

HAMPSHIRE SURREY AND WEST SUSSEX WINTER LEAGUE

2026/27 SEASON RULES

Revised – 22/04/2026

- 1. Matches to be played off Yellow Plates where possible if not then from Yellow Tees.**
- 2. The Format is 4BBB with both Captains presenting the teams on the morning of the match. Everyone to use the IG App with both Captains agreeing the shots.**
- 3. Teams to be 10 man team aged 55 years before the day of the match, with 2 reserves when possible.**
- 4. Handicaps,[maximum playing handicap of 18].**
- 5. Where possible matches to be played on Mondays.**
- 6. Each team to play home and away with the best endeavour to keep the sides the same for both matches.**
- 7. Matches still to go ahead on temporary greens. Irrespective of holes available if both captains agree.**
- 8. Matches to be postponed only on the day of the match with the team captain informing their organiser who would in turn inform the opposition's organiser no later than 7:30am. However under certain circumstances (carry only, temporary greens, poor course conditions) then the match can be postponed the day before with both captains agreeing. This should not be used with weather forecast. Postponement will have to be for valid reason and agreed by both captains. A common sense approach needs to be applied.**
- 9. Should a match be postponed, the match to be rearranged by the club organizer. The rearranged match should be played as soon as possible but must be played by 31st March, if this is not possible the points to be shared between the Clubs 2 1/2 each. Paul Gowers must be informed of the match cancellation and rearranged match if there is one.**
- 10. Please warn opposing sides if there is a buggy ban on your course, in case some of their players are unable to walk.**
- 11. Each win per pair counts as one point and a halved game, half a point. In the case of two or three teams with equal points at the end of each season, the team which has won the most matches will be the winner. If a tie, the team which has lost the least matches will be the winner.**
- 12. Each host Club to provide breakfast prior to the match, the cost and times to be advised to the opposing Club captain prior to the match.**
- 13. All match results should be communicated to Paul Gowers by email
paul.gowers@me.com**
- 14. Paul Gowers of Guildford Golf Club will give all clubs an updated league Table following each fixture date and update a new web site.**

15. The League Chairman is Keith Brown of Puttenham Golf Club and all queries or issues should be directed to him by email keitha.brown32@gmail.com