



HAMPSHIRE LADIES' GOLF



COUNTY INTER-CLUB COMPETITIONS - GENERAL CONDITIONS

These rules and regulations have been issued for the guidance of Hampshire Ladies' Golf affiliated golf clubs.

1. The Rules will be reviewed every year and revised if necessary. Dated amendments will be issued via the website (www.hampshirladiesgolf.com) and Club Delegates should ensure that HLG rules are up-to-date at their clubs.
2. Any proposed amendments by golf clubs should be forwarded to the Hampshire Ladies' Golf County Secretary by 30 September each year.
3. Any Affiliated Club may enter. A player belonging to more than one Hampshire club may only play for one club in each competition during the current year.
4. All players representing clubs in Inter-Club County competitions must have a WHS Handicap Index.
5. All competitions shall be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by R&A Rules Limited and with Local Rules as may be approved by the Competition Committee. Play must be from the tee of the day. The front of which, as defined in the Rules of Golf, should not be placed more than 10 yards in front of, or behind, the relevant permanent distance marker on each hole. In addition, the England Golf Hard Card and Pace of Play policies will be used.
6. Players must walk at all times unless permitted to ride by the Competition Organiser in accordance with the England Golf Transportation policy.
7. Caddies are permitted and are the responsibility of their player. Prior to the commencement of play, Team Captains may agree to permit caddies to go on to the greens. If no agreement is reached, caddies are not permitted to go on to the greens. No professional golfer can caddy.
8. All disputes or breaches of the Rules to be referred to the Competition Organiser and then to the Competition Committee whose decision will be final.
9. A player may obtain distance information by use of a distance-measuring device. If, during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance-measuring device to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect her play (e.g., elevation changes, wind speed, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 4.3a.
10. In the event of adverse weather conditions, the Competition Committee reserves the right to alter the format of the competition in order to achieve a result.
11. Teams entering competitions must be prepared to travel to any part of the County and Isle of Wight.
12. Where clubs have more than 18 holes opponents should be notified in advance on which holes the match will be played.
13. Clubs are not expected to give courtesy practice rounds for County Inter-Club Competitions.

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