

Local Rules:

1. For holes 4, 8 and 17 – A player, upon hitting a shot into the **penalty area**, shall be governed by the rules for a red penalty area.
2. In the event a ball lands in animal droppings, players may lift, clean and place their ball within six inches of its original position, no closer to the hole. The ball must be marked before moving. (Approved 2/2/2010)
3. **Decorative Rocks: No Penalty; One Club Length:**
If your ball comes to rest in the decorative rocks, placed for functional purposes; and the rock interferes with your stance or swing (rule 24b applies), you may drop your ball within one club length of the nearest point of relief, no closer to the hole with no penalty.
4. **Grass Clippings: Free Relief; One Club Length:**
If ball is in a pile of grass clippings that appear to be left by maintenance for removal (brown in colour), there can be one club length free relief, no closer to hole. If your ball comes to rest in daily clippings in the general area, there is no relief, play ball as it lies.
5. **Lost Balls And Out Of Bound: 2 Strokes Not Going Back; Take To Edge Of Fairway, 2 Club Lengths:**
Stroke and distance relief: For lost balls and out of bound balls, instead of going back to previous position, locate, estimate where the ball went out, find edge of fairway, take 2 club lengths relief with longest club in bag, not the putter, from within the defined relief area, 2 stroke penalty.
6. **Major Damage Due To Animal Holes/Equipment; Take Relief; One Club Length:**
If ball is on fringe or rough immediately adjacent to green, and there is major damage to the green such as animal holes and/or equipment damage, you may take free relief, one club length, either side, no closer to hole.
7. **Out of Bounds on Hole #10:**
The Bell Road sidewalk, non-street side/golf course side.
8. **Ready Golf:**
Adopt pace of play stating that we will:
 - a) play ready golf in stroke play when safe to do so.
 - b) allow playing out of turn in match play when safe to do so, but not required.
 - c) use the 40 second guideline for the next stroke.
9. **Trees; Downed or Damaged; Free Relief; One Club Length:**
If there are downed trees, damaged trees and branches, there is free relief of one club length, no closer to the hole.