



Old Course Local Rules

Staked Trees (Rule 16.1)

Staked trees are immovable obstructions, appropriate relief must be taken.

Sprinkler Heads and Grates (Rule 16.1)

All fixed sprinkler heads and grates are immovable obstructions, interference by an immovable obstruction occurs when a ball lies in or on the obstruction, or when the obstruction interferes with the player's stance or the area of intended swing.

Ground Under Repair (Rule 16.1)

Play is prohibited from areas marked with a white line as "GUR".

Areas of damage in the Putting Green caused by Foxes (Rule 16.1)

Areas of damage in the **Putting Green** caused by Foxes are treated as ground under repair from which relief is allowed. *[But relief is not allowed if the damage only interferes with the player's stance].*

Aeration Holes Ruling

On the putting green, a ball that comes to rest in or on an aeration hole may be placed at the nearest point not nearer the hole that avoids the indentation.

Out of Bounds (Rule 18.2)

Out of bounds is defined with white posts, any ball that comes to rest on or over the boundary between the 16th Old Course and 3rd hole of the Coronation Course, or the 18th hole Old Course and the 1st hole Coronation Course, shall be deemed out of bounds.

A ball coming to rest on or over the Captain's Drive when playing the 18th hole Old Course or on or over the road at the rear of the 18th green Old Course shall be deemed out of bounds.

Paths and Roads

A ball coming to rest on all artificial man-made pathways may be lifted and dropped without penalty within one club-length, not nearer to the hole.

Penalty for Breach of Local Rules

Match Play - Loss of Hole.

Stroke Play - Two Stroke Penalty.

Ball Deflected by Post and Rope

If it is known or virtually certain that a player's ball hit 'post and/or rope' protecting the greens from buggy and trolley traffic during play, the player must replay the stroke by playing the original ball or another ball from the spot where that stroke was made (see Rule 14.6).

If the player replays the stroke but does so from a wrong place, they get the general penalty under Rule 14.7.

If the player does not replay the stroke, they get the general penalty and the stroke counts, but the player has not played from a wrong place.