

# MANAWATU – WANGANUI GOLF INCORPORATED

## WEEKEND PENNANT CONDITIONS 2019

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1. The amalgamation of two clubs or more shall be permitted subject to the approval of the District.
2. Teams will consist of two players. **Handicap index 11.5 – 25.0.** Players must have full playing rights at the club they are representing. If a player has Full Playing Rights at more than one club, they may only represent one club.
3. The competition is singles Match Play on handicap, alongside a 4Ball Best Ball match. A player on a higher handicap may play but must play off the appropriate handicap for a 25.0 index.
4. If a club has two teams, e.g. A & B, two players must be named for each team on the date of the first round. Reserves do not need to be named but once they have played two rounds (i.e. two Sundays) for one team they are deemed to be a member of that team.
5. If a club has a team in both Weekend Pennants and Championship Pennants, the lowest handicap players must play in the Championship Pennant team.
6. Reporting times are by 8.45am, teeing off at 9.00am. A two tee start will occur subject to the club of the day's requirements.
7. Late arrival. Players are to start their match on time. If they arrive at their starting point, ready to play, within five minutes after their starting time, the penalty for failure to start on time is loss of the first hole. Otherwise the penalty is disqualification. Rule 6-3 (Exception: where the committee decides that exceptional circumstances have prevented a player from starting on time, there is no penalty.) This will be determined by the District Representative on the day.
8. Each team to have a nominated Captain (who may or may not be a player) who is responsible for writing up the playing team in handicap order.
9. Players are to leave the course when the match is finished. No match is to go beyond the 18<sup>th</sup> hole. Players are to verify with each other and write up their result.
10. Clubs unable to field a full team should notify the District Convenor, of the numbers of players available, no later than 5pm on the previous day. The District Member will notify the opposing club. If one player defaults the remaining player plays at the number 1 position. The 4BBB can still be played. If no players are available the Club will default to their opposition.
11. Points -                    Game won = 1 point      Game halved = ½ point
  - i. Team win = 2 points      Team half = 1 point
  - ii. Team default – the opposing team is awarded 3 points
  - iii. There is a total of 5 points to be won.
12. If a club has two teams entered in the competition, and one defaults to the other, no points will be awarded to the team that is defaulted to.

13. Abandoning play – In the event of the course being deemed unplayable, the District Member running the day will make a decision. The following conditions to apply:

If 9 Holes have been completed by the field and play has to be abandoned, the 9 Hole result will stand.

If 9 Holes have not been completed by the field the spare day stated in the programme will be used in consultation with the host club.

14. In the event of any round being cancelled, the spare day stated in the programme will be used.

15. In the event of the two programmed spare days being already used, the points will be halved.

16. Finals Day – if two or more teams are tied, there will be no playoff – the Title to be shared.

17. The committee of the day reserves the right to impose penalties for late arrival to the tee and or slow play.

18. Each Club holding a Pennant shall have at least one Club Member acting as an official on the day.

19. Raffles - The Club Hosting the Pennant shall provide 2 raffle items or 4 if Championship Pennants is also playing. The District Committee will bear half the cost at approximate value of \$10.00 per prize.

**Please note: it is the Club's responsibility to ensure that their Pennant Players are aware of what is required of their players when they are selected.**