

ESSEX GOLF UNION

ESSEX INTER-COUNTY CARD

Rules

1. The County Union may enter into agreements with other County Unions, as determined by the Executive Committee, to maintain the Essex Inter-County Card scheme for the benefit of Golf Clubs affiliated to the County Union/Association, and individual Male or Female members of those clubs.
2. Any Club affiliated to the County Union/Association may join the scheme at no cost on application to the Secretary of the Essex Golf Union. A Club wishing to withdraw from participation may do so at the end of the current calendar year by writing to the Secretary of the Essex Golf Union, provided that three months' notice has been given.
3. The conditions of the Card and the annual fee shall be determined from time to time by the Executive Committee of the Essex Golf Union and Essex Ladies County Golf Association and shall be printed on the Card. Any amendments thereto arising during the year shall be published on the County Union/Association websites.
4. Members of Clubs affiliated to the County Union/Association may apply to the Secretary of the Essex Golf Union on the prescribed form to purchase the Card and on payment of the current fee shall, subject to acceptance, be eligible to receive the benefits of the scheme.
5. A Card holder shall undertake to abide by the rules of the scheme and the conditions of the Card and if he/she should cease to be a member of an affiliated Club the benefits of the Card shall cease at that time and he/she must return his/her card to the Secretary of the Essex Golf Union. The Executive Committee reserves the right to withdraw a member's card at anytime. In respect of lady members, only after consultation with the Essex Ladies' County Golf Association.
6. A member of an affiliated Club may join the scheme whether or not his or her Club itself has joined the Scheme. However only members of Essex Clubs listed in the scheme may take advantage of the reciprocal arrangement we have with other Counties.
7. The annual fee shall fall due for payment in full at the time of the application and subsequently, on renewal, on the 1st day of January each year. In the event of a Card holder not paying the annual fee within three months following the renewal date that person shall cease to be a member of the scheme.