

# THE RULES OF THE MONDAY CLUB (2021)

## 1. General Rules

- 1.1 Members of The Monday Club must be a member of the Cheshunt Golf Club and be of 55 years or over.
- 1.2 Competitions will be held on Mondays and Thursdays. (If a Monday is a Bank Holiday then it will be Tuesday). The start and finish of a competition year will be determined by the organiser.
- 1.3 On joining the Monday Club the member will be allocated a handicap of two less than their official club handicap.
- 1.4 Competitions are to be played according to the Rules of Golf. All Score cards must be completed, signed and submitted. If a round is not completed it must be still submitted.
- 1.5 Competitions format is stableford and are to be played off the yellow tees.
- 1.6 The Monday Club competitions comprises of
  1. The Monday / Thursday "Swindle"
  2. The Ray Brown Memorial - Order of Merit
  3. The Eclectic Competition.

## **2 THE MONDAY/THURSDAY "SWINDLE"**

- 2.1 To play in this competition, members must pay £3 per competition if they wish to play for the prizes. Members are not obliged to enter but should make it known if they are not taking part before they commence playing. The distribution of the prizes shall be in accordance with the agreed schedule.
- 2.2 The handicaps shall be adjusted as follows:-

The winner and runner up on Mondays and Thursdays will be cut 2 and 1 shot respectively.

Further, any player who has scored 40 points or more shall be cut an additional 1 shot.

Adjustment of handicap are as follows:-

No adjustment to handicaps if 30 or less points are scored.

If 9 or less players participated there will be no adjustment to handicaps.

If 10,11 or 12 players participated the winner only will be cut one shot.

The changes are to be made with immediate effect after a competition

When a player has played 3 consecutive weeks (not rounds) without winning, 1 shot will be added.

- 2.3 All players with Monday Club handicaps will return to their club handicaps on the 1<sup>st</sup> May each year.
- 2.4 In the event of an interclub match (on a Monday or Thursday) and a Seniors competition in the same week then the Monday Club, (and handicaps), is suspended for that week.
- 2.5 Handicaps can be exceeded up to a limit of 12 above the Official Club handicap.

### **3. THE RAY BROWN MEMORIAL - ORDER OF MERIT**

- 3.1 This competition is based on the results/handicaps of the Monday Club "swindle" competition (see para 2) played on Mondays.
- 3.2 A players Thursday score can be taken into account if they did not play on Monday.
- 3.3 There is a £5 fee to enter this competition and that should be paid to the Organiser before the start of the competition. The prizes will be determined by the Organiser in conjunction with the Treasurer.
- 3.4 The competition will start after the winter when the buggies are allowed on the course.
- 3.5 Points for the overall placing's for the week are awarded as follows: - 1<sup>st</sup> 4pts, 2<sup>nd</sup> 3pts, 3<sup>rd</sup> 2pt, 4<sup>th</sup> 1pt any ties will get equal points.
- 3.6 A minimum of 12 competitor's scores will be required for points to be awarded for the week.

### **4. The Eclectic Competition**

- 4.1 This competition will take place on Mondays and Thursdays between 1<sup>st</sup> December and 31<sup>st</sup> March. The handicap for this competition will be half the players official Club handicap. The handicaps will be as at the 30<sup>th</sup> November.  
The first 18 cards only will count. Note:- Non Return Cards will count.
- 4.2 There will be two divisions:-  
The second division starts at a point that divides the players into approximately two even groups. That point will be reviewed and applied prior to the start of the competition each year.

**NEAREST TO THE PIN PRIZE**

There is to be a £5 prize for nearest to the pin on both the 7<sup>th</sup> and 17th hole.

**HOLE IN ONE INSURANCE**

Senior Section competition rules refers.

These rules will apply as from 5th November 2019 and can only be changed at an AGM or if its in the Club`s interest to do so, at a meeting of the members called by the Captain.

5<sup>th</sup> November 2019