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Slievenamon Golf Club Conditions for Competitions (Rule 33-1)

The Men's Committee has approved the following conditions under which Club competitions are to be played. Members are required to know and comply with all of these conditions.

1. The Rules of Golf

1.1. The Rules of Golf as approved by R & A Rules Limited and the U.S.G.A and in addition the Local Rules as made and published by the Men's Committee shall apply to all competitions. Players should familiarise themselves with these rules, particularly Rule 6 of the Rules of Golf: Player's Responsibilities.

2. Competition Committee:

2.1. At the beginning of each year a Men's Competitions Committee will be appointed by the Committee. This Sub-committee will consist of at least three ordinary members and they will have the authority to act as a referee in all matters vis-à-vis competitions. In any case the decision of the referee is final and binding.

2.2. The Competitions Committee may for any individual competition, publish additional Conditions of Competition rules or alter / waive any clause in these general rules by prior notice to the membership.

3. Eligibility

3.1. Only players who meet the eligibility criteria for certain competitions, as laid down by the Competitions Committee, may enter those competitions. (The committee may waive restrictions in certain circumstances). It is the player's responsibility to ensure that they only enter competitions for which they are eligible.

3.2. Only those whose annual subscription levy is up to date may compete in club competitions.

3.3. In open competitions, guest(s) must be member(s) from an affiliated club with a valid status WHS Handicap Index. Breach of this rule will result in disqualification. It is the club's policy to notify all guests and visitors scores including 'no returns' from all qualifying competitions held at the club via the central handicapping data base (CDH).

3.4. Entrance fees must be paid before playing in any competition. Breach of this rule will result in disqualification.

- 3.5. All members MUST sign-in for every competition BEFORE commencing play.
Breach of this rule will result in disqualification.
- 3.6. Restrictions for Junior Members:
- 3.6.1. Junior members are eligible to enter all formats of Men's competitions except for Men's Match Play competitions.
- 3.6.2. The maximum Handicap Index allowance for any Junior member entering a men's competition will be 20.0hcp. If the Junior members Handicap Index is above 20.0hcp, it will be reduced to 20.0hcp for competition play.
- 3.6.3. Prizes: Junior members are only eligible to win the Junior Prize if offered. For competitions where no junior prize is offered, Junior members cannot win first or gross prizes. All other prizes can be won by Junior members.
- 3.7. Restrictions for Student Members:
- 3.7.1. Student members are eligible to enter all formats of Men's competitions.
- 3.7.2. The maximum Handicap Index allowance for any student member entering a men's competition will be 18.0hcp. If the student members Handicap Index is above 18.0hcp, it will be reduced to 18.0hcp for competition play.
- 3.7.3. Prizes: Student members cannot win first or gross prizes in any Men's competition. All other prizes can be won by student members.
- 3.8. Restrictions for Distant Members:
- 3.8.1. Distant members are eligible to enter all formats of Men's competitions.
- 3.8.2. Prizes: Distant members cannot win first prize in Major competitions (e.g., Captains & Presidents Prize, Medals, Cups, or Golfer of the Year). The Major competitions for each year will be published by the committee before commencement of each season. Distant members can win all other prizes (including first prize in non-Major competitions).
- 3.9. Restrictions for Country Members:
- 3.9.1. Country members are eligible to enter all formats of Men's competitions.
- 3.9.2. Prizes: Country members cannot win first prize in Major competitions (e.g., Captains & Presidents Prize, Medals, Cups, or Golfer of the Year). The Major competitions for each year will be published by the committee before commencement of each season. Country members can win all other prizes (including first prize in non-Major competitions).
- 3.10. Restrictions for Initial Handicap Members:
- 3.10.1. Definition: Initial Handicap Members are those members whom have not held a valid Golf Ireland official handicap before the current season and have submitted 3 cards to obtain an official handicap in the current season.
- 3.10.2. Initial handicap members are eligible to enter all formats of Men's competitions.
- 3.10.3. Prizes: Initial handicap members cannot win any prize in any men's competition until 10 handicap qualifying cards are submitted (Qualifying Competition & General Play scores are acceptable)
- 3.10.4. Initial handicap members can submit 7 General Play scores without occurring any fee for doing so. Please refer to the "General Play Scores Procedure".
- 3.10.5. Once Initial handicap members have reached the required 10 handicap qualifying scores, they are no longer deemed Initial handicap members and will be assessed as per the conditions stated in sections 3.6 to 3.9 above based on their membership category.
- 3.11. A lone competitor may only play if he has a marker appointed by a member of the Competition Committee.
- 3.12. Handicap restrictions, where applicable, will be published by the Competitions

Committee in advance of the competition.

