

## GENERAL RULES

### WOMEN & MEN

- 1 Only written entries will be accepted
- 2 Late entries will not be accepted, except where a bye can be eliminated
- 3 Combined Club teams are welcome for any competition
- 4 All players must be financial members of an Aorangi South Canterbury Club. (6.1 of the constitution of the Aorangi South Canterbury Golf Association Incorporated)
- 5 Women members are permitted to play in the Aorangi S C mens pennants if the Match Committee has granted approval (All play off mens tee, using the mens card)
- 6 Aorangi S C Golf will prepare draws and allocate venues for each pennant competition and official publication of these details, and any subsequent alterations, will be via Aorangi SC Golf website.
- 7 All courses in the District will be used unless a Club withdraws its course or the Match Committee of the Assn deems the condition of the course unacceptable.
- 8 When inclement weather might cause a round to be postponed or conditions are unsuitable for play at a particular course on the scheduled day, Host clubs should contact/notify the Convenor of the particular Match Committee at the earliest possible time. The Match Committee will determine the course of action to be taken. Local radio stations will generally not be used to advise pennant cancellations
- 9 The Host Club to return the score sheet as soon as possible.
- 10 Each Team Captain will be responsible for completing the team sheet and then signing off the results of the matches. The Team Captain must ensure **all** cards are properly filled out, signed and returned. Failure to do so will result in a penalty of 2 points.
- 11 When a team defaults from a competition more than once they will be disqualified from the competition and all points scored in matches against the team will be cancelled.
- 12 At the discretion of the Match Committee a team may be granted dispensation to play a pennant match at a later date.

- 13 Any alteration to these rules will only be made by consensus reached at duly convened Womens or Mens Forum meetings and formalised by circulation to clubs for confirmation
- 14 Where possible a rules official will be available, particularly at semi-finals and finals
- 15 Distance measuring devices such as GPS and laser rangefinders are approved for use in all pennant competitions, provided they measure distances only. Devices that have features which measure other factors such as wind speed and/or direction, and gradient is in breach of Rule 14.3 are not permitted, and use of same by a player will result in loss of match regardless of whether or not this feature is actually used.
- 16 A player in pennant competitions may only use a Golf Cart, if that player normally uses a Golf Cart in his everyday play. The Match Committee may grant dispensation to a player on medical grounds, but only with a Doctors certificate.
- 17 The Aorangi SC Association will hold all Pennant Results for the current year. They will be destroyed after the Pennant Finals.
- 18 In addition to the "Guide to Clubs Hosting Pennants" on slow play, the slow play policy will be used when and where necessary for all Aorangi SC Association competitions.