



CORNWALL GOLF UNION

Junior Section

The Cornwall Junior Summer Team Knockout Competition – 2011

1. The Competition shall be known as the Cornwall Junior Summer Team Knockout. Matches shall be played in teams of 5. Format will be singles match play. Matches to be played to a conclusion over 18 holes with extra holes being played where necessary. The matches in the final shall be played to a conclusion over 36 holes with extra holes being played where necessary.
2. Entries for this competition shall be sent to the County Secretary by [redacted]. Entry fee is £20 per Club. One entry only per Club.
3. Clubs entering will be drawn in pairs and will play at an allocated neutral venue. The draw will be published and the winner of the two clubs at the top of the draw will play the winners of the 3rd and 4th clubs drawn and so on.
4. The second club in the pairs drawn must agree to a minimum of 3 dates when they can play the first drawn club within 3 days of the start date of each new round. The first club will agree a date and will book the neutral venue. If the match is not played within the appropriate time the first club will go through to the next round.
5. First round matches to be played by 26th June. The following rounds will be played prior to the 14th August and 2nd October. The final will be played at a neutral venue and on a date to be fixed by the Junior Competition sub-committee and convenient to both clubs.
6. Results of each round must be notified to the County Secretary as soon as possible and no later than 10pm on the last day of play of each round. Failure to do so will result in the match being awarded to the first club in the pairing. After each round the County Secretary will select a neutral venue for the next rounds and notify the clubs concerned whose responsibilities will be as in 3 above.
7. Matches will be played in strict reverse handicap order with the team's highest playing handicap in the first match and the lowest playing handicap going out last.
8. The competition is open to boys and girls. Players must have an active CONGU handicap. Boys to play off Men's' white tees and girls off Ladies' red tees.

Individual matches to be played off scratch subject to the following condition: Boys will play off the Men's card and Girls will play off the Ladies card. On a hole where the Par differs between the two cards an adjustment will be made to the player's score that reflects the difference in Par between the Men's and Ladies Card.

Examples:

If a girl scores a 5 to the boys 4 on a hole that is a Par 5 on the Ladies card and a Par 4 on the Men's card this would be deemed a half on that hole as both players recorded a par.

If a girl scores a 4 and the boy also has a 4 on a hole that is a Par 5 on the Ladies card and a Par 4 on the Men's card the girl would be deemed to have won that hole with a birdie.

If a girl scores a 4 to the boys 4 on a hole that is a Par 3 on the Ladies card and a Par 4 on the Men's card the boy would be deemed to have won that hole with a par.

9. All competitors must be under 18 years of age at 00:00hrs on January 1st of the competition year.
10. Between 1st October of one year and 30th September of the following year, a player may only be eligible to play for one club at Senior or Junior level.
11. The qualifications for players representing Clubs shall be:
 - a) must be of amateur status as defined by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews.
 - b) Confined to full members, country members and also bona fide student or junior members of the Club.
12. In the event that more than 16 clubs enter the competition, a preliminary round will be necessary and this will be played within the first round period. In the event of less than 16 clubs entering, clubs will be given byes if not drawn against another club.
13. All disputes on the rules and regarding the arrangement of fixtures must be referred through the County Secretary to the Junior Competitions sub-committee whose decision will be final. Players must resolve between themselves disputes regarding the Rules of Golf which may arise during the competition.
14. Parents and supporters are very welcome, but must remain at a distance from the players, keep off fairways and greens and not assist in the resolution of disputes. Ball spotting is permissible, as are reasonable enquiries as to the state of the match. Apart from ensuring that all matches are played under fair conditions, this rule will stand all players in good stead in the event that they are picked to play for the County in representative matches.
15. Caddies are not allowed in any county organised Junior Competition.

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Secretary
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