

## GOLFWA PENNANTS

### INCLEMENT WEATHER/ WEATHER DELAYS/ BAD LIGHT

**As per the Pennant regulations the host club committee and/or official determines the playability of the course and safety of competitors, caddies and supporters together with actioning any suspension, resumption and cancellation of play.**

It is GolfWA's recommendation that, where possible, every endeavour to complete matches and contests on the fixtured day. Failing an improvement in weather conditions or bad light the following procedures will apply;

Incomplete contests and matches **WILL NOT** reconvene at a later date, and as such a result must be determined on the day of the fixture.

Unless a definitive result has occurred (e.g. in a seven man team four or more matches have been completed, and at least four have been won by one team), the contest will be deemed a half.

Should a club be hosting two fixtures in a day (both AM and PM), and the AM match is affected or delayed by weather or bad light or general pace of play, players must discontinue play in time to allow afternoon rounds to commence as per their scheduled fixtures. For matches not finished in the AM fixture refer to above paragraph and below scenarios.

#### **Examples:**

##### *Scenario One*

Five matches have been completed prior to suspension of play and the committee determines that play will not resume.

Team 'A' has won two matches, team 'B' has won three, two matches are yet to be completed.

As neither team has won four or more matches, the contest will be deemed a half and the teams will receive equal points.

##### *Scenario Two*

Five matches have been completed prior to suspension of play and the committee determines that play will not resume.

Team 'A' has won four matches, team 'B' has won one match, two matches are yet to be completed.

As team 'A' has won more than half of the matches in the contest (four from seven), they will be deemed the winners of the contest. Completed match results will stand, unfinished matches will be deemed halves.

##### *Scenario Three*

No matches have been completed prior to suspension of play and the committee determines that play will not continue.

The contest will be deemed a half and the teams will receive equal points.

##### *Scenario Four*

If the course is deemed playable and any team(s) elect not to play will not be awarded any points for the contest.

**Note: GolfWA reserves the right to alter any of these conditions at any time.**