

LOCAL RULES

(1) All gardens and mulched areas are “in play” and players may proceed under Rule 19 (Unplayable Lie) (Penalty). Exception: if a ball lies in the ornamental gardens (with continuous borders) between the 3rd and 8th tee and the 16th green and 17th tee or if these gardens or its borders interferes with a player’s stance or the area of intended swing, the player must take relief under Rule 16. (No penalty)

(2) PENALTY AREAS are marked by RED LINES or STAKES; BLUE PENALTY AREAS are marked by BLUE LINES or STAKES (Drop zones apply for blue penalty areas)

(3) STAKED TREES: Protection of staked or young trees identified with stakes and/or plastic sheet. If such a tree interferes with a player’s stance or the area of intended swing, the ball must be lifted without penalty and dropped in accordance Rule 16 (Immovable Obstruction) (No Penalty). A woodchip basin surrounding a tree or shrub that is either staked and/or protected by a plastic sheet is considered to be a part of the obstruction

(4) BARE PATCHES ON FAIRWAYS: All bare dirt patches on the closely mown areas of fairway on the fairway being played are to be treated as GUR. This rule does NOT apply to divots repaired or not.

(5) IRRIGATION AND WATERING DEVICES: Water winches, portable pumps and associated equipment (i.e. All Sprinkler Heads

all hoses, guide pegs, cables). If any of these items of equipment interferes with a player’s ball, stance or area of intended swing relief must be taken without penalty by dropping a ball within one club length at the nearest point of relief not nearer the hole. Players must not MOVE or INTERFERE with any Irrigation or Watering device. A ball may be replayed if it hits any of the stated equipment.

(6) STAKES: Green Stakes with ropes for controlling motorized carts are moveable obstructions and may be removed if interfering with the player’s stance or area of intended swing. These stakes and ropes are to be replaced. All other stakes, pegs and posts are Immovable Obstructions Rule 16 applies (No Penalty). If a Ball hits any GREEN Pegs or Ropes that are placed to protect a regrowth area on the Fairways, the ball may be replayed without penalty

(7) EMBEDDED ROCKS: A ball lying on or near an embedded rock through the course which may damage the club when playing a stroke or which interferes with the stance may be lifted and dropped within (one) club-length not nearer the hole, without penalty.

(8) 5th and 3rd GREEN BLUE PENALTY AREAS: A player whose ball lands in the hazards on the right-hand side and rear of the 5th green or the rear of the 3rd green may either play the ball as it lies or take relief (1 stroke penalty) by dropping a ball within the nearest DROP ZONE The 5th at the front right of the

green or at the rear of the green. The 3rd on the left Side of the green

(9) GROUND UNDER REPAIR: If a ball lies; within an area marked by a continuous WHITE LINE, GUR signage or WHITE PEGS and if any of these areas interfere with the players stance or area of his intended swing the ball may be dropped within 1 (one) club-length of the nearest point of relief not nearer the hole. The left side of the 6th Fairway and left side of the 7th Fairway (Tree Dump) is now GUR. A DROP ZONE each side can be used if your ball is unplayable Rule 16 (No Penalty).

(10) PRACTICE AREAS: Practice Chipping Green, left of 1st fairway: The line of Out of Bounds markers bounding the eastern side of the first fairway is the boundary of this practice chipping green. Playing strokes from the course side to the practice area is prohibited Practice Putting Green (beside large billboard). Chipping in that area or onto the practice putting green is prohibited.

(11) WATER HAZARD 16TH HOLE: If there is doubt whether a ball is in or lost in the water hazard on the left side of the 16th fairway, the player may play another ball provisionally under any of the applicable options in Rule 17 (Penalty). If the original ball is found outside the water hazard, the player must continue play with it. If the original ball is found in the water hazard, the player may either play the original ball as it lies or continue with the ball played provisionally under Rule 17 (Penalty). If the original ball is not found or identified within the

THREE-minute search period the player must continue with the ball played provisionally.

(12) CONCRETE DRAINAGE PIPES AND CONCRETE ABUTMENTS: All concrete drainage pipes and concrete pipe abutments not part of hazards are deemed to be an integral part of the course and relief may only be taken under Rule 19 (Unplayable lie) (Penalty).

(13) TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER BETWEEN 6TH & 7TH HOLES and RIGHT SIDE OF 14 AND 15TH Hole: The Towers and their Enclosures are deemed to be Immovable Obstructions and relief may be taken under Rule 16. (Immovable Obstruction) (No Penalty)

(14) DROP ZONE REAR OF 2nd green: This drop zone is for the area of shrubbery at the rear right of the 2nd Green. Drop within 2 club lengths of sign under Rule 19 (Unplayable Lie) (Penalty)

(15) PATHWAYS: Any ball laying on any concrete path or buggy path (Abnormal course condition) May take relief under rule 16 (No Penalty)

PENALTY FOR BREACH OF LOCAL RULE

Match Play – Loss of hole

Stroke Play – General Penalty (2strokes)

RED STAKES OR LINES –
PENALTY AREAS 2 CLUB LENGTH RELIEF.
PENALTY

BLUE STAKES OR LINES –
DROP ZONE 2 CLUB LENGTHS FROM SIGN.
PENALTY

WHITE STAKES OR LINES –
GUR AREAS 1 CLUB LENGTH RELIEF OR 2 CLUB LENGTHS FROM DROP ZONE SIGN
NO PENALTY

WHITE STAKES BLACK TOPS –
OUT OF BOUNDS 1 STROKE PENALTY,
REPLAY THE SHOT. (I.E STROKE AND DISTANCE)

Help your fellow players

- *Repair all pitch marks on the green*
- *Place the rakes in a flat part of the bunker, tines down, facing the direction of play*
- *Carry a sand bucket and fill in all divots on the fairway*
- *Remember to play “ready golf” so the field moves steadily around the course*



LOCAL RULES

January 1st

2019

Play the Ball as it lies,
Play the course as you find it,
And if you cannot do either

do what is fair

But to do what is fair you

Must play by the rules