

Wokefield Estate - Local Rules

1. OUT OF BOUNDS (Rule 18)

- Over any boundary fence or hedge and/or defined by WHITE posts.
- On or over road playing 1st/3rd/5th/6th/8th/9th and 10th holes.
- Clubhouse, on or over path or road. Also on the practice ground playing 1st/18th.
- When playing the 4th Hole, the 5th fairway is out of bounds.
- When playing the 14th Hole, the 15th fairway is out of bounds.

2. PENALTY AREAS (Rule 17)

Penalty areas are defined by YELLOW or RED stakes or markers.

Players must follow rules based on whether penalty areas are marked by red or yellow stakes.

(Note: Dropping zone on the left-hand side of 11th green is to be used for the 11th hole only. It is not to be used for playing the 12th. The use of dropping zones on the 10th and 11th is recommended but not mandatory. Proceed under Rule 17 if not using the dropping zones).

14th Hole; Penalty area for lake on left hand side of fairway:

Where red stakes are used to mark the penalty area, local rule allows for a ball to be dropped on the opposite side of the penalty area from where the ball last crossed the entry point of the penalty area. The reference point for relief area to be equidistant from the hole. (applies to this hole only).

3. FIXED SPRINKLER HEADS (Rule 16.1)

All fixed sprinkler heads are immovable obstructions and relief from interference may be obtained under Rule 16-1. In addition, if the ball is in the General Area, the player may take relief under Rule 16-1b if the obstruction is on the line of play and is within two club-lengths of the putting green AND within two club-lengths of the ball.

4. RELIEF

Drainage ditches, plastic block paving, buggy paths and the wooden posts & rails along the entrance drive -

These are to be treated as immovable obstructions under Rule 16-1. Relief may be taken under Rule 16-1 (a & b). If taking relief, the player MUST drop the ball, without penalty, identifying the nearest point of complete relief. The ball must be dropped and come to rest in the relief area.

Tractor tyre marks -

Tractor tyre marks are ground under repair and the player MAY take relief under Rule 16-1 (a & b) as above

Aeration holes -

ONLY if a player's ball lies in or touches an aeration hole:

(a) Ball in General Area. The player MAY take relief under Rule 16.1b. If the ball comes to rest in another aeration hole the player may take relief again under this Local Rule.

(b) Ball on Putting Green. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1d.

Obstructions - All waste bins, ball washers and benches are obstructions.

PENALTY FOR BREACH OF LOCAL RULE:

Match Play - Loss of Hole; Stroke Play - Two Strokes.

Temporary Local Rules may be communicated to members and displayed on notice boards and on the club website as and when necessary. It is the golfer's responsibility to check the course safety notice board & local rules prior to play. Every golfer is solely responsible for his/her actions and should have Personal Liability Insurance. Golfers must ensure that they only play their ball when safe to do so, as they are solely liable for any damage or injury they may cause.

Health & Safety

- Please read all local rules and signs on the course.
- Please take care when attempting to retrieve golf balls from water hazards.
- Banks can be steep near water; floatation rings are situated at all deep-water areas.
- Beware of other golfers and also beware of golf balls from players following you.
- Beware of rabbit and foxholes and watch out for varying slopes on tees and greens.
- Beware of low branches when entering wooded areas.
- Take care when driving buggies, read instructions displayed on buggy windscreen.
- Keep to paths wherever possible.
- When using the driving range, take note of all safety notices displayed.
- Supervision is recommended for children under the age of 16.
- The company accept no liability or responsibility for injury to persons whilst playing golf.
- The company accept no liability or responsibility for loss of personal belongings.



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