**Garden Course Local Rules**

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| **Out Of Bounds Rule 18**   1. Beyond any boundary fence or hedge. 2. Beyond the line between the course-side edge of the white stakes at ground level to the left of the 3rd hole. 3. Beyond the hedge to the right of the 6th hole. 4. Beyond the fence to the left of the 8th hole. 5. On or beyond the curb of the road at the back of the 9th green. The buggy park is in play and relief may be taken under Rule 16.1b. 6. The Clubhouse Wedding Garden and the patio beyond the fenced areas.   **Immovable Obstructions Rule 16**   1. All roads, paths, drainage lines and vehicle ruts are immovable obstructions in the General Area from which relief is allowed under Rule 16.1b. 2. In addition, if a ball lies off the putting green but not in a bunker or penalty area and a fixed sprinkler head or drain 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 obtain relief without penalty as follows: The ball must be lifted and dropped at the nearest point to where the ball lay which a) is not nearer the hole, b) avoids such intervention and c) is not in a bunker or penalty area or on a putting green. 3. Blue stakes denoting outlet pipes and wooden posts supporting lifebuoy’s are integral objects if a player’s ball lies in the penalty area. If the ball lies in the general area they are immovable obstructions and relief may be taken under Rule 16.1b. | **Penalty Areas Rule 17**  All lakes and ditches on the course whether or not marked with red stakes and/or lines are red penalty areas.  **Penalty For Breach Of Local Rule**  Match Play – Loss of Hole.  Stroke Play – General Penalty.  **Public Footpath**  Please be aware of the public footpath marked by yellow ‘Rights of Way’ arrows which crosses the course.  Precedence **MUST** be given to walkers using the footpath as players could be held liable for any injury to individuals using it.  **Distance Markers**  Marker posts/discs show distances to the centre of the greens. White are 200 yards, yellow are 150 yards and red are 100 yards.  **Temporary Local Rules**  Temporary Local Rules from time to time in force are published on the Club Notice Boards. |