

General Hazards

1. Injury can occur through being struck by either a club or a ball. Never swing clubs in close proximity to other players and avoid striking the ball if people are in range.
2. Water hazards always represent danger, regardless of depth of water. Do not attempt to recover balls from water hazards if playing on your own or if not considered totally safe.
3. Steep slopes present a risk of falling - always use steps, where provided.
4. **Lightning is extremely dangerous on a golf course and play should be abandoned until the storm has passed.** In competitions a siren will be sounded and competitors will be made aware of action to take in such circumstances.
5. Fog and mist also present potentially dangerous situations when visibility is considerably reduced/restricted. If conditions are foggy and you are unable to see where the ball is likely to land or ground conditions are such that it is impossible to judge how far the ball is likely to travel **DO NOT PLAY!**
6. Always be alert to the potential danger from misdirected shots towards other tees and fairways and shout "FORE" if you consider there is a risk of striking other players.
7. Under no circumstances should attempts be made to recover balls driven over boundary fences.
8. Always be aware of Green-keeping staff and keep well away from all course machinery. Greens staff must have precedence over their movements at all times.
9. All members using a motorized buggy on the course must have current third party/public liability insurance.
10. All visitors who intend using a motorised buggy must sign a declaration of indemnity. This form can be found in the Professional Shop

Specific Hazards -18 Hole Course

- Hole 1** Beware of misdirected shots from the 9th tee. Be aware of pedestrians on Marsh Lane
- Hole 2** Misdirected shots from 3rd fairway.
- Hole 3** Golfers in range but out of sight from tee box, listen for call up bell before teeing off
On approaching 4th tee be aware of traffic left and right on Marsh Lane.
- Hole 4** Be aware of road on the left and also misdirected shots from the 5th tee to your right.
Be aware of Ladies playing from the 5th tee
- Hole 5** Beware of misdirected balls from the 4th tee coming from your right and of deep water pond on left
- Hole 6** Golfers in range but out of sight from the tee box. Before teeing off make sure golfers are in view on the far side of the dip
- Hole 7** Covered under general hazards.
- Hole 8** Be aware of deep water ponds on the right and left. Golfers in range but out of sight from tee box, beyond trees past the dogleg
- Hole 9** Be aware of ditch on right hand side and behind green
- Hole 10** Covered under general hazards. Be aware of the ditch on left. Golfers in range but out of sight beyond trees past the dogleg
- Hole 11** Covered under general hazards.
- Hole 12** Be aware of deep water ponds on the left.
- Hole 13** On leaving the 13th green be aware of players teeing off the 14th tee box.
- Hole 14** On the 14th tee box be aware of players approaching from your right from the 13th green.
- Hole 15** Covered under general hazards.
- Hole 16** Hepton's Hollow - Covered under general hazards.
- Hole 17** Hepton's Hollow - Covered under general hazards.
- Hole 18** When approaching the green, be aware of misdirected tee shots from the 10th tee.

Specific Hazards – Par 3 Course

- Hole 1** Be aware of the entrance drive on your left. **Do not tee off when there is traffic on drive.**
- Hole 2** Covered under general hazards.
- Hole 3** Be aware of deep water in pond and misdirecting shots towards residential properties.
- Hole 4** Be aware of danger of misdirecting shots towards residential properties to left hand side.
- Hole 5** Be aware of bridge crossing ditch.
- Hole 6** Be aware of bridge crossing ditch and of deep water pond on your left.
- Hole 7** Be aware of bridge crossing ditch.
- Hole 8** Be aware of bridge crossing ditch
- Hole 9** Covered under general hazards.

Practice Ground & Car Park

1. Always hit balls away from other players and never towards the railway line.
2. Always be aware of other persons practicing and of greens machinery.
3. Beware of traffic on Marsh Lane when accessing the practice ground from the car park.
4. Always access and exit the car park by the designated points.

H & S notes issued: To competitors and officials

Footpaths: Bridle-way across the 5th and 8th fairways
(Public have right of way)

Shelters: None declared (Not insulated from electrical storms, no lightning conductors fitted)

