

# ASHFORD (KENT) GOLF CLUB

## COMPETITION RULES 2021

### 1. Introduction

This document details the 'Competition Rules' for Ashford (Kent) Golf Club as agreed by the Golf Committee<sup>1</sup>. It is produced in accordance with Rule 1 of the Rules of Golf 2019. In the main, our rules follow the guidelines and recommendations made by the R&A and The World Handicapping System (WHS).

Certain Competitions are managed by specific Sections within The Club and where eligibility for those Competitions is dependent upon being a member of a specific Section, the rules applicable to those Competitions may be laid down by that Section.

Details of the Competitions described in Rules 2, 3 & 4 can be found in [Appendix A](#)

### 2. 'Designated Club Trophy' Competitions (Appendix A)

'Designated Club Trophy' Competitions are the major Club Competitions played throughout the year to a stroke play or stableford format. The winner's name is placed on the honours board in the clubhouse and the respective trophy is engraved and presented at the Club's annual 'Presentation Evening' (normally held in November).

### 3. 'Gold Letter' Competitions (Appendix A)

The Club runs other Competitions throughout the year, the winners of which also appear on the honours boards and receive trophies; hence these events are colloquially known as 'Gold Letter' Competitions. 'Gold Letter' Competitions vary in format and consist of Men's, Ladies, and mixed Competitions. They also include the Club's knockout Competitions.

### 4. Other Annual Competitions (Appendix A)

The other Competitions that are held and are not deemed to be 'Designated Club Trophy' or 'Gold Letter' Competitions.

### 5. General

#### ***Eligibility:***

Individual Competitions will have Rules of entry which are clearly displayed on the entry sheet. Where those Rules conflict with the following the rules of the Competition will take precedence, otherwise: -

- 1) To enter/play in any Club competition a player must have paid an annual subscription.
- 2) To enter/play in a Designated Trophy, Gold Letter Competition or other Club competition played during a weekend, the entrant must be from a membership category which includes an unlimited number of rounds of golf and (subject to 2. (a) below) must have a membership category which permits play at the time upon which the competition is played.
  - a) Players whose membership category includes an unlimited number of rounds of golf may pay a green fee at an appropriate rate to facilitate playing in a competition being held at a time not otherwise permitted by their category of membership.
- 3) For all weekend Competitions Junior members with a WHS Handicap are eligible to enter/play but with the restriction of only one Junior in each group.
- 4) Entry/Play in mid-week Competitions other than Designated Trophy and Gold Letter Competitions (wherein 2, above, applies) is open to all categories of membership, including Juniors, subject to: -
  - a) The membership category permitting play at the time of the Competition or
  - b) Payment of an appropriate green fee to permit play at the time of the Competition or
  - c) Surrender of one credit from a pre-paid style of membership.

#### ***Entry Fee:***

The Competition entry fee is to be paid and recorded in the Professional's shop prior to the commencement of play. Non-payment of a Competition entry fee will result in disqualification. Entry fees are refundable at the absolute discretion of The Club.

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<sup>1</sup> The Competition Committee (in charge of all competitions) shall consist of members of the current Golf Sub-Committee

**Closing Date:**

Except for those Competitions which are run on a roll up basis, the closing date for entries for all stroke play and stableford Competitions will be 2pm on the day before the event.

**Time of Play:**

In stroke play and stableford Competitions, players may determine their own groups and starting times unless otherwise notified but these times must be within the time allocated for the competition.

**Size of Playing Groups:**

In stroke play and stableford Competitions, play is expected to take place in groups of 2 or 3 players. In exceptional circumstances the Professional's Shop may authorise the players to play in groups of 4.

**Forms of Play:**

The form of play will be specified on the Competition entry form and is described in [Appendix C](#).

**Multiple Competitions:**

When two Competitions are staged on the same day (e.g. Vets Medal and Club Medal) the competitor must clearly mark on the scorecard the competition which is being played. Players are not eligible to play in both Competitions.

Exception: Scratch-Fagg-Bowater-Twigge-Bailey which is deemed as different categories in one Competition.

