



COMPETITION RULES - SUMMER KNOCKOUTS

The progress of all knock-outs will be available to view online.

All knock-outs are restricted to full members except for the midweek singles, open to both gent's & ladies.

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Please note:-

Full Members Only

Use your course playing handicap, not your handicap index, prior to agreeing your knockout handicap and playing differences.

Competition Rules - Mixed Foursomes

- Ladies – Red Tees Gents – Blue Tees
- 50% difference between combined handicaps of each side
- It is the responsibility of the top pairing to offer their opponent(s) 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
- Top pairing has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
- Winners to update result sheet after play.
- If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
- There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.
 - o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which team progresses.
- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponent(s). Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.
- 1ST & 2nd round losers will be automatically entered into Greensomes Plate competition
- In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules - Gents Fourball Betterball

- Gents – Blue Tees
- Back Marker (lowest handicap) to concede strokes to other 3 players based on 90% difference between full handicaps.

- It is the responsibility of the top pairing to offer their opponents 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
 - Top pairing has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
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- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponents. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.
 - In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules - Gents Singles Handicap Matchplay

- Gents – Blue Tees
- Full difference in playing handicaps
- It is the responsibility of the top player to offer their opponent 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
- Top player has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
- Winners to update result sheet after play.
- If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
- There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.

o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which player progresses.

- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponent. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.

- In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules - Gents Singles Matchplay Scratch

- Gents – Blue Tees

- Played off scratch – no handicaps

- Handicap limit 9.9

- It is the responsibility of the top player to offer their opponent 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.

- Top player has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.

- Winners to update result sheet after play.

- If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.

- There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.

o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which player progresses.

- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponent. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.

- In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules - Seniors Singles Matchplay

- Open to members 50+
 - Seniors – Blue Tees
 - Full difference in handicaps
 - It is the responsibility of the top player to offer their opponent 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
 - Top player has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
 - Winners to update result sheet after play.
 - If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
 - There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.
- o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which player progresses.
- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponent. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.
 - In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules - Super Seniors Singles Matchplay

- Open to members 60+
- White Tees or Red Tees if aged 80 years + can play off red tees adjusting their handicaps against the slope rating.
- Full difference in handicaps
- It is the responsibility of the top player to offer their opponent 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
- Top player has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.

- Winners to update result sheet after play.
 - If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
 - There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.
- o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which player progresses.
- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponent. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.
 - In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules - Ladies Singles Matchplay

- Red Tees
 - Full difference in handicaps
 - It is the responsibility of the top player to offer their opponent 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
 - Top player has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
 - Winners to update result sheet after play.
 - If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
 - There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.
- o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which player progresses.
- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day , if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your

opponent. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.

- In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules - Ladies Fourball Betterball

- Red Tees
 - Back Marker (lowest handicap) to concede strokes to other 3 players based on 90% difference between full handicaps.
 - It is the responsibility of the top pairing to offer their opponents 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
 - Top pairing has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
 - Winners to update result sheet after play.
 - If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
 - There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.
- o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which team progresses.
- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponents. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.
 - In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final

Competition Rules – Midweek Singles KO

Open to Gents & Ladies with Full or 5-day memberships.

All matches to be played midweek except the final.

- Ladies – Red Tees Gents – Blue Tees
 - Full difference in handicaps
 - It is the responsibility of the top player to offer their opponent 2 dates.
 - Top player has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
 - Winners to update result sheet after play.
 - If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
 - There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on dates provided.
- o If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which player progresses.
- It is a condition of entry that you must play on Finals day, if at any stage in the competition you cannot play on Finals Day, please offer a walkover to your opponent. Singles matches will take precedence for participation on finals day for anyone playing in multiple finals.
 - In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

Competition Rules – Winter Foursomes Ladies & Gents

- Ladies – Red Tees Gents – Blue Tees
- 50% difference between combined handicaps of each side
- It is the responsibility of the top pairing to offer their opponent(s) 2 dates, one of which must be a weekend.
- Top pairing has choice of courses as they are arranging tee times.
- Winners to update result sheet after play.
- If you are having any difficulty in arranging matches, please contact golf@eastsussexnational.co.uk with any relevant information.
- There will be No extensions, if no result has been posted by completion date, the bottom player/pair will progress, unless they have failed to play on agreed dates.
- If a match cannot be played because of course conditions, with no further dates available, the shop will toss a coin to decide which team progresses.
- In the event of any disputes, the decision of the Golf Operations Manager will be final.

PLAYING HANDICAP: ALLOWANCES TABLE

| FORMAT OF PLAY | TYPE OF ROUND | RECOMMENDED HANDICAP ALLOWANCE |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| STROKEPLAY | Individual | 95% |
| | Individual Stableford | 95% |
| | Individual Par/Bogey | 95% |
| | Individual Maximum Score | 95% |
| | Fourball | 85% |
| | Fourball Stableford | 85% |
| | Fourball Par/Bogey | 90% |
| MATCHPLAY | Individual | 100% |
| | Fourball | 90% |
| STROKEPLAY | Foursomes | 50% of combined team handicap |
| | Greensomes | 60% low handicap + 40% high handicap |
| | Pinehurst/Chapman | 60% low handicap + 40% high handicap |
| | Best 1 of 4 Stroke Play | 75% |
| | Best 2 of 4 Stroke Play | 85% |
| | Best 3 of 4 Stroke Play | 100% |
| | All 4 of 4 Stroke Play | 100% |
| | Scramble (4 players) | *25%/20%/15%/10% from lowest to highest handicap* |
| | Scramble (2 players) | 25% low/15% high |
| | Total score of 2 match play | 100% |
| | Best 1 of 4 Par/Bogey | 75% |
| | Best 2 of 4 Par/Bogey | 80% |
| | Best 3 of 4 Par/Bogey | 90% |
| | 4 of 4 Par/Bogey | 100% |