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Appendix C: Seniors Section

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Annex C: Seniors Section

Introduction

This Annex C forms part of the Competitions Directory and describes the Terms of Competition for all competitions administered by the Seniors Committee. This document should be read in conjunction with the *General Terms*.

Terms of Competition are the rules by which each competition is run and are based upon the General Terms defined by the Competitions Directory that apply to all competitions organised by the Club. Should a player fail to comply with the Terms of Competition they may incur a penalty or be disqualified.

Note that the terms of competition for the annual Ladies and Seniors Mixed Pairs competition and the Ladies Team vs Seniors Team competition can be found in Annex B: Ladies Section.

Corrections and Enhancements

Please notify comps@studleywoodgolfclub.co.uk of any errors, omissions or suggestions for improvements to this Annex. Make sure to clearly reference the document version along with the relevant page(s) and section information.

This document shall be updated from time to time and shall be reviewed by the Seniors Committee as necessary.

Seniors Medal

1 Format

18-hole individual stroke play competition. Played on a Tuesday or Thursday throughout the year.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Tees to be used will be advised in competition notices and on the via the
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- c) Rounds must be played within the Seniors designated tee times.
- d) Playing partners will be drawn by the competition organiser.
- e) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £2 entry fee Plus £1 for two's sweep
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of total entry fees is retained for costs. The remaining fees form the competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- c) The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
 - i) The winner of each Division is the player in that Division with the lowest net score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.
 - ii) The competition Prize Fund is split equally between the Divisions. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 5th place, where funds allow.
 - iii) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund

Seniors Stableford

1 Format

18-hole individual stableford competition. Played on a Tuesday or Thursday throughout the year.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all male Members with Full, Summer (during BST only) or 5-day membership who are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition and hold a valid Handicap Index.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Tees to be used will be advised in competition notices via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App .
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- c) Rounds must be played within the Seniors designated tee times.
- d) Playing partners will be drawn by the competition organiser.
- e) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £2 entry fee plus £1 for Two's Sweep
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of total entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds. The remaining fees form the competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- c) The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
 - i) The winner of each Division is the player in that Division with the highest stableford points score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.
 - ii) The competition Prize Fund is split equally between the Divisions. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 5th place, where funds allow.

- iii) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.

Seniors Roll Ups

A Variety of Individual and Team Formats

1 Format

As well as individual and Stableford competitions a variety of individual and team formats are organised for the Seniors roll-ups. The formats for these can be found on the Seniors Website under **Roll up formats and rules**

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all male Members with Full, Summer (during BST only) or 5-day membership who are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition and hold a valid Handicap Index.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Scores in team competitions are not acceptable for handicap purposes.
- b) Tees to be used will be advised in competition notices.
- c) Playing Handicap: See format descriptions on the Seniors Website (**Roll up formats and rules**).

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- b) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £2 entry fee plus £1 for two's sweep
- b) Best score wins. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.
- c) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of total entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds. The remaining fees form the competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- d) Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion. Team prizes are normally allocated down to 3rd place, where funds allow.
- e) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.

Seniors Annual Challenge Trophy

Silverware Competition

1 Format

18-hole individual stroke play Silverware competition.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST only) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index.
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- c) Round must be played at the allotted time and with the allotted group. Players start times will be drawn in handicap group order.
- d) The Seniors Committee reserves the right to change the status of the competition, utilise alternative tees, and postpone or rescheduled the competition if there are adverse course or weather conditions.
- e) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £4 entry fee plus £1 for two's sweep
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of the total entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds. Remaining fees form the Competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- c) The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
 - i) The winner of each Division is the player in that Division with the lowest net score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.

- ii) The competition Prize Fund is split between the Divisions and two nearest the pin competitions. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 5th place, where funds allow.
- iii) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.
- d) The winner of the Annual Challenge Trophy will be the individual with the lowest net score from either Division. They will automatically be entered into the draw for the Seniors Champion of Champions competition.

Jeremy Potter Memorial Trophy

Silverware Competition

1 Format

18-hole individual stableford Silverware competition.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST only) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index.
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b) Round must be played at the allotted time and with the allotted group.
- c) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- d) The Seniors Committee reserves the right to change the status of the competition, utilise alternative tees, postpone or rescheduled the competition if there are adverse course or weather conditions.
- e) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £4 entry fee plus £1 for the Two's Sweep
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of total entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds. The remaining fees form the competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- c) The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
 - i) The winner of each Division is the player in that Division with the highest stableford points score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.

