

# LOCAL RULES

1. Artificial Surfaces: A ball coming to rest on the road on the 1<sup>st</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> fairway or behind the 3<sup>rd</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> green can be lifted and dropped without penalty. (Rule 16.1: Mark the nearest point of complete relief, not nearer the hole, and drop ball within one club-length of that point).
2. Ground Under Repair and Horticultural areas – Play Prohibited. A ball coming to rest in GUR or planted areas must be lifted and dropped without penalty (Rule 16.1: Mark the nearest point of complete relief, not nearer the hole, and drop ball within one club-length of that point). Shrubbery in front of the 6<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> tees or seasonal daffodils are NOT horticultural areas.
3. A ball landing in the Greenkeepers compound will be deemed out of bounds. This rule supersedes Rule 5(b) on the scorecard. For one penalty shot, stroke and distance relief to be taken from where the previous stroke was made. Rules 18.2b and 14.6 apply.
4. Exposed tree-roots: (a) A ball landing on exposed tree-roots on the fairway, can be lifted and dropped without penalty (Rule 16.1: Mark the nearest point of complete relief, not nearer the hole, and drop ball within one club-length of that point). (b) A ball landing on exposed tree-roots anywhere other than the fairway, must be played as it lies or declared unplayable. For one penalty stroke, one of the following options should be taken. 1. Stroke and distance from where previous stroke was made. 2. Back-on-the-line relief, dropping a ball based on a reference line going straight back from the hole through the spot of the original ball, with no limit to how far back on that line. 3. Lateral relief,

from the spot of the original ball, twoclub-lengths not nearer the hole. Rule 19.2.

5. Fence behind 9<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> green: this is an integral part of the course. A ball landing against fence must be played as it lies or declared unplayable. Rule 19.2.
6. White 13<sup>th</sup> Tee: If a tee shot fails to clear the roundel, it will be deemed out of bounds and should be replayed from the tee. Rule 14.6.
7. Distance Measuring Devices: These are allowed provided they measure distance only and no other data.

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