



Clacton-on-Sea Golf Club

Ladies Section

Competition Protocols

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IMPORTANT NOTICE WITH EFFECT FROM 1ST MAY 2024

In order to be eligible to win a qualifying competition, you must have a history of at least 10 cards on the WHS system. Ladies with a history of less than 10 cards on the WHS system may still enter, but cannot win the competition.

PROTOCOL INDEX

Honours Board Competitions	Other Qualifying Competitions
America Cup	Barton 18 Holers
Barton Trophy	Birdie Tree
Butler Cup	Captains v Secretaries
The Carrington	Carol Finch Trophy (with Medal 3)
Centenary Trophy	Carrington The Rest
Club Championship	Championship 18 Holers
Doris Davall Bowl	Easter Charity Competition
Ford Trophy (Draw)	Grandmothers The Rest
Gardiner Salver	High/Low Greensome Trophy
Grandmothers Trophy	Hole-in-One Board
Jessie Miller Bowl	Ida Bunting Memorial (with Medal 7)
Jura Trophy	Lilian Baker Trophy (with Medal 1)
Lady Captains Past & Present	Make Your Mark (with Medal 4)
Lady Captain's Rosebowl	May Nots
Lady Captain's Singles Knockout Trophy	Monthly Medals
Levermore Rosebowl	Two's Sweep
Linkwood Cup	Veterans The Rest
May Salver	
Rachel Neal Vase	
Vertigen Trophy	
Veterans Bowl	

Winter Competitions	External Competitions
Bingo Bango Bongo	Australian Spoons
Blue Tees Stableford	Coronation Foursomes
Coloured Ball Stableford	Daily Mail Foursomes
Flag Competition	Barton-Smith Shield
Four Clubs and a Putter	Coastal Belles Trophy
High/Low Aggregate Stableford	Windfall Trophy
Kick Throw and Mulligan	
Strings	
Turkey Chase	
Vegas	
Winter Eclectic – Louise Bartrum Trophy	

ENTRY FEES FOR HONOURS BOARD & OTHER QUALIFYING COMPETITIONS

Competition Name	Entry fee online	Entry fee in cash
America Cup	£4	N/A
Barton Trophy	£4 for both rounds	N/A
Barton 18 Holers	£4	-
Birdie Tree	-	-
Butler Cup	£4	N/A
Captains v Secretaries	£4 (draw to office)	N/A
The Carrington	£4	-
Carrington The Rest	£4	-
Centenary Trophy	£4	-
Club Championship	£4 for both rounds	-
Championship 18 Holers	£4	-
Doris Davall Bowl	-	£4 for first card entered
Easter Charity Competition	£4	-
Ford Trophy (Draw)	£4 (draw to office)	-
Gardiner Salver	£4	-
Grandmothers Trophy	£4	-
Grandmothers The Rest	£4	-
High/Low Greensome Trophy	£4 (draw to office)	-
Hole-in-One Board	-	£2 in Treasurer's Box
Jessie Miller Bowl	£4	-
Jura Trophy	£4	-
Lady Captains Past & Present	-	-
Lady Captain's Rosebowl	£4	-
Lady Captain's Singles Knockout trophy	£4	-
Levermore Rosebowl	£4	-
Linkwood Cup	£4	-
May Salver	£4	-
May Nots	£4	-
Medals (including associated trophies)	£4	-
Rachel Neal Vase (including Windfall)	£4	-
Two's Sweep	-	£1 in Twos Tin
Vertigen Trophy	-	-
Veterans Bowl	£4	-
Veterans The Rest	£4	-

ENTRY FEES FOR WINTER COMPETITIONS

Competition Name	Entry fee online	Entry fee in cash
<p>The winter competitions before the end of December are usually 18 holes so the entry fee would be £4 and competitions between January and mid-March tend to be either 9 or 13 holes and the entry fee would be £3. The Lady Captain will make the final decision on the number of holes during this period.</p>		
Bingo Bango Bongo	£4/£3 (draw to office)	-
Blue Tees Stableford	£4/£3	
Coloured Ball Stableford	£4/£3	-
Flag Competition	£4/£3	-
Four Clubs and a Putter	£4/£3	-
High/Low Aggregate Stableford (Draw)	£4/£3 (draw to office)	-
Kick Throw and Mulligan	£4/£3	-
Strings	£4/£3	-
Turkey Chase	£4	-
Vegas	£4/£3	-
Winter Eclectic – Louise Bartrum Trophy	-	£4 with initial scorecard

ENTRY FEES FOR EXTERNAL COMPETITIONS

Competition Name	Entry Fee
Australian Spoons	£4 in 2024 (cash on the day)
Coronation Foursomes	£3 in 2024 (cash on the day)
Daily Mail Foursomes	£4 (cash on the day)
Barton-Smith Shield	Inter-club competition so no entry fee
Coastal Belles Trophy	Inter-club competition so no entry fee
Windfall Trophy	Played in conjunction with Rachel Neal – no cost

CALCULATING COUNTBACKS IN COMPETITIONS

Should a tie result in either a strokeplay or stableford competition the winner(s) and subsequent placings will be decided on countback of score or points.

