



EASTHAMPSTEAD LADIES DECISIONS BOOK

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Updated June 2025

GENERAL DECISIONS

Use of Buggy by Players in Competitions

Aug 2005	A buggy can be used by player if 60 years of age or older A buggy can be used by player if required for medical reasons.
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Club Colours

2007	An alternative colour for club sweaters (Red) was introduced
2010	An alternative colour for club shirts (Red) for summer comps was introduced
April 2014	Agreed new logo would be based on Club badge
May 2015	Agreed that white "bottoms" could be worn in summer

Club Pins

Nov 2010	New members will receive a club pin, and existing members will also be issued with same. (members wishing a replacement or extra pin will be asked to pay £3 (January 2011))
May 2022	Pins no longer provided

Golf insurance

Nov 2016	All members to be included
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Club Announcements

Jan 2013	Any announcements made to the Yahoo Group should also be printed and placed on the Noticeboard for the benefit of those members not on the Group email
Feb 2023	Club Announcements will be made via the easthampstead-ladies-golf-club@googlegroups.com email address. These will also be shared to the ELGC Facebook page. Agreed Minutes of Committee Meeting will be published on the webpage https://www.easthampsteadgolfclub.co.uk/ in the Ladies area in the Committee section. The latest version of the club Decision Book – this document- will be saved in https://www.easthampsteadgolfclub.co.uk/ in the Ladies area in the Committee section.

AGM

Nov 2013	Agreed the AGM would be the last Thursday of October rather than the first Thursday of November due to the clash with the curry night at the complex
Nov 2019	Agreed the AGM would be moved to first Thursday in November – better attendance as not in half term

Open

Jan 2015	Agreed no Open would be held in 2015
Nov 2016	Agreed no open until further notice due to cost implications for green fee

England Golf Email

Sep 2017	The County sent out an email from England Golf regarding CASC clubs (Community Amateur Sports Clubs), and suggesting that registration needs to be confirmed. Looking at the HMRC website, this is not something we need to currently be concerned about.
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Club Constitution

Oct 2017 AGM	Minor grammatical amendments made. Sub Governance committee recommendations adopted after review at AGM
June 2025	Agreed that Constitution should be reviewed every 3 years starting in 2025.

MEMBERSHIP AND HANDICAPS

Joining Fee and Subs

Nov 2006 AGM	£35 joining fee. £50 yearly subs.
Sept 2009	Consideration will be given by the committee for players who are not up to the standard of playing 135 strokes for 18 holes. We will “hold” their subs until they have played with a member of the committee for assessment.
Nov 2009 AGM	Members who have served 20 years plus and have served on the committee, their membership should be offered at half the general subscription. Should the member wish to pay the full amount, then the remainder should be shown as a donation from that member. This decision rescinded Jan 2017
Nov 2009 AGM	Junior membership: No joining fee for Juniors and their subscription will be £20 or pro rata according to joining date (this to be reviewed when general membership subscriptions are reviewed). This will apply up to the age of 17. 18 year olds will be eligible for the general rule.
Jan 2011	Clarify criteria for accepting new members: applicant plays with member of committee for assessment; guideline 135 strokes. On submission of the first card: Conditions of the course (weather etc) should be taken into consideration, together with feedback from committee member, then, if, after consultation with handicap secretary, the applicant meets the guidelines, being able to have a card scoring 135, they should be invited to join. If applicant does not meet the guidelines, their membership is held until there is improvement. The potential of the applicant should be also be taken into account.
Jan 2017	Any new members to be invited to play a friendly card before submitting cards if they wish to do so.
March 2011	If an applicant does not meet the guidelines for membership, they should be offered a “social membership” at £35. This will only apply to new members, not existing.
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Feb 2023	<p>Junior Girls who are members of the Easthampstead Junior Club should be asked to pay a nominal £10 membership fee to join ELGC (less than the £20 fee chargeable to a junior who is not a member elsewhere)</p> <p>Girls entering a Club Competition must pay the £3 entry fee as other members do.</p> <p>Girls must be members of the ELGC and compete in four qualifying competitions to be eligible for the Club Championships – (as must all members of the club) in order to compete in our most prestigious event of the year.</p> <p>Girls who want to ‘try out’ club play are most welcome to do so at no fee for 2/3 rounds – (as with any other new prospective member). Should they go onto join the club these rounds can count towards qualifying rounds for the Championships.</p> <p>We would generally expect junior girls joining our Competitions to be prepared to play without parents supporting them around the course. New members, as always, would be suitably placed in the Order of play for the day.</p>
November AGM 2023	Unanimous agreement to increase annual subscription to £65
February 2025	<p>The Committee reviewed ELGC Membership Categories as follows:</p> <p>Full Member which gives full access to all ELGC activities, includes a mandatory subscription to England Golf (EG), Berkshire Women's Golf (BWG), and National Association of Public Golf (NAPGC), together with GolfGuard Insurance. It is to be expected that full members will be able to complete 18 holes in a maximum of 135 strokes.</p> <p>A joining fee is payable on the first year of membership.</p> <p>Junior Membership: For girls under 18.</p> <p>Reduced rate for girls also members of Easthampstead Junior Club</p>

