

2011 WINTER KNOCKOUT - DOUBLES

Changes to 2010 rules are shown in blue. Please note that all competitors have plenty of time to play each round as long as they contact their opponents as soon as they are known. The Committee this year will only accept extreme exceptional circumstances to grant any extension. This is not negotiable.

- Both pairs are now responsible for contacting each other as soon as possible and ensuring the match is played before the end date of the round.
- A minimum of 3 dates must be offered by each pair – 2 weekend dates and at least 1 weekday date. All dates offered must be within the relevant dates for the round concerned i.e on or between the start date and end date of that round. Public/ Bank Holidays are regarded as weekend dates.
- If both pairs agree, the match may be played before the start date of the particular round.
- If both pairs cannot agree a date between them and the match has not been played by the end date, both pairs are eliminated.
- **Cancellation of a pre-arranged match** Failing a genuine attempt by both parties to rearrange the match, the pair who did not cancel goes through.
- **Extensions to the 'play-by' date** No-one will be allowed an extension to the 'play-by' dates, unless there are extremely exceptional circumstances which are referred to the Competitions Committee as soon as those circumstances arise and NOT when the 'play-by' date is about to arrive! **Examples are shown below**

Exceptional

Course closed for match/extended period bereavement, serious illness.

Not accepted

Holidays, work commitments, weather, **relatives staying, cold/flu, only able to play on weekend/weekday.**

- **Five-day members** may play in this competition, if a match is played at weekends, they must pay the appropriate green-fee.
- **Competition format** – the format is Match Play; men play the Yellow Course and ladies the Red Course.
- **Stroke allowance** – the lowest handicap player concedes strokes to the other 3 players based on $\frac{3}{4}$ of the difference between the full handicaps as recommended by the CONGU Unified Handicapping System 2008-11 (Appendix F). **HANDICAPS MUST BE ACTIVE.**
Ladies +2 adjustment shots (to be added before the $\frac{3}{4}$'s calculated)

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DOUBLES ENTRY FORM

Closing date for entries 14th September 2011

PLAYER 1

PLAYER 2

NAME

TEL NO.

EMAIL ADDRESS

On behalf of the above pair I confirm that I have read the rules of the competition and agree to them.

SIGNED

DATE

FEE ENCLOSED (£10.00)