

Competition Guidance 2022

Please find below the updated competition guidance for 2022. We are largely utilising the same approach as 2021 and our pro, Greig McSporran, is in agreement with this approach.

Entry

- Through either the PSI terminals in clubhouse and pro shop, or online through Howdidido or Club V1
- Competition entry will open at 7pm on a Thursday evening for the following weekends competitions, and close at 9am the Thursday preceding the competition
- We will return to draws for all Order of Merit events this season (underlined comps in the fixture list - monthly medals, Piper Cup, Sutherland & Hardie and Club Championship). Drawn team competitions will also return. This will give a good mix of both entry methods, which will hopefully keep entry numbers high in competitions
- For all other competitions, players can only enter their own name into the draw, apart from picked team competitions. We trialled this in the Winter League and felt this gave the benefits of more players mixing but also the certainty of knowing what time you will be playing before a Thursday
- Sweeps to continue to be payable in pro shop using contactless card as much as possible, to limit cash handling in the pro shop
- Mandatory entry fee of £1, plus optional £1 sweep and £1 2's. Summer League will have an extra £1 cost towards the eclectic and league prizes

Scorecards/Score Entry

- Scores must be entered on the PSI or through Howdidido/Club V1 by 10pm on the day of the competition by the member. Failure to do so (unless PSI is down), will result in disqualification from the competition
- Collect a scorecard from the pro shop when you check in before the round and swap cards on 1st tee
- Mark card as normal on the course and at end of round, sign card and hand back to player. Player then checks and signs card. Player inputs score into Howdidido on phone or using the PSI terminals
- Scorecard then put into the scorecard slot next to the PSI terminal at the men's locker room entrance

Sweep Winnings

- Sweeps will be paid out at the end of the season in the same way as last two seasons
- Winnings from the winter league to be paid out in April, with winnings from the summer season paid out in November/December
- The sweep money list will be published to the club website regularly throughout the season
- For team competitions, no 2's will be paid out and £2 will go into the main sweep pot

Rule Amendments (continue from 2021)

- Bunkers – until further notice, we will retain the 6 inch preferred lie rule in bunkers. This maybe removed by Scottish Golf at any time and we will then have to follow suit. Sand is not allowed to be smoothed before placing the ball
- Greenkeeper Workings – There are areas on the course where the greenkeepers have been completing maintenance. If your ball comes to rest in such an area, please agree relief with your playing partner. Relief will be a free drop at your nearest point, no closer to the hole. Drop to be taken within one club length of that point, ensuring you are not nearer the hole

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