3.13. The Captain's Prize: to be eligible to win any prize, a competitor must have been a member of the Club for a minimum of one year and must have competed and returned cards in at least three 18-hole qualifying competitions in the club in the current season, prior to the first round of the competition.

3.14. A competitor may not take more than one prize in any competition.

4. Motorised Buggies:

4.1. Motorised golf buggies may only be used with the permission of the Men's Committee and provided the player is in possession of a current medical certificate of disability.

4.2. The buggy may only be used by the person named on the certificate and may carry only his equipment and caddy. Penalty for breach of condition - Disqualification.

4.3. The use of buggies may be withdrawn at any time, should it be necessary, due to adverse weather conditions to ensure the course is protected. The final decision will be taken by the head greenkeeper and his/her decision is final.

5. Entry to official Club Competitions:

5.1. Competition timesheets are managed via the ClubNet app. (Note: Some major competition timesheets are created via open draw. Any competitions that require an open draw will be clearly identified by the Competition Committee in advance).

5.2. Tee times are booked via the ClubNet app or by phoning the office. (Note: Some tee times are exclusively reserved for men's competition play. These are clearly marked on the timesheet and can be reviewed via the ClubNet app. E.g., Saturday & Sunday mornings from 8am to 10:30am. No casual golf can be played during these times. Please note; the Competition Committee may adjust these times for any competition with prior notice)

5.3. Formal registration for competitions takes place when the competitor completes the mandatory signing in on the on-line system (Handicap Master) which is accessed via the main clubhouse computer terminal situated in front of the Men's Clubhouse noticeboard. Multiple competitions may be available and it is up to the player to ensure that they enter the correct competition. Entering the wrong competition will result in disqualification. Formal registration must be completed before commencement of play, failure to do so will result in disqualification.

5.4. Payment of the competition entry fee MUST be made in advanced of play using the supplied envelopes and collection box. (Members must fill in the following details on the envelope: Name, Date, Name of competition and € amount).

5.5. Each competitor is responsible for ensuring his name only appears once on any competition timesheet. This includes competitions held over two days (e.g. Saturday & Sunday). Breach of this rule may be disqualification from the competition.

5.6. Once the timesheet or open draw is closed:

5.6.1. The competitor's allocated time is deemed to be fixed and can only be changed with the authority of the Competitions Committee.

5.6.2. The timesheet defines the playing groups and players can only switch groups to rectify a situation where another player in an adjacent group has no marker. In all other circumstances players may only switch groups with the authority of the Competitions Committee.

5.7. If competitors are late by more than 5 minutes for their tee time they are disqualified and shall not be permitted to compete in the competition. Players arriving up to 5 minutes late on the tee box incur a two-stroke penalty applicable to the first hole.

- 5.8. Where a player makes a late cancellation his playing partners must be informed immediately. Any player who fails to turn up without informing their playing partners in advance will be liable to sanction at the discretion of the Committee.
- 5.9. Competitions will be suspended/abandoned/cancelled only in exceptional circumstances. The decision to do so can be taken, at any time on the day of competition, by any two members of the Competitions Committee. Where a competition is cancelled or abandoned, entry and / or green fees (where applicable) will be refunded. Where a competition is suspended and resumed there will be no refund.
- 5.10. Competitors who cannot commence play at their designated time due to fog or frost may re-enter their names on the timesheet and play at a later available time.
- 5.11. Where any issue or dispute arises in relation to any competition, the decision of the Competitions Committee will be made with full regard to the Rules of Golf, the Competition Conditions, and Equity. Such decision will be final.

6. Recording of Score and Returning Scorecards (Rule 33-5):

- 6.1. Each competitor is required to enter their name, the date, the competition name and correct Course Handicap on the scorecard. It is also recommended to record both your Handicap Index and Playing Handicap.
- 6.2. A competitor should not mark or alter his own scorecard. (The appointed marker is responsible for checking and recording the competitor's score and for any alterations to the recorded scores).
- 6.3. Scores should be recorded on the scorecards after each hole.
- 6.4. All cards must be checked, marked and signed before entering the clubhouse. Competitors must return, and are responsible for the return, of their cards in all competitions. R & A. Rule 6.
- 6.5. When the computer is in use for a competition it is mandatory for every competitor (even if 'no return') to personally enter his score on the computer and return their card in the scorecard box provided. Failure to do so could make you liable to disqualification and or disciplinary action.
- 6.6. After play ALL scorecards for Handicap Qualifying competitions, correctly completed and signed by both competitor and marker, must be returned as soon as possible.
- 6.7. For persistent non-returns, a possible suspension from future competitions for a specific period as determined by the Competition Committee will be sanctioned.