**Sweep money:**

Sweep Money for Men's Competitions will be paid as follows: -

Winner	-	40%
Second	-	30%
Third	-	20%
Fourth	-	10%

Sweep Money for Ladies Competitions will be as described in the Ladies Competition Book.

All sweepstakes comply with the Rules of Amateur Status.<sup>2</sup>

**Buggies, Distance Measuring Devices (DMDs) and Caddies:**

The Competition Committee has agreed that buggies may be used by members with medical certificates in all Competitions except those played over 36 holes. These being: The Club Championship, The Club Trophy, the Ladies Championship and the Men's Open. The use of caddies and DMDs (distance only as per local rule) is permitted. However, the use of caddies in Junior Competitions is not permitted.

**Ball Condition and Substitution:**

Players may substitute a ball within a Competition in accordance with Rule 4.2.

**Temporary Greens:**

'Designated Club Trophy' and 'Gold Letter' Competitions will not be played on any course where more than 2 Temporary Greens are in play. (WHS Rule G2.1/3).

**Pin positions:**

These will be agreed in advance between the Head Greenkeeper and the Chair of the Course Committee.

**Tee markers:**

The tees to be used for each Competition are stated in [Appendix A](#). If these are not available, the competition should be played from the yellow tees. It should be noted that, to comply with Rule 6.2, Competitions should not be advertised as being held from the 'tombstones'.

**Practice:**

Rule 5.2 shall apply to all A(K)GC Competitions.

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<sup>2</sup> Covid19 restrictions may make it impractical for Sweepstakes to be optional

**Etiquette:**

If the Committee considers that a player is guilty of a serious breach of etiquette, it may impose a penalty of disqualification under Rule 1.2.

**Times of Starting and Groups:**

The Committee has provided that if a player arrives at the starting point, ready to play, within five minutes after the starting time in the absence of circumstances that warrant waiving the penalty of disqualification as provided in Rule 5.3, the penalty for failure to start on time is loss of the first hole in match play or two strokes at the first hole in stroke play instead of disqualification.

**Pace of Play:**

The Committee supports the application of Rule 5.6 for Competition play.

**Completing the Scorecard:**

The Golf Committee of A(K)GC requests that competitors record the date, their name and their **Course** Handicap on the score card in accordance with Rule 3.3.

**Governing Rules:**

All Competitions shall be played under R & A Rules, competition rules and the current Local Rules. The Committee reserves the right to disqualify competitors who do not comply with these rules. In all cases the Committee's decision is final.

**6. Handicaps (Appendix D & Appendix E)**

Players of any handicap level may enter Competitions for which they are qualified, and their gross score will be reviewed for WHS adjustment. Each player *must* record their correct **Course** Handicap on the scorecard.

For awarding the prizes (but for no other purpose) many Competitions will have a maximum **Playing** Handicap published and applied at the point of entry. See [Appendix A](#).

In all handicap stroke calculations, a fraction of one half or more counts as a full stroke; any other fractions are disregarded. Players receiving handicap strokes will take them in the order assigned on the score card.

**7. Ties/Play offs**

In the event of a tie for first place in Club Competitions (but see "Exceptions" below) all ties shall be decided on the last 9, 6 or 3 holes on the card, or finally by the score on the 18<sup>th</sup> hole. In the case of an event being staged over 36 holes the ties will be decided on the last 18, 9, 6, or 3 holes on the card or finally by the score on the 36<sup>th</sup> hole. This procedure will normally be carried out by the computer software.

Exceptionally,

1. The Club Trophy
2. The Club Championship (Men's, Ladies, Junior and Vets Scratch Championships)
3. The Ashford Open

Will be decided by sudden death on 18<sup>th</sup> hole, repeated until the winner is determined.

**8. Stroke play and Stableford Competitions**

In all stroke play and stableford Competitions score cards must be returned immediately after completion of the round. Cards should bear the name and date of the Competition, the player's full name and *must* include the **Course** Handicap, the signature of the player<sup>3</sup> and the signature of the marker(s) before being returned to the Committee, or the competitor will be disqualified. A scorecard will be considered to have been 'returned' when it is dropped into the box in the designated competition cards box. Competitors are required to input their score on the PSI terminal in the bar.

