

Handicaps

Each player is given a handicap number. To find the start for each game, subtract the lower handicap number from the higher and look up the difference on the chart below. The number opposite the difference is the start the higher handicapped player will receive (eg. 53 being higher than 43). In the two doubles, the 2 players' handicaps are added together and divided by 2 (ignoring any fractions) and proceeding as before.

Handicap chart

Difference	Start	Difference	Start
0	0	18-20	+10
1	+1	21-23	+11
2	+2	24-26	+12
3	+3	27-30	+13
4-5	+4	31-34	+14
6-7	+5	35-38	+15
8-9	+6	39-42	+16
10-11	+7	43-47	+17
12-14	+8	48 up	+18
15-17	+9		

Handicaps for registered players are listed at the end of this booklet. If you think that a player has been wrongly handicapped, please contact me.

Scorecards

In the box to the right of the player's name, enter his/her handicap number. In the third box (normally used for the third game on the winter card) enter the start received for both games above the line for the away player and below the line for the home player.

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ELBOW TANKARD																
Date: 24 / May / 1998										Group: B						
Home Team: Bees Knees				Away Team: Otters												
		X Joe Bloggs		35		Y Mary Smith		42		Z Liz Windsor		51		Result		
														Home Away		
A	Arthur Jones	27	1	21	21	6	7	21	21	9	9	19	16	12	2	4
			17	19				19	15			21	21			
B	Emma Grant	34	4	17	21	1	10	16	21	6	2	21	18	9	3	3
			21	19				21	19			15	21			
C	Willy Bannion	49	8	15	16		3	19	21						3	1
			21	21	8			21	16	5						
Doubles			5	21	21	6	Doubles			6	19	16	7			
AC v YZ				19	19		BC v XZ				21	21				
Captains' comments and signatures														10	10	