



GOLF HAWKE'S BAY & POVERTY BAY WOMEN (INC)

CONDITIONS OF PLAY & GENERAL INFORMATION FOR WOMEN'S COMPETITIONS AND FIXTURES (UPDATED 2023)

Clubs are advised to have copies of these conditions available for your club members. The current version of these conditions will also be available on the Association's website **www.hbgolfassociation.co.nz**. All Committee members should read and become familiar with these conditions. It is recommended that these conditions be inserted in a plastic loose-leaf folder for ease of use. Please ensure your copies are kept up to date.

Please direct any queries regarding competition conditions set out in this document to a member of the GHB&PBW Women's Executive Committee.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS & VENUES 2021 - 2030

LUCY MAY

2021	Hastings (HB)
2022	Poverty Bay (PB)
2023	Hawkes Bay (Maraenui)
2024	Poverty Bay (Gisborne Park)
2025	Hawkes Bay (Napier)
2026	Poverty Bay (Poverty Bay)
2027	Hawkes Bay (Hastings)
2028	Poverty Bay (Gisborne Park)
2029	Hawkes Bay (Hawkes Bay)
2030	Poverty Bay (Poverty Bay)

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

2021	Maraenui
2022	Hastings
2023	Hawkes Bay
2024	Napier
2025	Maraenui
2026	Hastings
2027	Hawkes Bay
2028	Napier
2029	Maraenui
2030	Hastings

NATIONAL TEAMS

2021	Poverty Bay
2022	Maraenui

** Now alternates
between HB & PB*

MASTERS FUNDRAISER

** Discontinued from 2016*

INTERZONE

2021	Gisborne Park (North)
2022	Dannevirke (South)
2023	North (Gisborne Park)
2024	Central (Maraenui)
2025	North (Poverty Bay)
2026	South (Waipukurau)
2027	North (Gisborne Park)
2028	Central (Hastings)
2029	North (Poverty Bay)
2030	South (Dannevirke)

NOTES:

Lucy May & Bays Bronze – alternates between Hawkes Bay and Poverty Bay

Interzone – alternates between Hawkes Bay and Poverty Bay. Must be played on an 18 hole course. When in Hawkes Bay, alternates between Central and Southern Districts.

Champion of Champions & Gross Stableford Rosebowl – No rules re. venue rotation but must be played on a championship course. **C of C and GSR will now be held in both Poverty Bay and Hawkes Bay with the best result of GSR submitted to NZ Golf.**

National Teams District Final – A final will be played in Poverty Bay for the Northern District and in Hawkes Bay for the Central and Southern Districts. This must be played on an 18 hole course. The best net score from either Hawkes Bay or Poverty Bay will be submitted to NZ Golf.

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ABANDONMENT OF PLAY DUE TO BAD WEATHER CONDITIONS

If extremely bad weather conditions are **forecast the day before** an Association fixture the decision can be made by the Zone Representatives from Northern, Central and Southern and the Host Captain to cancel or postpone the event allowing early notification to traveling teams. If extremely bad weather conditions should cause play to be abandoned during an Association fixture, the following rules shall apply:

Lucy May and Bays Bronze - if play is abandoned during the Best Ball (if in the morning) there will be no result. If play is suspended during singles matches and all players have played at least nine holes, we can have a result, otherwise the fixture shall be declared **no contest** and abandoned for that year. Badges will be awarded to those selected and present on the day.

Interzone – if play is abandoned, all stableford points scored up to the time of abandonment will count. Badges will only be awarded if the whole field has completed 18 holes.

Champion of Champions – if play is abandoned, trophies will be awarded for 18 or 27 holes, whichever has been completed by the last players in the field. If less than 18 holes have been completed, the event is to be abandoned for that year.

Gross Stableford Rosebowl – if play is abandoned, no winners can go forward for the National event, but District prizes will be awarded if 18 or 27 holes have been completed.

Ashcott, Pennant, Crossman/GF Matches (including semis and finals). All matches to have completed at least nine holes for a result, otherwise no contest and match to be rescheduled.

THE DECISION TO ABANDON PLAY WILL BE MADE BY:

Lucy May and Bays Bronze - Zone Representatives from Northern, Central, Southern and the Host Captain

Interzone – Zone Representatives and the Host Captain. The Host Captain will have a casting vote if required.

