



South Moor Golf Club

Terms of Competition

COMPETITION NAME	Mixed Pairs Competitions
	Which includes but is not limited to: Shimeld Vases, Ralph & Mary Tiplady Trophy, Lowery Cup

GENERAL CONSIDERATONS	
The Committee	Kathryn Taylor (Competition Secretary), Ronnie Fraser, Peter Milburn & Tom Wood (Competition Committee)
	The competitions shall be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by R&A Rules Limited and Local Rules approved by the Committee.

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Other Relevant Policies	<p>Policies in force include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pace of Play • Code of Conduct • Disciplinary Policy • Safeguarding Policies • Parent and Spectator Code of Conduct • Anti-Doping • Transportation • Dress Code • Photography Consent <p>All relevant policies are available on request.</p>
(1) ELIGIBILITY	
Gender	Male and Female
Age limit	<p>Men and ladies who are 22 as of 1st April of the year of competition</p> <p>Junior Boys up to the age of 21 as of 1st April of the year of competition who have a maximum Handicap Index of 14.0.</p> <p>Junior girls up to the age of 21 as of 1st April of the year of competition who have a maximum Handicap Index of 27.0.</p>
Amateur/professional status	Amateur
Handicap Limits	No Max Handicap Index, Men - Max Playing Handicap 28, Ladies Max Playing Handicap 36.

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Handicap Record	A Player must have a Handicap Index
Membership Category	Only members of South Moor Golf Club paying a full subscription (including Honorary, Concessionary, Secondary, Special and FES members)
Residence or membership status	Where the player is a member of South Moor Golf Club
Eligibility Requirements for Players with Disabilities to use Rule 25	Player must supply a Medical Certificate
Caddies	A player must not have a caddie during the round
(2) ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND DATES	
Opening and Closing Dates and Times for Entry.	Entries for the competition open at 6pm on the Friday 2 weeks prior to the competition date. Entries for the competition close at 2pm on the day of the competition
Method of entry	Entries must be made online using the IG App. Players must check-in using the touchscreen in the bar and print off a scorecard label. Players must have paid the entry fee before commencing play.
How an entry fee is to be paid	Entry fees will be paid from members' golf bar account at the time of entry

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Procedures to be used in determining the field when the competition is oversubscribed	There is no limit to the number of entries for this competition
(3) FORMAT	
Date and time of play	As stated on IG App – Players must use IG for correct tee-time. (BRS will be updated on a regular basis)
Bad weather policy.	If the course is unplayable on the day of the competition, then the competition will be re-arranged to play at a later date in the season if time permits. All players will be withdrawn from the competition and all entry fees will be refunded to member's bar account.
Form of play	Greensomes Stableford, Greensomes Stroke, 4BBB Stableford or 4BBB Stroke (As stated on IG)
Playing Handicap™ Allowance	Greensomes – 60% Lowest + 40% Highest, 4BBB – 85%
Number and order of holes in a round	18 Holes. Players must start from 1 st hole.
Tee sets to be used	Men - White, Yellow or Senior Tees. Ladies – Red Tees
Stroke index allocation	Stroke Indices are as indicated on the scorecard. Greensomes – use White Stroke Indices.

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Whether there will be a cut	No Cut
Multiple flights or draws and how they will be organised	One overall competition winner
What and how prizes will be awarded	A prize will be awarded for the lowest net score or highest Stableford score (as stated on IG).
(4) TERMS FOR OTHER FORMS OF PLAY	
TEAM COMPETITIONS	
Team Captains & Advice Givers	No Team Captains or advice givers allowed
Team Match play	N/A
Team Stroke Play	Greensomes is not acceptable for handicaps. Betterball is acceptable for handicaps.
(5) WHEN A SCORECARD HAS BEEN RETURNED	
How scorecards are to be returned.	Scorecards must be posted into the locked scorecard box in the clubhouse foyer. Cards must be returned promptly after play.

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Other information requested on scorecards	Players should enter their scores via the touchscreen in the bar or via the IG App before officially returning their scorecard.
(6) HOW TIES WILL BE DECIDED	
Match play	N/A
Stroke play	All ties shall be decided on the last 9, 6, 3 or 1 holes. The last holes refer to holes 10-18. If a tie still arises it shall be decided by reference to the last 6, 3 or 1 holes of the first 9 holes. If this process does not produce a winner, the competition will be considered a tie.
(7) WHEN RESULT OF COMPETITION IS FINAL	
Match play	N/A
Stroke play	The competition will be final when all results have been posted on IG

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(8) CHANGING TERMS OF THE COMPETITION AFTER COMPETITION HAS BEEN STARTED	
How and who may change Terms	Competition Committee
Cancelling a Round Stroke play	Depends upon circumstances. If a competition has to be cancelled due to inclement weather then it will be re-arranged for a later date.
Cancelling a Round Match Play	N/A