

## **The Club at Apple Mountain Multi-Month and Multi-Format Tournament Handicaps**

The Club at Apple Mountain holds some tournaments each year that are played over more than one month and with more than one format, such as the Match Play Championship, Winter League and Summer League.

### **Handicaps to use**

It is possible that matches scheduled for a particular month of the tournament may be played in a later month. It is also possible that matches may be played in a month prior to when the particular format is scheduled.

In order to simplify the handicapping of these tournaments and to minimize the confusion as to which handicaps should be used for which format for each month, it is the policy of the Club to revise handicaps for all formats on the 1st and 15<sup>th</sup> of each month.

It is the responsibility of the players in each match to use the correct handicaps, which are distributed by the person in charge of each tournament. If, for some reason, a match is played with the wrong handicaps, and each of the players in the match agrees to those handicaps, then the handicaps agreed to will be those used in the match, whether or not they are the correct handicaps.

### **Substitutes**

The Club recognizes that the players in these tournaments may have limited availability during certain months of the year. The Club would prefer that the players who signed up to play in these tournaments actually participate in the matches rather than having to secure substitutes.

In cases where a substitute is used

- A player already in the tournament in a different flight may substitute in a flight in which he or she is not otherwise participating
- When a substitute is used, the combined handicaps of the two players, including the substitute, must be within the range of the original total handicaps of the other teams in the flight.