



## **BCLGA**

### **COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP RULES**

### **2018**

Also to be played in conjunction with BCLGA "Competition Conditions & Regulations"

1. The Championship shall be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf, the BCLGA "Competition Conditions & Regulations" and with Local Rules as may be approved by the Championship Committee.
2. The Championship shall consist of two 18-hole stroke play qualifying rounds played on the first day, for which one draw will be made. The players returning the 16 lowest aggregate gross scores shall qualify for match play. The draw shall be made according to the automatic draw and shall be posted as soon as possible after termination of play. The next four players will be held as reserves – any withdrawal will be accepted up to 10pm on the day preceding the match play event. After that time any withdrawal will constitute a walkover.
3. All Ties shall be decided on the last 18, 9, 6, 3 or last hole. If a further tie results the qualifying place shall be decided by sudden-death playoff, stroke play, over holes as decided by the Championship Committee.
4. Each match shall consist of one round of 18 holes and be played to a conclusion a match all square on leaving the 18<sup>th</sup> green will continue from the first tee to a conclusion. (On the Sunday the final match being all square on leaving the 18<sup>th</sup> green will continue from the first, second, seventeen and eighteenth tee to a conclusion).
5. Players must be Full Members of the Buckinghamshire County Ladies Golf Association, have a Competition CONGU handicap and provide a CDH number as proof of handicap.
6. In the event of adverse conditions the Championship Committee reserves the right to alter the format of the competition to achieve a result (see point 8 in the "Conditions of Competition").
7. The Intermediate Champion shall be the player aged between 18 & 25 on 1 January 2018 with the best 36 hole gross score. The Seniors' Champion shall be the player aged over 50 on 11 May 2018 with the best gross score for 18 holes. For those seniors playing 36 holes the morning round will qualify for the Seniors' Championship.
8. The County President, County Captain and both Competition Secretaries are members of the Championship Committee. In all matters the decision of the Championship Committee is final.