

## LOCAL GOLF RULES

1. Golfers may never start on #10 without obtaining permission from Pro Shop. Players coming off #9 have right of way. Players failing to maintain their positions by undue delay while stopping at the Clubhouse between nines, surrender their right of way.
2. Players shall repair ball marks on greens. Cigarettes should not be dropped on greens or tees.
3. Players looking for a lost ball should allow other matches following them to pass, and having given such a signal they should not continue their play until these players have passed AND ARE OUT OF RANGE.
4. Turf cut or displaced by a player should be replaced at once and pressed down with the foot.
5. A PLAYER SHOULD CAREFULLY SMOOTH ALL HOLES AND PRINTS MADE IN A SAND TRAP.
6. Speed of play governs right of way privileges. Foursomes or power-driven carts do not have "right of way."
7. Groups playing slower than those ahead (a hole open) must invite the group behind them to pass. Invited groups failing to pass must yield to groups behind them. Pace of play is 4 hours 15 minutes for 18 holes.
8. Pitching to the practice green adjacent to the clubhouse is prohibited.
9. Only golfers and caddies are permitted on the course and every golfer must have a set of clubs. Others may obtain permission from Pro shop.
10. Rules of play will be posted on #1 tee.  
Winter Rules - Ball may be lifted and cleaned without penalty, and placed within six inches of where it lay, not nearer the hole. Winter rules apply only to balls in your fairway. Balls lying in rough or hazards may not be touched.  
Summer Rules - Ball may not be touched except as provided in USGA Rules.  
Embedded Ball Rule - Embedded ball rule is in effect in the general areas.
11. Parking lot alongside and behind No.18 green is OUT OF BOUNDS. Clubhouse area by No.1 tee and No.18 green is NOT out of bounds. Parking blocks separating parking lot and course are in bounds. Balls lying on course side of parking blocks may be dropped within one club length, from the nearest point of relief, not nearer the hole. (No Penalty) Maintenance shed near No. 8 tee is NOT out of bounds.
12. Ground under repair. This applies to entire area of comparable nature surrounding indicator.
13. All existing fences are to be considered limit of club property. Ball lying outside of premises is out of bounds.
14. White stakes - Out of bounds.
15. Regular penalty areas are indicated by yellow stakes and/or lines on holes #2, 3, 4 and 10. Ball lost in these penalty areas may be played using following options, or under penalty of one stroke using drop area from ladies tee on holes #3 and 4. Ball may not be teed in drop area.
  - A. Under penalty of one stroke, play the next stroke as nearly as possible at the spot from which the original ball was last played.
  - B. Under penalty of one stroke, drop a ball behind the penalty area, keeping the point at which the original ball last crossed the margin of the hazard directly between the hole and the spot on which the ball is dropped, with no limit to how far behind the penalty area the ball may be dropped.
  - C. If playable, you may play it with no penalty.

16. Lateral penalty areas are indicated by red stakes and/or lines on holes #2, 10, 11, 13, 16, 17 and 18. Ball lost in these penalty areas may use above options A, B, C or:  
D. Under penalty of one stroke, drop a ball outside the penalty area within two club-lengths, no closer to the hole, of the point where the shot last crossed the margin of the penalty areas.
17. Ball lying on any service road except the road laterally to No. 10 fairway, may be moved off roadway by dropping one club length from the nearest point of relief, not nearer the hole. (No Penalty)
18. Ball lying in or near flower beds which affect stance or swing may be dropped one club length at nearest point of relief no closer to the hole (No Penalty). No relief from pampas grass.
19. Golf course workers shall have priority on the course. Players shall wait until workers are out of range before playing.
20. Yardage devices may be used during Open Play and Tournaments.
21. Play will not be permitted out of the driving range. If your ball comes to rest in the new range, continue to play under the guidelines of a lateral hazard from the point of entry into the staked hazard area. If you choose to retrieve your ball from the range the golfer assumes the risk of being hit.
22. If a ball lies through the green and an immovable obstruction on or within two club lengths of the putting green and within two club-lengths of the ball intervenes on the line of play between the ball and the hole, the player may take relief. Under this rule, the player must drop the ball at the nearest point of relief, no nearer the hole and not on a putting green or in a hazard. Note: this rule does not allow one club length of relief that is allowed if the obstruction interferes with stance or swing.
23. When playing hole 9, any ball that lies beyond the near edge of the cart path that runs between holes 1 and 9, is out of bounds and the player is subject to the normal stroke and distance penalty.
24. Members and their guests may wear Club appropriate denim in the clubhouse, porch and patio area. Club appropriate denim is defined as high quality jean pants that are not torn, frayed, dirty or ill fitting. Jeans that are too tight, too loose, in disrepair or adorned with words or pictures that may be offensive to others are not considered appropriate attire. Blue jeans are not considered appropriate golf attire. The Board of Directors will review this policy periodically.
25. Accidental Movement of a Ball on a Putting Green - Rules 18-2, 18-3 and 20-1 are modified as follows: When a player's ball lies on the putting green, there is no penalty if the ball or ball-marker is accidentally moved by the player, his partner, his opponent, or any of their caddies or equipment. The moved ball or ball-marker must be replaced as provided in Rules 18-2, 18-3 and 20-1. This Local Rule applies only when the player's ball or ball-marker lies on the putting green and any movement is accidental. Note: If it is determined that a player's ball on the putting green was moved as a result of wind, water or some other natural cause such as the effects of gravity, the ball must be played as it lies from its new location. A ball-marker moved in such circumstances is replaced.