until one or other shall have gained a hole when the match shall be considered won.
8. The winner shall be the Silverburn Champion and the Sellar Trophy shall be held for that year.
9. The Runner-up shall receive the Norah Morrice Salver and retain it for that year.
10. Playing outwith the reserved times is permitted only in the qualifying rounds (please refer to page 2) NB - late afternoon tee times are reserved for this competition

JEAN MACNAUGHTAN VASE

Presented in 1992

The competition is open to the eight members with the lowest handicap scores who have not qualified for the Silverburn Championship. The competition will run concurrently with the Silverburn Championship and the same rules will apply.

THE SPRING AND AUTUMN MEETINGS

The Spring and Autumn Meetings are held over two days - one for the Challenge Bowl and one for the Stroke Competition. Aggregate prizes will be presented at the Autumn Meeting Prizegiving.

THE CHALLENGE BOWL

Presented in 1894 to The Aberdeen Ladies Golf Club by the following members of The Royal Aberdeen Golf Club:

A.J.W. Storie, Captain, J.C. Rennet, J.B.Craigie, L.S.Anderson, W. Mackenzie, A.L. Miller, J. Davidson, W.R. Reid, J. Dove Wilson, H.C. Hadden, J.G. Butchart, J.M. Ferguson, R.D. Leslie, T. Todd, W.C. Jamieson, A.W. Mitchell, W.C.H. Jopp, C.D. Simpson, D.R. Milne, M.M. Duncan, D.M.M .Milligan, C.F. Hayne, W.F. Orr, H.J. Jopp

1. The Challenge Bowl Competition shall be played over the Silverburn Course as part of the Spring and Autumn Meetings and shall be open to Members of the Club (Rule 13, Rules ALGC).
2. The competition shall consist of one round of stroke play with **A MAXIMUM HANDICAP INDEX ALLOWANCE OF 25.6**, in accordance with the wishes of the people who presented the Trophy. Those with higher handicaps may compete but must play off no more than 25.6.
3. Players may **choose** their partner or enter individually. In the event of one player scratching, the other shall have the right to withdraw, choose another partner prior to the times being confirmed on BRS or be allocated a partner from the reserve list (see page 2).
4. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete, but one score only need be returned.
5. The winner shall be the player returning the lowest handicap score and shall retain the Challenge Bowl for six months. She will also receive a Challenge Bowl Brooch provided said winner has not already won such a brooch.
6. Play outwith the reserved times is permitted and players shall book their own times via BRS.
7. Late entries are permitted (please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

CHALLENGE BOWL AGGREGATE TROPHIES

THE DAVIDSON TROPHY

A Silver Cup presented by Mrs. A. A. Davidson. The trophy will be awarded each year to the player with the best scratch aggregate score in the Spring and Autumn Challenge Bowl Competitions.

THE ARMADA DISH

Presented in 1988 by Mrs. J. S. Finnie. The trophy will be awarded each year to the player with the best handicap aggregate score in the Spring and Autumn Challenge Bowl Competitions.

If there is a tie, then the player with the better Autumn score shall be awarded the trophy. The same player may win both the scratch and handicap aggregate trophies.

THE SPRING AND AUTUMN MEETINGS

1. A stroke play round is played on Balgownie Links, off Red or Green tees, and on the Silverburn Course as part of the Spring and Autumn Meetings.
2. Partners shall be allocated by a matched draw.
3. Prizes or vouchers will be awarded for this competition. A player may not win both a scratch and a handicap prize in the Stroke play competition but may win both Aggregate prizes.
4. Veteran Ladies (50 years and over) will be eligible to win the MacDonald Trophies in addition to the other prizes. Ladies below the age of 50 are asked to put NV (non-veteran) on their card.
5. Play outwith the reserved tee times is **not** permitted.
6. Late entries are permitted (please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

Members recording the best aggregate scores in this competition in the Spring and Autumn Meetings will be eligible to win the following trophies:

THE SPENCE SALVER

Presented by Mrs. J. Spence in 1951

Balgownie Links

The Spence Salver will be awarded each year to the competitor with the **best Scratch Aggregate Score** in the Spring and Autumn Meetings.

THE STOTT TROPHY

Presented by Mrs F F Stott in 1974

Silverburn Course

An Onyx Ink Stand will be awarded each year to the competitor with the **best Scratch Aggregate Score** in the Spring and Autumn Meetings.