7. Handicaps Index and Handicap Index Allowance:

- 7.1. Handicap index's will be operated and maintained in accordance with the current WHS Handicapping System.
- 7.2. The rules and allowances that shall apply for handicapping are those prescribed by the WHS (latest revised edition). Players should familiarise themselves with the handicap system.
- 7.3. All AWAY scores, including "No Returns", in qualifying & non-qualifying competitions must be returned to Slievenamon Golf Club.
- 7.4. In all Club Competitions, including Open Competitions, as organised by the Competitions Committee, the only handicaps acceptable and recognised for prize eligibility, shall be for players of affiliated golf clubs.

8. Teeing Grounds:

- 8.1. The competition tees are those as indicated on the computer entry screen which is

displayed upon signing into a competition.

8.2. All golfer of the year qualifying (GOTY) competitions are played off the white tees.

8.3. The stipulated round commences from the first tee and consists of playing the holes of the course in the sequence prescribed by the Competitions Committee, unless otherwise authorised by the Committee.

9. Distance Measuring Devices:

9.1. In all competitions organised and run at by Slievenamon Men's Golf Club, a player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. If, during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance-measuring device that is designed to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g., slope, wind speed, temperature, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3, for which the penalty is disqualification.

10. Practice on the Course:

10.1. Rule 7-1 prohibiting a competitor practising on the course before a stroke play event is overridden (Rule 33-1) under following conditions:

10.1.1. Player practises within the Marked Designated Practise Areas.

10.1.2. On any day when a 'mixed' stroke play competition follows or proceeds another 'non-mixed' competition, practice will be permitted, during the first competition, on the competition course by those participating in the first competition prior to competing in the 2nd competition. In essence this means a player can participate in a 'mixed' and 'non-mixed' Competition on the same day.

10.2. Where competitions have qualification rounds held over consecutive days and are directly followed by a final round (e.g. Captains Prize and Presidents Prize), no practise play is allowed on the course at any time over the three competition days.

11. Decision of ties (Rule 33-6):

11.1. Ties are decided by matching the tied scorecards to determine the winner based on count-back, as approved by R & A Rules Limited.

11.2. For 36-hole competitions a tie is decided on last 18 holes and if still tied, proceed as for 18 holes competition below:

11.3. For 18-hole competitions decide on last 9 holes, then last 6--3--2--1 and if still tied, decide on last 3 holes--6--7--8 of first 9.

11.4. If this procedure does not produce a result, then the winner will be determined by lot.

11.5. In the event of the Competitions Committee permitting play to start at the 10th tee, or 1st and 10th tees simultaneously, the last nine holes, for the purpose of deciding ties, will be from the 10th to 18th hole.

12. Etiquette:

12.1. The rules regarding etiquette, as contained in section one of the Rules of Golf, should be complied with at all times. In addition:

12.1.1. Competitors playing in an Inter-Club or Club Championship Match should, if practical, be extended the courtesy of being called through a slower group.

12.1.2. Players in a Club competition shall have priority over players who are not competing.

12.1.3. The maximum grouping allowed is four players, unless otherwise authorised by the Committee.

13. Prize Presentations:

13.1. Prize winners are expected to attend Prize Presentations as a courtesy to our Officers, Members, and Sponsors whose generosity is much appreciated. If, due to exceptional circumstances, players are unable to be present to receive their prizes they should nominate another person to collect their prizes on their behalf.

14. General Conditions:

- 14.1. The Competitions Committee reserves the right to:
- 14.1.1. Refuse any entry without assigning a reason.
 - 14.1.2. Correct any mistakes made in the checking of scorecards.
 - 14.1.3. Alter the published competition or conditions of competition if it is deemed necessary.
 - 14.1.4. Cancel a competition due to insufficient entries or to postpone or abandon it at any stage in exceptional circumstances, if the Committee so decides.

