

## **THE CHALLENGE BOWL MEETING**

### **TERMS OF COMPETITION**

1. The Challenge Bowl is open to members of the YLCGA with a handicap index within the handicap limit – see information sheet on website.
  - a) Players who have played in the Championship and meet the HI criteria for the Challenge Bowl competitions are eligible to enter.
  - b) Players who have reduced below the HI for the Challenge Bowl since the entries closed will be eligible and must play from their new HI.
  - c) Players who increase above the maximum limit after entering must play from the Competition Handicap limit.
  - d) The same HI will apply throughout the competition other than the subsidiary competitions where the HI applicable for that day will apply.
2. Clubs may enter any number of players, if oversubscribed there will be a draw for tee times.
3. Substitutes are allowed.
4. Entry fees are not refundable after publication of the draw.
5. The draw for the Challenge Bowl, Greensome and Tri Am Competitions will be posted on the YLCGA website. Subsequent draws will be posted on the notice board of the host Club. Rule 5.3a will apply to players late to the tee.
6. All County members will be made Honorary members of the Club throughout the Challenge Bowl Meeting.
7. In the case of any Tie in the Stroke Competition the score for the last 9, 6, 3, or 1 hole(s) shall decide the winner.
8. Matches will be played off 100% difference between CH.
9. In the event of a Tie in the Challenge Bowl Match Play the competitors shall continue to play with handicap allowance until a hole is won.
10. All disputes to be referred to the Committee appointed by the Executive whose decision shall be final.
11. **Competitors will be responsible for maintaining a correct HI on the England Golf WHS platform; which will be used for verification of HI.**
12. All entries shall be subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, who reserve the right to refuse any entry without assigning a reason.
13. The Committee reserves the right to enforce the Rule of Golf 5.6 (undue delay).
14. A competitor may not have a Professional Golfer to caddy for her, nor a player awaiting return to AMATEUR STATUS.
15. Reject balls and non-conforming drivers are not allowed. Penalty DISQUALIFICATION.
16. Motorised buggies may be used in accordance with the YLCGA Transportation Policy and at the discretion of the host club. Competitors must have obtained permission from the County Secretary before they can use a buggy. Permission must be renewed annually. The buggy may only be used

by the person named on the medical certificate and may only carry the player, her caddie and equipment. See Transportation Policy.

17. Competitors should notify the competition organisers of any medication or allergies which may be relevant in the event of any accident or emergency. Forms will be available at the registration desk.
18. The YLCGA would like to remind all winners of trophies and/or returnable mementos, that they are responsible for their safe keeping. We would recommend that trophies/returnable mementos be stored at their own club and that the club's insurance company is notified.

### **CHALLENGE BOWL TRI-AM COMPETITION**

1. The Tri-Am is open to all Members of the YLCGA within the handicap limit – see information sheet on website. It will be a stableford competition, 85% of CH, with the best two scores to count.
2. If the competition is oversubscribed a draw for starting times will take place after the advertised closing date.
3. Prizes will be awarded for the best three scores, depending upon entries.
  - a) teams of three to be submitted by the first player from each Club on the day (one gross and two nett teams per club allowed).
  - b) The same player may be entered for the gross and nett team but may NOT be entered for more than one nett team.
  - c) In the event of a tie, the total of the best two scores shall decide the winner.

### **CHALLENGE BOWL GREENSOME STABLEFORD COMPETITION**

1. The Greensome is open to all Members of the YLCGA within the handicap limit – see information sheet on website. It will be a stableford competition and the mandatory WHS handicap allowances will apply.
2. If the competition is oversubscribed a draw for starting times will take place after the advertised closing date.
3. Prizes will be awarded for the best three scores, depending upon entries.

### **ENTRIES**

Entries will be accepted from January 4th 2022.

Entries and payment will be accepted from an individual member of the YLCGA via Golf Genius following the links on the website [www.ylcga.org.uk/competitions/Yorkshire championship](http://www.ylcga.org.uk/competitions/Yorkshire%20championship)

For any queries please contact the YLCGA Competition Organiser via [www.ylcga.org.uk/ylcga/contactus](http://www.ylcga.org.uk/ylcga/contactus)

**Closing date for entries is May 31 2022**