BACK TO GOLF! - WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT WHS

HOW THE SYSTEM WORKS

You now have a HANDICAP INDEX rather than a handicap. This is an average of your best 8 scores from the last 20 scores. If you have the MyEG app you can view your last 20 scores and which ones are counting in your best 8. Anyone not able to view their scores, please just ask I will print them out for you.

So imagine your 20 scores in a stack, in date order, oldest at the bottom. In the stack are your 8 counting cards. Every time you enter a new score it goes on the top of the stack and removes one from the bottom. The computer then checks for your 8 best scores again. Your HANDICAP INDEX will not change unless the last score you entered has altered your best 8 scores by adding or removing a good score. This may not happen very often. If there is a change it will not happen until midnight.

A poor score in a QUALIFYING COMPETITION will most likely NOT affect your HANDICAP INDEX.

HOW DO I KNOW HOW MANY SHOTS I GET IN A COMPETITION?

To find out how many shots you get you need to go to the SLOPE CHART.

HANDICAP INDEX on the SLOPE CHART = COURSE HANDICAP.

Different competition formats have different ALLOWANCES. For medal and stableford competitions you are allowed 95% of your COURSE HANDICAP. For a 4 ball better ball it is 85% and 100% for matchplay.

COURSE HANDICAP x ALLOWANCE = PLAYING HANDICAP

GOOD NEWS! For a QUALIFYING COMPETITION you will need to sign in on the computer and your PLAYING HANDICAP will appear on the screen.

After your round your score will need entering on the computer just as you have done in the past.

SLOPE CHART, COMPETITION ALLOWANCE REDUCTION CHART & NINE HOLE HANDICAP CHARTS WILL BE BY THE PRO SHOP AND EVENTUALLY IN THE LOCKER ROOM