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Windymill Golf Club
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Challenge Cup 2015

Sunday 30th August 2015

**Format**

- The Challenge Cup is a team match play event between East of Scotland and West of Scotland
- This is the new format of 18 holes in match play in fourball betterball
- A fourball match consists of two teams of two players competing directly against each other. All four golfers play their own ball throughout the round, and each hole is won by the team whose member has the lowest score
- The match play format is **two points for a hole won**, if a player has a better net score, a player wins the hole for his team it wins the hole. If both teams **half a hole, they both have one point**. A hole lost is no points
- In the case of any absent playing partner, a side may be represented by either partner for a fourballs match; both partners need not to be present. An absent partner may join his partner between holes, but not during play of a hole. (R&A Rule 31-2)
- Hole points are accumulated over 18 holes
- Team with most hole points wins Challenge Cup
- If both points are tied, the previous winner retains the Cup

Handicap information

- Handicap allowances for the pairs match play format is that the player with the lowest handicap plays off scratch and concedes strokes to the other three players based on $\frac{1}{4}$ of the difference between the full handicaps
- An table example of how this works is shown below

Team	Full Handicap	$\frac{1}{4}$ Handicap	Playing Handicap
Team Player A	4	3	0
Team Player A	14	11	8
Team Player B	8	6	3
Team Player B	18	14	11

Who can take part?

- All players must be a member of Scottish Deaf Golf Association. If that person is not a member of Scottish Deaf Golf Association, that person has to apply for SDGA membership along with a membership fee at £20.00 until 31 January 2016.
- Two playing captains representing East of Scotland and West of Scotland shall be appointed as soon as possible
- Playing captains are to invite 5 players to join a team
- Registration Fee @ £25.00 per player upon arrival (including 18 holes of golf but no catering)

Schedule:**Sunday 30th August 2015**

10.45am	Player Meeting at the Clubhouse
11.40am	First Match Onwards
4.30pm	Trophy Presentation (approximately)

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