



## **WINTER LEAGUE 2023 – 2024**

- The Winter League comprises of 2 Leagues, League A – 8 Teams (A3 have withdrawn) & League B – 9 Teams
- The Winter League runs over 14 weeks from 19<sup>th</sup> Nov 2023 until 18<sup>th</sup> February 2024. There is a 3 week break during the Christmas Period and there are no matches on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> December, Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> December or on Sunday 7<sup>st</sup> January 2024
- Due to a Team withdrawal from League A, when you were scheduled to play Team A3 this will now be a Bye and you will be awarded 3 points for the win and the affected Team can use the allocated tee slot. On the Fixture where the match was scheduled A3 v B3, that match becomes void and no points will be awarded. Players from B3 can use the allocated tee slot
- Finals week will be played on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February and each Team will play in reverse League order to establish the final overall League placings, i.e. 9<sup>th</sup> v 9<sup>th</sup> to 1<sup>st</sup> v 1<sup>st</sup>. This will decide the overall Champions for the Winter League for 2023/2024
- A Ryder Cup Style Match between League A & B will take place on the final week, Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2024 and the annual meal and presentation will take place after golf
- Prizes will be awarded for the top 3 places and will be worked out as 50% to the winners, 30% to Runners Up and 20% to the 3<sup>rd</sup> place Team.
- 2's will be calculated on a weekly basis and payments will reflect the amount on each given day, however, all winnings will be made at the presentation on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2024
- All 2's must be reported to the Pro Shop directly after the game in order they can be collated
- After the successful introduction of any combination teams last year, this will continue. We are trialing optional 3 player squads this year which will hopefully stop individuals having to play by themselves when their playing partner is unavailable. The 3<sup>rd</sup> player must be identified before the winter league starts and can only play for their identified team.
- Gents will play from the Yellow Tees and Ladies will play from the Red Tees and the maximum Playing Handicap for all players will remain at 18 regardless of gender
- Entry to the Competition is £30 per Team and the breakdown is £10 entry and £20 for 2's (£1 per week, not including Ryder Cup week) I'm sure you'll all agree this is exceptional value for a Winter of fun
- Guidance for working out handicaps is available on the main notice board and in the Pro Shop

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