THE KENNAWAY TROPHIES

Two Silver Dishes presented by Mrs J P Kennaway in 1970

A Kennaway Trophy will be awarded each year to the competitor from both Balgownie Links and the Silverburn Course with the **best Handicap Aggregate Score** in the Spring and Autumn Meetings - Stroke Competition.

If there is a tie then the player with the better Autumn score shall be awarded the trophy. The same player may win both the scratch and handicap aggregate trophies.

THE MACDONALD VETERANS' TROPHIES

(members who are 50 and over are eligible to win these Trophies)

A Silver Bread Basket presented in 1974 by Mrs Dorothy MacDonald

SPRING MEETING

The trophy shall be awarded to the veteran competitor on the Silverburn Course returning the lowest handicap score in the Stroke Competition.

AUTUMN MEETING

The trophy shall be awarded to the veteran competitor on Balgownie Links returning the lowest handicap score in the Stroke Competition.

A Silver Teapot presented in 1980 by Mrs Dorothy MacDonald

SPRING MEETING

The trophy shall be awarded to the veteran competitor on Balgownie Links returning the lowest scratch score in the Stroke Competition.

AUTUMN MEETING

The trophy shall be awarded to the veteran competitor on the Silverburn Course returning the lowest scratch score in the Stroke Competition.

The same player may win both a MacDonald Veterans' Trophy and other trophies or prizes competed.

MONTHLY MEDALS - BALGOWNIE LINKS

1. The competitions shall be played on the first Tuesday of every month, and the first Sunday preceding the Tuesday Medal, (please see fixture list for exceptions) and shall be open to Balgownie Members of the club. Silverburn members may 'Pay and Play', **up to a maximum of 6 times a year**, (see Silverburn Membership information) and play in Medals on Balgownie Links. This makes them eligible to compete in the Balgownie Medal finals. Members may play in both the Sunday and Tuesday Medals.
2. Play shall consist of a stroke play round.
3. Tuesday Medals – Members may book in threes on the Startsheet up to eight days prior to the competition. Thereafter, they must book their own time on the BRS system.
4. A member with no partner may enter her name opposite a time on the Startsheet up to eight days prior to the competition and accept anyone who enters with her. The Startsheet will appear on BRS 7 days prior to the medal and, only if a space becomes available, may a member enter their name.
5. Should a member find they have no playing partners on the day, a member of the preceding group should drop down to play with the single member.
6. Sunday Medals – Players may choose their own partners and reserve their own tee times on the BRS system.
7. No competition shall be valid unless two or more members compete, but only one score need be returned.
8. The competitor with the lowest scratch score off the Red or Green tees shall be the scratch winner and shall qualify for the Balgownie Scratch Medal Finals (to be held on a Tuesday). Where the winner has already qualified, the player in second place shall qualify and so on.
9. The competitor with the lowest handicap score off the Red or Green tees shall be the handicap winner and shall qualify for the Balgownie Handicap Medal Finals (to be held on a Tuesday). Where the winner has already qualified, the player in second place shall qualify and so on.
10. A competitor may qualify in both Scratch and Handicap sections.
11. All Balgownie scores off Red or Green tees in these Medals will count for the Scottish Golf Regional Medal Finals and the ALGC Balgownie Medal Finals.
12. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)