15. Golfer of the Year (GOTY):

15.1. The golfer with the greatest number of points derived from the results of all Golfer of the Year qualifying competitions will be awarded the GOTY Trophy. Each competition, where designated as golfer of the year qualifying, will be classed as a separate competition for the calculation of points for golfer of the year.

15.2. Points will be awarded on the basis of the following Golfer of the Year Points Table:

Qualifying Competition Placing (based on net scores)	Points Awarded
1st	20
2nd	15
3rd	12
4th	10
5th	8
6th	7
7th	6
8th	5
9th	4
10th	3
All Competitors	1

15.3. Where a tie arises the tying competitor with the least number of counting cards wins. Where this does not produce a result, the decision will be made by eliminating, one by one, the worst counting cards of each tying competitor until all competitors but one is eliminated.

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SLIEVENAMON GOLF CLUB MEN'S COMMITTEE
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Signed:

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(Signed on behalf of the Competition Committee)
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Appendix #1 – Pace of Play

1. Be on time & ready to play at your designated tee time.
Competitors must register (sign-in) at least 10 minutes before tee time.
2. Be ready to play every shot when it is your turn.
3. Do not wait for greens to clear when they are beyond your range.
4. Leave your bag at the side of the green nearest the next tee.
5. Line up your putt while others are putting and be ready to putt in turn.
6. If you cannot score or improve your team's score on any hole, pick up.
7. First player to putt out should be ready to replace the flag.
8. Do not mark cards on or near the green. Mark at the tee-box while other players are teeing off.
9. Encourage your playing partners to keep up with the group in front.
10. If someone is slowing things down, TELL THEM.
11. WALK AS YOU TALK - Do not delay play for conversation.
12. If you are falling behind for any reason, invite the group behind through.
13. Keep just behind the group ahead, not just ahead of the group behind.
14. Play a provisional ball if you think your ball is lost outside a hazard, or out of bounds.
15. Find your own ball first before you go searching for others.
16. Call the players behind through when you have to search for a ball – not after 3 minutes are up.
17. A ball not found within 3 minutes is lost and out of play (Rule 27).
18. See rules of Golf on slow play (Rule 6-7).
19. There should be no undue gaps between groups on the course.
20. REMEMBER: If your group is a hole behind, it is your fault.

Appendix #2 – Competition Formats

1. Competition Format – General:

- 1.1. The timesheet/entry form will indicate the format of the competition and the relevant tee markers. These can only be changed, in exceptional circumstances before start of play, by a member of the Competitions Committee.
- 1.2. The competition will be played over the stipulated course which in the absence of notification to the contrary, will be an 18-hole competition played from holes 1 to 18 in sequence. Competitors must play from the designated competition markers of the day.
- 1.3. It is the responsibility of each competitor to be aware of the local rules of the day.
- 1.4. In non-Match Play competitions and Match Play qualifiers, ties will be decided via the count back method as provided by the computer system. In the absence of the computer system the count back will be applied as follows:
- 1.5. 36 Holes – last 18-9-6-3-1, If still no resolution, Last 9-6-3-1 of First 18 Holes.
- 1.6. 18 holes – last 9-6-3-1, If still no resolution, Last 6-3-1 of First 9 Holes.
- 1.7. 12 holes – last 9-6-3-1.
- 1.8. 9 holes – last 6-3-1.
- 1.9. The Competitions Committee may announce a different method of deciding ties for any given competition.
- 1.10. If any of the Above Count Back Methods do not Provide a resolution Then the Result will be Decided by Lot

2. Competition Format – Match Play:

- 2.1. Entry will be by participation in a Pre-qualifier or an Entry Form as specified each year.
- 2.2. Entries submitted after the specified closing date for the competition will not be accepted under any circumstances.
- 2.3. Defending Champion(s):
 - 2.3.1. If the defending champion(s) have entered and played together in the qualifier they will be deemed to have qualified in first place.
 - 2.3.2. If the defending champion(s) have entered the competition they will be given precedence if any byes are required, followed by leading qualifiers in order of qualification.

