

## Junior and Cadet Playing Protocols

Juniors: Girls and boys aged 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 on 1st January

Cadets: Girls and boys aged 8, 9, 10, 11 on 1st January

1. Howth Golf Club is not responsible for providing adult supervision of juniors or cadets, except for formal junior and cadet golf coaching, matches or competitions.
2. All junior golf must be booked through the BRS system, before commencing play on the course.
3. Junior members under the age of 16 years are not permitted to play alone on the golf course.
4. Two junior members are allowed to play together on the golf course unsupervised, if each has a playing handicap.
5. Juniors under 18 years of age are not allowed to play in a two ball with an unrelated adult club member.
6. One, two or three junior members under 18 years of age, may not play together with an unrelated adult.
7. In the interests of personal safety, juniors under 16 years of age must be accompanied on the course by a related adult club member after 8:00pm.
8. All juniors under 16 years of age must have left the club house, practice ground and putting green by 8:00pm, each evening.
9. Junior boys with a handicap of 18 or lower may enter their names on an integrated competition timesheet only after 48 hours have elapsed after the timesheet was opened.
10. Junior girls with a handicap of 32 or lower may enter their names on an integrated competition time sheet only after 48 hours have elapsed after the timesheet was opened.
11. On a competition day, junior members not playing in the competition, are only allowed to play after 3:00pm.
12. Cadets must be accompanied out on the course, by a related adult (Eighteen years or older) club member.

13. All junior members are required to abide by the Conditions of Competition that are set out by the Men's and Ladies' Executive Committees.

### **Practice Grounds**

Junior members are allowed to use the practice grounds once they have checked in at the Pro Shop. Cadets are only allowed to use the the practice grounds under parental supervision.

*These protocols are subject to update.*