

**ANNEX B TO  
2022 CONSOLIDATED PENNANT REGULATIONS**

**2022 WOMEN'S PENNANT REGULATIONS**

**1. The Competition**

- 1.1** The competition will consist of six Divisions.
- 1.2** Each Division will consist of a maximum of eight teams.
- 1.3** Each team will consist of seven players.
- 1.4** The competition will be played as per the following:
  - 1.4.1** For Divisions consisting of eight teams the competition will be played over seven rounds and a final. Each team will host one round, with the exception of one team who will neither host nor play any opponent on their home course. The team that does not host a round will be selected at random.
  - 1.4.2** For Divisions consisting of seven teams the competition will be played over seven rounds and a final. All contests will be played on a neutral course and the host club will receive a bye in that round.
  - 1.4.3** For Divisions with six teams the competition will be played over five rounds and a final. Each team will host one round, with the exception of one team who will neither host nor play any opponent on their home course. The team that does not host a round will be selected at random.
  - 1.4.4** For Divisions consisting of five teams the competition will be played over five rounds and a final. All contests will be played on a neutral course and the host club will receive a bye in that round.
  - 1.4.5** For Divisions with four teams the competition will be played over three rounds and a final. Each team will host one round, with the exception of one team who will neither host nor play any opponent on their home course. The team that does not host a round will be selected at random.
- 1.5** Players may only play in one Match per round.

**2. Divisions**

**2.1 Division One**

- 2.1.1** Clubs may only be represented by one team.
- 2.1.2** Contests will be played on a Sunday.
- 2.1.3** The competition will be played over seven rounds and a final.
- 2.1.4** All matches are to be played 'off the stick' and played to their conclusion continuing from the first hole played.

- 2.1.5** In order to qualify to play in the final a player must have played a minimum of one round in any Division of Women's Pennants. Matches listed as a reserve do not register as a game played.
- 2.1.6** At the completion of the qualifying rounds, an eighteen-hole final will be played between the two leading teams.
- 2.1.7** The club finishing in last position will be relegated into Division Two the following year.

## **2.2 Divisions Two and Three**

- 2.2.1** Clubs may only be represented by one team in each Division.
- 2.2.2** Contests will be played on a Monday.
- 2.2.3** The competition will be played over seven rounds and a final.
- 2.2.4** All matches are to be played 'off the stick' and played to their conclusion continuing from the first hole played.
- 2.2.5** In order to qualify to play in the final a player must have played a minimum of two Matches in that Division or lower and not have played a greater number of Matches in a higher Division, unless both teams are in the final. Matches listed as a reserve do not register as a game played.
- 2.2.6** At the completion of the qualifying rounds, an eighteen-hole final will be played between the two leading teams in each Division.
- 2.2.7** The winning Division Two and Three clubs will be promoted into Divisions One and Two respectively for the following year, subject to clauses 2.1.1 and 2.2.1.
- 2.2.8** The club finishing in last position in Division Two will be relegated into Division Three the following year.

## **2.3 Divisions Four, Five and Six**

- 2.3.1** Clubs may only be represented by one team in each Division.
- 2.3.2** Contests will be played on a Monday.
- 2.3.3** The competition will be played over the following number of rounds based on the number of teams per division:
  - Division Four, Five and Six – seven rounds
- 2.3.4** All matches are to be played as Handicap Match Play and should a match finish 'all square' at the completion of eighteen holes the match will be treated as a half.  
The following handicap restrictions apply:

Division 4	Max. GA Handicap 21.0
Division 5	Max. GA Handicap 30.0
Division 6	Max. GA Handicap 35.0

Players possessing a GA Handicap above these maximums are eligible to play, however they must play off the maximum handicap afforded for that Division.

- 2.3.5** Players must play in daily handicap order with the lowest handicap player at position one.
- 2.3.6** The team finishing at the top of the ladder at the completion of the final round will win the pennant.