

Patns. Relief may be taken in accordance with Rule 16.1b for any ball that is lying on a path or road with an artificial surface. **With the exception of the shale path that crosses the 10th and 18th holes, see Penalty Areas.**

Bridges. Relief may be taken in accordance with Rule 16.1b when a ball lies on a bridge or penalty area crossing point on the 6th, 7th, 11th, 12th and 13th holes.

Mattings. Relief may be taken in accordance with Rule 16.1b when a ball lies on ground that clearly has plastic or rubber matting under the surface to protect the ground from excessive wear.

Aeration Holes. 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** for any ball that comes to rest in another aeration hole the player may take relief under this Local Rule. (b) Ball on Putting Green. The player may take relief under **Rule 16.1d**.

Immovable obstructions close to the Putting Green and in the line of play, stance or, on the putting green, on the player's line of play.

Ball in the General Area. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1b if an immovable 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.

Exception – There is no relief under this Local Rule if the player chooses a line of play that is unreasonable.

General Course Safety

Public footpaths cross the back nine. **PEDESTRIANS HAVE THE RIGHT OF WAY.**

Be alert and do not play your shot if anyone is in range.

Signs around the course indicate potential hazards, please comply with their instructions.

Do not play

as immovable obstruction and relief may be taken in accordance with Rule 16.1b.

Local Rules

Out of Bounds

A ball is out of bounds when it is beyond any wall, fence or hedge defining the recognised boundary of the course.

Holes 1, 6, 9, 13, 14, 16 A ball is out of bounds if it is beyond the line between the course-side edges of the white stakes protecting the putting and chipping area right of the first tee, to the left of the 6th hole, left of the 9th hole and behind the 13th green, 14th tee extending down to the left of the 16th hole.

Hole 3. A ball is out of bounds if it is beyond the edges on the 3rd fairway side of the white stakes on the right of the 3rd hole, this area extends beyond the front of the 4th green as defined by the white stakes.

Hole 9. A ball out of bounds if it is in or over the ditch that runs on the right side of the fairway and green.

Hole 17. The boundary of the course is defined by the course side edge of the "pylons" supporting the protection fence alongside the 17th tees.

Hole 18. The boundary of the course is defined by the course side edge of the low wall in front of the clubhouse. The boundary of the course extends along the concrete side edge of the steps to the clubhouse, the 10th tee side edge of the concrete path edging, painted white, at the rear of the putting green. A ball is out of bounds if it is beyond the course side edge of the stones, painted white, at the rear of the putting green.

Penalty Areas

All Penalty areas are defined by course side edge of red stakes at ground level. Relief should be taken in accordance with **Rule 17.1d**.

On the 18th hole the grass verge, Relief should be taken in accordance with **Rule 17.1d**. Please note you do not get free relief if the ball is in the Penalty Area and your stance is on the Path.

Ground Under Repair

Relief in accordance with **Rule 16.1b** must be taken from any area marked Ground Under Repair in the general area of the course.

Abnormal Ground Conditions/Immovable Obstructions

Hole 4. The white stakes defining the out of bounds on the 3rd hole should be treated as immovable obstruction and relief may be taken in accordance with Rule 16.1b.



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