



Brodie League Rules

1. DETAILS OF THE PLAY

- a) All players will play off the Course Handicap for the Club Competition tees as per the HNA system.
- b) Play is to be conducted by the Rules of Golf and all games are to be Singles Match Play over 18 holes with a maximum handicap index of 11.5.
- c) All players' Handicap Index will freeze as per HNA on the first day of the league. Should a player's Handicap Index drop and become lower than the frozen Handicap Index he must play off that lower Handicap Index. A player will not be permitted to play off a higher Handicap Index than his frozen index at the start of the league.

2. COMPOSITION OF THE TEAMS

- a) The League will consist of 6 Groups.
- b) Each team shall comprise 6 players and the Club to appoint a designated Captain.
- d) In the event of a team fielding fewer than 6 players, the team will be expected to fill the team positions from number one and have the higher positions vacant.
- e) The minimum number of players to comprise a team is 4 and teams fielding less than 6 players must advise the opposing team captain as soon as practicable to do so. Any team with less than 4 players will be regarded as a forfeit and the team will be subject to further sanction by these Rules.

3. COMPETITION MATCH PLAY: Rule 3.2 of Handicapping

- a) Players who finish a match play round, before the full 18 holes have been played, must enter their hole-by-hole gross scores for the completed holes in the HNA system, and then select the incomplete round option on the HNA system.
- b) The system will use the WHS expected score algorithm, to complete the 18-hole gross score for the player.
- c) Players who go on to complete the round after the match has ended, should not enter their stroke play scores for the remaining holes, because the combination of a competition match play and social stroke play score, is not an acceptable score.

4. SUBMITTING A SCORE: Rule 4 of Handicapping

- a) In terms of the Golf RSA Rules of Handicapping, golfers are obliged to ensure a round is opened before play.
 - b) This can be done on the HNA system - on the internet, via the club system, the club handicap terminal, or the free HNA mobile App.
5. Upon completion of the round, golfers must enter their score before 24h00 on the day of play, either on the club terminal, the HNA website, or on the HNA Mobile App.

6. SCORING AND RESULTS

Scoring:

The UGA app will be used to capture hole-by-hole scores for the Leagues which will pull information through to a live leaderboard for teams and individuals.



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Results:

- a) On the Result Sheet, the match result will be determined by awarding one point for each game that is won and half a point for each game that is halved.
- b) The log results, two points to be awarded to the winning team in every match. In the event of the match being halved, one point shall be awarded to each team.
- c) In the event of a team forfeiting a game, the opponents will get 3.5 points and the team that forfeits the game will get 0.
- d) If a team decide to withdraw from the league, the points earned by that team in the games will be excluded from the standings for counting purposes. The team may also be subject to additional penalties imposed by the BGU.

7. TIES IN THE LOG

Should two or more teams have the same points in the log standings; the following will apply to determine the winning team:

- a) The team with the most winning matches
- b) The total accumulative number of games won in each of the season's matches – "games FOR").
- c) The result between the two teams in question.
- d) A count out of individual player results starting from player No. 1 of the team.
- e) If they are still tied, the winner will be determined by a toss of a coin.

8. SEMI-FINAL and FINALS

The semi-finals will be played on neutral venues and the date set by the BGU.

- Winner Overberg 1 vs Winner Overberg 2
- Winner Breede Valley vs Winner Weskus vs Winner Swartland
- Winner Sentraal 1 vs Winner Sentraal 2

The winners of the semi-finals will play each other in a predetermined venue over 18 holes to determine the BGU Brodie League champions.

- a) In the event of a tie, each team on the submission of their team list will provide the duty official/opposing Captain with a sealed envelope containing the name of one player selected to represent the team in a sudden-death single match play play-off.
- b) Once this envelope is received by the Duty official, no change in the selected person may take place for any reason, including injury, absence, or illness.
- c) This sudden-death match will commence from the first tee at which the match commenced no more than 15 minutes after the final match has left the course.
- d) Should a result not be possible through this means of a playoff due to poor light or weather conditions, a count-out procedure will be conducted from player 1 to player 6.