

Terms of Competition Seniors Invitation Charity Day 18th July 2024

(Updated 8/07/2024)

1. Purpose of the competition

This competition is in aid of charity. The beneficiary charities are:-

- 1.1 "Firefly" A local Cancer Transport Charity
- 1.2
- 1.2 "Prostate Cancer UK". PROSTATE

2, Charity Donations

- 2.1 £5.00 of all entry fees received will go to the charity. The rest of the entry fee will go towards the refreshment and Greens fees for guests.)
- 2.2 All proceeds from any donations at the halfway house, all putting competition monies, and Raffle monies received will go 100% to the chosen charities.
- 2.3 Any monies collected on the day will be split 50/50 with the Chosen Charities.

3, Rules of Golf.

All Styrrup Hall Golf Club competitions shall be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf, as approved by the R&A. Including Local Rules and Terms of Competition of Styrrup Hall Golf Club.

4. Format.

This competition is an individual Stableford.

All putts are to be holed.

5. Eligibility.

- a), Players must be at least 50 years of age on the day of the competition to compete.
- b), Players of all genders are eligible for this competition if the age requirement is met.
- c), All players must be of amateur status as defined by The Rules of Amateur Status defined by "England Golf" (EG).
- d), All players who wish to enter this Competition must be in possession of a current WHS Handicap Index. It is the player's responsibility to ensure that their WHS handicap index is correct. Styrrup Hall Golf Club shall take no responsibility for any out-of-date handicap used. Any player not in possession of a valid WHS handicap may still compete but will not be eligible to win any golf related prize. Visitors are required to pay a green fee of £15.00

6. Disability.

The modified rules of golf for players with disabilities apply if they fall under one of the following four categories of disability.

- i) Players who are blind (which includes certain levels of vision impairment).
- ii) Players who are amputees, (which means both those with limb deficiencies and those who have lost a limb).
- iii) Players who use assistive mobility devices, and
- iv) Players with intellectual disabilities.

Rule 25 of the Rules of Golf now incorporate these categories of disability and applies to all competitions, including all forms of play. It is a player's category of disability and eligibility that determine whether they can use the specific modified rules in Rule 25.

The full details on disabilities are detailed in "A Modification of the Rules of Golf for Golfers with Disabilities" Effective Jan 2016. Published by the R&A.

7, Maximum Playing Handicaps Permitted and Handicap Allowance.

- a), For this competition there shall be no maximum playing handicap.
- b), In this competition players will play off 95% of their full WHS handicap with the Styrrup slope applied off the appropriate tee box.

8. Entry Fee.

The entry fee for this competition will be £15.00. for members and £30 for visitors (which includes a £15.00 Green fee). All monies will go towards the prize fund, food and the charities. At least £5.00 of the entry fee will go to the charities.

9. TEEs.

The Tees for this competition will be Yellow for Men and Red for Ladies.

10, Nearest The pins, nearest the line etc.

Prizes will be awarded for nearest the pins on all the par threes, and nearest the line on the 3rd hole. The winner of the Nearest the line competition will receive the Graham Nightingale Shield.

11. Returning Score Card.

- a), Following the completion of the round players must promptly return their score cards to the "scorers area" which will be defined at registration.
- b), A player's score card is deemed officially returned to Styrrup Hall Golf Club when they have handed over their card and entered their score in the competition computer.
- c), Players are responsible for ensuring the accuracy of their hole scores, signing of the scorecard, and promptly returning the scorecard to the "scorers area."

12, Withdrawals.

- a), A player will forfeit their entry fee if they withdraw after having registered.
- b), Fails to appear on the tee at their appointed start time.

13. Prohibited Substances.

Any player who is found guilty of possessing, administering, or using any substance or method on the World Anti- Doping Agency (WADA) prohibited list, will be subjected to disciplinary procedures in line with EG anti-doping policy. The full list of prohibited drugs is available from UK Sport (http://www.uksport.gov.uk/).

14. Caddies.

There are no restrictions on the use of caddies. except: if stated in the Terms of Competition for a specific competition.

15. Result of a Competition Closed.

The result of the competition is deemed officially declared and the competition is closed when the results are announced.

16. Decision of Ties.

Any tied results after 18 holes shall be decided on the last 9, 6, 3 or 1 holes. If any of these permutations fails to achieve a result then the lowest front 6 (holes 4 to 9), front 3 holes 7 to 9 or 1 holes (hole 9) shall be considered. If a tie still cannot be resolved the result will be a tie.

17. Bad Weather.

- a). If, in the opinion of Styrrup Hall Golf Club, it becomes impossible to complete a Competition because of adverse weather or other circumstances, Styrrup Hall Golf Club may vary the terms to the extent necessary to achieve a result within the time available.
- b), If more than 50% of the field have completed their round a result can be declared with those not completing the round receiving a refund of their entry fee.

18. Prizes.

- a). All Prizes shall be determined and distributed by Styrrup Hall Golf Club.
- b). All prizes (other than nearest the pin, nearest the line and putting competition) shall be in the form of **Golf Club 4 Ball vouchers**, redeemable at the appropriate club. Other Prizes shall be at the discretion of the Styrrup Hall Seniors Charity Day organizer.

19. Entry: Method and Fees.

The entry fee for this event is £15.00 For Members and £30.00 For Non-Members. There will be a putting Competition which will be £1.00 per go. (As many attempts as you like).

All events will have a minimum number of entries policy. If the minimum number of competitors does not reach the number required, then Styrrup Hall Golf Club reserve the right to amend the competition if required and in some cases cancel the competition. The minimum entry for this competition shall be 40.

a) Entries should be made via the entry sheet attached to the Styrrup Hall Golf Club Seniors notice board. To enter, a competitor must possess a WHS Member ID number except as stated in clause 5d.

b) All entries shall be subject to approval of Styrrup Hall Golf Club, which reserves the right to accept, refuse, or cancel an entry without giving reason for its decision. The decision of Styrrup Hall Golf Club shall be final. In such cases, any entry fee will be refunded.

20. Transportation.

a), Players must not ride on any form of transportation during a stipulated round unless authorised by Styrrup Hall Golf Club. Any use of ride on buggies shall comply with Styrrup Hall's ride on buggies policy.

Note: See also England Golf's Transportation Policy which includes provisions for people with disabilities.

b), Any private means of transportation must hold the correct insurance for use within the Styrrup Hall Golf Club boundaries.

21. Dress Code.

Both on and off the course players must wear standard golf apparel and adhere to the Styrrup Hall Golf Club specific requirements. Failure to do may result in the competitor being withdrawn. Details of the dress code appear on the club website https://styrruphall.co.uk/dress-code-and-etiquette and the club notice board.

22. Liability.

Styrrup Hall Golf Club cannot be held responsible for the loss of or damage to, equipment or personal possessions.

23. Photography Consent.

By entering a Styrrup Hall Golf Club event all players are consenting to being filmed or recorded (images and sound) by or on behalf of Styrrup Hall Golf Club, or another authorised third party, and consent to these images (or likenesses) being used in any film, recording, photograph, or other footage ("recording") in the promotion of Styrrup Hall Golf Club activities. Players acknowledge that no payment or compensation for use of their image or likeness shall be payable to them.

If you object to any photography being taken of yourself, please contact Styrrup Hall Golf Club.