For a scratch competition (i.e. no handicaps) the gross scores should be used. For a

handicap competition (i.e. with handicaps) the net scores should be used.

For stableford competition the stableford points should be used.

The countback is calculated as follows:

1	The last 9 holes of the course
2	The last 6 holes of the course
3	The last 3 holes of the course
4	The last hole of the course
5	The last 2 holes of the course
6	The last 4 holes of the course
7	The last 5 holes of the course
8	The last 7 holes of the course
9	The last 8 holes of the course
10	The last 10 holes of the course
11	The last 11 holes of the course
12	The last 12 holes of the course
13	The last 13 holes of the course
14	The last 14 holes of the course
15	The last 15 holes of the course
16	The last 16 holes of the course
17	The last 17 holes of the course
18	By lot

Countback is always made in the way described above regardless of which hole the players started from.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024



Ladies Section

Honours Boards and Other Qualifying Competitions

Competition Protocols

AMERICA CUP – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Course Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	1954 Small Cup with Base
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Ties decided by countback online
Cup given by Mrs C C Ernst

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

BARTON TROPHY – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	36 holes Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Course Index for Competition	36.4
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Large silver cup on wooden base
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Original trophy donated by Mrs Florrie Barton presented to the competitor with the best net score. This was replaced with a new trophy purchased in 2008. She expressed the wish that the competition always be played as a 36-hole strokeplay competition.

Ties to be decided by last card countback

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

18 HOLERS (PLAYED ALONGSIDE BARTON TROPHY)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	Cash Ladies AGM
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Ties decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

BIRDIE TREE

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stroke Play
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	N/A

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Silver or Bronze Bird Statue
When awarded	Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Only Birdies scored on completed Tuesday competition cards are eligible. Nil return cards will not stand.

To validate your birdie please sign the Birdie Book and complete details for the Birdie Tree Hanger.

Winners: Prizes are awarded as follows:

Silver Division Prize 0-26.9 Silver Bird ornament and 3 golf balls

Bronze Division 27.0- 54.0 Bronze Bird ornament and 3 golf balls

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

BUTLER CUP – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Large silver square cut cup
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Given Miss Butler in 1924
Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

CAPTAINS VERSUS SECRETARIES

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Pairs
Scoring Format	Greensome Matchplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	50% of combined handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	Yes
Draw Method (if applicable)	Handicap order from ladies who entered the competition.
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Small Gold Cup
When awarded	On the day
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

The Lady Captain and her Vice-Captain will play the Secretary and her Deputy. There will be one team drawn for the Lady Captain and one team drawn for the Secretaries. Ex Lady Captains should play in the Lady Captain's team and ex Secretaries should play in the Secretaries team, then other ladies who have entered will be added to the teams in handicap order.

The Lady Captain's team will wear blue ribbons and The Secretaries will wear yellow ribbons. The ribbons to be kept in the Locker Room cupboard. All teams will also be supplied with appropriate coloured biscuits or sweets.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

THE CARRINGTON – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	27.6 to 54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Lady golfer on wooden base
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Formerly the Carrington Cup given by Mrs I Carrington, it is now a lady golfer on wooden base donated in 2014 by Mrs Daphne Ruddick (nee Carrington).
The handicap index limit for this competition is based on ladies receive a minimum playing handicap of 30.
Ties decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

THE CARRINGTON -THE REST

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	0 to 29.9
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	Cash Ladies AGM
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

This competition is run in conjunction with The Carrington competition.
Ties decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

CENTENARY TROPHY – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Par
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Dark metal lady golfer
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Donated by Ladies Section in 1992.
Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	36 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	Played off scratch

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Large trophy with handles
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Trophies for Silver, Bronze and Handicap are 8-sided plated salvers presented at Club Presentation Night.

There will be three divisions and the handicaps for these will be set on the day to ensure a fair split of handicaps. These will be Silver, Bronze 1 and Bronze 2. There will also be a trophy for the best net score off 95% handicap.

Ties to be decided by last card countback.

Open to all ladies who hold a WHS handicap – if a lady is a member of two clubs, they can only enter this competition if Clacton is designated as their home club.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

18 HOLERS (PLAYED ON CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP DAY)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	Cash Ladies AGM
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Ties decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

DORIS DAVALL BOWL – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page) before first card submitted
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No
Day Competition Played	Any day

Trophy Details:-

Description	Doris Davall Bowl (embossed bowl on banded base 1960)
When awarded	Cup Presentation Evening – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Starts 1st April to 30th September annually.

Each player submits one 18-hole stableford card each month at 95% course handicap – this card can be marked by any lady member who may not be doing a card that day. This can be played in conjunction with another stableford or strokeplay competition or as a separate one. Final result is assessed on best 3 cards submitted by each competitor. In case of a tie, this will be decided on countback of the best card.

