



### 3. SOCIAL COMPETITIONS

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The same rules will apply to Individual Mens, Individual Ladies, Doubles Mens (Four Ball), Doubles Senior Mens (Four Ball) and Doubles Mixed (Foursome) Match-play competitions held in the Club.

**Location:** A choice between North and South Courses. If the participants do not agree on which course the competition is to be played at, it will be played on the South Course by default. If one of the two courses is closed, the competition will be played on the other one.

**Dates:** Between October and March.

**Participants:**

All amateur club members over the age of 18 are allowed to participate.

**Categories:**

One category for each of the above types of event.

**Registration:**

A sign-up sheet, which will include information about the last day for registering, will be posted on the competition bulletin board sufficiently ahead of time.

**Registration Fee:**

A registration fee of 5€ per player (10€ per Pair) must be paid before the first match is played.

**Play Format:**

Will be played over 18 holes in Match-play Handicap format.

**Handicap Points:**

- The maximum handicap difference between the opponents is 18. (If it is higher, only an 18 point difference is to be applied).
- For individual events, the difference between adjusted handicaps is applied.
- For doubles events in Four Ball format, the player with the lowest handicap will play Scratch and the other three players will receive 75% of the difference between the adjusted play handicaps (rounded up).
- For mixed events (Foursome format) the team with the highest adjusted handicap sum will receive 50% of the difference (rounded up) between the sums of the handicaps of both teams.

**Starting times:**

- The first player to register in the in each match must contact their opponent to set the date and time for their match. If the opponent misses their 3 chances to make the match happen, the other player is considered the winner of the match and will automatically move on to the next round.
- If the second player is not contacted by the first player within the period of time for a given round, the second player is deemed the winner without having to play the match.
- Alternatively, the Committee may establish a date and time limit for the match, so that if the players do not establish contact and come up with a date and time, they will need to play at the date and time established by the Committee. If a match is played before this date and time, the players are responsible for informing the committee of the results, otherwise the match will go down as not having been played and both players will be disqualified.

If the Committee announces date and time limits, the second system will be applied by default.

**Match Chart:**

The match chart will be drawn up by raffle.

**Tie-breakers:**

All tie-breakers will be resolved immediately following the end of the match. Players must continue to hole 1 and play consecutive holes until one of the players wins a hole. Handicap points will be awarded as in the normal round.

**Prizes:** A voucher plus a gift for the winners each of the categories (depending on the amount of money collected from the registration fees).

**Financial Liquidation:**

Unless otherwise specified, any money left over from the competition will be used towards paying deficits from other competitions of equal or similar nature. If there continues to be a surplus, the funds will be donated to the Golf School.