

## **GREENSOMES MATCHPLAY**

	DESCRIPTION
<b>Format</b>	<b>Team</b> competition, <b>2 players</b> per team, <b>2 opposing teams</b> , <b>matchplay</b> rules.
<b>Scoring</b>	<b>Matchplay</b> (win + , lose - , halve o).
<b>Handicap Strokes Received</b>	Rounded sum of: <b>60%</b> of the lower playing handicap <b>and</b> <b>40%</b> of the higher playing handicap The team with the lower aggregate playing handicap plays off scratch, while the opposing team plays off the difference between the aggregate playing handicaps.

Both players tee off and the team then decide which of their two balls will be used for the remainder of that hole.

If Player A's ball is chosen, then Player B must play the next shot with that ball. Player A then plays the next shot with that ball and the team players alternate in this way until the ball is holed, or until it is picked up because the team cannot better or equal the opposing team's score on a hole.

"Penalty shots" and relief do not affect the order of play (e.g. if Player A hits the ball out of bounds then Player B must play the next shot from where Player A played the original ball, under penalty of 1 stroke, i.e. "stroke and distance"), even if it means that a lady golfer has to play from the men's tee and vice versa.

Concede putts that your opponents will obviously make, concede holes that your opponents have obviously won.

Before teeing off on a hole agree with your opponents the result of the previous hole and the overall match result so far and record this in the "Points" column.

*(Example scorecard follows - for a fuller explanation see the description in the folder in the Pro shop)*

*Example scorecard for a Greensomes Matchplay competition*

COMPETITION							Medal/Stableford/Bogey					
Greensomes							Matchplay					
DATE	01/04/2014		TIME	08:30			H'CAP	STROKES	TEES	PAR	CR	SR
PLAYER A	<b>Jake Nicklaus</b>		<b>21.5 (Yellow)</b>				20	Team PH = 12	RED	71	71.6	118
PLAYER B	<b>Flora Davies</b>		<b>5.0 (Red)</b>				6	Team strks 0	YELLOW	71	68.4	121
PLAYER C	<b>Neil Faldo</b>		<b>6.2 (Yellow)</b>				4	Team PH = 14	WHITE	71	70.9	123
PLAYER D	<b>Anita Sörenstam</b>		<b>28.2 (Red)</b>				30	Team strks 2				
HOLE	MARKER	WHITE	YELLOW	RED	PAR	S.I.	SCORE				POINTS	
							A	B	C	D		
1	-	354	326	320	4	4					+	(1 up)
2	0	131	124	110	3	18					0	
3	+	452	439	397	5	12					-	(even)
4	+	287	241	201	4	14					-	(1 down)
5	0	336	314	302	4	10					0	
6	-	392	386	358	4	2					+	(even)
7	+	359	333	323	4	6					-	(1 down)
8	+	162	146	139	3	16					-	(2 down)
9	-	354	339	315	4	8					+	(1 down)
<b>OUT</b>	<b>+1</b>	<b>2827</b>	<b>2648</b>	<b>2465</b>	<b>35</b>						<b>-1</b>	<b>(1 down)</b>

10	+	165	160	146	3	9					-	(2 down)
11	0	273	259	232	4	17					0	
12	+	299	272	240	4	15					-	(3 down)
13	0	150	118	75	3	11					0	
14	+	338	324	298	4	3					-	(4 down)
15	0	524	476	434	5	1					0	
16		368	353	302	4	13						
17		414	380	352	4	5						
18		485	453	407	5	7						
<b>IN</b>	<b>+4</b>	<b>3016</b>	<b>2795</b>	<b>2486</b>	<b>36</b>							<b>-4</b>
<b>OUT</b>	<b>+1</b>	<b>2827</b>	<b>2648</b>	<b>2465</b>	<b>35</b>							<b>-1</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>+5</b>	<b>5843</b>	<b>5443</b>	<b>4951</b>	<b>71</b>							<b>-5</b>
HANDICAP												
NET												
Marker's Signature					Player's Signature					Stableford Points <i>Result</i>		
										<i>(A &amp; B) LOST 4 &amp; 3</i>		

PLEASE AVOID SLOW PLAY AT ALL TIMES

Distance markers are measured to the centre of the green in metres. *Please replace all divots and repair pitchmarks.*