

LOCAL RULES

1. OUT OF BOUNDS (Rule 27-1).

Beyond any fence, wall or railing bounding the course; beyond any white stakes; over the wall on the left of the 16th hole.

2. INTEGRAL PARTS OF THE COURSE.

All fences, walls, railings, buildings (except the hut behind the 10th tee) and paths (except where artificially-surfaced, and the path to the 12th hole) are integral parts of the course. The ball must be played as it lies or declared unplayable (Rule 28).

3. OBSTRUCTIONS (Rules 24-1 and 24-2).

a) Stones in bunkers are movable obstructions.

b) The hut behind the 10th tee, staked trees, drain covers and angled supports attached to boundary fences, to railings and to protection screens are immovable obstructions. If they interfere with a player's stance or the area of his intended swing, the player may lift the ball and drop it, without penalty, in accordance with the procedure prescribed in Rule 24-2.

c) If a ball is lying on a path where artificially-surfaced, or on the path to the 12th hole, or it interferes with the player's stance or the area of his intended swing, the ball may be played as it lies or the player must lift the ball and drop it, without penalty, within one club-length of and not nearer the hole than the nearest point of relief as prescribed in Rule 20-2.

d) At the 18th hole, if a ball is lying on the path or it interferes with the player's stance or the area of his intended swing, from the top of the steps adjacent to the caddy shed to the white out of bounds markers at the Clubhouse end of the path, the player may (in addition to the options in 3c) lift the ball and drop it, without penalty, in the dropping zone below the green adjacent to the bunker and the tree. Please note that the drop zone is **NOT** an option for an unplayable lie against the boundary wall behind the green. If a ball lies on the steps below the caddy shed or on the path behind/adjacent to the 1st tee, the player may (in addition to the options in 3c) lift the ball and drop it, without penalty, in the dropping zone on the 1st fairway.

e) If a ball lies off the putting green, and a sprinkler head (on or within 2 club-lengths of the putting green and within 2 club-lengths of the ball) intervenes on the line of play between the ball and the hole, relief may be taken as follows: The ball must be lifted and dropped at the nearest point to where the ball lay that (i) is not nearer the hole, (ii) avoids intervention and (iii) is not in a hazard or on a putting green.

4. GROUND UNDER REPAIR (Rule 25-1).

a) Marks made by tractors or greenkeeping equipment on any closely mown area are ground under repair.

b) Play is prohibited from areas defined by blue stakes, the planted areas between the 1st and 10th tees and the planted areas adjacent to the steps from the 1st tee to the hut behind the 10th tee. If a ball lies in such an area or if the area interferes with a player's stance or swing, relief must be taken (No Penalty).

5. DROPPING ZONES (Appendix I, Part A, 6).

a) If a ball lying beyond the 5th, 6th or 9th greens is deemed to be unplayable but relief is not available under Rule 28b or 28c, the player may elect to proceed under Rule 28a or may drop the ball in the nearest dropping zone to where the ball originally lay, under penalty of one stroke.

b) If a ball lies within the planted area beyond and to the right of the 10th green, it must be dropped, without penalty, in the designated dropping zone.

6. DISTANCE-MEASURING DEVICES (Rule 14-3, Appendix I, Part A, 7).

For all play at this course, a player may obtain distance information by use of a distance-measuring device.

PENALTY FOR BREACH OF LOCAL RULE.

Match Play - Loss of hole. Strokeplay - two strokes.

DISTANCE MARKERS.

Yellow (150yds) and Red (100yds) markers are measured to the centre of the greens.

ANY TEMPORARY LOCAL RULES ARE DEFINED ON THE NOTICE BOARD.