

## AGA CORPS LEAGUE 2024 – ADMIN INSTRUCTION

1. **General.** The inaugural AGA Corps League will take place over the period 1 March to 30 November 2024.

2. **Format.** Fixtures will be played over 18 holes of singles matchplay, played off handicap as laid down in Annex C of the Rules of Golf.

<https://www.randa.org/en/roh/appendices/appendix-c> The maximum handicap is 28 for men and 36 for ladies. It is accepted that some Corps may wish to play their matches over 36 holes. Only the 18 holes of singles scores need to be submitted. All matches should be played in handicap order. Two points will be awarded for a win and 1 point for a draw. At the end of the season the first placed team in division two will be promoted and the last placed team in division one will be relegated.

Division One	Division Two
AGC	AAC
Infantry	AMS
RA	RAPTC
RAC	RE
RLC	REME
R Sigs	

3. **Matches and Results.** The first named team is responsible for arranging the match and submitting the results to this office within 48 hours of the completion of play. The results can be uploaded to the live results matrix on our website <https://www.armygolf.co.uk/corps-golf/>

4. **Composition of Teams.** Teams will comprise 8 players and all players must be members of the AGA, either Full or Associate. Players may only represent one Corps in any given season. If more players take part e.g., Sapper/Gunner then just the first 8 match scores are submitted. All players must hold a WHS handicap in order to play in this event. If they are not a member of a club, they can still obtain a WHS handicap via the iGolf platform - <https://englandigolf.co.uk/>

5. **Entries.** The league is open to all 13 eligible Corps and only one team per Corps can be entered. There are two divisions with placing in those divisions determined by the 2023 results. Where possible home teams in one year will be changed to away teams in the next.

6. **Withdrawals.** If any team is unable to fulfil an arranged fixture for any reason, then both teams are to make every effort to rearrange that fixture. Where this is not possible the withdrawing team will forfeit the match and points to the opposing team. If any team withdraws from the league, then points accumulated that that date stand and any remaining matches will be deemed a 4-4 draw.

7. **Trophies and Prizes.** There is a trophy for the winners of each division presented at the AGA Annual Dinner.

8. **Travel at Public Expense.** Travel is authorised in accordance with **2019DIN10-025**. Every effort must be made to minimise publicly funded travel costs by sharing vehicles.

9. **On Duty Status.** Corps Secretaries should advise their serving team members, both Regular and Reserve to ensure that their participation in the event has been published on respective Unit Part 1 Orders, to formalise their 'on duty' status for this event.