- 2.4. The match play draw will be published from either the leading 32 qualifiers or the list of entrants.
- 2.5. The draw following a qualifying procedure will be made in accordance with appendix 1 B of the Rules of Golf. The draw, if no qualifying procedure takes place, will be a blind draw.
- 2.6. The Competitions Committee will post a play-by date for each round of matches. All matches must be decided by the 'play-by' date. No extensions will be granted, except in extreme circumstances and with the authority of the Competitions Committee.
- 2.7. Matches should be arranged as early as possible to avoid last minute, unforeseen difficulties and all players are equally responsible for ensuring the result is posted by the play-by date.
- 2.8. Results of ties should be posted, by the winner, on the published draw sheet.
- 2.9. If a match cannot be completed by the play-by date, then the Competition Committee would expect that a concession should be afforded to the party(s) who offered most 'play dates' over the play-by period. If this cannot be agreed then a "coin-toss" should decide the winner.
- 2.10. In the event of a result not being posted by the play-by date, the Competitions Committee will disqualify both parties. However, the Committee can decide the tie in favour of one party if they are aware of equitable reasons for doing so.
- 2.11. In all match play events players must play off their handicap index applicable to when they registered throughout the competition.
- 2.12. Matches must be played over the stipulated round.
- 2.13. The stipulated round will be course and greens of the day (normally Holes 1 – 18 in sequence) played off the correct tees for the competition.
- 2.14. Players may, if necessary, to complete the match by the play-by date and only if both parties agree, play the match over 9 holes starting at the 1st tee of the Day. In this case the handicap differential and 'shots' given will be the same as if the match was played over the full 18 holes
- 2.15. In the event of a match reaching no result after the stipulated holes and the competitors cannot agree on a tie breaking method, the match must be decided by a sudden-death play-off starting at the 1st hole of the Day.
- 2.16. All matches will be played off the Fixed White tees.
- 2.17. In the event of a dispute or disagreement, a member of the Competitions Committee shall be the sole Arbitrator/Referee. Such rulings are final and binding.

3. Competition Format – Captains Prize:

- 3.1. The competition is played over three days (qualifying on Friday & Saturday, final on Sunday) and the format and tees of the day are the prerogative of the presiding captain. Handicap adjustments arising from 1st

days play will not be applied to the 2nd days play but will apply immediately for all other competitions.

- 3.2. In the event of ties a 36-hole count-back will prevail.
- 3.3. Entry is open to all members.
- 3.4. The Captain's Prize for Students & Juniors may be held either on the same days or alternative days if decided by the Captain and Committee. Should they be held on the same day, Students & Juniors may only win specific designated prizes.
- 3.5. 1st round maybe either an open draw per time-zone on an entry form or an open timesheet bookable online.
- 3.6. 2nd round leading group (36 plus tied scores) go out last. This leading group of players must play in the allotted tee times provided.
- 3.7. Players are not allowed caddie for fellow competitors.
- 3.8. It is a strict condition of competition that players must declare their scores to the official scoreboard operators when asked.

4. Competition Format – Scramble (Best Ball):

- 4.1. The Competitions Committee will publish prior to the competition:
 - 4.1.1. Number of players on each team.
 - 4.1.2. Minimum Number of drives per player required.
 - 4.1.3. Handicap allowance.
 - 4.1.4. Tee markers to be used.
 - 4.1.5. Stipulated round for the day.
- 4.2. Format will be strokes.
- 4.3. Team members may tee off in any order and follow the following procedure until a ball in play is holed out:
 - 4.3.1. Team members decide which ball they prefer to play.
 - 4.3.2. Preferred ball must be marked within 6 inches through the green and as close as possible on the green, not nearer the hole.
 - 4.3.3. The owner of the preferred ball must play first. He/she must play the ball as it lies unless placing is permitted or the ball is on the green.
 - 4.3.4. Team members can then play in any desired order by placing their ball within 6 inches of the marker through the green and as close as possible on the green, not nearer the hole. If the preferred ball is in the rough or in a hazard then the ball must be dropped in the rough/hazard as close as possible to the marked position not nearer the hole. Bunkers may be raked after each ball is played.
- 4.4. If the ball is lying off the green it cannot be placed on the green.
- 4.5. Once a ball is 'holed-out' the accumulated team score is the score that counts. The team is cautioned not to make 'tap-in' putts until all team members have had the opportunity to attempt the team's original putt.

4.6. The owner of the preferred ball must play first. He/she must play the ball as it lies unless placing is permitted or the ball is on the green.

