

CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

Rules Briefing on Monday at 6.30 -7.00 pm in the Marine Hotel's Portland Suite:

- Players must attend the R & A's rules briefing by Tony Hill and David Bird

Tournament Format:

- 54 hole stroke play (scratch), 18 holes per day
- Tees: Boys = Blue; Girls = Red
- Prizes will be awarded as follows:
 - The Trophy to the player (boy or girl) returning the lowest scratch score after 54 holes
 - The Boys and Girls returning the best and second best scores over 54 holes
 - The Boy and Girl returning the lowest 18 hole score during the tournament
- In the event of a tie between two or more players after 54 holes, then "sudden death" will be played over holes 10, 11 and 18 until the overall winner is decided
- In the event of a tie for second place, then prizes will be awarded on a count back system over the last 18 holes
- In all matters, the Tournament Committee's decision is final

Practice Round:

- Monday only
- Start times from 7.30 am in groups of 4 at 10 minute intervals – see attachment
- Players must not have more than one ball in play, except if a player misses the green with his/her shot to the green, then he/she may play one additional shot

Tournament Rounds:

- 1st Round draw will be distributed at Sunday's dinner and on the website from Monday 10 am
- 2nd & Final Round start times will be posted after 6 pm in the hotel reception and on the website

Caddies are not permitted

Trolleys will be provided free of charge for all players

Distance Measuring Devices are not permitted on Tournament days. Penalty for breach: disqualification

Starting - players should report to the Starter on the 1st tee 10 minutes prior to their start time

R & A Hard Card will be distributed by the Starter on the 1st tee before the Practice Round

Local Rules will be distributed by the Starter on the 1st tee each day

Scorecards will be distributed by the Starter on the 1st tee each day

Pin Positions will be distributed by the Starter on the 1st tee each day

Pace of Play Policy is in accordance with the R & A's Hard Card

Course Layout map – supplied in this Welcome Pack

Course Guide/Yardage book – supplied in this Welcome Pack

Scores:

- An official scorer will ask for 9 hole scores after the 9th hole each day
- During the final round scores will be collected after each hole from the 13th onwards
- A scoreboard will be located at the 14th tee on Thursday only
- Handheld scoreboards will accompany the last 5 pairings on Thursday only

Score Recording:

- Players are advised strongly to mark their cards after every hole
- The Official Score Recorder will be located in the Tournament Office
- A player's card is deemed officially returned when he/she has left the Score Recording Office