

accident or other emergency, a reserve may be substituted into the original team selection in a position agreed by the Team Captains as allowed by 13 below. Where this agreement cannot be reasonably reached the substitute must play in the same position in the playing order, in foursomes and singles, as the withdrawn player. Re-instatement of the original player is not permitted.

8. In the event of a MATCH being cancelled for any reason it shall be considered as a TIED MATCH.
MATCH POINTS: Each county: 1 point
GAME POINTS: Each county: 7.5 points (3 tied foursomes & 12 tied singles) for South zone
Each county: 5 points (2 tied foursomes & 4 tied singles) for North zone.
9. In the event of a MATCH being suspended for any reason, the MATCH result shall be decided by the foursome and single GAMES which have been concluded. All GAMES unfinished or not played shall be deemed to be tied so long as all the foursomes or all the singles have been finished. If this is not possible Rule 8 above applies.
10. In the event of play being suspended for any reason, it shall only be restarted if:
 - a. during the foursomes, there is sufficient time for all games to be concluded by 13:00.
 - b. during the singles, there is sufficient time for all games to be concluded by 19:00.
11. Play will be under the NCGU Hard Card available on the NCGU website (NCGU.co.uk), and additional Local Rules as necessary which will be issued to all players.
12. All games shall be played over 18 holes of Foursomes match play and 18 holes of Singles match play, and may end in a tie and not be extended (Rules of Golf 3.2a), but in the event of adverse weather conditions or state of the course, and if no play has commenced in either the foursomes or singles, a stipulated round of not less than 12 holes may be agreed by Captains of the County teams for the singles GAMES, and shall count for a MATCH result.
13. The Captains of County teams decide;
 - a. any point that may arise regarding a MATCH
 - b. any point which may arise during any GAME where the players fail to reach agreement.
 - c. when and if play should be suspended, abandoned or restarted, Rules of Golf 5.7a, 5.7b and 5.7c apply.

The host county will appoint a Referee who may be called upon to make a decision if all the above has failed to reach an agreement, and this decision will be final.

NOTE. The Captains shall not overrule any decision by officials of the host club who may suspend or abandon play in the event of weather affecting the condition of their course.

14. Advice Allowed (Rules of Golf 24.4)
 - a. Each county may appoint one non-playing advice giver who may give advice to members of that team. Such person must be identified to the opposing county before the first GAME tees off.
 - b. That person may **not**:
 - i. Walk on the putting green
 - ii. Give advice to a player on or around the putting green when the player's ball lies on or has been lifted from the putting green.