- ii) The competition Prize Fund is split equally between the Divisions. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 5th place, where funds allow.
 - iii) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.
- d) The winner of the Jeremy Potter Memorial Trophy will be the individual with the highest Stableford score from either Division. They will automatically be entered into the draw for the Seniors Champion of Champions competition.

Seniors Memorial Trophy

Silverware Competition

1 Format

18-hole individual stroke play Silverware competition.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST only) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index.
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b) Round must be played at the allotted time and with the allotted group.
- c) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- d) The Seniors Committee reserves the right to change the status of the competition, utilise alternative tees, postpone or rescheduled the competition if there are adverse course or weather conditions.
- e) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £4 entry fee plus £1 for two's sweep
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of total entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds. The remaining fees form the competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- c) The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
 - i) The winner of each Division is the player in that Division with the lowest net score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.
 - ii) The competition Prize Fund is split equally between the Divisions. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 5th place, where funds allow.

- iii) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.
- d) The winner of the Memorial Trophy will be the individual with the highest Stableford score from either Division. They will automatically be entered into the draw for the Seniors Champion of Champions competition.

Seniors Quarterly Challenge

Silverware Competition

1 Format

18-hole individual stroke play Silverware competition played quarterly throughout the Membership Year.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST only) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index.
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b) Round must be played at the allotted time and with the allotted group.
- c) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- d) The Seniors Committee reserves the right to change the status of the competition, utilise alternative tees, postpone or rescheduled the competition if there are adverse course or weather conditions.
- e) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £4 entry fee plus £1 for two's sweep
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of total entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds. The remaining fees form the competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- c) The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
 - i) The winner of each Division is the player in that Division with the lowest net score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.

- ii) The competition Prize Fund is split equally between the Divisions. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 5th place, where funds allow.
- iii) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.
- d) The winner of a Quarterly Challenge will be the individual with the lowest net score from either Division. They will automatically be entered into the draw for the Seniors Champion of Champions competition.

Roy Holland Memorial Trophy

Silverware Competition

1 Format

18-hole individual stableford Silverware competition.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST only) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index.
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b) Round must be played at the allotted time and with the allotted group.
- c) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- d) The Seniors Committee reserves the right to change the status of the competition, utilise alternative tees, postpone or rescheduled the competition if there are adverse course or weather conditions.
- e) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £4 entry fee plus £1 for two's sweep
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Account. Approximately 10% of total entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds. The remaining fees form the competition Prize Fund. The Two's Sweep forms a separate Two's Fund.
- c) The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
 - i) The winner of each Division is the player in that Division with the highest stableford points score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.

- ii) The competition Prize Fund is split equally between the Divisions. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 5th place, where funds allow.
- iii) The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.
- d) The winner of the Roy Holland Memorial Trophy will be the individual with the highest Stableford score from either Division. They will automatically be entered into the draw for the Seniors Champion of Champions competition.

Senior's Masters Competition

1. Format

This competition will combine an 18 hole stroke play round with an 18 hole Stableford round. These will be played as part of the roll-up programme with the Strokeplay round usually played on the Tuesday and the Stableford round on the Thursday of the same week. Each individual round will be part of the roll-up schedule; players may enter these rounds individually. The overall winner, the "Seniors Master" will be the player with the lowest score after the total Stableford points (scored in the Stableford round) are deducted from the nett medal score (scored in the stroke play round).

2. Eligibility

- a. Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3. Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a. Tees to be used will be advised in competition notices via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App .
- b. Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4. Additional Terms of Competition

- a. Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- b. Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than 5pm on the day of competition
- c. Rounds must be played within the Seniors designated tee times.
- d. Playing partners will be drawn by the competition organiser.
- e. Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5. Entry Fees and Prizes

- a. £4 entry fee plus £1 for two's sweep for each round.
- b. The overall winner of the combined competition will be awarded a trophy and entered in to the Seniors Champion of Champion's competition.
- c. The winners of each individual round will be awarded prizes in accordance with the regular roll-up procedures
- d. The field is split into two divisions, Division 1 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.4 or less and Division 2 for those with a Handicap Index of 18.5 and higher.
- e. The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.