	<p>Associate Membership: Available at the discretion of the Committee, usually to past full members who no longer play golf but wish to maintain contact with the club, keep up to date with ELGC news and attend non golf ELGC functions</p> <p>Social Membership: Is no longer offered</p> <p>County Membership: Is no longer offered</p>

Handicap Committee

Feb 2010	Handicap committee will be made up of current year's Captain, VC, handicap Secretary and Competitions Secretary.
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CLUB COMPETITIONS (to be read in conjunction with Details of Club Competitions document)

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Oct 2017 AGM	Agreement to increase all competition fees from £2 to £3 w.e.f 1 st January 2018
Feb 2023	A competition fee (£3) is payable whenever a player signs up for a club tee time and a prize is awarded.
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Nov 2023 - Committee	Competitions and Partial Course Closure Any Thursday / Weekend Competition can be played over 9 or 13 holes dependant on the number of holes open. Decision can be made on the day by Committee members who are present.

Match Fees

Nov 2012-AGM	From 1 st January 2013, the following increases to apply: <i>£15 when playing away (weekend or weekday)</i> <i>£5 season ticket holders at home (wkend or wkday)</i> <i>£10 non-season ticket holders at home on weekdays</i> <i>£15 non season ticket holders at home on weekends.</i>
Oct 2013 AGM	With immediate effect, the following to apply: £12 when playing away (weekend or weekday) £5 season ticket holders at home (weekend or weekday) £10 non-season ticket holders at home on weekdays

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Club Championship

July 2006	The eclectic will be calculated on full handicap. This only applies to Club Championship not the general eclectic comp run throughout the year
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Nov 2011 AGM	Club championship to be held over one weekend, ie Saturday and Sunday.
Nov 2014 AGM	The Committee proposed for next year's Club Championship, in order to hopefully have a larger field than this year, that the Thursday before the weekend of the Club Championship be designated an alternative date for the first round, with all players playing together on the Sunday. If any ladies normally playing at the weekend, could not do the Saturday, then they could elect to play on the Thursday.
May 2015	It was agreed that the Sunday before the first Round 1 on the Thus is the cut-off date for a decision by Members as to which day they play their first round of club championship, no change can be made after that date.
May 2015	New plate trophy was introduced – The Revival Trophy is open to any player in the Club Champs Round 2, who, in Round 1 was 10 or more shots (net) behind the top score of Round 1. The winner is the player who has the most improved score in Round 2 from Round 1.
Sep 2016	The committee approved eligibility for club champ to be: all competitors must have played in 4 qualifier competitions to enter (which can include all handicap cards)
June 2019	Due to exceptional circumstances the committee decided that for the 2019 club championship the defending champion would be allowed to play on the morning of the final round before the designated first tee time with a committee member marking her card. Her score will be made available for anyone wishing to know it. The decision was reached primarily because the request came from the defending champion and any future requests will be considered by the committee on an individual basis.
June 2022	<p>Club Championships. At the request of the Handicap Secretary the Committee clarified how prizes are awarded for the Club Championship 2022 onwards:</p> <p>Prizes are awarded for Gross winner, gross second and gross third place -(removing the gross eclectic prize)</p> <p>There is a prize for Nett winner (this can't be the same person as the Gross winner)</p> <p>There is a prize for Nett Eclectic (this can be the nett winner)</p>
May 2023	<p>Club championship competitions</p> <p>Full rules relating to all competitions associated with the Club Championship weekend reviewed by the Committee</p>

