

## Count-back System

Unless advised in the rules for a particular event, the following count-back method is used:

For 18 hole events the best score for the last 9 holes shall be used; if there is still a tie the last 6 holes, or if still tied the last 3 holes. If a tie still persists then hole by hole back from the 18th.

In 27, 36, 54 and 72 hole events the last 18 holes shall be used and if still tied count-back as in 1 above.

In handicap events the relevant handicap or fraction thereof shall be applied.

Notes:

For a 9 hole event the best score for the last 6 holes shall be used, if there is still a tie the last 3 holes, if a tie still persists then hole by hole back from the 9th hole.

In all cases, the last holes are as per the scorecard, not necessarily as played.

Examples:

- Player 1 has 39 pts with 2 pts on the last & 23 pts on back 9
- Player 2 has 39 pts with 3 pts on the last & 17 pts on back 9

Player 1 wins because they had the higher stableford score on the back 9 (Note: handicap has already been considered in the stableford scoring system)

- Player 1 with a handicap of 25, had a net 70 with a gross score of 45 on back 9
- Player 2 with a handicap of 30, had a net 70 with a gross score of 47 on back 9

Player 1 net score on the back 9 is 32.5 (45-12.5) and Player 2 net score on the back 9 is 32 (47-15), so Player 2 wins the count-back.