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<sup>3</sup> This requirement may be suspended for play during Covid19 restrictions

The Golf Committee may impose a **two-competition ban** on any member who: -

- does not input their score on the PSI terminal at the conclusion of their competition round<sup>4</sup>
- returns an NR in a stableford competition.
- walks in from the course, mid-round, leaving fellow competitors to complete the round on their own

Competitions played over 36 holes will be played throughout the competition from the player's handicap at the start of first round.

The conditions under which each Competition is to be played shall be displayed on the entry sheet at least seven days before the competition.

The entry sheet shall be managed by the Club Professional. Players are required to register with the Pro Shop, or such other registration authority as is active on the day, prior to commencing their round.

In accordance with The World Handicapping System, all stroke play and stableford Club Competitions will be 'qualifying Competitions' unless otherwise stipulated by the Committee and shall commence from the 1<sup>st</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> tees.

Should competitors wish to withdraw from any stroke play or stableford competition, they must notify the Professional's Shop by 6 p.m. on the day before their designated tee time. Failure to do so will, at the discretion of the Golf Committee, result in a **two-competition ban**.

**Note:** "Two-competition ban" refers to the next two Competitions staged at The Club for which, aside from the ban, the player would have been eligible.

### **9. 'Gold Letter' Knockout Competitions**

Players will play from their **Playing** Handicap applicable at the beginning of each match. Players receiving handicap strokes will take them in the order assigned on the score card.

The **Playing** Handicap basis for the varying matchplay formats shall be calculated in accordance with WHS recommendations and is shown in [Appendix D](#).

All match play Competitions shall be over 18 holes unless otherwise stated. If a match is 'all square' after 18 holes it should be continued, hole by hole, until one side wins a hole. The continuation of the match shall always commence on the hole where the match began (Appendix 1, Part C, 10). In a handicap match, strokes will be allowed as in the stipulated round. In the event of lack of time or poor light preventing a finish after 18 holes (or more), the match shall be continued as soon as possible afterwards, under "sudden death" rules. A further 18 holes shall not be played.

#### ***Arrangements:***

Members entering match play knockout Competitions should only do so if they are confident that they will be available to play throughout the duration of the Competition.

In match play Competitions, the top listed player/pair shall contact their opponent(s) and offer three dates covering a period of at least 10 days within the time limits stated on the draw sheet. If they cannot agree on a mutually acceptable date prior to the closing date for the round, the match will be played on the last day upon which the result must be posted in accordance with Rule 3.2(a) and the time that the players must be on the tee ready to play will be 12.30 p.m. Rule 5.3 will apply.

In the case where there is more than one match to be played at this time, the order of matches will be decided on a first come basis.

Closing dates for each round will be specified on each draw sheet.

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The winner(s) of the match shall be responsible for ensuring that their name is entered on the board.

If a pair cannot fulfil a fixture due to one or more player's absence, it is expected that the single player fulfils the game alone.

Specific rules have been written to cover the 'Winter Four Ball League' which may supersede these directions.

### **10. Handicap Alterations**

Club qualifying Competitions will ordinarily be entered on the approved licensed software within 24 hours of the completion of the event.

'Home' Handicaps will be altered automatically by the computer system, in accordance with the WHS.

### **11. Prizes**

The club holds a Presentation Night each year at which all Club Trophies are presented<sup>5</sup>. The current policy is that each Trophy winner shall receive a voucher.

### **12. Course Record**

The term "course record" is not defined by the Rules of Golf. However, it is generally accepted that a record score should be recognised as the official "Course Record" only if made in an individual stroke play Competition (excluding bogey, par or stableford Competitions) with the holes and tee-markers in their proper medal or championship positions.

A record score shall not be recognised as the official "course record" if a Local Rule permitting preferred lies is in operation.