MONTHLY MEDALS - SILVERBURN COURSE

1. The competitions shall be played on the first Tuesday of every month, and the first Sunday of every month preceding the Tuesday Medal. (Please see fixture list for exceptions.) They shall be open to all members of the club. (Rule 13 – ALGC Rules). Members may play in both the Sunday and Tuesday Medals.
2. Play shall consist of a stroke play round. Please note that during the winter months Green tees are not always available.
3. Tuesday Medals - Members may book in threes on the Startsheet up to eight days prior to the competition. Thereafter, they must book their own time on the BRS system.
4. A member with no partner may enter her name opposite a time on the Startsheet up to eight days prior to the competition and accept anyone who enters with her. The Startsheet will appear on BRS 7 days prior to the medal and, only if a space becomes available, may a member enter their name.
5. Should a member find they have no playing partners on the day, a member of the preceding group should drop down to play with the single member.
6. Sunday Medals – Players may choose their own partners and reserve their own tee times on the BRS system.
7. No competition shall be valid unless two or more members compete, but one score only need be returned.
8. The competitor with the lowest scratch score shall be the scratch winner and shall qualify for the Silverburn Scratch Medal Finals (to be held on a Tuesday). Where the winner has already qualified, the player in second place shall qualify and so on.
9. The competitor with the lowest handicap score shall be the handicap winner and shall qualify for the Silverburn Handicap Medal Finals (to be held on a Tuesday). Where the winner has already qualified, the player in second place shall qualify and so on.
10. A competitor may qualify in both Scratch and Handicap sections.
11. All Silverburn scores in these Medals will count for the Scottish Golf Regional Medal Finals and the ALGC Silverburn Medal Finals.
12. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
13. 9-hole competitions will be available on the Silverburn Course on both Medal days from April to October inclusive. These will count for handicap purposes.

MEDAL FINALS - BALGOWNIE

SCRATCH

Mrs J. P. Kennaway presented a Silver Cup in 1950 for the Winner

1. A competitor shall have qualified in the monthly scratch Medal competitions. (Tuesdays or Sundays)
2. A player who qualifies for the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on Balgownie Links and also the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on the Silverburn Course will be eligible to play in both Medal Finals. The competitions will be held on separate Tuesdays.
3. Qualifiers shall play off their current handicap index.
4. Partners will be allocated by a matched draw and shall play a stroke play round on a given Tuesday.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete, but only one score need be returned.
6. The qualifier with the lowest scratch score on Balgownie Links off the Red or Green tees shall win the Kennaway Cup and retain it for one year. The same player can also win the handicap prize.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)

HANDICAP

Aberdeen Ladies Golf Club presented a Silver Tray in 1930 for the winner.

1. A competitor shall have qualified in the monthly handicap Medal competitions. (Tuesdays or Sundays).
2. A player who qualifies for the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on Balgownie Links and also the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on the Silverburn Course will be eligible to play in both Medal Finals. The competitions will be held on separate Tuesdays.
3. Qualifiers shall play off their current handicap index.
4. Partners will be allocated by a matched draw and shall play a stroke play round on a given Tuesday.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete, but only one score need be returned.
6. The qualifier with the lowest net score on Balgownie Links off the Red or Green tees shall win the Club Silver Tray and retain it for one year. The same player can also win the scratch prize.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)

MEDAL FINALS - SILVERBURN

SCRATCH

A Gold Medal for the Winner.

1. A competitor shall have qualified in the monthly scratch Medal competitions (Tuesday or Sunday competitions).
2. A player who qualifies for the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on Balgownie Links and also the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on the Silverburn Course will be eligible to play in both Medal Finals. The competitions will be held on separate Tuesdays.
3. Qualifiers shall play off their current handicap index.
4. Partners will be allocated by a matched draw and play a stroke play round on a given Tuesday.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete, but only one score need be returned.
6. The qualifier with the lowest scratch score on the Silverburn Course shall win the Gold Medal and retain it for one year. The same player can also win the handicap prize.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)

HANDICAP

The Mellis Cup was presented by Mrs W. Mellis in 1949 for the winner.

1. A competitor shall have qualified in the monthly handicap Medal competitions (Tuesday or Sunday competitions).
2. A player who qualifies for the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on Balgownie Links and also the Scratch and/or Handicap Medal Final on the Silverburn Course will be eligible to play in both Medal Finals. The competitions will be held on separate Tuesdays.
3. Qualifiers shall play off their current handicap index.
4. Partners will be allocated by a matched draw and play a stroke play round on a given Tuesday.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete, but only one score need be returned.
6. The qualifier with the lowest net score on the Silverburn Course shall win the Mellis Cup and retain it for one year. The same player can also win the scratch prize.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)

