

## WARWICKSHIRE BOYS CHAMPIONSHIP 2008

The 55<sup>th</sup> Warwickshire Boys Amateur Championship will be played on Thursday 31st July 2008 at Shirley Golf Club, Stratford Road, Monkspath, Shirley, Solihull, West Midlands B90 4EW

### CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Qualifications:

To be eligible to enter, a player must :-

- (a) be under the age of 18 years at 00:00 hours on 1st January 2008
- (b) be in possession of a playing handicap not exceeding 18
- (c) have been born in Warwickshire or be a Junior Member of a Warwickshire Golf Club affiliated to the County Golf Union or be the son of a Full Member of an affiliated Warwickshire Golf Club - provided that they have not represented, or played in another County's Junior or Boys Championship, since 1<sup>st</sup> August 2007.

2. Conditions of Play:

- (a) The Championship shall be played by Stroke Play over 36 holes.
- (b) The Winner will be the competitor who returns the lowest gross score over 36 holes. In the event of a tie for first place after 36 holes, the Championship shall be decided on the day, over 3 holes as specified by the Committee, and if still tied, by a sudden death play-off over the same holes.
- (c) Other ties will be decided on the score for the second round or, if necessary, on the last 9, 6, 3, 2, 1 holes.
- (d) No caddies will be allowed, and players shall walk at all times during a stipulated round.

3. Prizes:

- (a) The Winner will hold The Carl Bretherton Cup for one year, and will receive a Silver medal and Voucher. He will also qualify for, and be expected to compete in, the Midland Junior Champions Tournament to be held at Shifnal Golf Club on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> September 2008.
- (b) The Runner-up will receive a Bronze medal and Voucher.
- (c) 3<sup>rd</sup> Place will receive a Voucher.
- (d) There will be other prizes as decided by the Championship Committee.
- (e) The Coventry Evening Telegraph Trophy will be awarded to the Club Team returning the BEST GROSS aggregate team score. Teams must include at least 1 player aged under 16 years at 00.00 hrs on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2008.
- (f) No competitor may receive more than one prize.
- (g) Prize Winners and all other competitors are expected to be present at the prizegiving.
- (h) The 8 players returning the Best Gross scores over 36 holes will qualify to play in the Warwickshire Boys Matchplay Championship to be held at Shirley Golf Club on 18<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2008.

4. Entry Applications:

- (a) It is a strict condition of entry that where a competitor will be under the age of 18 years on the date of the competition, a Parental Consent Form is completed and returned with the Entry Form.
- (b) Applications must only be made on the Entry Form, all cheques should be made payable to The Warwickshire Union of Golf Clubs Limited (or WUGC Ltd) and must be sent with your completed Entry Application Form and – if appropriate - a Parental Consent Form, together with a 1st class S.A.E. to :

G.G.Hayes, Secretary, WUGC Ltd, 114 Stonebury Avenue, Eastern Green, Coventry, CV5 7NX

**prior to the closing date of Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2008.**

5. After play all competitors are required to change from their on course attire – preferably into jackets and ties.
6. The Competition will be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club, and as supplemented by Local Rules.
7. Any questions arising as to qualifications, Rules of Golf or any other points will be considered by the Championship Committee whose decision will be final. The Committee reserve the right to limit the number of entries.