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THE RACE TO WORKSOP - ARMY GOLF ASSOCIATION (NORTH WEST) DISTRICT (AGA (NW) DIST) MEETING 3 – Wed 22 JUN 22

1. **General.** The AGA (NW) Dist Meeting 3 will be held at Penwortham Golf Club on Wed 22 Jun 22. This is the 3rd of 6 scheduled events for this season.

2. **Timings.** Timings for the event are as follows:

a.	1230 hrs	Registration (Bacon Roll, Coffee or Tea on arrival).
b.	1300 hrs	Briefing.
c.	1330 hrs	First Tee.
d.	1830 hrs	Prize giving.

3. **Format.** The format for this meeting's will be an individual Stableford competition. (Maximum handicap allowance **28**).

4. **Entry.** Units or personnel wishing to enter the competition should enter using the Entry Form by Wed 8 Jun 22. There is a limit to the number of players that can be accommodated, so an early response would be advised to avoid disappointment. Anyone who withdraws without sufficient notice (determined by the committee) will be expected to pay the entry fee regardless of non-attendance.

5. **Cost.** The cost of the day for AGA Members £40 and guests is £50 per person. This covers green fees, food and prizes which is great value for money. Entry fees will be paid in cash on the day. Cheques will not be permitted.

6. **Dress.** Respectable golf attire is required. No jeans, trainers or sport motive shirts are permitted. Golfers are not allowed to wear shorts or golf shoes in the clubhouse.

7. **Prizes.** Prizes on the day will be awarded as follows:

   a. Net 1st, 2nd & 3Rd Gross 1st Gross

   b. Nearest the pin and longest drive.

8. **Location.** The location for this event is: Formby Golf Club, Golf Road, Formby, Liverpool, L37 1LQ

9. **2022 Championship** - **THE RACE TO WORKSOP -** The 2022 Championship will be decided by an order of merit. Participants will receive net stableford points for each event and the overall winner will be the individual with the most stableford points after all 6 events. In the event of a tie the stableford score from the 6th meeting will decide the overall result. There will be an end of season presentation and meal after the final event at Leyland Golf Club on Wed 14 Sept 22 all members are expected to attend the prize presentation. If any individual is not able to attend, they must inform Capt Neil Williams in writing no later than Wed 31 Aug 22. Overall prizes will be awarded to the following:

a. 1st Net

b. 2nd Net

c. 3rd Net

d. 1st Gross

e. Wooden Spoon

10. **Eligibility.** All golfer's male and female, current and ex members of the Regular, Reserve or Cadets are eligible to play and **MUST** join the AGA to receive funding and to be eligible to win prizes. You can enter on the AGA website https://www.armygolf.co.uk/membership/. Guests can only enter the individual competitions and are not permitted to partake in the overall championships.

11. **Inter Regional Championship.** The Inter Regional Championship team will be selected from the top 6 players in the Race to Worksop Order of merit after the 5th event. If someone is not able to attend the next available player will be selected from the order of merit. The Inter Regional Championship will be played at Worksop Golf Club on 6 & 7 Sept 22.

12. **Distribution.** This has been sent to unit mailboxes (for golf reps) and individual members to ensure widest circulation. Please spread the word and feel free to forward to anyone you think may have been missed and hopefully participation in AGA (NW) Dist golf events will increase.

13. **Further Information.** Further information can be obtained from the Secretary. Be aware that I will not have daily access to my military email: therefore, I have set up an AGA NW civilian email address that need to be used for all communication – armygolfassociationnorthwest@gmail.com

14. **Travel Authority**. The use of the Representational Sport Travel Vote is authorised for this event in accordance with:

http://defenceintranet.diif.r.mil.uk/libraries/corporate/DINSsports/2017/2017DIN10-023.pdf

The usual rules for combining transport apply. **Every effort must be made to minimise costs by vehicle sharing.** Please note that private cars are normally only authorised if a pool car is not available and it is the most cost-effective option of travel – paragraph 1.1.22 to JSP 800 refers. Ergo, individuals should not assume they are automatically entitled to claim for the use of a private car. If a pool car is unavailable, for audit purposes, individuals should obtain a non-availability certificate.

Although not included in 2018DIN-10-021, business insurance is a requirement when using a private car (paragraphs 04.0614/5 to JSP 752 refer)

Original Signed

N Williams
Capt
Secretary AGA (NW) District

Distribution:
All NW Unit Golf Reps *
All AGA (NW) Dist Members *