

England Deaf Golf Selection Profile (Order of Merit)

Introduction

England Deaf Golf trialled the Order of Merit for the one year basis and this has proved to be easier to manage. However, on feedback, there were some people that wanted greater clarification on how to gain the points in what position with a clear perspective. This new format is clearer in finding the **best players available** rather than on appearances to events.

The table on the bottom of page will be used which follows the ranking points provided by England Golf to their Mens, Seniors, Ladies and Boys/Girls groups for Internationals.

The revamped Order of Merit has the following changes:

- 1) Removing appearance bonuses
 - 2) Extending places to 32 positions (33rd place and worse share same points)
 - 3) A visual table with positions that shows how many points
 - 4) Tied places will be awarded equal points and not split points

Schedule of Events open to points

- 1) England Deaf Golf Spring Event
 - 2) England Deaf Golf Open Event
 - 3) England Deaf Golf Autumn Event

Points are rewarded to positions finished in the above events.

World Deaf Golf Championships

Top 8 in the table qualify for the Men's team and seniors are selected after. Seniors that place in the top 8 will be given a choice of whether to continue in the Men's event or to be moved to the seniors.

Any senior or player that withdraws from the Team, their place will be offered as a wildcard decided by EDG officials

Once all positions for teams has been selected, Individuals can then be selected for Individuals only, subjected to highest order of attendances and merit point rankings.

Entry requirements – Official WHS handicap, minimum of 2 EDG events entered.

European Deaf Golf Open Championships

Top 12 makes the 3 teams however table rankings will not determine your place in the team. We will establish the best 4 players from 12 to make Team A, then Team B then Team C to give England Deaf Golf the best chance of winning a medal.

Entry requirements – Official WHS handicap limit, minimum of 2 EDG events entered.

Positions and its merit points Table.