Seniors Champion of Champions

1 Format

18-hole individual stroke play competition.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men, aged 55 or above, with a valid Handicap Index who have won one of the following competitions in the year prior to the date of the competition:
 - i) The Current Champion of Champions
 - ii) Winner of Quarterly Challenges
 - iii) Winner of the Annual Challenge
 - iv) Seniors Club Championship – Club Champion
 - v) Seniors Club Championship – Handicap Champion
 - vi) Seniors Club Championship – Over 70 Nett Champion
 - vii) Winner of the Roy Holland Trophy
 - viii) Winner of the Jeremy Potter Trophy
 - ix) Winner of the Seniors Memorial Trophy
 - x) Winner of the Seniors Masters Trophy
 - xi) Winner of Seniors' Singles KO
 - xii) Winners of the Seniors' Pairs KO
 - xiii) Winner of the Seniors' Winter League

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index.
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must follow the instructions provided to all eligible winners regarding entry into the competition.
- b) Players start times will be drawn in handicap group order.
- c) Rounds must be played at the allotted time and with the allotted group.
- d) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- e) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.

- f) The Seniors Committee reserves the right to change the status of the competition, utilise alternative tees, postpone or rescheduled the competition if there are adverse course or weather conditions.
- g) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) Entry is free.
- b) The winner is the player with the lowest net score. In the event of a tie, the *Standard Countback Procedure* is applied.
- c) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. The Prize Fund is generated from the Seniors Funds and administered by the Seniors Committee.
- d) Prizes are normally awarded to the top 3 places at the Seniors Committee discretion.

Summer Eclectic competition

1. Format

The summer eclectic competition runs during the four summer months June – September.

The eclectic does not entail any additional competitions or rounds to be set up. It is just a case of collecting the scores from singles competitions, for those players who have entered, across the weeks when the competition is running. At the end of the period, we will calculate the best net stroke-play score for each player on each hole and the player with lowest total wins. The committee will keep track of all individual rounds of entrants over the qualifying time-period. This will include all mid-week medals and stablefords which are included in the Seniors roll-up times in the Tues and Thurs Seniors slots (organised by the Seniors Committee) including club competitions). Scores from knockouts, team, pairs and match play competitions are excluded. Golf Genius will be used to do the scoring.

2. Eligibility

- a. Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition.

3. Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a. Tees to be used will be advised in competition notices via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App .
- b. Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap unless otherwise advised.

4. Additional Terms of Competition

Rules as follows:

- You must register and pay by the date specified by the Seniors Committee on the invitation to play in the Eclectic. Later entries may be allowed at the discretion of the organiser.
- Each golfer plays as many singles rounds as they wish in the time.
- First counting round will be in the week commencing after 1 June and the final round will be the last round on or before 30 September.
- Only singles games played in the Tuesday and Thursday Seniors slots will count.
- At the conclusion of each qualifying round, the scores on each hole will be compared with previous rounds and the lowest score recorded.
- The lowest net score made on each hole is recorded for the eclectic, producing one 18-hole score at the end of the qualifying window.
- A table will be published periodically indicating the current position of each player in the eclectic.

5. Entry Fees and Prizes

- a. £5 entry fee Paid to the Seniors Account.
- b. At the end we will produce a ranking table and prizes will be awarded to the winners of each division. In the case of ties, participants will equally share the prize money allocated to the rankings (i.e. if there is a tie for ranks 1, 2 and 3, the total prize money allocated to these rankings will be shared equally between these three players).
- c. The value of the prizes for each ranking place will be determined depending on the number of participants.
- d. An overall winner for each division will be selected by countback of the final cumulative score.
- e. The Two's Fund is shared between those players scoring a two (or one) during the roll-up. Should no-one score a two the fund is allocated to the Seniors Fund.

Senior's Order of Merit

1. Format

This competition will be run throughout the year. The prize money won in Seniors' roll-up competitions played between 1 April and 31 March will be accumulated. The winner, who has accumulated the most money will win a trophy. Both individual and team competitions organised by the Seniors Committee will be included.