### **13. Miscellaneous**

- The 'Merit Trophy' is a Competition held each year. The Winner and the Runner-Up who played from the White or, exceptionally, the Yellow Tees (see [General – Tee Markers](#)) after application of any handicap limit set for the specific Competition, of the Competitions marked with an asterisk (\*) in [Appendix A](#) are invited to compete. All participants in any card play-off required to establish the "Winner" will qualify.
- In these rules, and in the Rules of Golf, the gender used in relation to any person is understood to include both genders unless specifically noted.
- When Covid19 restrictions are in operation, Golf Committee may sanction variances from these Rules.

#### **Circulation list**

**Office - Head Professional - Course Manager**

**Ladies Section - Veterans Section**

**Golf Sub-Committee - Course Sub-Committee**

**Clubhouse x1**

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<sup>5</sup> Club Trophies must remain within the Club and may not be taken home

## Appendix A

### Schedule of Competitions

MEN (Unless Noted)						
DESIGNATED CLUB TROPHIES		Holes	Tee	Format	Limit *	
The Geering Bowl	*	18	W	Stableford	18	
The Jubilee	*	18	W/R	Stableford		All Members
The Centenary Trophy	*	18	W	Stroke play	18	
The Colville Cup	*	18	W	Stroke play	18	
The Club Championship	*	36	W	Stroke play	18	
The Club Trophy	*	36	W	Stroke play	18	
The Scratch Challenge Cup	*	18	W	Stroke play	18	
The Fagg Trophy	*	18	W	Stroke play		Up to 12 Playing Handicap
The Bowater Trophy	*	18	W	Stroke play		13 to 18 Playing Handicap
The Bailey Cup	*	18	W	Stroke play		19 to 28 Playing Handicap
The Twigge Trophy	*	18	W	Stroke play		50 years and older
The Veterans' Centenary Plate	*	18	Y	Stroke play	28	60 years and older
The Senior's Club Trophy	*	18	Y	Stroke play	28	60 years and older
The Tom Pullen Cup	*	18	W	Par Bogey	18	
The Sir Dudley Bowater Putter	*	18	W	Stroke play	18	
The Hyland Cup	*	18	W	Stroke play	18	
The Millennium Bowl	*	18	W	Stroke play	18	
The Chairman's Cup	*	18	W/R	Stableford		All members
* Maximum Playing Handicap for Trophy purposes (Clause 6)						

## **Appendix A**

### **Schedule of Competitions (continued)**

<b>MEN</b>						
<b>GOLD LETTER COMPETITONS</b>		<b>Holes</b>	<b>Tee</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Limit *</b>	
<i>(At the Ashford Open)</i>						
<b>The Winch Cup</b>	*	18	W	Stroke play		A(K)GC members Best Nett
<b>The Ashford (Kent) Cup</b>		18	W	Stroke play		Gross Winner 36 holes
<b>The Norman Challenge Cup</b>		18	W	Stroke play		Best Nett 36 holes
<b>The Arthur Albury Cup</b>		18	W	Stroke play		Best Visitor
<i>(Other)</i>						
<b>The Captain's Prize</b>		18	W	Stableford	18	
<b>The Merit Trophy</b>		18	W	Stroke play	18	See Clause 14
<b>The Bertie Flower Trophy</b>		18	W	Foursomes		
<b>The Denys Earl Trophy</b>		18	W	4BBB	24	Knockout
<b>The Presidents Cup</b>		18	W	Singles Matchplay		Knockout
<b>The Hugh Sherman Trophy</b>		18	W	Scratch Singles Matchplay		Knockout
<b>The Charles Norman Salvors</b>		18	W	Foursomes Knockout		Knockout
<b>The Winter 4ball league</b>		18	Y		18	Knockout
<b>* Maximum Playing Handicap for Trophy purposes (Clause 6)</b>						