Champion of Champions and Gross Stableford Rosebowl – The Convening Committee and the Host Captain.

Ashcott, Pennant, and Crossman / GF Matches

Preliminary rounds - the Club Captains involved, by mutual agreement.

Semis and Final – Convener of the day, Host Captain and team Captains if available.

PLAYING BY THE RULES 2019

1. Those of us who play the game of golf should all be playing by the same Rules, at whatever level we play. We all have access to the latest edition of the Rules of Golf, which we should carry in our golf bags. Some people see the Rules as a series of penalties for those who breach them, but they are also the golfer's bill of rights and there is nothing unsporting about using them to your advantage.

2. The Committee should refer to the book "Official Guide to The Rules of Golf" when setting the Terms of The Competition. These Terms are outlined in the **Official Guide to the Rules of Golf** under **Section; "Committee Procedures."** Many disputes arise because the Terms of Competition have not been spelled out in detail. These should include:

- a. The form of play
- b. Who is eligible to enter
- c. The number of players
- d. The scheduling of rounds
- e. How a tie is to be resolved
- f. Committees may in the Terms of The Competition include The Model Local Rule

H-2. Appointment of Advice Giver in Teams Competition:

"Each team may name one *advice* giver whom players on the team may ask for *advice* and receive advice during the *round*. The team must identify each advice giver to the *Committee* before any player on the team begins his or her *round*.

[The team may change its advice giver during the *round*, but must tell the *Committee* when it is doing so.]

[The advice giver must not point out a *line of play* [or walk on the *putting green*] when the ball of a team player lies on the *putting green*.]"

The Rules of Golf recommend that certain specific Rules governing stroke play are so substantially different from those governing match play that combining the two forms of play is not practicable

Section 6C "Providing Rules Assistance to Players" deals with Disputes and Decisions and other situations that occur during a Competition and should be carefully studied by the Committee.

3. Don't presume that information given to you by other players is correct – if you are not sure look it up. Rules are not hard to find quickly if you use the Contents and the Index in **Player's Edition of The Rules of Golf 2019** or the full edition **Rules of Golf 2019**.

4. The general penalties in golf are 2 strokes in stroke play and loss of hole in match play but 1 stroke penalties apply to both forms of play and you should know what they are for. Many holes and matches have been conceded because players presume the penalty is always loss of hole. These 1 stroke penalties for breaches of Rules are printed in red in The Full Rules of Golf and are as follows:

- * 4.2c Ball Becomes Cut or Cracked While Playing Hole
- * 5.6a Unreasonable Delay; Prompt Pace of Play (First Breach)
- * 7.3 Lifting Ball to Identify It
- * 9.4b Penalty for Lifting or Deliberately Touching Ball or Causing It to Move
- * 9.5b Penalty for Lifting or Deliberately Touching Ball or Causing It to Move (Full Rules)
- * 9.7b Penalty for Lifting Ball-Marker or Causing It to Move
- * 13.3a Ball Overhanging Hole (Full Rules)
- * 14.1a Spot of Ball to Be Lifted and Replaced Must Be Marked
- * 14.1b Who May Lift Ball (Full Rules)
- * 14.1c Cleaning Lifted Ball
- * 14.3b(3) Ball Must Be Dropped in Relief Area (Full Rules)
- * 15.1a Removal of Loose Impediments (Full Rules)
- * 15.1b Ball Moved When Removing Loose Impediments
- * 15.3b(2) When Relief is Allowed from Interfering Ball
- * 16.4 Lifting Ball to See If It Lies in Condition Where Relief Allowed
- * 17.1d Relief for Ball in Penalty Area
- * 17.2a When Ball Played from Penalty Area Comes to Rest in Same or Another Penalty Area
- * 18.1 Relief Under Stroke and Distance Allowed at Any Time (Full Rules)
- * 18.2b What to Do When Ball is Lost or Out Of Bounds
- * 19.2 Relief Options for Unplayable Ball in General Area or on Putting Green
- * 19.3a Relief Options for Unplayable Ball in Bunker (Full Rules)

5. **ADVICE:**

Please remember that only caddies may give advice in singles match play. Team captains may not advise team members during interclub matches such as Ashcott and Pennant matches. If you have an inexperienced player in your team see that she has an experienced caddy. Ensure players playing in single matches realize they are not permitted to give their team mate any advice, apart for information on the Rules, distance or matters of public information, such as the position of Penalty Areas, Bunkers and the flagstick on the putting green which is not advice.

