

# **Myerscough Golf Club**

# **Monthly Medal Competition**

Myerscough Golf Club run a Monthly Medal competition over 18 and 9 holes from April through to September. With the exception of monthly medal events which serve a qualifying events for external competitions (Lombard), that monthly medal will be played over 18 holes only.

All monthly medal competitions will be played using the stroke play scoring systems. The 18 and 9 hole events will run independent of each other (See minimum number of competitors). In addition there will be a combined 2's competition.

All 9 hole Monthly Medal competition scores will be converted to 9 Hole stableford score for entry into the handicap system. This will enable 9 hole scores cards to be for handicap purposes.

Dates are available in the events calendar on the "Members Competition" section "http://www.myerscoughgolfclub.org.uk" website. Any amendments will either be published on the website or emailed to members.

### **Competition Rules**

a) Competitions will be played in accordance with the current R & A Rules of Golf.

b) A player may only enter either the 18 or 9 hole event on any competition weekend (See minimum number of competitors).

c) A player must register and provide their entrance fee for either completion prior to teeing off unless the sports reception is closed. If this is the case the fee and registration must take place as soon as possible after completing your round. No cards will be accepted if the player has not signed the registration sheet at the desk at the sports centre reception.

d) Players will play using their full handicap. The lowest Stroke Play score, handicap adjusted will be the competition winner. All cards are to be left in the post box next to the golf notice board in the sports centre reception area. All cards will be collected for scoring on Monday evening (5pm). Any incorrectly completed or cards submitted after this time or the player has not registered will be disqualified.

e) Prior to the competition start any local rules or rules of play not covered under the normal rules of golf will be published on the golf notice board. These rules will be effective for each competition weekend

f) Members playing monthly medal competitions must play with another club Member. A player without valid handicap may play, however they may not enter the competition until an official Myerscough Golf Club handicap is held.

g) Winner's and other prizes will be presented at prize giving event on the day of the Club Championship. However the results section on the website will be updated as soon as possible.



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## **Special Monthly Medal Events**

If a monthly medal event is being used as a qualifying event (e.g. Lombard Trophy) for an external/third party the 9 hole event will be cancelled. Details of any special monthly medal events including any special pricing and prizes will be published on the Myerscough Golf Club Website and in the sports centre reception.

#### Registering

Prior to commencing play all members must have registered and paid the entrance fee. With exception of when a special monthly medal event is being played, you may cancel your involvement at any point prior to tee off.

#### **Entrance Fees**

The entrance fee for the 18 and 9 hole medal events is £2.50. £1.50 for the prize funds and £1.00 for the 2's sweep. The prize fund pool will be divided equally on a pro rata basis. The 2's sweep fund will also be divided on a pro rata basis per 2 scored. A breakdown of any competition prizes will be available for each competition at the end of season presentation.

#### Minimum number of competitors

There needs to be a minimum number of competitors for either the 18 or 9 hole monthly medal event to warrant prizes being awarded. If there are less than 5 competitors for either the 18 or 9 hole events then all players will be automatically transferred into the 9 hole event. In these cases the players front 9 hole scores will used. This should ensure at least one monthly medal event is competed for over the weekend. Competitors who complete 18 holes will continue to have their cards entered into the 18 hole event for handicap purposes however no prize for the 18 hole event will be awarded.

If the minimum number competitor threshold in not reached the event will continue, however no prizes will be awarded, entrance fees will be refunded or credited. All scores submitted during any monthly medal event will be used for handicap purposes.

#### Cancellations

Myerscough Golf Club reserves the right to cancel any Monthly Medal competition at any stage of the weekend. In the event of cancellation members will be notified as soon as possible a notice will be displayed on the 1st Tee. In the event of a cancellation a full refund of fees will be made.

#### **Issues or concerns**

Any issues or concerns arising during any medal competition are to be made to either the pro staff or to a member of the committee as soon as practical and before you sign your score card.