

WARWICKSHIRE UNION OF GOLF CLUBS

WARWICKSHIRE BOYS UNDER 16's CHAMPIONSHIP 2010

The 5th Warwickshire Boys Under 16's Championship will be played on on Tuesday 27th July 2010
at Edgbaston Golf Club, Church Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham B15 3TB

Closing Date for Entry Applications is Monday 12th July 2010

2010 CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND PLAY

1. Entry Qualifications:

To be eligible to enter, a player must :

- (a) be under the age of 16 years at 00:00 hours on 1st January 2010.
- (b) be in possession of an ACTIVE CONGU playing handicap at the date of entry as follows:
 - Under 14 : Maximum 18 handicap
 - Under 16 : Maximum 12 handicapor have received a personal invitation to play from the Chairman of Warwickshire Junior Golf
- (c) enter this competition on the basis of their CONGU handicap.
- (d) be a playing Member of a Warwickshire Golf Club affiliated to the County Golf Union.
- (e) obtain the permission of the County Secretary if he has represented another County, or played in another County's Championships during the preceding 12 months.

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 by play-off, over 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 a count back basis taking into account the Gross score for the second round or, if necessary, on the last 9, 6, 3, 2 and 1 holes, in sequence, until a result is obtained. If this does not produce a result the scores on earlier holes will be taken into account on a similar basis until a result is obtained
- (d) The use of ride-on buggies is generally prohibited in Warwickshire Union of Golf Club events. Players should walk at all times unless permission to ride has been given by the Championship Committee. Permission will only be given in exceptional circumstances.
- (e) The use of Distance Measuring Devices which conform with the current Rules of Golf is allowed.
- (f) Players driver heads and golf balls must conform with the current Rules of Golf.
- (g) Mobile telephones are not permitted to be used on the course, except in case of emergencies.
- (h) No caddies will be allowed.

3. Prizes:

- (a) The Winner will hold The Warwickshire Past Captains Trophy for one year, and will receive a Silver medal and a Voucher. He will qualify for, and be expected to compete in, the Midland Junior Champions Tournament as detailed in the Entry Application.
- (b) The Runner-up will receive a Bronze medal and a Voucher.
- (c) 3rd Place will receive a Voucher.
- (d) Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Championships Committee.
- (e) Where a competitor in this Championship also qualifies to compete in the Boys Championship and returns the best overall gross scores in both Championships he will be awarded both Titles and associated medals and vouchers.
- (f) In all other instances the rule that no competitor may win more than one prize will apply. Where a competitor in the Boys Under 16's Championship returns scores which qualify for prizes, other than as the Winner, in both competitions he will be awarded the higher status prize and the other prize(s) awarded to the player(s) with the next best score in that category.
- (g) Prize Winners and all other competitors are expected to be present at the prizegiving.

4. Entry Applications:

- (a) Applications and Payments may be made on-line via the County website – www.warksgolf.co.uk - **OR** by post.
- (b) Postal entries will only be accepted on the official WUGC Entry Form available on the County website or from your Club Secretary/Manager.
- (c) Entry Applications – both postal and on-line - and related Fees, must be received by the WUGC County Secretary **NOT LATER THAN** the specified closing date for entries.
- (d) No Entry Fees will be refunded unless intimation of scratching is received **PRIOR TO** the Draw Sheet being issued.
- (e) It is a strict condition of entry that a Parental Consent Form is completed and returned to the WUGC County Secretary **NOT LATER THAN** the specified closing date for entries.

5. After play all competitors are required to change from their on course attire into appropriate attire as specified on the Draw Sheet.

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 Entry Qualifications, Rules of Golf, Resolution of Exceptional Ties 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.