

TOBY RICHARDS TROPHY & CRESSWELL CUP

Conditions of Play

The matches for the Toby Richards Trophy and the Cresswell Cup are to be played on a neutral course. The host region, where the matches are being played, is required to provide the Canterbury Golf Official for the day.

1. CRESSWELL CUP

- (a) The winner of the Metropolitan Cup "A" competition shall play off against the Winner of the Canterbury North "Templeton Cup" for the "Cresswell Cup".
- (b) The combined handicaps for the Eight Team Members playing in the "Cresswell Cup" must add up to the HANDICAP INDEX required by the Metropolitan Cup team playing in Division "A" and the HANDICAP INDEX required of the Team playing in the Templeton Cup. Failure to reach the combined handicap requirement of either competitions, or not having the required eight (8) Players, will result in the whole Team being disqualified.
- (c) All Handicap Indexes and Course Handicaps plus the Names of Players are to be written in the provided columns of the Match Entry Sheet for the perusal of the opposing team.
- (d) Once the Minimum Handicap Index has been compiled, shots shall be given as in Handicap Match Play.

2. TOBY RICHARDS TROPHY

- (a) The winner of the Metropolitan Cup "B" competition shall play off against the Winner of the Canterbury Central "Patterson Cup" for the "Toby Richards Trophy".
- (b) The combined handicaps for the Eight Team Members playing in the "Toby Richards Trophy" must add up to the HANDICAP INDEX required by the Metropolitan Cup team playing in Division "B" and the HANDICAP INDEX required of the Team playing in the "Patterson Cup". Failure to reach the combined handicap requirements of either competitions or not having the required eight (8) Players, will result in the whole Team being disqualified.
- (c) All Handicap Indexes and Course Handicaps plus the Names of Players are to be written in the provided columns of the match Entry Sheet for the perusal of the opposing team.
- (d) Once the Minimum Handicap Index has been compiled, shots shall be given as in Handicap Match Play.

3. TIED RESULT

If the result of either the Toby Richards Trophy or the Cresswell Cup is tied then the following will apply:

- (a) The first two (2) Players who finished square after 18 holes shall play off from a nominated hole as determined by the Canterbury Golf Official on duty on the day. Shots shall be given as in Handicap Match Play.
- (b) Should there be NO tied matches when the team result is tied, each team will nominate one player to play off in sudden death match play. Shots shall be given as in Handicap Match Play. The first player to win a hole outright will have his team declared the winner.

14. HEALTH & SAFETY - DAILY REQUIREMENTS

- a) The Canterbury Golf Official on duty (eg. Tournament Director or Convenor) is the designated Emergency Officer and Health & Safety Officer for that day.
- b) Where there is no designated person from Canterbury Golf on duty, the Host Club is responsible for nominating a person to take on this role. This may be the Host Club's Team Manager, a Club Committee Member, or other member nominated by the club.
- c) That person will complete the Event Health & Safety Sheet prior to the commencement of play.
- d) All Health & Safety matters or concerns should be addressed immediately and directly to the Canterbury Golf Official on duty. That person is responsible for taking any action required.
- e) All Players, Managers and Officials should be familiar with the NZ Golf "Suspension of Play" procedure documented in the NZ Golf Club Manual Section 5-9. This is summarised below:

How suspensions of play and the resumption are indicated –

1. Normal Suspension of play – three consecutive short notes of a hand siren.
2. Immediate Suspension of play for a dangerous situation – one prolonged note of a hand siren.
3. Resumption of play – two short notes of a hand siren.

Rule 5-7b illustrates what players are permitted to do in each situation after the siren has sounded –

1. Normal Suspension of play
 - a. If the players in a match or group are between the play of two holes (ie. Walking to the next tee) they must not resume play until the resumption siren sounds.
 - b. If the players in a match or group have started the play of a hole, they may either discontinue play immediately or continue play of the hole, provided they do so without delay. Play must be discontinued after the hole has been completed.
2. Immediate Suspension of play for Dangerous Situation
Play must be discontinued immediately following a long blast on the siren. If a player fails to discontinue play immediately, he is disqualified.

Lifting ball when play discontinued – Rule 5-7d

When a player discontinues a hole (either normal suspension or dangerous situation) he may mark the position of his ball and lift it without penalty.

Procedure when play resumed – Rule 5-7c & d

Play must be resumed from where it is discontinued, even if it is a different day. If the marker has moved it must be estimated and the ball placed on the estimated spot.