



NOTICE TO PLAYERS (NTP) | NBGCC | July 11-13|14, 2023

The NTP supplements the entry form, Local Rules, Terms of the Competition, and Standard Local Rules for 2023 events.



Play is governed by Rules of Golf (effective January 2023 – USGA/R&A/Golf Canada), the Local Rules and Terms of the Competition for the PGA TOUR CANADA competitions and qualifying rounds, and, where applicable, by following Terms and Local Rules. **Local Rules posted at the host club or on the host club scorecard do not apply.** Unless otherwise noted, the penalty for breach of a Local Rule or Term is the **General Penalty - Two Strokes.**

1. TEE-MARKERS & WASHROOMS

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| AMATEUR MID WOMEN – Grey/Silver Tee Markers | Washroom – end of the 6 th hole & Hole #15 (same location) |
| AMATEUR MID MEN – Green Tee Markers | Washroom – Clubhouse after 3 rd hole and #9 |
| | Washroom – Hole 15 but it is distance away |

2. PACE OF PLAY: Time PAR is 4:35. (2:15 + 2:15 + 5 minutes at the turn)

3. DESIGNATED PRACTICE AREA – practice is permitted in the following areas (players & coaches only):

- Practice putting green beside the 1st / 10th tee and the driving range (DR is out of bounds)
- Practice putting green beside the 4th Green in the designated cut area.
- The penalty for practising on the competition course before or between competition rounds is **disqualification.**

4. OUT OF BOUNDS: Out of Bounds is marked by the perimeter fencing or white stakes/posts.

- The Clubhouse paved area and cart staging area (paved) is **not OUT OF BOUNDS.** Player may take relief in at the Drop Zone Stake nearest to the player's situation (please see below).

5. ABNORMAL COURSE CONDITIONS (ACC):

- Sodded area on Hole #2 – near the Yellow Penalty area. Relief for a ball lying on the seam only.
- Hole #9, inside the 100-yard mark and up to the Yellow Penalty Area, a player may use Lift-Clean-Place, within 1 club length, no nearer the hole, and place the ball. The size of the area is in front of the fairway width of the hole #9. A player may do this only once, unless another rule applies.
- Hole 14 and 15, tree nursery. Player may play the ball as it lies or take Nearest Point of Relief.

6. NO PLAY ZONES (NPZ): *Flower beds*, in General Area, are NPZ. Free, Nearest Point of Relief must be taken.

7. TEMPORARY IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS: any Starting or Scoring Tent(s) is a Temporary Immovable Obstructions. Model Local Rule F23 is in effect.

8. IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS CLOSE TO THE PUTTING GREEN: Model Local Rule F-5 is in effect. The player may take relief under Rule 16-1b if an immovable obstruction is on the line of play and is on or within two club-lengths of the putting green, and within two club-lengths of the ball.

9. INTEGRAL PARTS TO THE GOLF COURSE: The railway ties on Hole #12 and #13 in the bunkers are Integral to the golf course. No free relief.

10. RED PENALTY AREAS: in the absence of sight lines between stakes or a red line, the grass line will be used as the margin of the Red Penalty Area.

11. YELLOW PENALTY AREAS: reminder a player must cross *Yellow Penalty Areas*. (Hole #2, #9, and #18).

12. DROP ZONES (DZ): If a player hits a ball over the green, into the paved area of the clubhouse in Hole #3, 9 or 18, a player may proceed to the DZ stake. Player may play within 1 club length of the stake, no nearer the hole, without penalty.

13. EVACUATION PLAY: in the event of a suspension of play for a dangerous situation (signaled by one blast of an air horn), players must stop play immediately and move as quickly to the clubhouse as possible. Transportation rides to the safe location will be provided as quickly as possible.

14. SCORING AREA: will be located beside in the Golf Saskatchewan tent off the back left hand side of 18. It is also the Hole #9 checkpoint 1. (NOTE: The Committee may designate another area if needed due to weather).

15. PLAYOFF: In the event of a tie for the Amateur or Mid-Amateur Women's / Men's individual championship, medals, or a quota spot, a hole-by-hole playoff will take place on hole(s) to be determined by The Committee and will be repeated if needed until a winner is declared. See Tie-Breaking Procedure on the Golf SK website.

Play well and have fun. Play poorly, play faster!

COMMITTEE IN CHARGE OF THE COMPETITION:

Brian Lee (HR), Alexandra Schmidt (when not playing), Kevin Duchscherer, Dana Johnson (HP/GM of NBGCC)

RULES COMMITTEE: Brian Lee (Head Referee), Marilyn Briscoe, Terry Gaube, Bill Briscoe, Jim Bethune, Brian Topp, and Alex Schmidt (when not playing)

STARTER/SCORER: Clark Stork | **REGISTRATION:** Candace Dunham, Manager of Member Services

TO REQUEST A REFEREE: Please call or text **1-306-291-5260**. Please let us know where you are located.