	<p>April 2023 in the Club Competitions document (and to be read with the Decision Book)</p> <p>Committee agreed that in the case of a tie for Gross Club Champion then the winner is decided by countback.</p>
September 2024	<p>Club Championships. Clarification of prizes to include runner up Net prize</p> <p>Prizes are awarded for Gross winner, gross second and gross third place</p> <p>There is a prize for Nett winner (this can't be the same person as the Gross winner) and nett runner up</p> <p>There is a prize for Nett Eclectic (this can be the nett winner)</p>

All Qualifying and Trophy Competition.

May 2008	<p><u>Playing on an alternative date</u> – where ladies are representing club on same day as qualifier or trophy within the club, players will be allowed to play on another date that the captain will designate, as near as possible to within a week of original competition. All players involved must play on the same alternative date offered by the captain.</p> <p>This does not apply to medals; they must be played on the designated date.</p>
Oct 2015	<p>A subcommittee was set up to review following a question from Members as to whether to play off stones or tees of the day. The subcommittee recommend changes and the committee agreed to adopt the recommendations. The main changes are for Summer Golf, points 2 and 3.</p> <p>Winter Golf: Play is from mats on all tees, 1st November to 31st March. Weekend tees change to start at 11.00</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All qualifying competitions will play off the mats(except medals in Nov, Feb and Mar – when they are to be played off stones). This will apply to all holes except 10, when play will be from the stone(normal grass tee).Playing from the mats shortens the course by just under 100 yards and therefore it will remain within qualifying length. 2. If temporary greens are put into play that cause the course to be shortened further, different tees

	<p>may need to be used to maintain the course within qualifying length for any qualifying competition.(Monthly medals, Stablefords and Winter League)</p> <p>Summer Golf: 1st April to 31st October. Weekend tees change to start at 13:04</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All medal rounds and medal trophy competitions are to be played off the stones. 2. All other competitions are to be played off the tees of the day (red blocks). 3. Stableford competitions will be separated between weekend and weekday, in the same way as medals. 4. No prize money will be given if fewer than 5 players arrive for any competition. However, one person would still win the competition and Medal/Stableford memento.
April 2022	All competitions to be played from the tee of the day

Medal & Other Competitions

July 2009	Winter medals (qualifying) will be reintroduced in November, with the exemption of Months December and January, providing we have permission to play off the official marker stones for these competitions.
Mar 2012	There will only be a prize winner for medals, no runner up prize, and the same for stableford. (note: dependent on Club Funds, from 2015, more prizes given)
Nov 2013	A new competition for the 36 handicappers was introduced to be played in conjunction with the medal and will be called a “medalford”. This is so that the 36 handicappers could play the medal as a stableford, but they still need to put gross score on the card instead of nil return. Prizes will be given for the winner every quarter
Dec 2014	Agreed that the qualifying handicap for a Medalford is to be extended to 33 and above but the players must complete their card and not submit a nil return
Jan 2015	Agreed that the qualifying handicap for a Medalford is to be extended to 30 and above but the players must complete their card and not submit a nil return.
Dec 2019	Agreed to change the qualifying for the outside competition – Daily Mail Foursome – from open to all in club to Captain and Vice Captain
October 2021	Agreed to change the qualifying for the outside competition – Daily Mail Foursome – Back to open to all in club from Captain and Vice Captain

June 2023	<p>Winter League format.</p> <p>The structure of the Winter League competition changed to encourage more players and to avoid light issues in the middle of the winter.</p> <p>5 Winter league competitions over the winter months.</p> <p>Lowest aggregate of 3 best Stapleford scores wins. Play to be over 13 holes and therefore a non qualifying comp- (players can of course continue the round to 18 holes and submit a general play card if they wish.) A separate competition is held for Thursday and Weekend ladies.</p>
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Rabbits Cup

