Rules for stroking of cards:

Take each player's handicap and divide by 9. If a player has a hcp of 18, then they get 2 strokes on each hole. If a player has a hcp of 21, then they get 2 strokes on each hole, plus an additional stroke on the three most difficult holes. The whole is the number of strokes the player gets off on each hole. The remaining number is the number of holes in which the player receives an extra stroke. (Note: If a player has a hcp which is less than 9, then she receives one stroke on the number of holes in the order of difficulty until they reach their hcp number) The extra strokes are given on the holes in the order of difficulty. Mark the score card with dots at the bottom of each hole's score box to represent the number of strokes the player receives on that hole.

Example: Game is being played on the back 9 of Port
Player 1 has a hcp of 21 – She receives 2 strokes on each hole plus an additional stroke on the 3 most difficult holes (holes 12, 18 and 16)

Player 2 has a hcp of 14 – She receives 1 stroke on each hole plus an additional stroke on the 5 most difficult holes (holes 12,18,16, 14 and 13)

Player 3 has a hcp of 26 - She receives 2 strokes on each hole plus an additional stroke on the 8 most difficult holes (holes, 12, 18, 16, 14, 13, 10 and 17)

Player 4 has a hcp of 30 - She receives 3 strokes on each hole. (Even though her hcp is 30, she cannot have more than 3 strokes on any one hole, and 27 will go on the scorecard in the Hcp box)
(click above for scorecard example)

Also – If a player has a hcp of 8, she receives one stroke (playing on Port) on holes 12, 18, 16, 14, 13, 10. 17 and 15 for a total of 8 strokes.

The ranking of the holes in order of difficulty can be found at the bottom of the card in the blue line titled "Hcp M/W". Where there are two numbers, you will use the second (for women). Each of the 18 holes on each course is ranked in order of difficulty, with the highest number being the most difficult.

Following are the holes in order of difficulty for each <u>back nine</u>, with the most difficult being listed first:

Starboard	Port
13	12
18	18
10	16
16	14
14	13
15	10
12	17
11	15
17	11