Other risks: As per Course Risk Assessment

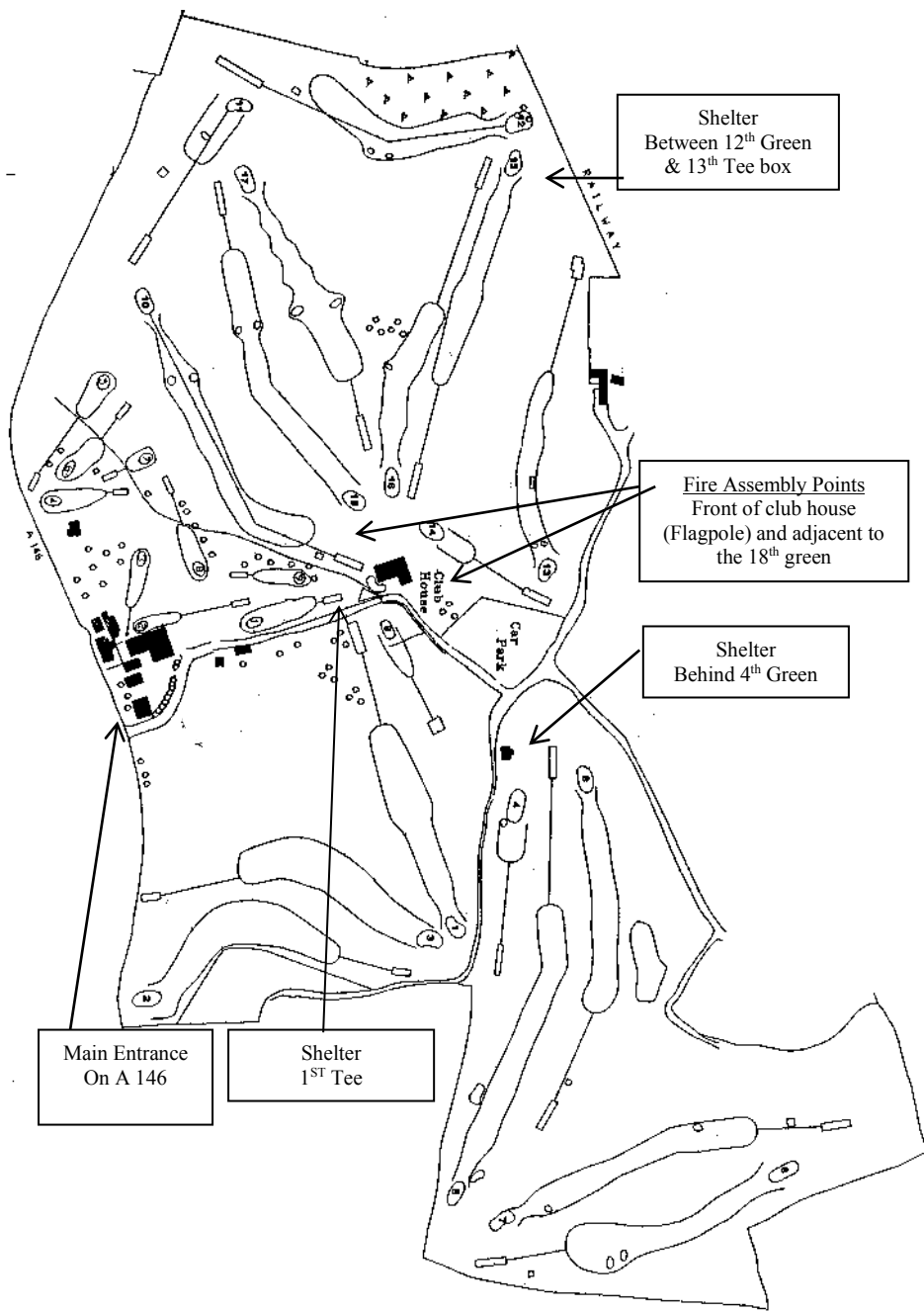
Warning notices in situ: Approaching roads and all ponds

Rest Rooms: Club House

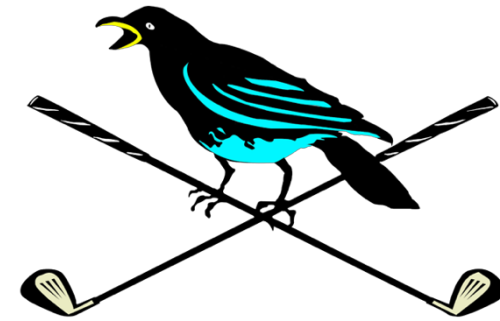
Club House Fire Assembly Procedures:

1. Any person discovering a fire should **IMMEDIATELY** sound the fire alarm by pushing one of the fire alarm manual buttons located about the building. If the fire is small and it is safe to do so, and a suitable extinguisher is to hand, then attempt to put it out.
2. If you hear the fire alarm or are requested to leave the building immediately by any bar staff or official of the club then do so by the nearest Emergency Exit. Fire exit doors are located at: 1st floor the lounge bar onto the patio and ground floor through the main entrance doors from the entrance foyer.
3. Assemble at the points, designated by signs, either outside the front entrance on the grass or on the grass area adjacent to the 18th green. Eventually all persons will be requested to assemble at 18th green assembly point and requested to stay there until clearance is given by the Fire Brigade officer in charge of the incident. In case of inclement weather clearance to move to a more protected location will be given as soon as possible by the person in charge at that time.

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Health and Safety Information



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