THE 2017 LEAGUE SYSTEM

Feedback from the 2016 Southern Cape Golf Union League season



FEEDBACK FROM THE SUPER LEAGUE

- Although some wanted to play foursomes we received mixed feedback from the players in this regard and therefore Super League will still be played in the format of singles only.
- Seeding of players was questioned, however as these are teams of 6 players it
 was felt that it is conceivable to assume that there should at least be 6 players
 from each club that are of similar ability and handicaps and thus
 competitiveness in terms of seeding matches is maintained.
- We must remember these players earn Order of Merit points for playing league and therefore it is anticipated that there will be continued interest from these players at each club.



FEEDBACK FROM THE SUPER LEAGUE

- Dependent on the number of entries the split with regard to the number of teams remaining in the A-division or staying in the B-division will be determined so as to ensure that we have enough teams in each division.
- To summarize the format will stay the same.



FEEDBACK FROM THE HANDICAPS LEAGUE

- A request not to play during school holidays was made.
 - As far as possible this will be avoided.
- The 9-hole courses want to play on 18 hole courses against the other 9-hole clubs.
 - As a result of the aforementioned and a survey by Juan Nel we will be implementing a Section 4 (consisting of 9-hole clubs) to facilitate this.
 - Due to the geographical location of the 9-hole clubs these games will be played in the George and Mossel Bay surrounds as far as possible. This will reduce travel logistics.



FEEDBACK FROM THE HANDICAPS LEAGUE

- The Captain's ability to seed players was requested.
 - Subject to the number of entries received and the number of teams in each section this will be considered.
 - Due to logistics this was not possible in 2016, but it will be considered by the SCGU on the following basis:
 - Captains will enter their teams via the entry form whereby players in foursomes matches 4 & 3 will have to play in singles matches 8, 7, 6 and 5. Therefore it follows that players in foursomes matches 2 & 1 will have to play in singles matches 4, 3, 2 and 1.
 - The reason for the aforementioned is to avoid delays in starting times in the afternoon singles matches. This is also standard practice at all IPT tournaments.

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FEEDBACK FROM THE HANDICAPS LEAGUE

- Despite the successful Super League a number of players with a handicap of 3 or 4 felt that they were excluded from the Handicaps League and a request for the applicable eligible handicap to be reduced to 3 was received.
 - We have acceeded to this request and players will therefore be able to make a choice / decision to play in either of the Leagues.



SCHEMATIC OF THE HANDICAPS LEAGUE 2017



Our thoughts before receiving the exact number of entrants.



SCHEMATIC OF THE HANDICAPS LEAGUE 2017

Section 1
Top 2 teams
qualify

Section 2
Top 2 teams
qualify

Section 3

Top 2 teams
qualify

Section 4
Top 2 teams
qualify

Quarterfinals

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Quarterfinals

Semi-finals

Semi-finals

Quarterfinals:

- Section 1 winner vs Section 4 runner-up
- Section 2 winner vs Section 3 runner-up
- Section 3 winner vs Section 2 runner-up
- Section 4 winner vs Section 1 runner-up



ENTRY FEES AND MATCH FEES

- The Entry fee per Handicaps or Super league team is R1 500.
- In recognition of the difference between the Handicaps League and Super League, 36 holes versus 18 holes, the following fees are payable per player and by the players at a League fixture:

| MATCH FEES | | |
|--|-----------|--------|
| | HANDICAPS | SUPER |
| | LEAGUE | LEAGUE |
| Estate courses inclusive of a golf cart and light | R270 | |
| lunch (beverage excluded). | | |
| Estate courses inclusive of a golf cart (exclusive | | R170 |
| of lunch) | | |
| 18 hole golf courses (exclusive of a golf cart, | R170 | |
| inclusive of a light lunch) | | |
| 18 hole golf courses (exclusive of a golf cart | | R120 |
| and lunch) | | |



THANK YOU

- Special thanks must go to Peter Yzelle and our Union partner E-Z-GO for assisting with golf cart logistics during the Super and Handicaps League during 2016.
- We look forward to the continuation of their support in 2017.





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We look forward to a successful 2017 Jaguar / Land Rover Handicaps League Season

And

2017 Super League Season