## **Appendix A**

### **Schedule of Competitions (continued)**

<b>LADIES</b>					
<b>DESIGNATED CLUB TROPHIES</b>	<b>Holes</b>	<b>Tee</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Limit *</b>	
<b>The Ladies Club Championship</b>	36	R	Stroke play	30	
<b>The Ladies Centenary Bowl</b>	18	R	Stroke play	30	
<b>The KCPFA Cup</b>	18	R	Stroke play	30	
<b>The Captain's Prize</b>	18	R	Captain's Choice		
<b>The Start-Up Cup</b>	18	R	Par/Bogey		
<b>The Ladies Senior Championship</b>	18	R	Stroke play	30	65 years and older
<b>The Enid Bull</b>	18	R	Stableford	30-54	
<b>The Roy Bowles</b>		R	Award Only		Aggregate
<b>The June Reynolds</b>	18	R	Medal	30	
<b>GOLD LETTER COMPETITONS</b>					
<b>The Golf Ball Cup</b>	18	R	Stableford	30	Knockout
<b>The Jones Cup</b>	36	R	Stroke play	30	
<b>The Denys Earl Trophy</b>	18	R	American 4some S'ford		
<b>The Edwards Cup</b>	18	R	Matchplay	30	Round Robin Format
<b>The Major Cups</b>	18	R	Greensome Stableford		
<b>The Iris Middleton Trophy</b>			Award Only		Most Improved Player
<b>OTHER COMPETITIONS</b>					
<b>The Summer 4BBB</b>	18	R		30	Round Robin
<b>The Scratch Knockout</b>	18	R	Stroke play		
<b>The Cecil Leitch</b>	18	R	Stableford	30	KCPFA
<b>The Coronation Foursomes</b>	18	R	Foursome		England Golf
<b>* Maximum Playing Handicap for Trophy purposes (Clause 6)</b>					



## **Appendix A**

### **Schedule of Competitions (continued)**

<b>SUNDRY</b>					
<b>DESIGNATED CLUB TROPHIES</b>	<b>Holes</b>	<b>Tee</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Limit *</b>	
<b>The Webb Trophy</b>	18		Scratch Stroke play		Junior
<b>The George Groombridge Trophy</b>	18		Foursomes Stroke play		Full & Junior
<b>The Kingsford Cups</b>	18		Foursome	18/30	Mixed
<b>The Mixed Foursomes Knockout</b>	18		Foursome	18/30	Mixed
<b>OTHER COMPETITIONS (MEN unless stated)</b>					
<b>The 5 Club</b>	18	W	Stroke play		
<b>The PGA Qualifier</b>	18	W	Stroke play		
<b>The President's Prize</b>	18	W/R			All members
<b>The Club Salver</b>	18	W	Stroke play		
<b>The Irish Whiskey Medal</b>	18	W	Stroke play		
<b>The Winter 4ball Plate</b>	18	W	4BBB		
<b>The Paul Oliver Trophy</b>	18	W			Mixed + 1 Junior
<b>Monthly Medals &amp; Stablefords</b>	18	W			
<b>Texas Scramble &amp; Team Events</b>	18	W			
<b>* Maximum Playing Handicap for Trophy purposes (Clause 6)</b>					

## **Appendix B**

### **Marking the Course / Course Set Up**

#### **1. Out of Bounds (OOB)**

All course boundaries will be clearly defined so that there can be no doubt as to whether a ball is in or out of bounds. Where stakes are used to define OOB, these stakes will be painted white. The OOB line is determined by the nearest inside points of the stakes at ground level. A ball at rest is out of bounds only when all of it is outside the boundary edge of the course. (Rule 18.2.a.2)

#### **2. Penalty Areas**

Stakes or lines used to define the penalty area. The stake only identifies the existence of a penalty area and the break in the ground defines where the penalty area starts.

All areas are red penalty areas at A(K)GC and Rule 17 is to be followed, relief for these areas is covered in rule 17.1d

Stakes and marker posts (other than white stakes) are movable obstructions enabling relief to be obtained without penalty under rule 15.2.

#### **3. Ground Under Repair**

The duty of identifying areas to be marked as ground under repair rests with the Course Sub-Committee, together with the Course Manager and his Deputy. Ground Under Repair will be defined by white lines, however if the terrain is such that putting down a line is impossible, small stakes painted a distinctive colour, such as blue or black will be used (stakes which are white, yellow or red will not be used).

