

ASHCOTT CUP

Conditions of Competition 2019

1. Format:

The competition to be divided into Central and Southern Zones of Hawkes Bay

Teams to consist of **8 players** from Clubs in Central and Southern Zones

All matches in the competition will be one round (18 holes) **singles match play on handicap.**

Players in each team must play in handicap order.

2. Players:

Players with a **handicap index from 0 - 40.4** may be selected for teams.

Saturday players may be selected for teams.

A player belonging to more than one Club must nominate which club she will represent prior to commencement of the competition.

3. Convening Committee:

The Convening Committee will consist of the GHB&PBW Association Women's President and members of the GHB&PBW Women's Committee from Southern and Central Zones.

4. Dates / Venues:

Clubs are to arrange suitable dates amongst themselves on which to play matches.

The host clubs are responsible for organising:

- Tee times NB: 2 tee start required
- Starters
- The day's draw*
- Gathering the results and sending to Golf HB & PBW

*The side that has the honour at the first teeing ground is determined by the order of the draw.

5. Results:

- a. Individual Game Scoring: win = 1 point; half = ½ point*; loss = 0 point.

*Games finishing all square after 18 holes shall be deemed halved.

- b. Team Match Scoring: The total of individual game points won. In addition, the team with the greater number of individual game points adds 2 bonus points to its total. If individual game points are equal, each team adds 1 point to its total.
- c. If a player is disqualified or defaults, the score for that game will be recorded as a 10/8 win for the opponent. In the event of a TEAM default, 10 points will be awarded to the opposing team (8 game points plus 2 bonus points).

- d. The captain of each team is responsible for entering her team names, index, and **course handicap** on the results sheets.
- e. Captains must record the result of each match on their results sheets, and must sign both their own and the opposing team's result sheet.
- f. Results are to be emailed by the captain of the team whose Club hosts the round to Golf HB &PBW at women@hbgolfassociation.co.nz
- g. FINAL: On completion of all matches, the winning team for each zone shall be determined by the number of points amassed by each team during the competition. In the event of a **tie between teams in a given zone**, a play-off will be held between the tied teams on a neutral course, as arranged by the convening committee, to determine the winning team for that zone to play in the final.

The final will be played between the winning teams of each zone on a neutral course, as arranged by the Convening Committee

In the event of a tie between the two teams, each of the winning clubs will hold the Cup for 6 months.

- h. The Convening Committee will present the Cup to the winning team immediately after the final has been played.

6. Motorised Vehicles:

During play it is prohibited for a player to ride in or on a motorised vehicle, unless on the presentation of a medical certificate at each round, the Committee has provided the player with dispensation to use such transport. The penalty is loss of hole at each hole where a breach occurs, with a maximum penalty of 2 holes per round.

A player may accept a ride from a tournament official in the interest of saving time. If a player incurs an injury during the stipulated round which would prevent her walking to finish her match the Committee would be justified in permitting the player to continue her round using motorised transport if one is available.

7. Courtesy:

It is recommended that, as a courtesy to both fellow players and to the host club, players stay on after their matches have finished until the results for the day have been announced.

8. Abandonment of Play:

The **host club** is responsible for nominating an individual to be made available to make the decision whether to abandon play, due to inclement weather or any other reason. If all matches have completed 9 holes a result will be declared, based on the state of the matches of the holes completed at the time of abandonment. If all matches have not completed 9 holes the round will be abandoned. The host Club Captain must contact the GHB&PBW Women's President to arrange another date on which to play the round.