



HONG KONG GOLF ASSOCIATION

Dear Subscriber,

The handicap system that we are using is called the Golf Handicap and Information Network (GHIN) which is a service from the United States Golf Association (USGA), the largest handicapping service provider in the world. Here are some features of the system:

1. The system allows you to post scores online. The steps are:

www.hkga.com or www.ghin.com

Handicapping

Handicap Search

Handicap Lookup or Post Scores

Ghin Number > look up or Ghin number then last name for Posting Scores

*When posting scores, on Type please select “away”, on State type “Ho or Hong”, Start With type the first character of the golf course. For courses not on the selection list, please click “manual” to input scores. If ratings are not listed on the scorecards, please call us to find out the temporary ratings.

2. A GHIN mobile App allows you to post scores and look up your handicap. It is available, free of charge, from the iTunes store for iOS users as well as from the Google Play store for Android users. After posting scores online through the GHIN mobile App, you will be able to see the immediate impact that each new score will have on your index at the next revision via the Trend.

On Ghin App: ghin # > last name > post scores > search > select state: Hong Kong > course name (first 3 characters) > search > select type “A” > date played > score > post

Course name: the first 3 characters of the golf course e.g. Hon = Hong Kong Golf Club

3. An e-Newsletter is electronically sent to you by email if you have already registered your email address with the HKGA or GHIN.com. The e-Newsletter includes a history of your Handicap Index plus an image of your handicap label and membership card.

Please note that the online handicap service is only optional. HKGA subscribers can also send their scores to the HKGA for updating. Please make sure your scorecards have been dated, marked tee play and gross total, as well as your Ghin number on it.

We hope that you will enjoy the features of the GHIN handicap system. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at +852 2504 8197 or by email at handicaps@hkga.com.

As always, thank you for your support of the Hong Kong Golf Association.

Happy golfing !

Yours faithfully,
Hong Kong Golf Association Ltd.