

## The Station Masters GC

### CLUB COMPETITION PROCEDURES AND RULES 2021

- 1. The Arthur Christieson Club Championship** comprises a match-play singles scratch competition.
- 2. The Dave McNicoll Handicap and the Country Cup Seniors** comprises a Match-play singles competition with full handicap difference.

#### GENERAL PROCEDURES AND RULES

- a)** The player on the 'top' of the draw in any match (the **challenger**), will be responsible for contacting their **opponent** to arrange a mutually agreed date for playing the match.  
In the past we have been relatively 'flexible' with play-by dates, but the new Scottish Golf system does not recognise any circumstances for delay. If the tie is not played by the play-by date, the **opponent** will be automatically advanced to the next round.  
If however the **challenger** is unable to make contact with their opponent or the tie cannot be arranged for any reason, it is the **challenger's** responsibility to contact the match sub-committee (MSC) [stationmasters@live.co.uk](mailto:stationmasters@live.co.uk) within a reasonable amount of time (no less than one week from the play-by deadline), and outline the steps they have taken to try to arrange the tie. The MSC will then investigate and decide as to who progresses to the next round.  
If you are an **opponent** and know that you cannot play the tie by the play-by date for whatever reason, then you should contact the MSC and concede the match.
- b)** It is the responsibility of every player to ensure that they know their up-to-date HI and can determine their Course Handicap by using the course rating sheets at the Starter's Box prior to the match. Then the number of shots can be allocated.
- c)** Men play off the white tees and women play off the green tees. If playing a mixed game, latest Congu advice is that the number of shots allocated to a player are determined using the Stroke Index from the women's tees.
- d)** The Scottish Golf App has no facility at present for recording match-play scoring during the round. This should therefore be carried out in the usual way. The final result of the match must either be recorded on the App or by emailing the score to us asap after the match.
- e)** In all circumstances, the 17<sup>th</sup> hole should be recorded as a halved hole.
- f)** In the event of a halved match, sudden death extra holes should be played in accordance with circumstances prevailing at the time.

**If you have any queries, please get in touch [stationmasters@live.co.uk](mailto:stationmasters@live.co.uk)**