Given by Miss Doris Davall – she left £200 to the Golf Club – the brick fireplace and the Doris Davall Bowl were purchased

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

EASTER CHARITY COMPETITION (in aid of Cancer Research)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	Yes
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Small Rosebowl
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Trophy donated by Janet Smith
Ties to be decided by card countback
£4 (reclaim from office and pay into ladies funds). All proceeds (less prize money) go to Cancer Research UK – Southern Region, Unit 7400, The Quorum, Oxford Business Park North, Garsington Road, Cowley, Oxford, OX4 2JZ
A fundraising raffle for charity is held on the day, all funds go to Lady Captains charity.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

FORD TROPHY – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Par
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	Yes
Draw Method (if applicable)	Random number generator
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Inscribed glass bowl on wooden base
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

As from year 2000, trophy no longer sponsored by Ford.
Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

GARDINER SALVER – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Limited Handicap Index for Competition	0 to 26.9
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Draw Method for Knockouts	Random number generator
Day Qualifier Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar
Closing Date for Knockout Rounds	See knockout sheet

Trophy Details:-

Description	Three footed silver salver
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Salver given by Mrs A J Gardiner

Top 8 scores qualify for the knockout rounds which are matchplay singles with all rounds to be played by the end of October. Stroke allowance full difference between handicaps to the exact 0-0.4 round down, 0.5 upwards round up.

If a time and date is agreed, then non-appearance by one side will allow the other side to claim the match after 5 minutes have elapsed. When the time and date has been agreed, it can only be altered with the mutual agreement of both sides.

Two-week extension for qualifier allowed if unable to play on the date. Must consult Competition Secretary before play.

If all square after 18 holes, players continue around the course until a conclusion is met.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

GRANDMOTHERS TROPHY – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Lady Golf in Strike Pose
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Trophy given by Mrs O Houghton in 1955.
The Grandmothers Trophy competition is limited to ladies who are grandmothers and there is a separate competition (The Rest) for ladies who are not grandmothers - see separate protocol.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

GRANDMOTHERS - THE REST

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

This competition is for ladies who wish to enter the Grandmothers competition who are not grandmothers.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

HIGH/LOW GREENSOME TROPHY

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Pairs
Scoring Format	Greensomes Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	60% of low handicap and 40% of high handicap (play to exact 0.5 round up and 0.4 round down)

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	Yes
Draw Method (if applicable)	Random number generator
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Pair of glass matching trophies
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

- Given by Lady Captain Janet Smith in 2014.
- 7 tee shots to be used by each player.
- Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

HOLE-IN-ONE BOARD – HONOURS BOARD

The Hole-in-One Board in the Ladies' room was presented by a donation from the late Mrs Phyllis Gascoigne in 1997. Mrs Gascoigne left £250 to the Ladies' Section.

This money was used to purchase the Hole-in-One Board and three flowering cherry trees situated on the left of the fairway as you approach the 18th green within sight of the Clubhouse.

Only Holes-in-One scored in an 18-hole Tuesday qualifying competition to count.

Open to all who hold a current WHS Handicap.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

JESSIE MILLER BOWL – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Limited Handicap Index for Competition	27.0 to 54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Draw Method for Knockouts	Random number generator
Day Qualifier Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar
Closing Date for Knockout Rounds	See knockout sheet

Trophy Details:-

Description	A pair of glass matching trophies
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Bowl was given by Mrs Jane Miller and in 2014 a pair of glass matching trophies were donated by LC Janet Smith.

Top 8 scores qualify for the knockout rounds which are matchplay singles with all rounds to be played by the end of October. Stroke allowance full difference between handicaps to the exact 0-0.4 round down, 0.5 upwards round up.

If a time and date is agreed, then non-appearance by one side will allow the other side to claim the match after 5 minutes have elapsed. When the time and date has been agreed, it can only be altered with the mutual agreement of both sides.

If all square after 18 holes, players continue around the course until a conclusion is met. Two-week extension for qualifier allowed if unable to play on the date. Must consult Competition Secretary before play.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

JURA TROPHY – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Decanter
When awarded	Trophy Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Decanter donated by Mrs Sue Gurry for the Ladies Section to use in memory of Jeff Sinnott who was Club Captain in 2017.
Kath Sinnott to lead the field with Lady Captain.
Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

LADY CAPTAINS PAST & PRESENT – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	No
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – invitation
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Silver Rosebowl on Base
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM (if won by CGC Captain or Past Captain)
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Given by Mrs P H Barton and Mrs L H Pink. Presented on the day filled with roses by the previous winner.

This is a non-qualifying competition and scorecards are only submitted on the PSI as General Play by those who wish to do so.

All past Lady Captains and current Lady Vice-Captain of Clacton on Sea Golf Club to be included, even if they are now members of other clubs. The present Lady Vice-Captain is invited to participate in this competition as a guest as the introduction to her forthcoming office as Lady Captain and therefore is not eligible to win the Rosebowl.