MONTHLY STABLEFORDS
BALGOWNIE AND SILVERBURN

1. These competitions shall be played on the third Thursday of every month, and the third Sunday of every month preceding the Thursday Stableford (please see fixture list for exceptions). It shall be open to members of the club with current handicaps (Rule 13 – ALGC Rules).
2. The player with the greatest number of Stableford points playing off the Red or Green tees on Balgownie Links shall qualify for the Balgownie Stableford Finals. The player with the greatest number of Stableford points on the Silverburn Course shall qualify for the Silverburn Stableford Final. The Finals will be held on a Thursday. Where the winner has already qualified, the player in second place shall qualify and so on.
3. Thursday Stablefords - Members may sign up in threes on the Startsheet up to eight days prior to the competition. Thereafter, they must book their own time on the BRS system.
4. A member with no partner may enter her name opposite a time on the Start Sheet up to eight days prior to the competition and accept anyone who signs with her. The startsheet will appear on BRS 7 days prior to the Stableford and, only if a space becomes available, may a member enter their name.
5. Should a member find they have no playing partners on the day, a member of the preceding group should drop down to play with the single member.
6. Sunday Medals – Players may choose their own partners and reserve their own tee times on the BRS system.
7. No competition shall be valid unless two or more members compete, but only one score need be returned.
8. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
9. 9-hole competitions will be on the Silverburn Course on Stableford days from April to October inclusive. These will count for handicap purposes.

STABLEFORD FINALS

Miss C. Lyon presented two pictures in 1968 for the winners on each course

1. A competitor shall qualify once only in the Monthly or Sunday Stableford competition. Members of the Club are eligible to compete for the Trophies (Rule 13 - ALGC Rules).
2. A player who qualifies for the Stableford Final on Balgownie Links and also the Stableford Final on the Silverburn Course will be eligible to play in both Stableford Finals. The competitions will be held on separate Thursdays.
3. Qualifiers shall play off their current handicap index.
4. Partners will be allocated by a random draw to play a Stableford round at a time on a given Thursday.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more Members compete, but only one score need be returned.
6. The Winners shall retain "The Lyon Picture" for one year.
7. Play on Balgownie Links will be off Red or Green tees.
8. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)

THE GOLF FOUNDATION – MAKE YOUR MARK APPEAL

For further information refer to www.golf-foundation.org

1. The Golf Foundation is a charity which encourages girls to play golf.
2. Crystal markers will be awarded to the players with the highest number of Stableford points on Balgownie Links, off Red or Green tees, and on the Silverburn Course in the Thursday April Stableford. Players must have paid their entrance money before commencing play.
3. The winners will be the players with the most Stableford points on each course.

THE RING BOX TROPHY

A Silver Ring Box presented by Mrs Dorothy MacDonald in 1989 for the Balgownie Links winner, to be played for on her birthday, 4th May or nearest date thereto.

A Silver Ring Box presented by Mrs Madge Dickson in 1997 for the Silverburn Course winner.

1. The competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules).
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links, off Red or Green tees, and on the Silverburn Course on or around 4th May.
3. Play shall consist of a Stableford round.
4. Players shall be allocated by a random draw.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more Members compete, but only one score need be returned.
6. The winner shall retain the trophy for one year.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

ELLA REID SALVER

Presented by Geoffrey and Nigel Reid in 1985 in memory of their mother Mrs Ella Reid

1. An annual foursomes stroke competition played on the Silverburn course.
2. It shall be open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
3. A player with a low Handicap Index and a player with a high Handicap Index shall be drawn together if possible. The Playing Handicap will be half of the combined Course Handicap with fractions being rounded up.
4. In the event of one of a partnership having to withdraw, the remaining player shall have the right to withdraw, be allocated another partner from the reserve list (see page 2) or may mark for her fellow competitors.
5. If a couple has to withdraw, the remaining partnership shall be allocated a marker or play in a six at the end of the draw.
6. The winners shall retain the trophy for one year.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE JEAN BROWN TROPHY
Silver Apprentice Bowl

This trophy is in memory of Miss Jean Brown, who was a supportive member and generous benefactor to the Club from 1958 until her death in 2006.

1. The competition is open to all Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off Green tees and on the Silverburn Course.
3. The competition shall take the form of foursomes stroke play, with competitors being drawn to play.
4. The Playing Handicap will be half the combined Course Handicap with fractions being rounded up.
5. Partners shall be allocated by a random draw.
6. In the event of one of a partnership having to withdraw, the remaining player shall have the right to withdraw, be allocated another partner from the reserve list (see page 2) or may mark for her fellow competitors.
7. If a couple has to withdraw, the remaining partnership shall be allocated a marker or play in a six at the end of the draw.
8. The trophies will be presented at the main prizegiving and are retained for one year.
9. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
10. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE BETTY DAVIDSON TROPHIES.

