

## FACT SHEET

# USING A HOLE IN ONE COMPETITION TO RAISE MONEY FOR A CHARITY



Offering hole in one prizes can turn an ordinary event into something unforgettable. There is no better way to attract more golfers, generate more revenue and add extra fun and excitement.

As the organiser of a charity golf day you can select a significant prize, such as a car, for a designated hole, in the event that a participating player achieves a hole in one. The rules of golf have now been amended to allow for an amateur golfer to win a significant prize in a hole in one competition without losing their amateur status, providing that is during a round of golf and incidental to that round (Rule 3.2b).

You can reasonably ask participating players to make a contribution towards the charity, when registering, in exchange for participating in the Hole in One competition. In the following example we have assumed £20 per player.

### Example of the Financials:

Charity event with 74 participants

Main Prize Hole Prize £20,000 car playing at 170 yards

Ancillary Prizes on all other par 3s

Donation from participating players @£20 each	£1,480.00
Insurance Premium	£465.25
Water resistant A4 Tee Sign Covers	£8.00
<b>Profit for Charity</b>	<b>£1,006.75</b>

Only participating players should make a donation in respect of entry to the competition in order to comply with the Policy on Gambling within the rules of golf. It would normally be considered appropriate for the insurance premium to be paid by a sponsor of the golf day, providing this is not likely to be considered contrary to the rules of golf or influence the integrity of the game.

By purchasing one of our policies online you will be provided with a pack giving guidance to the green staff in respect of setting up the hole for the designated distance, instructions for witnesses on the major prize hole and information for the players in the event. The pack is available along with A4 signs for tees that can be downloaded and printed to make administering a charity golf day easier. All this safe in the knowledge that the insurance is backed by one of the UK's leading insurers.

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