Lady Captain to arrange a light lunch and the cost to be met by competitors.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

LADY CAPTAIN'S ROSEBOWL – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Silver plated rosebowl
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Donated by Lady Captain Janet Smith 2014

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

LADY CAPTAIN'S SINGLES KNOCKOUT TROPHY HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Matchplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course handicap 42)
Stroke Allowance – 100% course handicap	Full difference between handicaps

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	Yes
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	Yes
Draw Method (if applicable)	Random number generator
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar
Closing Date for Knockout Rounds	See knockout sheet

Trophy Details:-

Description	Claret Jug
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Trophy given by Mrs G Hirst and Mrs A G Neal in 1967.
 All proceeds (less prize money) to St Helena Hospice Colchester.
 The competition can be played on an alternate date if necessary, but within 3 weeks of the original date. If there is an uneven number of players for the knockout qualifying round, the player will get a bye into the next round draw, however the player must have a match in the next knockout round.
 If a time and date is agreed, then non-appearance by one side will allow the other side to claim the match after 5 minutes have elapsed. When the time and date has been agreed, it can only be altered with the mutual agreement of both sides.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

LEVERMORE ROSEBOWL – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Par
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Rosebowl
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Given by Mr Stuart Levermore in 2005 to mark his 25th year as Clacton-on-Sea's golf professional.
Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

LINKWOOD CUP – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Large shallow silver cup with plaque base
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Given by Mrs R W Coan whose family lived at Linkwood, Arnold Road, Clacton.
Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

MAY SALVER – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	3 footed plated salver
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Given by Miss G May in 1956. It must be played in the month of May.
Runner-up receives a silver inkwell engraved G.M. presented at Ladies AGM.
Qualifiers are the previous year's winners/runners-up in the Monthly Tuesday Medal competitions and the present holder. Should a winner or runner-up already have qualified in a previous medal, the player(s) with the next best score(s) qualifies to compete in the next year's May Salver competition.
No countbacks – all winners and runners up qualify.

Last Reviewed Date:- 15th April 2024

MAY NOTS (NON-QUALIFIERS FOR MAY SALVER)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	Cash Ladies AGM
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

This competition is for ladies who do not qualify for the May Salver.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

MONTHLY MEDALS

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	See below for linked trophies
When awarded	Cash Ladies AGM

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Medal 1– Lilian Baker Trophy	If a medal competition is cancelled, the associated competition can be transferred to another medal instead.
Medal 3 – Carol Finch Trophy	
Medal 4 – Make Your Mark (marker)	
Medal 7 – Ida Bunting Memorial Trophy qualifier	

We do not allow 4 balls in this competition. Cards must be marked by a fellow competitor. Winners and runners up of each medal will qualify to play in the May Salver the following year. If a winner or runner has already qualified to play in the May Salver, the player(s) with the next best score(s) qualify. No countbacks – all those on the qualifying score go into the May Salver.

If you make a decision to pick up your ball rather than putting out, you can still continue to play all remaining holes for handicap purposes, however you are out of the competition and cannot win. For holes where you do not putt out, you should mark your card with 0 for that hole, then when you input this on the PSI system, you must put 0 as your score, then select Played but did not score. No nil returns.

Last Reviewed Date:- 23rd May 2024

LILIAN BAKER TROPHY (PLAYED WITH MEDAL 1)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Mounted wooden clubhead with lady golfer
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Given by Mrs Lilian Baker (1992)
Ties to be decided by card countback

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

CAROL FINCH TROPHY (PLAYED WITH MEDAL 3)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Putting scores only
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Cut glass crystal club head on plinth
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

- Purchased by Ladies Section in 2002 in memory of Mrs Carol Finch.
- Only balls on the putting surface will count.
- Ties to be decided on countback on the putts.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

MAKE YOUR MARK (PLAYED WITH MEDAL 4)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	No
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Make Your Mark Ball Marker
When awarded	Marker Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

All entry fees are sent to Golf Foundation who send us a Crystal Ball Marker which is presented to the winner of this competition at Ladies AGM. The Crystal Ball Marker is sent annually to Lady Captain who passes to the Secretary ready for the prizegiving.

Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

IDA BUNTING MEMORIAL TROPHY (PLAYED WITH MEDAL 7)
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Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Society medal
When awarded	At competition final
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

The competition is open to all fully paid-up playing members (not Social) of the Society of Lady Captains of Essex Golf Clubs Past & Present. It was given by that Society in memory of Mrs Ida Bunting.

The format of the competition has changed for 2025 and clubs can now enter one or two players in the knockout competition. The number of entries will be restricted to 64 on a first come first served basis. An entry fee of £10 has been introduced to cover the cost of running the competition – the entry fee will be paid by the Club.p

The qualifying ladies will be the top two best scoring members of the Society in the Medal 7 round played any month from May to November as per the Ida Bunting Rules. The qualifiers go through to the knockout stages of the competition.

Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 27th June 2024

RACHEL NEAL VASE - HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Vase
When awarded	Cup Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Donated to the Ladies' section by Rachel's family in 2019. Rachel, until her death in 2019 was the longest serving member of the Ladies' section. She represented the Club in the county league competitions and was the Lady Captain three times. She won the Hulton Cup on three occasions with her husband Arthur prior to and after their marriage and the Hirst Salvagers. Not only was Rachel a valuable lady golfer to the Club but she was an accomplished Bridge player and tutor; she ran the Bridge Club for many years for the benefit of the Lady's Golf Section. The Bridge Drives she held at the club raised money for team coaches for the Ladies Section. She also introduced many present lady members to this sociable and challenging card game who have continued her tradition of holding bridge afternoons at the Club. Competition to be played in July as close to 11th July as possible.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

WINDFALL TROPHY (PLAYED WITH RACHEL NEAL VASE)

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	36.4 (Course Handicap 42)
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	No
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	Cash Ladies AGM
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

This is our qualifying round for the ELCGA Windfall Trophy and the winner of the round goes forward to represent the Club. This qualifying round must be played by 31st August. This is played alongside the Rachel Neal trophy so no Club entry fee payable.

The Club meets entry and fuel expenses for the player and caddy at the final which is held at a different venue each year, usually the first week in October. The player books the regional final direct with County and will be reimbursed by the Club.

To play in this competition players must have a mature handicap record of at least 20 scores (made up of either 9 or 18-hole courses) and have submitted 12 scores within 365 days prior to midnight on the eve of this competition. It is each player's responsibility to ensure they meet the qualifying criteria. Players who do not meet the playing criteria will be disqualified.

Ties to be decided by card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

TWO'S SWEEP – QUALIFYING COMPETITIONS ONLY

Sweep:

The sweep is divided between players who score a two on any hole in a Tuesday qualifying competition only – open to all ladies and Elite Juniors.

Only Two's scored on completed competition cards are eligible. Nil return cards will not stand.

Entry:

Write your name in the Two's Book before play and pay your £1.00 fee in the Two's Money Tin.

If no player scores a Two on a Tuesday, then the money will stay in the tin until a player scores a two on a subsequent Tuesday.

On a 36-hole competition, there will be an additional sweep for the second 18-hole competition and the person scoring a two in the second 18 holes will win the sweep. If no player scores a two in the second sweep, the money will go to the Lady Captain's Charity.

Elite Juniors can enter the Two's Sweep, but if they win the Competitions Secretary has to ask them if they would like their winnings put onto their bar card or pro shop account as they cannot be paid in cash (verified by the Club Pro).

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

VERTIGEN TROPHY – HONOURS BOARD

Accumulation of Points:- The Vertigen Trophy points table are accumulated on results from all Medals and specified competition results (list below).

Medal Competitions:

76 net	1 point	75 net	2 points	74 net	3 points	73 net	4 points
72 net	5 points	71 net	6 points	70 net	7 points	69 net	8 points

Stableford Competitions:

32	1 point	33	2 points	34	3 points	35	4 points
36	5 points	37	6 points	38	7 points	39	8 points

Par Points:

-4	1 point	-3	2 points	-2	3 points	-1	4 points
0	5 points	+1	6 points	+2	7 points	+3	8 points

Other Competitions:

Gardiner Salver/Jessie Miller/Lady Captain's Knockout Trophy:	Winners to receive 8 points each Losing finalists 5 points each Losing semi-finalists 2 points each
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Club Championship:	1 st for each round 8 points/2 nd for each round 5 points/ 3 rd for each round 2 points
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Specified Competitions:

America Cup	Jura Trophy
Barton Trophy	Lady Captain's Rosebowl
Butler Cup	Levermore Rosebowl
The Carrington and The Rest	Linkwood Cup
Centenary Trophy	May Salver and The May Nots
Ford Trophy	Rachel Neal Vase
Grandmothers Trophy and The Rest	Veterans and The Rest

Trophy Details:-

Description	Large Silver Tray
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Given by Mrs Betty Vertigen. The winner to be decided by the total number of points for the Medals only.

Last Reviewed Date:- 9th May 2024

VETERANS BOWL – HONOURS BOARD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, 60 years of age and above
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Cut Glass Bowl
When awarded	Cup Presentation Night – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	Yes

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Formerly the Veterans Cup given by Mrs F J Gascoigne. In 2014 Cut Glass Bowl donated by Mrs Sue Gurry.
Open to ladies 60 years of age and above.
Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

VETERANS – THE REST

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, 59 years of age and below, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	Yes
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	Cash Ladies AGM
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Open to ladies 59 years of age and below.
Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024



Ladies Section

Winter Competitions

Competition Protocols

WINTER LEAGUE COMPETITIONS

Competition: Points table accumulated on results of non-qualifying competitions held during the winter.