Two horn sailing ships presented by Mrs Betty Davidson in 1969

1. The Competition is open to Members of the club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off Red or Green tees and on the Silverburn Course.
3. Play shall consist of a Stableford round.
4. Players shall be allocated by a random draw.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more Members compete but one score only need be returned.
6. The winners shall retain the trophies for one year.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)

8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE SHEPHERD TROPHIES

Two trophies presented by Mrs. J. Shepherd in 1960

1. The competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off Red or Green tees and on the Silverburn Course.
3. Play shall consist of a stroke play round.
4. Partners shall be allocated by a random draw.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete but only one score need be returned.
6. The winners shall retain the trophies for one year.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

CENTENARY TROPHIES

Presented by Miss M. M. Wishart, T.D., and Mrs W S Milne

1. The competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off Red or Green tees and on the Silverburn Course.
3. Play shall consist of a stroke play round.
4. Partners shall be allocated by a matched draw.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete but only one score need be returned.
6. The winners shall retain the trophies for one year.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

MILLENNIUM TROPHIES

Two Silver Cups presented by Mrs Elspeth Barrack in 2000

1. The Competition is open to members of the club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off Red or Green tees and on the Silverburn Course.
3. Play shall consist of a Stableford round.
4. Partners shall be allocated by a random draw.
5. The Competition shall not be valid unless 6 or more members compete on both courses.
6. The winners shall retain the Trophies for one year.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE TONY MOFFAT CUP

A Silver Cup presented to Mrs. Moffat when elected Honorary Life President in 2000 and played for in her memory

1. This competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules
2. As this competition was intended to be a relaxed day the Committee will choose the format each year.
3. This competition will be played on the Silverburn Course on a day fixed by the Committee.
4. Partners shall be allocated by a drawn competition.
5. The winner will retain the trophy for one year.
6. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more members compete but only one score need be returned.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE MATHESON FOURSOMES

A Silver Salver presented in 1964 by Mrs Edith Matheson

1. The competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The knockout competition will be over three consecutive days on the Silverburn Course and members are asked to ensure they are available for all three days.
3. The competition shall consist of foursomes match play over 18 holes.
4. A player with a low Handicap Index and a player with high Handicap Index shall be drawn together if possible. Handicap allowance is half the combined Course Handicap. Fractions will be rounded up –
e.g. Team 1 course handicap 5 + 21 = 26,
Team 2 course handicap 12 + 27 = 39.
Difference is 13, half of which is 6.5 = 7.
In the event of a tie in any round, competitors shall continue to play until one or other has gained a hole, strokes being given and received at the same holes as in the first round, when the match shall be considered won.
5. In the event of one of a partnership having to withdraw before the start of the competition, the remaining player shall have the right to withdraw or be allocated another partner from the reserve list (see page 2). In the event that it is not possible to allocate a partner to a remaining player, the pair against whom the pair were drawn shall be given a walk-over through to the next round.
6. The losers of the match shall be responsible for recording the result on the noticeboard.
7. The winners shall retain the trophy for one year.
8. Play outwith reserved tee times is **not** permitted.
9. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE LITTLEJOHN BOWL

Presented in 1931 to the Club by Mrs. W.M. Littlejohn in memory of her husband who was Honorary Treasurer to the Club for 28 years.

1. The competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off Red or Green tees.
3. It shall be a stroke play round.
4. Partners shall be allocated by a matched draw.
5. The competition shall not be valid unless two or more Members compete but only one score need be returned.
6. The winner shall retain the trophy for one year.
7. Play outwith reserved tee times is permitted (please refer to page 2)
8. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE TAPPIT HEN

Presented in by Mrs Y Simpson in 1996

This competition shall be played over the Silverburn course on the same day as The Littlejohn Bowl and under the same terms of play.