There may be areas that the Committee wishes to declare an area of ground under repair from which play is not permitted. The Committee will place signs in this area of ground under repair stating that play is prohibited

#### **4. Dropping Zones**

Dropping zones will be used when it is impossible for a player to play from the area of relief provided under a Rule or play is deemed by the Committee to be impracticable. Dropping zones will be outlined with paint and the words "Dropping Zone" (or "DZ") painted in the area. The area created will be large enough to allow for a reasonable lie after divots are taken.

#### **5. Teeing Ground**

A competition tee is the teeing ground, as defined in the rules of golf, the front of which should normally be placed no more than 10 yards in front of, or behind, the relevant distance point.

The selected teeing area will be level and firm and the line of sight to the fairway will not be obscured by overhanging branches.

Tee markers will be placed not less than 4 yards from the back of each tee (CONGU Dec.7 (b)) and will use the full width of the tee after allowing room for manoeuvre such that both a left and a right-handed player may stand outside the teeing ground to play a ball within it (Rule 6.2b).

#### **6. Local Rules**

Players are strongly advised to check on local rules as these may vary from time to time.

## Appendix C

### Forms of Play

#### Alternative Scoring Methods

##### Stableford

A player's or side's score for a hole is based on points awarded by comparing the number of strokes to a fixed target score for the hole, and the competition is won by the player or side who scores the most points. The target score is usually Net Par.

- Net Bogey                      1 Point
- Net Par                         2 Points
- Net Birdie                     3 Points
- Net Eagle                      4 Points
- Net Albatross                5 Points

To help pace of play, players are encouraged to stop playing a hole when they cannot score any points.

##### Par/Bogey

Scoring is as in match play where a player or side wins or loses a hole by completing the hole in fewer strokes or more strokes than a fixed target score for the hole. The target score is usually Net Par.

- Net Birdie or better        Win
- Net Par                        Half
- Net Bogie or more        Loss
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The winner is the player or side with the highest number of wins less the number of losses, e.g.

- 5 wins and 3 losses equals 2 up    (+2)
- 6 wins and 9 losses equals 3 down (- 3)

To help pace of play, players are encouraged to pick up when their hole score exceeds Net Par.

#### Team Formats

##### Foursomes

Two partners (in either match play or stroke play) play one ball in alternating order. Player A takes the tee shot on all the odd numbered holes and Player B takes the tee shot on all the even numbered holes.

See **Rules of Golf, Rule 22** for further information.

##### American Foursomes

A variation of Foursomes except after the tee shots, both golfers play a second stroke with their partner's ball. After this, one ball is then chosen, and play continues alternatively like **Foursomes**.

##### Greensomes

A variation of Foursomes where both partners play from the teeing area and one of the two tee shots is selected. The partner whose tee shot was not selected plays the next stroke and each subsequent stroke is made in alternating order until the ball is holed.

## **Appendix C**

### **Forms of Play (continued)**

#### **American Greensomes**

A variation of Greensomes where both partners play from the teeing area, then switch golf balls, meaning Player A hits Player B's ball and Player B hits Player A's ball. After the second shots, they select which ball they will continue to play. The partner whose second shot was not selected plays the next stroke and each subsequent stroke is made in alternating order until the ball is holed.

Variations to the regular American Greensomes format include:

- On par 3s, each player hits one shot before the pair select one ball to carry on with, as in a normal greensomes, and on par 5s, the two balls remain in play for 3 shots, alternating strokes from each player, before they select which ball they will continue to play with, or
- On par 3s, each golfer plays their own ball in Four-ball format. This is a suitable option to use when there is a "Twos" competition in operation.

#### **Four-ball**

Also known as Better-ball. Two partners (in either match play or stroke play) play their own ball. The side's score for a hole is the best score of the two on that hole.

See **Rules of Golf, Rule 23** for further information.

#### **Texas Scramble**

Played in teams of 2, 3 or 4. All play from the teeing area on each hole, one of the tee shots is selected and all play their second shots from that spot. One of the second shots is then selected, and all play their third shots from that spot, and so on until the ball is holed. A minimum number of tee shots of each team member must be used, usually 3 or 4 in teams of 4.