6. **IMPORTANT:**

When ringing about a dispute please make sure that you have all the facts at your disposal before you ring. Speak to all players who were involved or were present at the time, and get both sides of the story. It is difficult to make the correct decision if all the relevant information is not available.

Encourage your members to do the Rules course, which is run each year by the local Golf Referees' Association. This is especially important for members of your Match Committee. We recommend that you use the Full Rules of Golf Book. Effective January 2019.

Please feel free to phone the Hawkes Bay Golf Referees Association at any time for advice or information on the Rules.

Ian McKinlay
Elizabeth Bell

NZ GOLF HOME LINKS EVENTS

Conditions for these are to be found in your NZ Golf Manual and on the NZ Golf website. Conditions and entry forms sent out to all clubs by NZ Golf each year, usually in March. Current **LGU Conditions** are also sent out at this time.

The Competitions are:

- National Clubs Teams Championship
- Nancy McCormick Memorial Foursomes
- Coronation Medal
- Aotearoa Cup
- Veterans Trophy
- Best Gross Cup
- Junior Girls - Best Gross
- Junior Girls - Best Net
- Sue Bunt Salver - 9 Hole

Completed entry forms / results for each of the above should be sent to the **Women's President** by the date as specified on the entry forms. They are then submitted to NZ Golf and the National winners are announced once all the regional results have been collated. The winners of each District currently receive a box of golf balls each from NZ Golf.

The Association provides **medals** for the district winners of the above competitions, with the exception of the Sue Bunt Salver

Elizabeth Bell March 2019

DISTRICT MEDALS AND AUDREY KELLY MEMORIAL SALVER

The Audrey Kelly Memorial Salver was presented by Mr. T and Miss J Kelly in memory of Audrey Kelly, nee Blacklock, 1911 – 1965, educated at Samuel Marsden Collegiate School (Head Prefect) and Victoria University. Golf – Judgeford 1934, Tuai and Napier Clubs. Member of GHB&PBW Association Executive 1956–65; President 1964–65

CONDITIONS

1. To be held in conjunction with a Club Medal round, between **1st May** and **30th June** each year inclusive.
2. Clubs must nominate the day set for the Competition, and players may enter on the day.
3. Competitors may play in this Competition at their **home club only**.
4. Competitors must be members of Clubs affiliated to the District Association and have an official NZ Golf New Zealand Handicap.
5. Junior competitors must be under 19 years on 1st January.
6. In the event of a tie, winner will be decided by countback.
7. Medals shall be presented as follows:
 - Best Gross Score
 - Best Junior Gross Score (under 19 years)
 - Best Net 0 – 18.4
 - Best Net 18.5 – 33.4
 - Best Net 33.5 – 40.4
 - Best Net 9 Hole

The **Audrey Kelly Memorial Salver** will be awarded to the player with the Best Net **differential** score in any Handicap Division. (i.e. plus/minus NZSCR)

8. **Copies** of the cards must be certified as correct by the Club Secretary or Handicapper and sent to the **Women's President** by **12th July**.
9. Entry forms will be sent to all clubs prior to 1 May.

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP (HUTCHINSON CUP)

Mrs. RF Hutchinson (previous cup lost) presented this Cup.

