

OBTAINING A NEW HANDICAP

New members who have not previously held an official handicap are required to submit scores from 54 holes of golf played at Mapperley. This may consist of any mix of 9 hole or 18 hole cards (the preference is for 3 x 18 hole scores).

The scores for each round should be recorded on scorecards as follows:

1. Add your name and the date to the scorecard and write *"For Handicap"* in the 'Competition' box.
2. Indicate which tees you will be playing from by ticking the appropriate box on the other side of the scorecard.
3. Give the scorecard to another player to record your scores on each hole.
4. Keep a record of your own scores as you play.
5. After the round agree the scores for each hole with your marker and both sign the scorecard.
6. When you have completed scorecards from 54 holes of golf at Mapperley, post the scorecards in the letter-box outside the office (men) or in the scorecard box in the locker room (ladies).

Playing in Competitions

After the allocation of your initial '**Handicap Index**', you are required to **submit scores from a further 3 rounds** (9 hole or 18 hole) played in club competitions before you are eligible to win prizes in competitions at Mapperley.

Please make it known to the Pro Shop staff (or Ladies Treasurer for Ladies competitions) when you are playing your initial 3 competition rounds and you will not be charged an entry fee.