#### **1-2-3 Waltz**

On the 1st hole the best score of the team is recorded. On the 2nd hole, the 2 best scores and on the 3rd hole, the 3 best scores. This pattern is repeated over subsequent sets of 3 holes.

An alternative is the 2-3-4 waltz where 2, 3 and 4 scores count in each set of 3 holes.

## Appendix D

### Playing Handicap Allowances

Handicap Allowances in Qualifying Competitions are mandated by WHS and the undernoted Playing Handicap Allowances will apply to Competitions at A(K)GC

#### Handicap Allowance

*(Applied to Course Handicap)*

##### Match Play

Individual	100% difference
Foursomes	50% of combined difference
Four-ball (Better-ball)	90% difference from lowest player

##### Stroke Play (Medal, Stableford, Par/Bogey)

Individual	95%
Four-ball (Better-ball)	85%
Par/Bogey	90%
Foursomes	50% of combined team handicaps
Greensomes	60% of low handicap + 40% of high handicap
Scramble (2 players)	35% of low handicap + 15% of high handicap
Scramble (3 players) <sup>6</sup>	30%, 20%, 10% from lowest to highest handicap
Scramble (4 players) <sup>7</sup>	25%, 20%, 15%, 10% from lowest to highest handicap

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<sup>6</sup> 2 player teams in a team of 3 scramble receive an extra one-half (50%) of their combined stroke allowance

<sup>7</sup> 3 player teams in a team of 4 scramble receive an extra one-third (33.3%) of their combined stroke allowance

## Appendix E

### Playing Handicap Look-up Table

Course H'cap	Singles	Team			Greensomes		Scrambles					
	95%	90%	85%	80%	60%	40%	35%	30%	25%	20%	15%	10%
0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1	1	1	1	1	0.60	0.40	0.35	0.30	0.25	0.20	0.15	0.10
2	2	2	2	2	1.20	0.80	0.70	0.60	0.50	0.40	0.30	0.20
3	3	3	3	2	1.80	1.20	1.05	0.90	0.75	0.60	0.45	0.30
4	4	4	3	3	2.40	1.60	1.40	1.20	1.00	0.80	0.60	0.40
5	5	5	4	4	3.00	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00	0.75	0.50
6	6	5	5	5	3.60	2.40	2.10	1.80	1.50	1.20	0.90	0.60
7	7	6	6	6	4.20	2.80	2.45	2.10	1.75	1.40	1.05	0.70
8	8	7	7	6	4.80	3.20	2.80	2.40	2.00	1.60	1.20	0.80
9	9	8	8	7	5.40	3.60	3.15	2.70	2.25	1.80	1.35	0.90
10	10	9	9	8	6.00	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00
11	10	10	9	9	6.60	4.40	3.85	3.30	2.75	2.20	1.65	1.10
12	11	11	10	10	7.20	4.80	4.20	3.60	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20
13	12	12	11	10	7.80	5.20	4.55	3.90	3.25	2.60	1.95	1.30
14	13	13	12	11	8.40	5.60	4.90	4.20	3.50	2.80	2.10	1.40
15	14	14	13	12	9.00	6.00	5.25	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.25	1.50
16	15	14	14	13	9.60	6.40	5.60	4.80	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.60
17	16	15	14	14	10.20	6.80	5.95	5.10	4.25	3.40	2.55	1.70
18	17	16	15	14	10.80	7.20	6.30	5.40	4.50	3.60	2.70	1.80
19	18	17	16	15	11.40	7.60	6.65	5.70	4.75	3.80	2.85	1.90
20	19	18	17	16	12.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
21	20	19	18	17	12.60	8.40	7.35	6.30	5.25	4.20	3.15	2.10
22	21	20	19	18	13.20	8.80	7.70	6.60	5.50	4.40	3.30	2.20
23	22	21	20	18	13.80	9.20	8.05	6.90	5.75	4.60	3.45	2.30
24	23	22	20	19	14.40	9.60	8.40	7.20	6.00	4.80	3.60	2.40
25	24	23	21	20	15.00	10.00	8.75	7.50	6.25	5.00	3.75	2.50
26	25	23	22	21	15.60	10.40	9.10	7.80	6.50	5.20	3.90	2.60
27	26	24	23	22	16.20	10.80	9.45	8.10	6.75	5.40	4.05	2.70
28	27	25	24	22	16.80	11.20	9.80	8.40	7.00	5.60	4.20	2.80
29	28	26	25	23	17.40	11.60	10.15	8.70	7.25	5.80	4.35	2.90
30	29	27	26	24	18.00	12.00	10.50	9.00	7.50	6.00	4.50	3.00