CONDITIONS

1. Annual Competition for junior women under the age of 19 years on 1st January.
2. Competitors must be members of a Club affiliated to NZ Golf and GOLF HB&PBW.
3. Only scores from courses which have an official Course Rating will be eligible.
4. Only 18 Hole **nett** scores played in conjunction with LGU Medal rounds at their Home Club in the months of **March to September inclusive**, OR 18 Hole **Nett** scores played under stipulated medal conditions in an Open Tournament at any club which is affiliated to NZ Golf will be eligible.
5. When returning score cards the date played, the venue and the competition played eg LGU or North Island Junior Championship, must be included. In some cases it may be necessary to confirm that scores were from stipulated medal rounds.
6. The Winner will be the competitor with the lowest aggregate differential from **FOUR Nett Scores** from the Official Course Ratings of each of the courses played.
7. In the event of a tie involving two or more competitors, a coaching voucher will be awarded to the competitor with the single lowest differential and if they are still tied a coaching voucher will be awarded to each player.
8. Copies of confirmed cards to be returned to the **Women's President** by **20th October**. Throughout the year cards having been verified as eligible could be posted on the website as an ongoing record of the competition.

The Association awards a coaching voucher to the winner.

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LUCY MAY & BAYS BRONZE INTERPROVINCIAL CHALLENGE

The Lucy May Cup was presented by Miss May Haisman and Mrs. Lucy Mitchell in 1971 to foster Match Play between Hawke's Bay and Poverty Bay, and if possible, any other province which the Women's Committee may consider. It was originally played twice a year but is now an annual fixture. The Bays Bronze Trophy was donated by Mrs. D Hansard in 1985, for Bronze Division players, and is played in conjunction with the Lucy May Cup.

CONDITIONS:

1. **Lucy May** – players with handicaps **0 – 22.4** eligible.
Bays Bronze – players with handicaps **22.5 – 34.4** are eligible
On the day of competition player must **play on current index**, but **stay in the team selected**.
2. Teams for both Lucy May and Bays Bronze to consist of **10 players** in each team, selected by Zone Representatives, from nominations put forward by Clubs. If a province cannot field 12 players for one or both teams, notification must be given to the opposing province **7 days prior to competition**. Any reduction in team numbers after this date will be recorded as **player defaults** for matches. If a **team** pulls out after this date, a **win by default** will be recorded for the opposing team.
3. The matches are to be played over 27 holes. (Handicap match play introduced in 1985).
Current Form: Morning competition to be Individual Match Play (18 Holes); afternoon to be combined stableford (9 Holes). (As decided at Captain's Meeting 2020.)
4. The trophies are to be played for annually, venue alternating between Hawkes Bay and Poverty Bay. There will be no countback. A draw between teams stays as a draw.
5. A silver badge will be presented to all players after they have represented either Province **four** times. No player shall be entitled to more than one badge.
6. Previous year's Interprovincial Team members (5 players and reserve) will not be eligible for selection.
7. The Association will pay a travelling allowance. Clubs may pay for accommodation and a meal allowance (at their discretion).
8. No substitutes allowed once play for the day has commenced.

Referees required

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INTERZONE

Mrs. RF Hutchinson presented the Hutchinson Rosebowl for this Competition in 1959.

CONDITIONS

1. Teams of 12 (this may have to change to 12 players per zone) players from each of the three Zones. Handicaps **0 – 32.4** only are eligible. Zone representatives to select teams.
2. Format: Aggregate Stableford points for each team, played over 27 holes.
3. A silver badge will be presented to the player from each zone with the best aggregate stableford.
4. Travel costs **between Hawkes Bay and Poverty Bay** will be covered by the Association, subject to approval. Clubs may pay for accommodation and food for their team members (at their discretion).
5. Teams are exchanged 3 days prior to tournament.
6. No substitutes allowed once play for the day has commenced.
7. The competition will alternate between Poverty Bay and Hawkes Bay for both events.
8. The GHB & PBW “Hard Card” will be used for all tournaments run by **Golf Hawkes Bay & Poverty Bay (Inc)** unless otherwise stated.

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HAWKES BAY PENNANTS

Format: A **Round Robin** competition between Hawke's Bay clubs situated in the **Central and Southern Zones**. Clubs may enter more than one team:

A Team consists of 8 players Handicap index 0-40.4

All matches in the competition will be one round (18 holes) **match play on handicap**. In addition, teams will play handicap four-ball match play in conjunction with the singles match play. Handicap Strokes are given/taken on the stroke holes according to the handicap difference between the players and the lowest net score wins the hole. Players in each team must play in handicap order, e.g. Player A has a course handicap of 26, Player B has a handicap of 30 so player B gets one shot on the first four stroke holes.