Nov 2011 AGM	The qualifying handicaps for this competition to be 28 – 36.
March 2018	The qualifying handicaps for this competition to be a course handicap of 28 upwards

Format for Mixed Competitions

2009	The serving captain will decide on the format for each competition as and when necessary, such as numbers playing, late tee times etc. Important to show format to be played on the signing up form
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Eclectic Competition

May 2019	In the case of a tie the standard countback rule applies
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Pars and Birdie Tree

Nov 2008	Everyone will be included in the par and birdie trees. Club will organise ladies' evenings/fun events to raise money to cover the loss of entry fees for these competitions.
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New Trophy

Nov 2010	<p>Captains Trophy. For the player who achieves the best overall results for all club– stapleford and medal comps. Points awarded to the first 5 players in the medals and stapleford comps during the year. Medals to be treated as one competition (Thurs and weekend combined). It recognises and rewards a player who plays in more competitions and comes in the top end of the field i.e. the most consistent player of the year. So 6 points for a 1st place and 5 for a 2nd place and so on player with most points over the year wins the trophy.</p>
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Nov 2018	Points will be awarded to the top 6 players in the medals and stableford competitions throughout the year. It recognises and rewards a player who plays in more competitions and comes in the top end of the field (the most consistent player of the year). A maximum of one weekday stableford and medal, and one weekend stableford and medal per month will be used. Wherever possible the results from the weekday and weekend medals and stablefords will be amalgamated and treated as one competition. Where there is no equivalent competition to amalgamate the weekday and weekend competitions will be treated separately using whatever competition is available in the order of priority: 18 hole, 13/14 hole and finally 9 hole. 6 points are awarded for a 1st place, 5 for a 2nd place and so on. The player with most points over the year wins the trophy.
May 2015	Revival trophy donated by Anne Butcher – The Revival Trophy is open to any player in the Club Champs Round 2, who, in Round 1 was 10 or more shots (net) behind the top score of Round 1. The winner is the player who has the most improved score in Round 2 from Round 1.
Oct 2016	Founders Trophy, presented by Jean Mellor. Presented to the player with the best net score and played alongside the gross competition: Bute Cup (medal).
May 2019	Richard Lake Memorial Trophy – it was agreed that the club would pay half towards this trophy and the competition would be played along side the Roberts Cup
October 2023	Changes to dates for Putter of the Year trophy It was decided that this trophy should be awarded to fit in with our golf calendar year November – October and therefore can be announced at the AGM Prize giving. Commencing with award in November 2023.
October 2023	Changes to Most Improved Player of the Year award. This trophy will be awarded to the Home player with a most improved handicap over the golf calendar year November – October. Commencing November 2023

Measuring Devices

Nov 2009	GPS (yardage measurers) can be used in our competitions, apart from the EWGA medals, as EWGA does not allow this equipment to be used.
Feb 2010	EWGA have agreed medals GPS and DMD will be allowed.
June 2010	Measuring devices – confirmation that they were allowed to be used it is permissible to exchange distance information

	with others, but device cannot be handed over for use by anyone else. (confirmed with R&A June 2010)
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Plugged Balls in the Rough

Feb 2010	Balls plugged in the rough – agreed we have local rule of ball being plugged in the rough, player can roll out.
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Trophies

Jan 2015	Decided that any NAPGC Trophies won by Club members would be engraved at the Club's expense
June 2014	Agreed to replace any trophies which were felt were in need of replacing.

Dormant Competitions

April 2023	BATTLE OF THE SEXES TROPHY (Claret Jug) 4BBB Match- play against Downshire Men originally Feb but Summer would be better
	First Played Feb 2008. As many pairs' as possible of ladies to play match-play 4BB against Downshire Men. Men play off the men's stroke index and ladies play off the lady's stroke index. Lowest handicap player plays off scratch. Stroke allowance for each of the other 3 players is 90% of the difference between their handicap and that of the lowest handicap player. The Men play off the white tees, ladies off red.
	Has not been played in recent years as DGC declined to play April 2023 – Competition reviewed. Currently ELGC have no space in their calendar to accommodate this event nor has there been any interest from Downshire Men to play the fixture so competition will remain dormant. Historical details of comp to remain in place should there be a wish to revive fixture in the future.

