## TERMS OF COMPETITION for the JUNIOR LEAGUE

1. Each club may enter one team into the league.
2. The matches will be played as set out in the fixture list and teams will consist of 4 players.
3. The 4 games are scheduled to tee off between 16.30 and 17.15 .
4. The games are 18 hole match play and the maximum Handicap Index (HI) is 28.0 . If the game is tied after 18 holes there is no sudden death, the match is halved.
5. The points are awarded as follows: 2 for a win and 1 for a halved game.
6. Boys will play from the white markers and girls from the red markers as set out on the day.
7. For each match the Junior Organisers or Team Captains must list their team in Playing Handicap order and exchange that order before the commencement of play. If more than one player has the same Playing Handicap they can be placed in any order. Once listed no amendments can occur. In the event of a player not being able to play, that game is not played and the points awarded to the opposing player.
8. Those players playing from a set of tees with a higher Course Rating add additional strokes to their Playing Handicap - equal to the difference between the Course Rating of the tees they are playing from and the tees being played with the lowest Course Rating - See section entitled "How do Handicap Allowances and any other adjustments get applied in an 18-hole mixed/multi-tee event?"
9. If for any reason following publication of the fixture list a match cannot be played, then the match may be rescheduled and completed BEFORE the $26^{\text {th }}$ August 2023. Matches not played by this date may be declared null and void.
10. Where play in matches on the date set out in the fixture list cannot be completed due to the course being unplayable, the match may be rescheduled and completed BEFORE the $26^{\text {th }}$ August 2023. Matches not played by this date may be declared null and void.

In points 9 and 10 the Leagues Secretary should be informed.
11. The home Junior Organiser / Team Captain is responsible for completing the online scorecard (hhdugc.org.uk) and submitting as soon as possible but no longer than 24 hours after the match has been completed.

Once all matches are completed and if teams have accumulated the same number of points, then the Champions will be decided by reference to:
i. The highest number of away points
ii. A play off on a neutral course determined by the Leagues Secretary
iii. If after the play off, the match is still tied the players with the lowest Playing Handicaps will play sudden death to determine the winner
12. The league winners will be the HHDUGC Champions and represent the Union at the England Golf Junior Club Team Championship the following year. This normally occurs on the 2nd Sunday in July.
13. The winning club will receive the Championship shield and a contribution to the development of the junior section.

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