

## CLUB COMPETITION RULES

Do not enter any Club Competitions if you are unavailable for Finals Weekend

At a meeting prior to the start of the season, the Committee will set the closing dates for each round of the competitions

The first name or team in each match will be determined as the challenger(s)

1. Matches are to be arranged by offering two dates, within seven days of the posting of the competition on the notice board, or the closing date of the preceding round
2. After seven days, the challenged becomes the challenger and should then arrange the game within seven days
3. In the event of sickness, green closure, foul weather or a game being abandoned, a short extension not exceeding seven days may be permitted at the sole discretion of the Competition Secretary, provided the date for the match is published
4. One substitute is permitted per team, provided that they have been approved by the Competition Secretary, and that they have not played already in the relevant competition that season
5. Any substitute who substitutes in the first game of the competition becomes the original member of that team
6. Anyone who, through no fault of their own, does not play in their original team may play in another team in that competition
7. It is the responsibility of the Challenger to provide a marker in all games of Singles. Failure to do so will result in the game being awarded to the opponent
8. Scorecards are to be signed by both players in Singles and by the losing skip in team games.
9. All 4 Wood handicap games will be scored from the 'net' handicap of both opponents. For example, handicaps of 6 and 4 have a difference of 2. Therefore only 2 will be added to the score at the start of the match

In the Open 2 Wood Singles Competition, the handicap difference is halved, and then rounded up, if necessary

For example, handicaps of 5 and 0 have a difference of 5. This is then halved, but rounded up to 3, which is added to the score at the start of the match

Failure to comply with Rules 1 – 9 inclusive will result in both Teams being scratched from the competition

The Married Pairs competition is open to members' partners, with green fees payable by the non-member partner as a visitor

All Competition fees must be paid to the Competition Secretary prior to the draw

Anyone who enters a Club Championship with any other club is not permitted to enter the Cove Club Championship Competition

Club Championships	21 Shots
Four Wood Singles Competitions	21 Shots
Two Wood Singles Competitions	21 Ends
Four Wood Pairs Competitions	21 Ends
Two Wood Pairs Competitions	21 Ends

Dress for Competitions is Greys

Dress for Finals Weekend is Whites