



Cambridgeshire Area Golf Union

THE BOYS' CHAMPIONSHIPS

Championship Bowl presented in 1953 by H. G. Newman

CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

The following conditions for this championship must be read in conjunction with CAGU's General Conditions, which are published on the website (www.cagu.co.uk). When entering a competition players/clubs should, in particular, be aware of the General Conditions covering eligibility, entries and withdrawals.

The Local Rules applicable to the Championship **are contained in England Golf's (which is also CAGU's) Hard Card. It also contains the Conditions on pace of play and suspension of play due to a dangerous situation. A copy of the card will be provided at registration.**

Note: After entries close, the Competition Organiser will send by e-mail (or, by exception, post) to all those playing or officiating a "Players' Information" sheet and a drawsheet. The draw will also be posted on the website. Players Information will include such matters as contact details of the Competition Organiser and the Club, provision for practice rounds (if applicable) and catering arrangements at the venue.

1. The Boys' (Under 18) Championship

- a. **Format.** The Championship shall be played by 36 holes of scratch medal stroke play. Concurrently, players will compete in a handicap competition (current handicap applies).
- b. **The maximum field is 60 players.** If the number of entries exceeds 60, they shall be reduced to 60 by eliminating the higher handicaps by ballot according to exact handicaps submitted on entry forms.
- c. **The winner** shall be the competitor who returns the lowest score over 36 holes. In the event of a tie, there shall be a "sudden death" play-off over holes to be decided by the Competition Committee.
- d. **All other ties** will be decided according to General Condition 18b (Countback).
- e. **Player eligibility/qualification:** See General Condition 3. In addition, players must be under the age of 18 at 00:00 hours on 1 January of the year the Championship is played and have a "competition" handicap.

2. Winner and Prizes

- a. The winner shall be presented with the Bowl and a winner's prize. He shall also be invited to represent CAGU in the English Boys' County "Champion of Champions" Tournament and to represent CAGU in the Midlands Boys' "Champion of Champions" Tournament.
- b. The runner(s) up and, if only one runner up, the 3rd placed player shall also receive prizes.



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c. Prizes shall also be awarded for:

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd best net scores
- Best 1st round gross and best 1st round net scores
- Best 2nd round gross and best 2nd round net scores.

3. **Other Age Category Competitions** (See General Condition 3i)

- a. For players aged 14 and 15, prizes will be awarded for best gross and best net scores over 36 holes.
- b. Likewise for players aged 12 and 13.
- c. **Under 12s** will compete over 18 holes, from yellow tee markers, with prizes awarded for the best, second best and third best gross scores and the best, second best and third best net scores. The winner shall receive the Under 12 Trophy at the Championships' prize presentation.
- d. **All ties** will be decided according to General Condition 18b (Countback).
- e. The Under 16 and Under 14 winners shall be invited to represent CAGU in the Midlands "Champion of Champions" Tournaments appropriate to their age group.
- f. Where a boy wins in two age groups, he shall represent CAGU in the higher age group category.

4. **Prizes.**

- a. Across all competitions at the Boys' Championships General Condition 20a applies: Prizes shall be award on the basis of "one player, one prize".
- b. Where prizes are in the form of vouchers, their value shall be decided by the Competition Committee.