Participating Teams: All Hawkes Bay Clubs within the Central and Southern Zones may field a team. If a club has insufficient numbers of players to make up a team but there are players in the index range who wish to participate, they may be selected for the Combined teams.

Club Captains must confirm the number of teams they will enter for each division to GHB&PBW Association Women's President by **30 November**.

Players: Substitutes from the same club are permitted if numbers cannot be made up from a team's reserves. Team captains will be responsible for finalising their teams for each round.

Saturday players may also be selected for teams, but week-day players should take preference.

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

In the event that a player's index changes to the extent that it is no longer within the range for her team, it is up to her team captain and/or club selector to decide whether to allow her to continue to play for that team or to replace her.

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.

Dates / Venues: Matches will be played on dates between **March and August** as stated in the Draws.

The host clubs may or may not play, depending on the Draw. The host clubs are responsible for organising:

- a. Tee times NB: 2 tee start required, using tees 1 and 10
- b. Starters
- c. Gathering the results and sending to Andrew Jones **by email:** info@hbgolfassociation.co.nz **or photo** as per details on results sheets.

Results: Game Scoring: win = 2 points; half = 1 point*; loss = 0 point.

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

This applies to both the singles and four ball matches.

If a player is disqualified or defaults, the score will be recorded as a 10/8 win for the opponent. In the event of a TEAM default, 2 points will be awarded to the opposing team.

- a. The captain of each team is responsible for entering her team names, index, and course handicap on the results sheets.
- b. The side that has the honour at the first teeing ground is determined by the order of the draw.
- c. Captains must record the result of each match on their own results sheets, and must sign both their own and the opposing team's result sheet.
- d. On completion of the competition, the winning team of each division shall be determined by the number of points amassed by each team during the competition. In the event of a tie between teams, the winning team will be the tied team with the most individual game points. If a tie remains, the winning teams will hold the cup for 6 months each.
- e. The Convening Committee will present the Cups to the winning team immediately after the last round has been played.

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

Abandonment of Play: If extremely bad weather conditions are **forecast the day before** the fixture the decision can be made by the Zone Representatives and the Host Captain to cancel or postpone the event allowing early notification to travelling teams.

(Rule 5.7) The host club is responsible for nominating an individual (e.g. Club Captain) to be made available to make the decision whether to abandon play, due to inclement weather or any other reason **on the day**. 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 Association Women's President to arrange another date on which to play the round.

The GHB&PBW "Hard Card" will be used for all tournaments run by the **Golf Hawkes Bay and Poverty Bay (Inc)** unless otherwise stated.

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NORTHERN ZONE PENNANTS

CONDITIONS

1. Every participating club will hold a pennant each year and combine it where possible with an Open to help boost club finances. If unable to host it will become a non counter (see(3).
2. Each club must have four women from their own club at the start of the season but may borrow from another club as before during the season.
3. Each club will drop two of their placing scores before the final. (with 7 clubs at the present moment that will mean your four best placings will go to the finals day)
4. All clubs must attend finals day to be eligible to win.
5. If there should be a tie, the teams concerned shall be allocated equal points. The Association provides a Pennant for the overall winner and engraves the Shield at the end of each season.
6. At the conclusion of the year's competition a copy of results is to be sent to all competing Clubs.
7. In the event of bad weather the decision to cancel the competition is to be made by the Captain of the Host Club.
8. If weather causes play to be shortened a Pennant shall not be awarded unless 9 holes have been completed by all players
9. All competing Clubs are to supply the hosting club with the names of their team players **two days prior** to the competition day.
10. Where a Club Captain has appointed someone to be in charge of their Pennants Team, this person will take on the duties of the Captain.
11. Maximum handicap (on whichever Course the Pennant is played) is 36. A player with a handicap more than 36 may play, but will be required to play off 36. If a club is unable to field enough players, the host club should be asked to find a substitute player(s). If the host club is unable to find a substitute, other clubs may be asked. NB: A substitute player cannot be a Pennant player for any other team for the current season.
12. Each Club must have 4 players available at the beginning of each season. "Clubs must have a minimum of two players from their Club at each Pennant. Any player can only play for their own Club and ONE other club during the season."

