

**THE FOLLOWING LOCAL RULES AND TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS ALONG WITH
THE GOLFRSA HARDCARD ARE TO BE USED FOR THE DURATION OF THE TOURNAMENT.**

PERMANENT CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

- Suspension of Play – Rule 5.7 applies. Once siren is sounded (One Long blast), all play **MUST** stop immediately. Any player who fails to comply and continue play, will be disqualified.
- Transportation – Only permitted if approved by Referee
- Scoring – Please return your scorecards to the scorer in the clubhouse directly after play. The whole clubhouse is deemed the scoring area.
- **Closure of tournament – the competition will be closed once the Final Results have been posted on the Live Scoring.**

MODDERFONTEIN ADDITIONAL LOCAL RULES

PREFERRED LIES (Model Local Rule E-3)

When a player's ball lies in a part of the general area cut to fairway height or less the player may take free relief once by placing the original ball or another ball in and playing it from the relief area. The reference point is the spot of the original ball and the size of relief area, measured from reference point is one **CLUBLENGTH**, but must not be nearer the hole than the reference point, and must be in general area.

OUT OF BOUNDS AND COURSE BOUNDARIES (RULE 18.2)

Out of bounds is defined by the line between the course-side points at ground level of white stakes and fence posts. The clubhouse, car park, practice putting green, driving range and right of 18th hole stream up to the bridge.

Relief from Electric Boundary Fence

If a player's ball lies on the course and within two club-lengths of the electric boundary fence, he may, without penalty, take relief under Rule 16.1, using as the reference point that is two club-lengths, from the fence and an equal distance from the hole.

NO PLAY ZONES

Protection of Young Trees: The young trees identified by a **blue** stake are no play zones: If a player's ball lies anywhere on the course other than in a penalty area and it lies on or touches such a tree and its basin/bowl or such a tree interferes with the player's stance or area of intended swing, the player must take relief under Rule 16.1f.

Note: The black or green covers at the base of some trees are not stakes and are integral objects, i.e. no relief

Flower bed are no play zones and the player must take free relief under Rule 16.1

PENALTY AREAS (RULE 17)

- Penalty areas are identified by red stakes or yellow stakes.
- Where an artificial wall surrounds the edge of a dam or other body of water, the penalty area is defined by the outside edge of the wall on the course side (the wall is considered to be part of the penalty area and must be treated as such)
- The red penalty area to the right of holes 1, 7, 14 & 15 extends to and coincides with the out of bounds edge.
- **Provisional Ball for a ball in a penalty area (only on hole 1): On hole number one, if a player cannot determine whether their ball is lost outside the penalty area, the player may play a provisional ball from any of the options under rule 17.**

DROPPING ZONES: As an extra relief option for the penalty area on holes 9, 12 and 17 a drop zone is provided, by adding **one penalty stroke**, a player may drop a ball in the dropping zone marked in **white paint**. The dropping zone is a relief area under Rule 14.3.

ABNORMAL COURSE CONDITIONS (INCLUDING IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS) (RULE 16)

- **Integral Objects:**
All roads and paths unless artificially surfaced are integral parts of the course. Run-off areas leading to or from artificially surfaced paths are deemed part of the obstruction, whether marked or not.

PROCEDURE IN THE EVENT OF A TIE:

In the event of a tie a count out will be done as per the rules of golf by matching of scorecards.

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