These competitions are usually held in November through to February, after the last of the qualifying competitions in October to March. There may be a couple of exceptions that might take place in October and March.

Entry Fees: The number of holes to be played will be dependent on the weather and the decision will be made by the Lady Captain of the day. Fees will be dependent on the number of holes played (see entry fee page for details).

Points Scored:
5 points for the winner or winners if a pair
4 points for the runner up or runners up if a pair
3 points for third place(s)
2 points for the fourth place(s)
1 point for the fifth place (s)
Winners:
5 golf balls for the winner
4 balls for the runner up
3 balls for third place
2 balls for fourth place
1 ball for fifth place

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

BINGO BANGO BONGO

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee
Playing Format	Teams of 3
Scoring Format	See below
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	N/A

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Bingo Bango Bongo is a fun game where there is no need to worry about handicaps or how many shots it takes to get close to the green. There are 3 points available on each hole.

- The first player to hit their shot onto the green gets a point (Bingo)
- The player whose ball is closest to the pin when all balls are on the green gets a point (Bango)
- The first player to hole out gets a point (Bongo).

Ready golf is played until any player is in a position to take a shot to the green, then the player who is furthest from the green always takes their shot first, followed by the next furthest away to completion of that hole.

When playing a par 3, the winner of the last hole takes the first shot so that person has the opportunity of being on the green first.

As the majority of the field will be 3 balls, if there are only two players, then their scores will be adjusted by 2/3rds for the two players to make it a fair competition against the 3 ball players.

Top 5 scores will count for Winter League points.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

BLUE TEES STABLEFORD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee
Playing Format	Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Players will tee off from the blue tees on all holes being played.
Top 5 scores will qualify for Winter League Points so try and keep the coloured ball in play for as long as you can to double your score.
Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

COLOURED BALL STABLEFORD

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee
Playing Format	Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Each player is given a coloured ball at the start of play. All holes completed with this ball will count as double stableford points. E.g. score 5 for 3 points, double this – 6 points scored.

Once the coloured ball is lost in play, complete the round with your own ball and all stableford points scored from this point will only count as per handicap.

Top 5 scores will qualify for Winter League Points so try and keep the coloured ball in play for as long as you can to double your score.

Please return the coloured ball if you manage not to lose it.

Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

FLAG COMPETITION

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	12 or 18 holes (12 -par 49, 18 par 72)
Playing Format	Pairs
Scoring Format	Greensome Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	60% Low H/C 40% Low H/C Combined plus Scratch

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	Yes
Draw Method (if applicable)	Random number generator
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Flag Trophy
When awarded	On the day
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

The first two pairs each take a 'flag' out and when they have run out of shots, place them where their last shots land, writing their names on the 'flag'. This marks the leaders and runners-up spots for the rest of the field. Any pair who can go further with their shot allowance takes the 'flag' with them and puts it where their last shot lands. The place where the last shot lands, must be recorded on the card.

If the last shot used lands on the green, an indication of how far from the hole the ball lands should be written on the 'flag' and on the players' card. The 'flag' should not be placed on the green, but on the fringe.

Scratch for 18 holes will be 72 – this will be adjusted to 49 if only 12 holes played. Handicap to be rounded up/down to nearest stroke. Winners are the pair who take their flag to the furthest point on the course before running out of shots and the pair reaching the second furthest point are the runners up. Winners receive a trophy. Runners-up receive 2 golf balls each.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

FOUR CLUBS AND A PUTTER

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee
Playing Format	Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

- Single Stableford Game played with 4 clubs of choice plus a putter.
- Each player plays with their own clubs – no sharing.
- Scores will be verified manually by the Competition Secretary.
- Top 5 scores will count for Winter League points.
- Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

HIGH/LOW AGGREGATE COMPETITIONS

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee
Playing Format	Pairs
Scoring Format	Aggregate of both scores
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	Yes
Draw Method (if applicable)	Random number generator
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Played on one Tuesday each month, October to March. Players must compete with a different partner each month. The actual High/Low dividing line will vary each month depending on the handicaps of those entering.

Points For Winter League:

Winners: 5 points each, Runners Up: 4 points each

Third Pair: 3 points each, Fourth Pair: 2 points each

Fifth Pair: 1 point each

Each competitor awarded the same number of points

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

KICK, THROW AND MULLIGAN GAME

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee
Playing Format	Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

18 holes to be played unless the Lady Captain of the time changes it on the day.
Each Player is allowed one kick of the golf ball, one throw of the golf ball and one mulligan per round.

Players need to mark on the scorecard where each of these are taken.

Points for the Winter League:

Winner and Runner Up get points.

Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

STRINGS

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee
Playing Format	Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Each player has her own piece of string 1 metre long. The string can be used to save a shot (e.g. measure from the top of the hazard for relief from water; to remove from the rough; for a putt), but each time the string is used, the appropriate section must be cut off and the remainder saved for the next dilemma until it is all used up.

