

ICCC Golf (Best Ball) Competition Rules

Best ball can be played using 1, 2-, 3- or 4-person teams through predetermined 9 or 18 holes of golf.

Each player on the team plays his or her own golf ball throughout the round, and on each hole the low score - or "best ball" - of the group serves as the team score. Player A gets a 5, B gets a 4, C gets a 6, D gets a 6, and then the team score for that hole is 4, because the low score of the group was B's 4.

"Best ball" can also refer to a competition in which a single player plays match play against a 2- or 3-person team playing best ball. That variation is good for a low-handicapper taking on a team of higher handicappers. If weather or time constraints becomes a factor, the teams with the lowest 1st, 2nd, and 3rd lowest score win.