NOTES:

Host Women's Club Captain's Duties:

The women's club captain will be responsible for the organizing and the running of the competition on the day. The captain is also required to:

- Notify all Club Captains of any cancellation of the game
- Record the results of the day on the Pennant Result Sheet and supply them to the next hosting club
- Inform the Zone Rep of the results of the day
- Publication of all the results in the Gisborne Herald.
- Provide 4 balls for the winning team and a ball to the top scorer of each team. Host Club is also responsible for any 2's. NB: Each club provides the host club with \$10 to cover the costs of these balls or club costs.

Northern Zone Reps' Duties:

- Do up and supply the Captains with the draw format

- Supply a result sheet
- Record results that are supplied to them by the host Club
- Attend and present the flag to the winner at the final pennant.

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9 HOLE PENNANTS

FORMAT

1. Teams will be **4 players**. Clubs may enter 1 or 2 teams.

2. The competition will be handicap **match play** over 9 holes.
3. Teams will be named in strict handicap index order, with player on the lowest handicap playing first.
4. Handicap Index range: **0- 54.0** Team sheet on day must be **current** for handicap indexes of players. Proof of handicap index must be available if requested.

SCORING

1. **Two points** will be awarded for **winning** team and **one point** awarded for a draw.
2. Team points will aggregate over the whole season and will be posted online once results sent to Association after each round.
3. Team defaults – Opposition team receives **2 points**.
4. Individual player defaults – Opposition player wins.

TIES

On completion of the competition, the winning team shall be determined by the number of **points** amassed during the competition. In the event of a tie between teams, the winners will be the team with the most individual **game points**. If a tie still remains, the cup will be shared.

CONDITIONS

1. Byes will occur if an uneven number of teams are entered. Clubs to confirm team numbers to GHBPB Women President by 30 November.
2. All players must be registered and affiliated as 9 hole golfers & hold a current handicap.
3. Motorized carts may be used.
4. In the event of a postponement, contact your convenor/pennant captain who will then contact the host club captain. She will then notify all clubs. NB all club's will have registered these contacts with Association President who compiles this information and circulates the whole District at the beginning of the season.

HOST CLUBS

Responsible for organizing: Tee times and a starter.

Results, photocopies for team captains and sending team sheets through to Andrew Jones, **by email** info@hbgolfassociation.co.nz **or photo** as per details on the results sheet **by 5pm** the following day.

The GHB& PBW “Hard Card” will be used for all tournaments run by the Golf Hawkes Bay & Poverty Bay (Inc) unless otherwise stated.

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ASHCOTT CUP

The Ashcott Cup was presented in 1949 by Mrs. A'dean Tollemache of Ashcott, Takapau.

Conditions of Competition 2023

1. Format:

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

Teams to consist of **6 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 Andrew Jones **by email:** info@hbgolfassociation.co.nz **or photo** as per details on the results sheet.

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

5. Results:

a. Team Game Scoring: win = 2 points; half = 1 point*; loss = 0 point.

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

b. 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, 2 points will be awarded to the opposing team.

c. The captain of each team is responsible for entering her team names, index, and **course handicap** on the results sheets.

d. Captains must record the result of each match on their own results sheets, and must sign both their own and the opposing team's result sheet.

e. Results are to be sent by the captain of the team whose Club hosts the round to Golf HB &PBW **be email or photo** as per details on the results sheet.

f. 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 by the 1st December.

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

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

6. 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.

7. Abandonment of Play

If extremely bad weather is **forecast the day before** the fixture the decision can be made by the Zone Representatives and the Host Captain to cancel or postpone the event allowing early notification to travelling teams.

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, **on the day**. 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.

8. The GHB&PBW "Hard Card" will be used for all tournaments run by the **Golf Hawkes Bay and Poverty Bay (Inc)** unless otherwise stated.

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CROSSMAN CUP & GOLF FANATICS TROPHY

1. Competing teams will be from Hastings, Hawkes Bay, Maraenui, Napier and Combined teams. The Combined teams shall comprise players from the smaller clubs in Hawkes Bay, being: Onga Onga, Porangahau, Waipawa, Waipukurau, Dannevirke, Cape Turnagain, Karamu, Puketiritiri, and Te Pohue.