Competitions that aren't included are:

- Competitions organised by the Club eg Mid-week medals and stablefords, as well as the Club Seniors Championships.
- Fun competitions like shotgun starts for the Seniors Captains charity day and Xmas party where prizes are given out on the day.
- The two's sweep.
- Eclectic.
- Knock outs and winter league.
- Awaydays and Tours.

2. Eligibility

- a. Open to all men with Full, Summer (during BST) or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of competition and have participated in the Roll up Programme.

3. Winner

- a. The overall winner of the combined competition will be awarded a trophy.



Seniors Winter League

1 Format

The Seniors Winter League encompasses 6 designated 18-hole Stableford rounds running from October to March. The finishing position of each entrant in a Stableford round will be converted into Winter League Points (WLP) and the aggregate of the best 3 WLP scored across the 6 rounds will determine the winner.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full or 5-day membership who have a valid handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the date of the first round of the competition.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index
- b) Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must register for the Winter League competition by contacting the named Seniors competition organiser and paying the entry fee in accordance with the published Winter League notices.
- b) Participation in each of the designated Stableford rounds will be determined as part of the normal roll up invitation process. Players are not required to play in each round.
- c) Players must Check-in on the day via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App before commencing their round.
- d) Completed scores must be entered via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App no later than **5pm** on the day of competition. Competition notices will advise if completed scorecards are to be submitted, and if so, to whom.
- e) The Winter League Points system is as follows:
 - i) Players mark their scorecard as a stableford. Their stableford score is used to determine finishing positions for that round.
 - ii) For each competition round, Winter League Points (WLPs) are awarded to players based on their finishing position in that competition. 40 WLPs are awarded to the winner, 39 WLPs are awarded to 2nd place, etc. Any player that places outside of the top 40 will receive 0 WLPs. In the case of ties, each tied player will receive the same number of WLPs but the WLPs awarded to the player(s) below the ties will be adjusted for the number of ties for that round. For example, if three players tie for first place, each will receive 40 WLPs; the next highest player (and ties) will then receive 37 WLPs, and so on.
- f) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition.

- g) The Seniors Committee reserves the right to change the status of the competition, utilise alternative tees, postpone or reschedule the competition if there are adverse weather conditions.
 - i) If it is not possible to reschedule the round or the rescheduled round cannot be completed due to further suspensions, the monthly round of the Winter League will be abandoned and no Winter League Points will be awarded for that round.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £5 entry fee for the Winter League.
- b) The winner of the Winter League will be the player with the highest number of WLPs over their best three results. In the event of a tie, the winner will be determined on a count-back mechanism where the winner will be the one scoring the highest number of WLPs in round 6. If there is still a tie, then the WLPs won in rounds 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 will be used until the winner is determined.
- c) Prizes for the Winter League competition are awarded on completion of round 6 and paid to Members' Accounts.
 - i) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of the winter league entry fee is retained for Seniors Funds. The remainder forms the Competition Prize Fund for the league competition. Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated down to 12th place, where funds allow.
 - ii) Other than the winner, other ties will share the relevant prizes. E.g., if two players tie for second place, they will receive an equal share of the second and third place prizes. If there are too many players tied for the last prize position, the prize will be awarded to the highest finisher based on the same count-back mechanism as described in (b) above.
- d) Each individual Stableford round will also be a stand-alone round for which a separate entry fee of £2 and £1 for the Two's Sweep will apply. See C4 above for details.

Seniors Club Championship

1 Format

36-hole individual stroke play scratch and handicap competition played over two days (Tuesday and Thursday, 18 holes per day).

Entrants play to become the Seniors Club Champion (winner of the scratch competition), Seniors Handicap Champion (winner of the handicap competition) and Seniors Over 70 Champion (highest placed net score from a member aged 70 or over).