Scores will be verified manually by the Competition Secretary.

Players are asked to bring a pair of scissors!

Top 5 scores will count for Winter League points.

Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

TURKEY CHASE

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – book online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Prize Details:-

When awarded	Bank Transfer on the day
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Peculiarities and Ties:-

This is an 18-hole game unless the Lady Captain of the time changes it on the day. Prizes are presented on the day. Prizes are 1st £25.00, 2nd £15.00, 3rd £10.00, however prize money will be adjusted on the day to reflect total entry fees collected.

Ties to be decided on card countback.
Top 5 scores will count for Winter League points.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

VEGAS GAME

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

9, 13 or 18 holes – to be decided by the Lady Captain or Committee

Playing Format	Singles
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	95% Course Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – booked online
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

No Trophy Details

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Scoring: Stableford points earned by each player in a pair will be combined to create a team score. The lower number is combined with the higher number to give a two-figure number. If there are no points/blob, this goes down as zero and would count as the lower score. See example of scoring below:-

Hole 1 - Player 1 scores a stableford score of 2 and Player 2 scores a stableford score of 1 – their combined score (lowest first) is 12. Hole 2 – Player 1 scores 1 point and Player 2 scores 4 points – their combined score is 14. This continues for all the holes being played and then those figures (12, 14, etc.) are added up giving a total team score.

The highest overall total team score will be the winner.

Top 5 scores will count for Winter League Points.

Ties to be decided on card countback.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

WINTER ECLECTIC – LOUISE BARTRUM TROPHY

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

	18 for 1st card, then minimum of 9
Playing Format	Single
Scoring Format	Stroke Play
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	100% course handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	Tray 1 st – Louise Bartram Tureen and Lid 2 nd – Lisa Pawsey
When awarded	Spring Meeting
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Names must be entered in the Eclectic Book before play.
First Card must be 18 holes Stroke Play – Gross Score.
A score on a temporary green will not be accepted. However players should record their score marking their card with a 'T' where a temporary green was played.
Subsequent cards to be 9 consecutive holes minimum starting at the 1st or 10th tees, any additional holes being played to follow on consecutively.
Players can submit a maximum of two cards per week but no limit on a day e.g. both cards can be done on the same day. Cards may be signed by any playing member.
5/8ths of handicap to be deducted from gross score at the end of the competition
As this is an eclectic, joint winners must share the trophy equally.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024



Ladies Section

External Competitions

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ENGLAND GOLF AUSTRALIAN SPOONS - QUALIFIER

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 15.0 - 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Foursomes
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	15.0 – 54.0
Handicap Allowance	50% of Combined Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No-Players Sign up on Sheet
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	-
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

This is a qualifying round and the winners (or runners up if the winners are not available) go forward to the next round. Ladies' Committee makes the final decision on who goes on to represent the Club.

The next round is a regional final. The regional winners will qualify for the national final at England Golf Week, where they will be the overnight guests of England Golf. The qualifying partnership must not change for the regional and national finals. If the regional finals are oversubscribed, there will be a waiting list.

Clubs are requested to hold at least one qualifying competition for their members, but competitors can enter as many times as they like and play with different partners at club level. If more than one more round is played each player must pay another entry fee for each round. The card must be marked by a player with a WHS handicap. Please let the Competitions Secretary know if you do so.

Entry Fee for the Regional Finals: All entry fees collected by the club for entries into the club qualifier are to be forwarded to the Regional Organiser.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

THE R&A CORONATION FOURSOMES - QUALIFIER

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 40.0 and under
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Foursomes
Scoring Format	Stableford
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	40.0
Handicap Allowance	50% of Combined Team Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No-Players Sign up on Sheet
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	2 silver goblets
When awarded	Goblets Ladies AGM – Cash Ladies AGM
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Qualifying Round:– Bowl donated in memory of Mrs Iris Monk.

This is a qualifying round and the winners (or the runners up if the winners are not available), go forward to the next round. Date and venue for the next round to be advised annually by The R&A.

Ladies' Committee makes the final decision on who goes on to represent the Club. All competitors must hold a handicap index of 40.0 or under, anyone outside this category is welcome to play at the end of the field and submit cards for handicap purposes.

Entry Fee for Regional Finals: Send online via the R&A Coronation Foursomes website – minimum entry fee to be confirmed with R&A each year.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

DAILY MAIL FOURSOMES – QUALIFIER

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 Foursomes
Scoring Format	Strokeplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	30.0
Handicap Allowance	50% Combined Handicap

Details:-

Club Entry Fee	Yes (see entry fee page)
Charity Donation	No
Tees	Red
Starting Tees	1 st
Vertigen Qualifier	No
Partners Drawn	No – Sign up sheet
Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar

Trophy Details:-

Description	-
When awarded	-
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Play to the exact 0.5 – 0.4 round down – 0.5 round up

This is a qualifying round, and the winners (or the runners up if the winners are not available) go forward to the next round which is held the following year. Ladies' Committee makes the final decision on who goes on to represent the Club.