2. A team will consist of the 8 lowest handicapped players available on the day.
3. Weekend players must be selected if available, but weekday players are permitted as a last resort, rather than default matches.

4. **Crossman Cup**

- a. Each team plays a match of **singles handicap match play**, over 18 holes, against each of the other teams, in conjunction with a match of four-ball handicap match play (for The Golf Fanatics Trophy.)
- b. Teams shall play in handicap order with the lowest handicapped player playing at number 1. Two players from each team will play in each group. Two starting tees to be used.
- c. An individual win counts one game point to the team and a game finishing tied counts half a game point to the team.
- d. Two team points awarded for a team win and one team point for a team draw.
- e. The winning team is the team with the most team points. In the event of a tie the winning team will be the tied team with the most individual game points. If a tie remains the winning team will be determined per the method set out in note 1 below.
- f. If a player is disqualified or defaults, the score will be recorded as 1 game point for the opponent, with 10 holes won. In the event of a TEAM default, 2 points shall be awarded to the opposing team and an 8-0 win recorded.

5. **Golf Fanatics Trophy**

- a. Each team plays a match of **four-ball handicap match play** over 18 holes, in conjunction with the singles matches of the Crossman Cup.
- b. Each four-ball win counts one game point to the team and a game finishing tied counts half a game point to the team.
- c. Two team points awarded for a team win and one team point for a team draw.
- d. If both players in a pair are disqualified or default, the score will be recorded as 1 game point for the opposing pair, with 10 holes won. In the event of a TEAM default, 2 points shall be awarded to the opposing team and a 4-0 win recorded. If one of the players in a pair is disqualified or defaults, the remaining player may alone (continue to) play the opposing pair.
- e. The winning team is the team with the most team points. In the event of a tie the winning team will be the tied team with the most four-ball game points. If a tie remains the winning team will be determined as set out in Notes below.
- f. If a player is disqualified or defaults, the score will be recorded as 1 game point for the opponent, with 10 holes won. In the event of a team default, 2 points shall be awarded to the opposing team and a 8-0 win recorded.

6. **Results:** Both captains to sign result sheets. Results are to be emailed by the captain of the team whose Club hosts the round to Andrew Jones **by email:** info@hbgolfassociation.co.nz **or photo** as per the details on the results sheet.

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:** If extremely bad weather is **forecast the day before** the fixture the decision can be made by the Host Club's representative to cancel or postpone the event allowing early notification to travelling teams.

It is the host club's responsibility to nominate an individual (not playing in the competition) to be available to make the decision whether to abandon play, due to rain or any other reason, **on the day**. 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.

9. 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.

10. A meeting of the Captains of participating teams and members of the Convening Committee will be held following the final fixture of the competitions, when the Captains may suggest changes to these Conditions which they think would be beneficial to the competitions.

11. A club that wishes to join, re-join or withdraw from the competitions must inform the Convening Committee by **31 October** prior to the year they wish to change, so that the draw for that year can encompass any such changes.

Date of Adoption:

12 June 2016

12. The GHB & PBW "Hard Card" will be used for all tournaments run by the **Golf Hawkes Bay & Poverty Bay (Inc)** unless otherwise stated.

NOTES:

In the event of individual games won being equal, the method set out in the Men's Interprovincial Conditions will be used to determine the winning team, as follows:

"The aggregate of holes won at the conclusion of each team's winning games, less the aggregate of holes in arrears at the conclusion of each team's losing games will be calculated. The team with the larger / largest number is the winner"

Example:

Team A	Team B	
W 6/4	L 6/4	
W 2/1	L 2/1	
L 4/3		W 4/3
L 2/0		W 2/0
8-3 = 5	6-5 = 1	

Winner: Team A, 5 to 1

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CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS & GROSS STABLEFORD ROSEBOWL

Section 1

Present Club Champions of Golf HB&PBW affiliated clubs. Cup presented by Mrs. GL Stubbs, 1957.

36-Hole Gross Aggregate winner receives Champion of Champions Cup plus Golf HB&PBW Medal and prize.

36-Hole Gross Runner-up Aggregate prize.

Section 2

Present Intermediate Champion of Golf HB&PBW affiliated clubs. Salver presented by Poverty Bay Golf Club, 1968.