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the first day of the competition.
- b) To be eligible for the Seniors Over 70 Championship, competitors must be aged 70 or older on the first day of the competition.
- c) Entrants must have at least six acceptable scores, of which at least three are Competition rounds, on their WHS record during the twelve months prior to the closing date for entries or have been allocated their initial Handicap Index within the prior six months. WHS Penalty Scores do not count towards the six required acceptable scores.
- d) Maximum Playing Handicap of 36 strokes. Entrants with higher handicaps are eligible to enter but their stroke allowance will be capped to 36 strokes.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Silver tees and Index.
- b) Scratch Championship – Playing handicap: 0 (zero).
- c) Handicap Championship and Over 70s Championship – Playing Handicap: 95% of Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Players must register in advance by entering their names into the draw sheet via the Golf Genius Touch Screen or BRS Scoring App. The draw sheet will close at 12pm on the Friday before the competition start date.
- b) Competition fees will be deducted from Members Accounts when entering the draw. Entrants may withdraw prior to the closing date without penalty.
- c) A player may withdraw from the competition draw up to the closing date for entries without penalty, in which case any entry fees will be refunded. Thereafter if there is a need to withdraw prior to competition, the player should notify the Pro Shop and Men's Golf Committee immediately, but their entry fee will be forfeited.

- d) Entrants must be able to play both rounds. There is no 'cut'. Withdrawals on the second day will not be accepted, except for reasons of injury, illness or disqualification from Round 1.
- e) Players who withdraw from either round after the closing date for entries or who fail to turn up for their allotted tee time on either day may incur restrictions on entering future competitions at the discretion of the Seniors Committee.
- f) The Handicap Index of a competitor applying at the start of the first round shall apply throughout the competition (*Rules of Handicapping, 7.2a*).
- g) Entrants must Check-in on the day with the Committee representative in the clubhouse who will provide them their scorecard. Completed scorecards must be handed to the Committee representative immediately on completion of the round, unless instructed otherwise.
- h) For the first round, players start times will be drawn in handicap group order, with tee times starting no earlier than 8:00am and at 8-minute intervals thereafter.
- i) Players start times for round 2 will be allocated in reverse gross score order (i.e. higher scores will tee off first, leaders from round 1 will tee off last). Tee times will start no earlier than 8:00am and at 8-minute intervals thereafter.
- j) Start times will be published via the ClubV1 Members Hub, sent via email and posted at the clubhouse. Players are responsible for ensuring they are aware of and are ready to play at their allotted time. Players should aim to be at the first tee 5 minutes before their allotted tee time.
- k) Buggies are only permitted for medical reasons and must be approved by the Seniors' Committee in advance, preferably with a medical certificate or letter from a doctor.
- l) Practice on the course is not permitted before playing in the competition. Competitors may play on the course on the Wednesday between rounds.

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £6 entry fee
- b) **Seniors Club Champion** will be the player with the lowest aggregate gross score over the two rounds.
 - i) In the event of a tie for first place, those tied will play a 4 hole Play Off over holes 1, 2, 17 and 18 to determine their finishing positions. The winner will be the one with the lowest aggregate gross score over those four holes. If two or more players remain tied after those holes have been played, sudden death will be played over the same four holes until there is a clear winner.
 - ii) The final position for those in the Play Off who did not win will be determined by their score over the play-off holes. Any ties will equally share all the prizes for the tied places.

- iii) Ties for other places will be decided using the *Standard Countback Procedure* based on round 2 gross scores.
- c) **Seniors Handicap Champion** will be the player with the lowest aggregate net score over the two rounds. Ties for all places will be decided using the *Standard Countback Procedure* based on round 2 net scores.
- d) **Seniors Over 70 Champion** will be the player aged 70 or older with the lowest aggregate net score over the two rounds. Ties for all places will be decided using the *Standard Countback Procedure* based on round 2 net scores.
- e) 5% of the total entry fee will be retained for costs. The remainder forms the Competition Prize Fund. All prizes will be paid into Members Accounts.
- f) The Competition Prize Fund will be allocated as follows:

Total Entrants:	Less than 50	50 or more
Scratch 1 st	16%	11%
Scratch 2 nd	12%	9%
Scratch 3 rd	8%	8%
Scratch 4 th	-	6%
Scratch 5 th	-	5%
Handicap 1 st	15%	10%
Handicap 2 nd	10%	7%
Handicap 3 rd	7%	6%
Handicap 4 th	-	5%
Handicap 5 th	-	4%
Over 70 1 st	12%	9%
Over 70 2 nd	6%	6%
Over 70 3 rd	4%	4%
Best Gross Day 1	2.5%	2.5%
Best Gross Day 2	2.5%	2.5%
Best Net Day 1	2.5%	2.5%
Best Net Day 2	2.5%	2.5%

- g) A player may win more than one title but may only receive one financial prize. Any player who is eligible for multiple financial prizes shall receive the highest monetary prize for which he is eligible.
- i) The Seniors Club Championship takes precedence over the Seniors Handicap Championship, which in turn takes precedence over the Over 70s Handicap Championship.