THE LYON SALVER

Presented by Miss Charlotte Lyon in 1992

1. To be played on the Silverburn Course as the last competition of the year.
2. The format will be decided annually by the Committee.
3. Partners will be drawn.
4. The winners shall retain the trophy for one year.
5. Play outwith reserved tee times is **not** permitted, reflecting, Miss Lyon's wishes.
6. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)

THE BALGOWNIE QUAICHS

Two trophies presented by Mrs J.L. Moffat in 1982
Runners-up will receive two Antique Cups presented by Mrs Midge Miller

1. The Competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off **GREEN** tees and on the Silverburn Course.
3. The format will be singles match play.
4. Partners shall be allocated by a random draw. Course handicap allowance - full difference.
5. Competitors play each match off their current handicap index. A competitor whose handicap index changes during the course of the competition must continue to play on the course on which she started off her new handicap index.
6. Late entries are **not** permitted.
7. Matches may be played at any time to suit the competitors but must be completed by the latest date for each round. Extensions beyond these dates will only be given in exceptional circumstances and at the discretion of the Committee. A competitor must be available to play in all rounds of the competition.
8. If match is tied after 18 holes, play shall continue down the 19th hole and continue until one player wins. Strokes continue to be applied as before.
9. Players should reserve their own tee time via BRS and play must not interfere with other competitions or Draws.
10. The first named player in each tie is the Challenger. The Challenger must offer three dates to her opponent within the time limit for the round to be played. Failure by the Challenger to do so will result in her opponent being declared the winner.
11. In the event of a match being all square on the 18th Green, play will continue until one or other player has won a hole - giving and receiving strokes as in the first round.
12. If it is mutually decided to abandon a match due to weather conditions, players should, if possible, finish the hole they are playing. If this is not feasible, the player should lift the ball after marking where it lay. The match may then be resumed another day at the point where it was stopped.
13. The loser of the match shall be responsible for recording the result on the noticeboard.
14. Any dispute shall be referred to the Committee, whose decision shall be final.
15. The winners shall retain the trophies for one year.

WINTER FOURSOMES
THE MEARNS TROPHIES

Two silver wine coasters presented by Mrs Pat Mearns in 1975.

1. The Competition is open to Members of the Club as defined in Rule 13 of ALGC Rules.
2. The competition shall be known as The Mearns' Winter Foursomes. It shall be played on the Silverburn Course for two trophies donated by Mrs. J.A.G. Mearns in 1975.
3. A player with a low Handicap Index and a player with high Handicap Index shall be drawn together if possible. The handicap will be $\frac{1}{2}$ of the combined Course Handicap with fractions being rounded up.
4. The trophies shall be presented at the Spring Meeting and retained by the winners for one year.
5. The competition will take the form of a Stableford competition played on the Silverburn Course as presented on each day. In frost conditions when only 14 holes are playable there will not be an adjustment to the scores. It will be held over eight rounds. Draws will be made for each round. Points achieved by each pairing will be allocated to each individual and the winners will be the two individuals with the highest number of points over any three of these rounds (in the event of a tie then best 2 rounds, or best round to count).
6. Play outwith the reserved tee times is **not** permitted.
7. Late entries are permitted. (Please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2)
8. The Committee shall have the power to change any term of the competition.

CORONATION FOURSOMES

For full details refer to www.randa.org/championships/coronationfoursomes

1. An annual competition run by the club to determine which pair has the chance to qualify for the Area Final and Grand Final. This will be at their own expense.
2. The Competition shall be played over the Silverburn Course and take the form of Foursomes Stableford, with competitors choosing their partners and playing off half combined Course Handicap with fractions being rounded up. **NB** There is a HI limit of 40.0.
3. A draw shall be made for starting times and an entry fee, determined by the R&A, shall be sent to the International Match Fund.
4. In the event of one of a partnership having to withdraw, the remaining player shall have the right to choose another partner and compete, or she may mark for her fellow competitors.
5. If both members of a partnership have to withdraw, their playing partners shall be allocated a pair from the reserve list, allocated a marker or will play in a six at the end of the Draw.
6. The LGU Dishes will be presented to the couple returning the best net score and will be retained for one year.
7. Late entries, as a pair, are permitted and will be allocated a space if there is a withdrawal.
8. Players may represent only **one** club in this competition.