5. Competition Format – Stroke Play:

- 5.1. Definition: Stroke play is a round of golf in which the score is kept by adding the cumulative total of strokes taken throughout the round. The course/competition handicap is subtracted from the total strokes to give a net score.
- 5.2. In Stroke Play you must hole out (finish) every hole.
- 5.3. Also Known As: Medal play

6. Competition Format – Stableford:

- 6.1. Definition: Rather than counting the total number of strokes taken, as in stroke play, it involves scoring points based on the number of strokes taken at each hole. Unlike traditional scoring methods, where the aim is to have the lowest score, under Stableford rules, the objective is to have the highest score
- 6.2. The number of points awarded on each hole is determined by the number of strokes taken to par before being adjusted in relation to the player's handicap.
 - 6.2.1. Points in Stableford are awarded as follows:

6 points	Four strokes under
5 points	Three strokes under
4 points	Two strokes under
3 points	One stroke under
2 points	Level par
1 point	One stroke over

7. Competition Format – Four Ball:

- 7.1. Definition: Four Ball is a match pitting two teams of two players (a total of four balls being played, hence the name) against each other using better-ball scoring.
- 7.2. All four players play their own ball throughout; at the end of each hole, the low score between the two partners on each team is that team's score. For example, Players A and B form one team. On the first hole, A scores a 5, B scores a 6, so the team score is 5.
- 7.3. Four Ball can be played as stroke play or match play.

8. Competition Format – Greensomes:

- 8.1. Definition: Greensomes is a competition format that is a variation of foursomes (2-person teams, each playing one ball). In Greensomes, both players on a team tee off, the best of the two tee balls is selected and that ball is then played alternate-shot until holed.
- 8.2. Greensomes is essentially a 2-person scramble off the tee, then alternate-shot into the hole.

Appendix #3 – Handicap Allowances for Competitions

Handicap Allowances - WHS:

1. The WHS Handicap Index calculation, by design, provides equity for singles match play. The 95% allowance is needed to provide equity for singles stroke play, as this must also take into account the probability of a steady golfer gaining a leader board position.
2. The recommendation to increase the allowance to 100% for field sizes of fewer than 30 players was not adopted in GB&I. The allowance for single stroke play events is 95% regardless of the field size
3. These following handicap allowances will only count as part of playing handicaps. They will not, for example, have any bearing on the acceptable score you return as part general play scores returned for handicap purposes.
 - 3.1. Individual stroke play, Stableford, par/bogey, maximum score: 95%.
 - 3.2. Fourball stroke play: 85%.
 - 3.3. Fourball Stableford: 85%.
 - 3.4. Fourball par/bogey: 90%.
 - 3.5. Individual match play: 100%.
 - 3.6. Fourball match play: 90%.
 - 3.7. Foursomes: 50% of combined team handicap.
 - 3.8. Greensomes, Pinehurst/Chapman: 60% low handicap + 40% high handicap.
 - 3.9. Best 1 of 4 stroke play: 75%.
 - 3.10. Best 2 of 4 stroke play: 85%.
 - 3.11. Best 3 of 4 stroke play: 100%.
 - 3.12. Best 4 of 4 stroke play: 100%.
 - 3.13. Scramble (4 players): 25%/20%/15%/10% from lowest to highest handicap.
 - 3.14. Scramble (2 players): 35% low/15% high.
 - 3.15. Total score of 2 match play: 100%.
 - 3.16. Best 1 of 4 par/bogey: 75%.
 - 3.17. Best 2 of 4 par/bogey: 80%.
 - 3.18. Best 3 of 4 par/bogey: 90%.
 - 3.19. 4 of 4 par/bogey: 100%.

Appendix #4 – Winter Rules

Winter Rules Additional to Local Rules:

1. Placing on fairways only: A ball may be lifted, cleaned and placed within 6 inches (not nearer the hole) in any closely mown area through the green i.e. fairways, tees, paths through rough. A ball should be marked before lifting and replacing.
2. Lift clean & drop in the rough: A ball may be lifted, cleaned and dropped within 12 inches, not nearer the hole. A ball must be marked before lifting and dropping.
3. Embedded ball & pole forked holes on greens: A ball embedded in its own pitch mark through the green may be lifted, cleaned and dropped without penalty, as near as possible not nearer the hole and not in a hazard. On the green, if a ball rests in a pole forked hole, it may be moved and placed in the nearest position, which affords relief, not nearer the hole.
4. Winter greens: (when not in play): Winter greens are to be regarded as ground under repair from which play is prohibited. Refer to local rules for dropping position.
5. Winter mats: When winter mats are in play the player must stand on and play the ball within the area of the mat. Failure to play from within the mat area as above will result in penalties or disqualification