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## **Buckinghamshire County Ladies Golf Association**

## **CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 2017**

## **RULES**

- 1. The competition shall be played according to the general BCLGA "Conditions of Play".
- 2. The competition shall be open to 2016 Club Scratch Champions of all clubs affiliated to the Buckinghamshire County Ladies Golf Association. A player may only represent one club during the competition. No substitutions are allowed if the Club Champion is not available to play.
- 3. The Management of the competition shall be vested in the Competition Organiser appointed by the Executive Committee. Any dispute must be put in writing to the Competition Organiser, who may refer to the Executive Committee for a decision, whose decision shall be final.
- 4. To be played as a Knockout Singles Competition.
- 5. Matches shall be played off scratch. The four lowest handicap players will be seeded.
- 6. The venue of the matches, except for the final, shall be the 'home' club of one of the two opponents and shall be settled by a draw in the first round and advised by the Competition Organiser in subsequent rounds. Permission to play must be obtained from the Secretary of the club, the cost of the green fee, if any, being shared by the players.
- 7. The 'home' club of each player must be the club that she is representing in the competition. If the player is no longer a member of the club that she is representing, then she must either arrange to play home matches at that club (with no additional cost to her opponent), or she must forfeit her home advantage.
- 8. The final shall be played on a neutral course. The course and date of the final to be arranged by the Competition Organiser.
- 9. The winner of each match must notify the Competition Organiser of the result within 48 hours of the completion of the match. Competitors not complying with this rule will be disqualified.
- 10. Responsibility for arranging matches is shared jointly between the two players, who must agree a mutually convenient date between themselves.
- 11. Extensions will not be given unless both courses are closed or unavailable on the last day of the round, in which case the Competition Organiser must be contacted to approve an extension.
- 12. If a match has not been played by the last day of the round, or the players fail to agree a mutually convenient date, BOTH players will normally be disqualified following consultation with the Competition Organiser.

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