THE DAILY MAIL FOURSOMES

www.mailgolf.co.uk/

1. An annual competition run by the club to determine which pair has the chance to represent ALGC in the Daily Mail Foursomes Competition. This will be at their own expense.
2. The Competition shall be played over the Silverburn Course and take the form of foursomes strokeplay, with competitors choosing their partners and be ½ of the combined Course Handicap with fractions being rounded up.
3. A draw shall be made for starting times.
4. In the event of one of a partnership having to withdraw, the remaining player shall have the right to choose another partner and compete, or she may mark for her fellow competitors.
5. If both members of a partnership have to withdraw, their playing partners shall be allocated a pair from the reserve list, allocated a marker or will play in a six at the end of the Draw
6. The winning couple will have their names put forward to represent ALGC in the Daily Mail Foursomes competition.
7. Late entries, as a pair, are permitted and will be allocated a space if there is a withdrawal.
8. Players may represent only **one** club in this competition

THE WISHART TROPHIES

Two Silver Quaichs presented by Miss M.M. Wishart in 1969. One for the winner on Balgownie Links and one for the winner on the Silverburn Course.

These trophies will be awarded annually for points gained from the beginning of January to the end of December and be retained by the winners for one year.

Points (4, 3, 2 and 1) will be awarded for the best four net scores in the following competitions:

- Monthly Medals
- Monthly Stablefords
- Spring Stroke Competition
- Autumn Stroke Competition
- Shepherd Trophies
- Centenary Trophies

Points are awarded for players on Balgownie Links playing off Red or Green tees and for players on the Silverburn Course. The player on each course with the highest number of points will win the trophy.

No points will be awarded in a field of less than 4 players.

THE MURRAY QUAICH

Presented in 2004 by Mrs. Doranne Murray

1. This competition is open to all members of ALGC.
2. The trophy will be presented to the most improved player over the year.
3. Play can be over Balgownie Links off Red or Green tees and/or the Silverburn Course.
4. The winner shall retain the trophy for one year.
5. The Committee of The Aberdeen Ladies' Golf Club shall have the power to alter the rules of this competition.

THE ALAN JOHNSTON CLARET JUG

1. The competition, between ALGC and RAGC, is open to members of the Club aged 65 and over.
2. The competition shall be played on the Silverburn course.
3. Partners are allocated by a matched draw.
4. Play shall be Greensomes matchplay.
5. The winners shall retain the Trophy for one year.
6. Afternoon tea will be served by Aberdeen Ladies Golf Club and Royal Aberdeen Golf Club on alternate years.

ALGC V RAGC

1. The competition is open to ALGC Balgownie members. The team of 8 players will be selected from the members who have entered according to their HI and current form.
2. The competition shall be played on Balgownie Links off the Red Tees.
3. The Match Secretary will allocate partners by a matched draw.
4. Play shall be Foursomes matchplay, ½ combined Course Handicap. Ladies pairing with combined handicap of 13 and above will receive one additional shot.

INTER-CLUB FRIENDLY MATCHES

1. The competition shall be hosted on alternate years and shall be played over the Silverburn Course.
2. Play shall be Greensomes matchplay.
3. The Match Secretary will allocate partners by a matched draw.
4. The participating Clubs are:
 - Craibstone Golf Club
 - Deeside Golf Club
 - Banchory Golf Club
 - Peterculter Golf Club
 - Ballater Golf Club
5. The matches take place on a Monday followed by afternoon tea.

MACDONALD MIXED FOURSOMES

A Silver Quaich presented by Mr & Mrs J. Macdonald in 1968

1. All play is on Balgownie Links and pairings may choose to play off Red or Green tees. The competition is open to all Members of The Royal Aberdeen Golf Club (including 5 and 6 day members), Balgownie Members of The Aberdeen Ladies' Golf Club and Silverburn Members of The Aberdeen Ladies Golf Club whose playing partner is a member of RAGC. Members of either club may invite a guest as a playing partner, paying 50% of the members' guest fee. Junior members are not allowed to play.
2. The competition will take the form of a foursomes Stableford competition with all play off the Red or Green tees and strokes taken against the Ladies' card. Ladies shall tee off the first hole. Handicap allowance is half combined Course Handicap. The winners will retain the trophy for one year.
3. In the event of one of a partnership having to withdraw, the remaining player shall have the right to choose another partner and they shall become competitors.
4. Late entries are permitted by contacting the organisers.
5. If there is an odd number of entries, the last partnership shall play in a six at the end.
6. No Balgownie fee will be charged to members for this competition.
7. The Committee of The Aberdeen Ladies' Golf Club and the Council of The Royal Aberdeen Golf Club shall have the power to alter the rules of the competition.
8. Winners are responsible for the engraving the trophy.