Suspended Play Provisions

<u>June 2023</u>	<p>These rules come into play when 'play is suspended' by the Complex;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Players to follow the Rules of Golf when leaving the course, for example to mark their ball so that it can be replaced on returning; • Players to wait for one hour to see if play can be resumed; • If play cannot be resumed (or players are subsequently called
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	<p>off again), and if everybody has completed 9 holes, then the Competition will revert to a 9 hole competition; and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If some players have not completed 9 holes the Competition will be abandoned on the day and the Committee will take a decision about whether it will be replayed at a future date.
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	* normally only applied if the match tee times start in peak hours, and Complex charges a supplement.
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Club Championship

Oct 2011	No subsidy for non-season ticket holders in club championship, as more and more ladies do not have Season Ticket.
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Friendly Matches - Expenses

Aug 2011	HurstGC – both clubs pay their own green fees, catering provided by Host club. West Berks GC - host club pays green fees, visitors pay for their own catering Tylney Park GC – host club pays green fees, visitors pay for their own catering Royal Ascot GC – host club pays for everything.
May 2012	The Army GC - host club pays for everything. Blue Mountain GC –no food, host club pays green fees Hoebridge GC – Host club pays for everything. Weybrooke Park GC – host club pays green fees, visitors pay for own food.
June 2014	Royal Ascot GC – ELGC to provide “proper” tea, ie sandwiches, cake, tea/coffee after home matches
Jan 2016	Bradfield College – New mid-week friendly
Nov 2016	Hennerton – New Mid-week friendly
Nov 2016	Change to friendly fixtures following closure of some clubs. We now hold 2 away and 2 at home and these matches alternate each year. Added Hennerton and Bradfield College. Away matches – ELGC players pay match fee and club covers any cost for food (if applicable). Home matches - ELGC players pay match fee and visitors pay cost of food at an agreed rate of £7.50 per person (except Ascot as we have a reciprocal agreement with them).
Jan 2017	Mapledurham Friendly – new friendly, host club pays green fees and hospitality which is coffee/tea and cake.
Feb 2023	In light of the financial burden on the Club of funding Friendly Matches in the existing format all Friendly Matches to be cancelled from Summer 2023 onwards until further notice

Expenses - Committee

2009	Committee members holding office have a small amount to compensate for expenses (telephone etc) this was a long standing decision. Updated 2009 – clarification: Captain £25; Vice Captain £15; Secretary £15; Treasurer £15; Handicap Secretary £15; Membership £15; Competition Secretary £15; County Representative £15; County Comp Secretary £10; Bronze League organiser £10. Any lady not wishing to accept the above expenses, it should be shown as a donation back to the club.
Oct 2013	Any lady not wishing to claim expenses, show as a donation back to the club – decision rescinded
Oct 2013	Captain's Remuneration increased to £100 and also receives the benefit of not paying subs for the Captaincy Year.
Oct 2024	Committee agreed that remuneration should only be offered to Captain

Travelling/Accommodation etc

Mar 2011	Travel - increase the allowance per mile to 20p
Mar 2012	We will no longer pay accommodation allowance.
April 2022	The Club will no longer pay travel expenses

Prizes

2011	<i>For this year only</i> medals to have a small token, plus voucher as prize (1 st £15 and 2nd £10).
2011	<i>For this year only</i> For stablefords, a voucher for prize (£15) for winner only.
2011	Club Championship – token prize for winner of Gross, Net and Bronze for them to keep. Putter of the club championship has trophy to keep, so this is bought each year.
Mar 2012	There will only be a winner prize for medals, no runner up prize, and the same for stableford.
Jan 2017	Prizes for the forthcoming year to be assessed by Captain and current Treasurer at the beginning of the year based on affordability within club funds

40th Anniversary

Oct 2015	40 th Anniversary sub-Committee requested a contribution of £1,000 towards expenses not covered by donations etc. This was approved by the Committee.
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50th Anniversary

Feb 2025	50 th Anniversary sub-Committee requested a contribution towards expenses not covered by donations etc. The Committee offered a maximum of £1500
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