



## **Guidance Notes for Parents & Guardians**

### **U8 Age Category**

Thank you very much for coming to this Junior Tour event. To help us with the smooth running of the day we would be grateful if you could read and adhere to the following guidance notes.

#### **Parents/Guardians Role on the Golf Course**

In the U8 age category you may caddie for your player. This means that you may, for example, pull a trolley or carry a golf bag and you may give your player advice but please do not walk on to the putting greens.

Each adult will be asked to keep a scorecard for a player in their group (not the player they are with). Please agree the scores with your fellow markers after each hole so there are no misunderstandings later in the round.

If you would like to calculate the stableford points that is fine otherwise we will do that when the scorecard is returned. 10 points for a hole in 1, 9 points for a score of 2 etc. if a player scores 10 or has to pick up on a hole they receive 1 point.

#### **Rules**

We will be using the usual rules of golf but with a few additions to help the players;

If a player has tried three times without success to get a ball out of a bunker the player may drop the ball outside the bunker (behind or to the side but not nearer the hole) without any penalty but the three shots will count to the player's score.

If a player has taken ten shots on a hole they must pick their ball up and move to the next hole. 'Air shots' will as usual count to the player's score.

#### **Safety**

Please take care when on the golf course; stand a reasonable distance away from players (preferably either to the side or behind) when they are playing their shots. If you see a ball heading towards another person please shout 'fore' as a warning. Please also ensure that your player is safely positioned whilst on the golf course.

**Thank you for your help we hope you will enjoy the competition**

**Golf Union of Wales Championship Committee**