## Appendix E

### Playing Handicap Look-up Table (continued)

Course H'cap	Singles	Team			Greensomes		Scrambles					
	95%	90%	85%	80%	60%	40%	35%	30%	25%	20%	15%	10%
31	29	28	26	25	18.60	12.40	10.85	9.30	7.75	6.20	4.65	3.10
32	30	29	27	26	19.20	12.80	11.20	9.60	8.00	6.40	4.80	3.20
33	31	30	28	26	19.80	13.20	11.55	9.90	8.25	6.60	4.95	3.30
34	32	31	29	27	20.40	13.60	11.90	10.20	8.50	6.80	5.10	3.40
35	33	32	30	28	21.00	14.00	12.25	10.50	8.75	7.00	5.25	3.50
36	34	32	31	29	21.60	14.40	12.60	10.80	9.00	7.20	5.40	3.60
37	35	33	31	30	22.20	14.80	12.95	11.10	9.25	7.40	5.55	3.70
38	36	34	32	30	22.80	15.20	13.30	11.40	9.50	7.60	5.70	3.80
39	37	35	33	31	23.40	15.60	13.65	11.70	9.75	7.80	5.85	3.90
40	38	36	34	32	24.00	16.00	14.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00
41	39	37	35	33	24.60	16.40	14.35	12.30	10.25	8.20	6.15	4.10
42	40	38	36	34	25.20	16.80	14.70	12.60	10.50	8.40	6.30	4.20
43	41	39	37	34	25.80	17.20	15.05	12.90	10.75	8.60	6.45	4.30
44	42	40	37	35	26.40	17.60	15.40	13.20	11.00	8.80	6.60	4.40
45	43	41	38	36	27.00	18.00	15.75	13.50	11.25	9.00	6.75	4.50
46	44	41	39	37	27.60	18.40	16.10	13.80	11.50	9.20	6.90	4.60
47	45	42	40	38	28.20	18.80	16.45	14.10	11.75	9.40	7.05	4.70
48	46	43	41	38	28.80	19.20	16.80	14.40	12.00	9.60	7.20	4.80
49	47	44	42	39	29.40	19.60	17.15	14.70	12.25	9.80	7.35	4.90
50	48	45	43	40	30.00	20.00	17.50	15.00	12.50	10.00	7.50	5.00
51	48	46	43	41	30.60	20.40	17.85	15.30	12.75	10.20	7.65	5.10
52	49	47	44	42	31.20	20.80	18.20	15.60	13.00	10.40	7.80	5.20
53	50	48	45	42	31.80	21.20	18.55	15.90	13.25	10.60	7.95	5.30
54	51	49	46	43	32.40	21.60	18.90	16.20	13.50	10.80	8.10	5.40
55	52	50	47	44	33.00	22.00	19.25	16.50	13.75	11.00	8.25	5.50
56	53	50	48	45	33.60	22.40	19.60	16.80	14.00	11.20	8.40	5.60
57	54	51	48	46	34.20	22.80	19.95	17.10	14.25	11.40	8.55	5.70
58	55	52	49	46	34.80	23.20	20.30	17.40	14.50	11.60	8.70	5.80
59	56	53	50	47	35.40	23.60	20.65	17.70	14.75	11.80	8.85	5.90
60	57	54	51	48	36.00	24.00	21.00	18.00	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
61	58	55	52	49	36.60	24.40	21.35	18.30	15.25	12.20	9.15	6.10