36-Hole Gross Aggregate winner receives Poverty Bay Salver plus Golf HB&PBW Medal and prize.
36-Hole Gross Runner-up Aggregate prize.

Section 3

Present Junior Champion of Golf HB&PBW affiliated clubs. Salver presented by Mrs. J Jensen, 1973.

18-Hole Gross Aggregate winner receives Jensen Salver plus Golf HB&PBW Medal and prize.
18-Hole Gross Runner-up Aggregate prize.

Section 4

Past Senior, Intermediate and Junior Champions of Golf HB&PBW affiliated clubs. There must be a minimum of eight (8) entries for this section.

18-Hole Stableford winner; Stableford runner-up.

Section 5

9-Hole Present Champion of Golf HB&PBW affiliated clubs.
9-Hole Gross winner receives Golf HB&PBW Medal and prize.

In the event of a tie of gross scores in Section 1, 2 and 3, the trophy to be held jointly. All other results to be decided on a countback. No entrance fee is payable, no player may enter more than ONE Section.

GROSS STABLEFORD ROSEBOWL

The Gross Stableford Rosebowl district final is played in conjunction with the Champion of Champions tournament. This is a team competition over 36 holes comprising the Silver (Senior) and Bronze (Intermediate) Champions, and the Bronze runner-up. A club team's score is the aggregate of the 3 team members' individual 36 hole gross Stableford scores. The scores of the winning team are forward to NZ Golf for determination of a national winner. 2018 will see the trial of holding two GSR – one in Poverty Bay and one in Hawkes Bay. The winning team scores will be forwarded to NZ Golf.

Entry forms and current conditions are sent out by NZ Golf towards the end of each season and forwarded to clubs along with the Champion of Champions entry form.

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INTERPROVINCIAL FIXTURES

NZ WOMEN'S INTERPROVINCIAL

NZ Golf Event, Played in **December**. Teams of 5 with a travelling reserve and a non-travelling reserve named from all Districts. Teams selected by Women's team Selector.

Team Match-play played in 2 pools of 7 teams. Pools decided by previous year's placings.

At the end of pool play the winner of each pool plays 2nd from the other – then winners play for the Cup.

All other teams play off for placings – 3rd vs 3rd, 4th vs 4th etc.

GIRLS' JUNIOR INTERPROVINCIAL

Introduced in 2011, controlled by Bay of Plenty Golf Association. Venue currently Rotorua Golf Club. Played in **October**.

Teams of 6 girls under the age of 21 on the first day of the tournament, selected by the junior girls' team selector.

Played over 5 days. 3 rounds of match play in pools, followed by post pool matches and finals. The 3 lowest handicapped players play off the stick, others on handicap.

NZ WOMEN'S MASTERS

NZ Golf event, played in **April**. Teams of 4 with a non-travelling reserve selected from a series of trials, format to be determined annually by the Women's Association Executive and women's team selector.

4 rounds of gross Stableford over 3 days, with the best 3 scores in each round contributing to the team's score.

Players must be 40 years of age or over, on the last day of the Masters Tournament.

Players may play in both the Masters and the Inter-Provincial team in the same calendar year.

JUDY PEARSON SALVER

This Salver was presented by Judy Pearson (HBPBLGDA LGU delegate for many years) in 1984 for an annual fixture between Hawkes Bay/Poverty Bay and Manawatu/Wanganui.

Played in early **September**. Venue rotates between the 2 districts.

Each team consists of 8 players and a reserve. Teams selected by Women's team Selector.

2 rounds of match play. In the morning 1 vs 2, 3 vs 4 etc. In the afternoon 1 v 1 and 2 v 2 etc.

SYBIL GREEN SALVER

This was presented by Sybil Green from Wanganui in 1985. The inaugural tournament was held at Belmont in that year.

Annual quadrangular match-play tournament played between Hawkes Bay/Poverty Bay, Manawatu/Wanganui, Taranaki and Wellington, held in **October**. Venue rotates between the 4 districts. Played in conjunction with the Men's Shand Cup and Salver.

Team consists of 8 players and a reserve. Teams selected by Women's team Selector.

2 rounds on Saturday and 1 round on Sunday.

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