



Rabbits & Inter Golf
High Gosforth Park
2021

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NERGA

(North East Rabbits Golf Association)

(<http://nerga.co.uk/>)

- NERGA was formed in 2010 with the aim of promoting inter club golf in the North East
- NERGA supports 2 different competitions:
- **Rabbits** Golf is a golf competition restricted to golfers who have a competition playing handicap between **14.5 and 28**.
- **Inter** Golf is a golf competition restricted to golfers who have a competition playing handicap between **7 and 14.4**

In 2021 there will be 59 teams participating,

- 34 clubs playing in the Rabbits competition, in 4 different Zones and
- 25 clubs playing in the Inter competition, in 3 different Zones

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- Each Club hosts a home event, attended by other clubs in the Zone
- 8 male players (over age 18) represent a club, but guests also welcome at each event
- Events held on Saturday or Sunday, playing in a 3 ball group with members from other clubs.
- Entry fee is only £11 per event.
- Host club may also put on other competitions on the day, longest drive, 2's club etc
- Scoring system is individual Stableford points, with the top 7 player scores in the team counting towards the team score
- Player scores fed back to home club for an “Away Score” handicap adjustments by the home club Handicap Sec
- A player must be within the relevant Handicap range on 1st April 2021



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- League points awarded to each club at each event (8 points for winning the event, 7 points for second place, ..., 1 point for last place etc).
- But 1 League point deducted if a full team of 8 players does not attend an event.
- End of Season Finals Day - 2 separate events both at Ramside Hall in Oct (Rabbits Saturday 2nd & Inter Saturday 16th)
- Top team and 2nd place team in each Zone qualify for Finals day.
- Top player in each club quality for Finals day (calculated by 3 best scores)
- Finals days will determine:
 - 2021 Team Champion
 - 2021 Individual Player Champion
- Top scoring HGP player at each Event rewarded with sleeve of balls...



Time table

- 21 days before event – Entry Form posted on Rabbits notice board (which is positioned at the bottom of the stairs near the men’s locker room)
- 10 days before event – Entry closed
- 8 days before event – Team selected and details posted on notice board, including start time
- 3 days before event – Players confirm attendance, travel arrangements etc
- 1 hour before tee time – Register at host club



Rabbits v's Inter Challenge

In 2016 we introduced a challenge match between the Inter and Rabbits teams to determine who is the best team in the club.

The event takes place on a Sunday, as part of the normal Mens comp, with 14 players in each team.

After 4 years of trying, the Rabbits team have still not won this challenge match.



Useful info

- NERGA web site <http://nerga.co.uk/>

Contacts

- Inter
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