

# Devon County Golf Union



## **HANDICAP CHAMPIONSHIP (limited to Categories 2, 3 & 4) Information for Entrants**

The General Conditions for Competitions (GCC) of the Devon County Golf Union apply to this competition. Refer to your club, the DCGU Website or the current DCGU Yearbook.

### **1 CONDITIONS OF PLAY**

- a) **Format:** Stableford. The competition shall be decided by stroke play over 18 holes
- b) **Winners:** The Overall Winner shall be the competitor who returns the highest points score; there will also be prizes for winners in each of Categories 2, 3 & 4.
- c) **Resolution of Ties:** Each competition shall be decided by card count-back
- d) **Motorised Buggies** - Entrants that require the use of a motorised buggy (or a motorised trolley in the event of abnormal ground conditions) in accordance with the terms of the Disability Discrimination Acts 1995 & 2005, shall submit a letter to the DCGU Office not less than 5 days in advance of the competition start date & include a Registered Medical Practitioner's Certificate. Refer to the General Conditions for Competitions for further information on use.

### **2 QUALIFICATION**

- a) Entrants must have an 'Active' CONGU Handicap not exceeding that specified on the Entry Form
- b) Entrants must either be members of Devon Affiliated Clubs or members of clubs located outside Devon but who were born in Devon

### **3 ENTRIES**

- a) **Form of Entry:** Entries must be made on the form specified or 'On-Line' via the website.
- b) **Enclosures:** The entry fee and, if appropriate a completed Parental Consent Form, must be sent with the completed entry form to the address shown below to arrive before the closing date
- c) **Refunds** will only be made in accordance with the General Conditions for Competitions

### **4 BALLOT**

- a) **Field Size:** Where the entries exceed 108 in number, there will be a ballot amongst the highest handicaps to reduce the entries to that number

### **5 TROPHIES & PRIZE VOUCHERS**

- a) The Trophies awarded are:
  - i) The Devon Challenge Cup - to the player with the highest points score
  - ii) The Western Morning News Cup - to the player with the highest points score in Category 2
  - iii) The Devon Handicap Cup - to the player with the highest points score in Category 3
  - iv) The Goldsmith Salver - to the player with the highest points score in Category 4
  - v) The Brockman Team Trophy - highest combined points scorere from 3 players from the same club
- b) Trophies may be retained by the Winners for the ensuing 12 months but must be kept within a NACOSS protected area at their Home Club for insurance purposes
- c) The Winner of each Trophy is responsible for having it engraved at his own expense
- d) The Winner of each Trophy shall return it when so requested by the Union
- e) Prize Vouchers will be given to the leading players as decided by the Committee
- f) Any Prizes for 'Two's' are NOT part of the competition