



Christchurch Golf Club

Boyle Cup

Conditions of Play

1. The Cup, presented to the Christchurch Ladies' Golf Club in 1914, is a Canterbury Inter-club challenge trophy. It is administered by the Women's Committee of the Christchurch Golf Club in accordance with the conditions of play.
2. Challengers for the Cup may be made only by Golf clubs associated with Canterbury Golf Incorporated.
3. The Cup is held by the holder until challenged and beaten by another Club and thereafter is to be held in succession by each Club winning the same until challenged and beaten by another Club.
4. Any Club wishing to issue a challenge shall forward an application, in writing, to the secretary of the club holding the Cup. Challengers must be received within seven (7) days of a successful challenge, or (as referred to in the condition 9) within seven (7) days of 1st March in each year.
5. After the challenges have been received, the Club holding the Cup shall expeditiously conduct a ballot, notify the challenging clubs of the order of play for that year and play out the challengers in that order.
6. If a challenge is unable to be played due to weather or closing of the course, the challenger must be offered further dates at the first available opportunity.
7. One Club having challenged another and failed to win the contest shall not challenge the same Club a second time in the same year.
8. The Club holding the cup may not accept a challenge before 1st March or within four weeks of their Closing Day.
9. In addition to other rights of challenge set out in these conditions, each club shall be entitle to challenge the cup holder within seven (7) days of 1st March in each year. Unallocated challenges at the end of a year may not be carried over to the following year.
10. The Club holding the Cup shall offer three available dates not less than seven (7) days and not more than 31 days after the date of the challenge confirmation. The Cup may not be played for more than six (6) times in a calendar year.
11. Each team shall consist of five (5) players only. Each contest shall be played on the Course of the Club holding the Cup. The winner shall be the team that wins the majority of the matches. In the event of a tie the holders retain the Cup. Lunch may be provided for players only, caddies to supply their own.
12. Each match shall be played on handicap determined as follows – the player with the longer course handicap shall receive from her opponent the full difference between their respective course handicaps. The strokes shall be taken at the holes indicated on the score card of the Club holding the Cup.
13. The Women's Committee of the Christchurch Golf Club reserves to itself, the right to alter these conditions at any time and its decision on all points and disputes shall be absolutely final.

Holder of the Boyle Cup to notify by telephone or email the Christchurch Golf Club and Canterbury Golf Incorporated of the challengers, dates and results of each challenge, to encourage promotion of this event by way of the Canterbury Golf Incorporated website.

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