

ENTRY FORM



R&A 9 HOLE CHAMPIONSHIP 2018



Clubs are invited to run a 9 hole stableford qualifying competition for their members. Players will play in teams of 2 with their individual 9 hole stableford scores added together to create the team score.

The winning score from each club qualifying event run in Wales will be placed in a league table. The two teams with the best winning scores will be invited to play in the R&A run Final on the Carnoustie Championship Course on Saturday 14th July 2018: venue for The Open Championship.

Finalists will be invited to attend a welcome dinner at Carnoustie on Friday 13th July. Accommodation for the night of 13th July will be arranged and paid for by the R&A and reasonable travel costs to and from Carnoustie will be reimbursed.

All players must have a competition CONGU handicap with a maximum of 28 for men and 36 for women.

Closing date for results to be received by Wales Golf: Monday 4 June 2018

For full details and the league table of winning scores see www.walesgolf.org/championships

www.walesgolf.org championships@walesgolf.org



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CLUB QUALIFYING COMPETITION CONDITIONS

Eligibility

1. The competition is open to all Wales Golf affiliated clubs who have a designated 9 hole course which has been granted a standard scratch score (SSS) by Wales Golf*.
2. The competition is open to male and female players who are members of a club affiliated to Wales Golf.
3. Each player must be an amateur golfer having a competition CONGU handicap of not more than 28 for men and 36 for women.
4. A player may enter from more than 1 club but in the event of winning more than 1 club qualifying competition will have to choose which club they wish to be included in the 'league table' of scores maintained by Wales Golf.

Format

1. The format of the event will be 9 holes of individual stableford. This can be a stand-alone 9 hole event or run in conjunction with an existing 9 hole club competition. All participating clubs are asked to encourage Ready Golf for the qualifying round.
2. Players will play in teams of two. Each team may consist of any combination of male or female players. Players under the age of 18 may play but each team can only include one player under the age of 18.
3. **Each player must receive a 9 hole competition handicap allowance calculated in accordance with CONGU guidelines** (see CONGU 2016-18 manual for guidance). This will ensure that the 9 hole stableford scores are comparable between male and female players and between players from different clubs.
4. The team score is calculated by adding each team member's 9 hole stableford points score together to create a combined total.

Qualification for the 9 Hole Final

1. Wales Golf will maintain a league table of the winning scores submitted from each club qualifying competition. The top 2 pairs will be invited to play in the 9 Hole Final to be held at Carnoustie on Saturday 14 July 2018 ahead of the 147th Open Championship.
2. In the event of a tie for the top 2 pairings the qualifiers for the Final will be decided by calculating the team score over the last 6/3/1 hole (s) in turn as required. If a tie still exists a hole by hole card play-off starting from hole 1 will be used.
3. Substitutions in winning pairs will only be permitted to play in the 9 Hole Final in exceptional circumstances.

Submission of scores

1. Clubs must submit the winning score from their qualifying competition by completing and returning the result form below to Wales Golf by Monday 4 June 2018.

*** To apply for a 9 hole SSS for your course please email Wales Golf at handicapping@walesgolf.org**



R&A 9 HOLE CHAMPIONSHIP 2018 CLUB RESULT FORM

Club Name	
Club Contact Name	
Club Contact Email	

WINNING TEAM

INFORMATION NEEDED	PLAYER 1	
Full Name		
Email address		
Contact No.		
CDH No.		
Exact handicap as at day of competition		Competition handicap allowance
9 hole stableford score		
9 hole par		9 hole SSS

INFORMATION NEEDED	PLAYER 2	
Full Name		
Email address		
Contact No.		
CDH No.		
Exact handicap as at day of competition		Competition handicap allowance
9 hole stableford score		
9 hole par		9 hole SSS

Team stableford score		No. of pairs in the competition (for info only)	
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Wales Golf uses the above information only for the purpose of administering the competition. We will share with the R&A the club contact details and information relating to the two pairs that qualify for the R&A run Final. If you would like any further information please contact us at Wales Golf, Catsash, Newport, NP18 1JQ.

I confirm that I am authorised to release the above information and that I am age 16 or over and have read, understood and agree with the way the above data will be used by Wales Golf.

Signature Date...../...../.....

Print Name

Please return the completed form with a copy of the winning cards by Monday 4 June 2018 to Wales Golf, Catsash, Newport NP18 1JQ. (No entry fee is payable to Wales Golf for this event)