- ii) If because of this clause a player is not permitted to receive a financial prize, that prize and any lower position prizes will be awarded to the players with the next best scores in the relevant championship.
- h) The title winners of the Seniors Club Championship, the Seniors Handicap Championship and the Seniors Over 70 Championship are automatically entered into the draw for the Seniors Champion of Champions competition.

Seniors Singles Matchplay

Individual Match Play Knockout

1 Format

18-hole singles handicap Knockout.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the closing date for competition entry.
- b) If a 5-day Member plays a match at the weekend, they must pay the appropriate green fee prior to commencing the match.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Scores are not acceptable for handicap purposes.
- b) Silver tees, match play Index.
- c) Playing Handicap: 100% of Course Handicap, calculated as follows: After individual Course Handicaps have been calculated, the player with the lowest Course Handicap plays off zero strokes and the other player receives 100% of the difference between their own Course Handicap and that of the player with the lowest Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Matches are played over 18-holes. If the match is tied after 18 holes, play will continue from the players' 1st hole in sudden death until a winner is decided.
- b) Players must follow the instructions provided in the published competition notice regarding entry into the KO competition and payment of entry fee.
- c) The KO draw will be as determined in the published competition notice.
- d) The top player in each draw must offer the other player at least two dates. If those dates are not acceptable, the other player must offer at least two further dates. This process is to be repeated until a mutually acceptable date is found.
- e) 5-day Members entering this competition must offer at least one weekend date for each match.
- f) Any dispute about the playing of matches should be referred to the Seniors Committee.
- g) All standard Match Play terms apply (see *General Terms*).

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £5 entry fee.
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of the entry fees are retained for Seniors Funds, the remainder forms the competition Prize Fund.
- c) Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated to the winner, runner up, losing semi-finalists and losing quarter-finalists. Depending on the format and numbers entered, additional prizes may be awarded.

Seniors Pairs Match Play

1 Format

18-hole four ball better ball handicap Knockout.

2 Eligibility

- a) Open to all men with Full, Summer or 5-day membership who have a valid Handicap Index and are aged 55 years or older on the closing date for competition entry.
- b) If a 5-day Member plays a match at the weekend, they must pay the appropriate green fee prior to commencing the match.

3 Handicap Allowance, Adjustments and Index

- a) Scores are not acceptable for handicap purposes.
- b) Silver tees, match play Index.
- c) Playing Handicap: 90% of Course Handicap, calculated as follows: After Course Handicaps have been calculated, the player with the lowest Course Handicap plays off zero strokes. The other players receive 90% of the difference between their own Course Handicap and that of the player with the lowest Course Handicap.

4 Additional Terms of Competition

- a) Matches are played over 18-holes. If the match is tied after 18 holes, play will continue from the players' 1st hole in sudden death until a winner is decided.
- b) Players must follow the instructions provided in the published competition notice regarding entry into the KO competition and payment of entry fee.
- c) The KO draw will be as determined in the published competition notice.
- d) It is the responsibility of both pairs to use their best efforts to ensure that matches are played by the stipulated closing date. In exceptional circumstances the Seniors' Captain may extend the deadline
- e) The top team in each draw must offer the other team at least two dates. If those dates are not acceptable, the other team must offer at least two further dates in return. This process is to be repeated until a mutually acceptable date is found.
- f) 5-day Members entering this competition must offer at least one weekend date for each match.
- g) Any dispute about the playing of matches should be referred to the Seniors Committee.
- h) All standard Match Play terms apply (see *General Terms*).

5 Entry Fees and Prizes

- a) £10 entry fee per pair.
- b) Prizes are paid to Members Accounts. Approximately 10% of the entry fees is retained for Seniors Funds, the remainder forms the competition Prize Fund.
- c) Prizes are allocated at the Seniors Committee discretion with prizes normally allocated to the winner, runner up, losing semi-finalists and losing quarter-finalists. Depending on the format and numbers entered, additional prizes may be awarded.



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