

Playing Ability Test

NOTICE TO PLAYERS

Play is governed by the Rules of Golf, the PGA of America Local Rules and Terms of the Competition Card, the Local Rule for this event regarding Pace of Play which is available at the starting tees, and, where applicable, by the following Local Rules which apply to this golf course.

OUT OF BOUNDS & COURSE BOUNDARIES

1. Out of Bounds:

In addition to item # 1 on the PGA of America Local Rules and Terms of the Competition Card, out of bounds is defined by the following:

a) The course-side edge of the boundary fence to the on hole / s **#3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 13.**

Stakes Identifying Out of Bounds

When out of bounds is defined by a line on the ground, a trench or other way that may not be visible from the teeing area, the Committee may place stakes to help identify the boundary. These stakes have been placed for visibility and are immovable obstructions.

PENALTY AREAS

Red Penalty Areas

Located on holes **10, 11, 14.**

Reference Point: The estimated point on the opposite edge of the penalty area that is the same distance from the hole as the estimated point where the original ball last crossed the edge of the red penalty area.

Size of Relief Area Measured from Reference Point: Two club-lengths but with these limits:

Limits on Location of Relief Area:

- Must not be nearer the hole than the reference point, **and**
- May be in any area of the course except the same penalty area, **but**
- If more than one area of the course is located within two club-lengths of the reference point, the ball must come to rest in the relief area in the same area of the course that the ball first touches when dropped in the relief area.

Penalty Areas, No Play Zone Signage:

Signs located in or around the penalty areas warning of environmentally-sensitive areas or wetlands usage may be disregarded by the player. Such signs are obstructions.

BUNKERS

No Bunkers on the Course:

There are NO “bunkers” on the golf course. All sandy areas whether natural, prepared sand or enclosed with grass are part of the general area and are not bunkers.

LOOSE IMPEDIMENTS

1. Mulched or Gravel Pathways:

Mulched or gravel pathways are immovable obstructions. Individual pieces of mulch or gravel are loose impediments. Elsewhere, when used other than on pathways, mulch or gravel are loose impediments.

OR (when no gravel is present)

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All MALE contestants will play from the BLUE tee markers. All SENIOR MALE contestants will play from the WHITE tee markers. All FEMALE contestants will play from the RED tee markers.