THE ROBERT ARCHIBALD TROPHIES

Mrs P. C.R. Archibald presented the Trophy in memory of her husband Mr Robert Archibald who was Captain of The Royal Aberdeen Golf Club in 1973.

1. The competition is open to Members of Royal Aberdeen Golf Club and Members of The Aberdeen Ladies' Golf Club and may be played over either course. If over Balgownie, pairings may choose to play off Red or Green tees. Members of either club may invite a guest as a playing partner, paying 50% of the appropriate members' guest fee dependent on the course played.
2. ALGC Silverburn members may invite a guest to play **only** on the Silverburn Course.
3. The competition will take the form of a foursomes Stableford competition. It will be held over five rounds; the winners will be the couple with the highest number of points over any three of these rounds and retain the trophies for one year. If there is a tie, then the best two scores or best single score to count. Winners are responsible for the engraving the trophy.
4. The handicap will be half combined Course Handicaps of the partners.
5. The competitors will drive from the Ladies' Red or Green Tees, ladies to drive at the first tee.
6. Silverburn Members of ALGC may only play on Balgownie Links if their playing partner is a member of RAGC and are not required to pay a Balgownie fee when playing in this competition.
7. Late entries may be accepted by contacting the organisers.

THE HOLE IN ONE TROPHY

A Caithness Glass Vase donated by Mrs Margaret McDonald
This was replaced in January 2011 by a silver quaich once owned
by Mrs. Tony Moffat and inscribed by ALGC

This Trophy is handed on from one player to the next whenever a Hole in One has been achieved.

The Fowlie-Raffan Prize – a person having a hole in one on either the 8th hole on the Silverburn Course or the 17th hole on Balgownie Links in an official club Competition, will qualify for a voucher for £20, supplied by RAGC from the Pro Shop.

H1 Club – A player having a hole in one during a club competition that is recorded on HDID is eligible to receive a watch from Hugo Boss.

THE ECLECTIC COMPETITION

A prize will be awarded to the players with the lowest eclectic score off Red and Green tees on Balgownie Links and on the Silverburn Course. A deduction of 50% of current Course Handicap will be applied in the calculation of the winner. Competitions between April and October inclusive will count.

THE BIRDIE TREE

Prizes will be awarded to the three players with the greatest number of Birdies scored in competitions on either course between April and October inclusive.

FUN COMPETITIONS

Club Days

There are two Club days – one in March and one in October. Members play in teams of 4 (usually foursomes better ball). These are fun days and members are encouraged to attend. Book in advance on the Touch Screen or HowDidiDo. Late entries are permitted (please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2) Play outwith the reserved tee times is **not** permitted.

Captain v Vice-Captain

The format will be decided by both team captains. Book in advance on the Touch Screen or HowDidiDo. Late entries are permitted (please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2) Play outwith the reserved tee times is **not** permitted.

Summer Foursomes

This competition shall be played over the Silverburn Course over the summer months and will have the same terms of play as the Winter Foursomes (see page 29).

Captain's Prize

The format is decided by the Captain and will usually have a fun element to it. Play is usually on both courses and draws made in advance. Book in advance on the Touch Screen or HowDidiDo. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Captain. There will be a lunch afterwards. Play outwith the reserved tee times is **not** permitted.

Pro's Competition

The format and course played is decided by the Pro. Book in advance on the Touch Screen or HowDidiDo. Late entries are permitted (please refer to 'Late Entries – Reserve List' on page 2) Play outwith the reserved tee times is **not** permitted.

Texas Scrambles

These may be organized throughout the year on a day and time designated by the Committee.

Guest Day

Members who have paid the Balgownie subscription may invite a guest to play on either course. Silverburn Members may invite a guest to play **only** on the Silverburn Course – **Pay & Play is not be permitted**. Lunch or afternoon tea will be served after play and a short prizegiving will take place. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Captain. Play outwith the reserved tee times is **not** permitted.

Mulled Wine and Mince Pies

In December, there will be two mornings allocated for members to meet in the clubhouse to enjoy some mulled wine and mince pies. Usually, one event will take place during the week and one on a Saturday. Anyone wishing to include golf on these days should check what arrangements have been made for booking.

Other events may take place during the year - please check Club News and /or the noticeboard for details.