The pair that competes in the first eliminating round must play together in all further Tournament matches. Further Eliminating Rounds: The maximum handicap index is 30.0. Ladies with a higher handicap can enter, but would have to play off 30.0.

Each player must join up personally on the Daily Mail Foursomes website (mailgolf.co.uk) and set up their own password. The Organisers will liaise with one of the players to arrange the next round of the competition.

The Secretary must register the Club by 31st January in the calendar year when the tournament rounds take place and give one of the player's contact details. There is no entry fee for the tournament.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

BARTON–SMITH SHIELD – INTER-CLUB MATCHES

Entry Eligibility:-

Membership Category	5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Junior Girls
Handicap Index Limit	Ladies 54.0
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes:-

Playing Format	18 4 Ball Betterball
Scoring Format	Matchplay
Maximum Handicap Index for Competition	54.0
Handicap Allowance	See below

Details:-

Day Competition Played	As per Ladies Calendar
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Trophy Details:-

Description	Trophy
When awarded	At the second match
Where kept	Ladies Locker Room
Honours board	No

Peculiarities and Ties:-

Shield presented in 1962 by Mrs P H Barton (Florrie) and Mrs E (Dot) Smith
Two Annual Matches - Harwich & Dovercourt Ladies to be played each year: one in the spring and one in summer, with the same numbers playing in each match. One home and one away, to alternate home and away each year.

18 Hole 4BBB Matchplay WHS rules apply to calculate players course handicap. To calculate the shots allowed, take Player's handicap index and calculate their course handicap using the WHS Course Handicap Tables. Shots received are taken from the lowest player and then 90% is deducted from the difference. See example below.

A player has a Handicap Index of 24.9 = Course Handicap 29. The lowest player has a course handicap of 20 so the difference is 9 shots. 90% of 9 = 8.1 rounded down to 8 shots allowed.

Both Clubs will endeavour to match each other's number of players. If in the return match a team is short, then a game has to be given to the Club with a full team
The aggregate score of the two matches will decide the winner. If the score is halved, then each Club will hold the shield for six months. The winner of the Trophy pays for the engraving.

The Captains and Vice Captains are to lead the field wherever possible and thereafter the teams will play in handicap order starting with the lowest handicap.
Where possible the dates and tee times for the following year are to be made after the last match (To be confirmed). The organiser for the year will be decided by the current Lady Captain.

Last Reviewed Date:- 10th April 2024

COASTAL BELLES TROPHY – INTER-CLUB MATCH

Competition:

This competition is played off 100% handicap with 8 lady players from each Club. Each tee slot will be made up of one player from each club who will play a single stableford round of 18 holes. The six best stableford scores from each Club will be aggregated and the Club with the highest aggregate stableford score will win the trophy.

The winning club will hold the Coastal Belles Trophy for the year until the next competition. The winning club is responsible for the cost of engraving.

Background:

Ex Lady Captain 2016 Gilly Cullen along with her counterpart Lady Captains from Harwich & Dovercourt & Frinton founded a triangular competition rotating each year to host an 18-hole single stableford competition between ladies from Clacton, Frinton and Harwich & Dovercourt Golf Clubs.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024

ENGLAND GOLF - THE RACE TO WOODALL SPA

Background:-

This competition has replaced the England Women's Medal Competition and from 2023 it has been rebranded as a mixed event named "The Race to Woodall Spa 2023". Once the report has been downloaded from the England Golf site, the club will be able to enter their men's and women's club winner.

All 18-hole, individual handicap qualifying, club competitions played throughout the year will determine the club winner who qualifies to enter for a place in an Area Final.

Entry Eligibility for Competition:-

Membership Category	7 day Men, 5 day Ladies, 7 day Ladies, Elite Juniors
Handicap Status	Current

Number of Holes in Area Finals:-

Playing Format	18
Scoring Format	Singles
Handicap Allowance	Stableford
	95% Course Handicap

Peculiarities:-

There will be 10 area finals held nationwide from May to July (see website for area final information - [The-race-to-woodhall-spa - England Golf](#)) with each field consisting of 60 male and 60 female players. Once the winner has been identified, the club will be able to enter their male and female player before the closing date deadline. The Club will pay the entry fees.

Players who qualify from their club can select which one of the 10 venues across the country they would like to enter. If a chosen Area Final is over-subscribed, players may be offered either a place on the reserve list or a place at an alternative venue where possible. Up to 6 females and 6 males will qualify from each Area Final to the Grand Final – see website for details of the Grand Final which changes each year.

Online entry will usually open in November and close in March (check The Road to Woodall Spa website - [The-race-to-woodhall-spa - England Golf](#) – for exact details each year. If either club winner is not available for an Area Final, a 'next best placed' substitute from the club is allowed.

Last Reviewed Date:- 1st April 2024