

RULES

The Rules of Golf as laid down by The Royal & Ancient Golf Club of St Andrews will apply.

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT ALL GOLFERS ARE PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE/LIABLE FOR ANY INJURY HOWEVER CAUSED TO ANOTHER PLAYER, MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC AND OR THEIR PROPERTY. ENJOY YOUR GOLF.

1. OUT OF BOUNDS

a. Beyond any boundary fence, hedge, ditch or stream and/or defined by white posts.

2. WATER HAZARDS

a. Yellow Posts - water hazard.
b. Red Posts or unmarked - lateral water hazard.

3. POWER POLE AND LINES

If a ball strikes a power pole, line or stay, the player must disregard that stroke, abandon the ball and play another ball as near as possible to the spot from which the original ball was played (in accordance with rule 20-5)

4. STONES IN BUNKERS

Stones in bunkers are moveable obstructions.

5. PROTECTION OF YOUNG TREES

Protection of young trees identified by stakes or banding. If such a tree interferes with the players stance or the area of the intended swing, the ball **must** be lifted without penalty and dropped in accordance with rule 24-2b(i) (Immoveable Obstruction). The ball may be cleaned when so lifted.

6. IMMOVEABLE OBSTRUCTIONS

- a. Pop-up sprinklers (rule 24-2)
- b. All manhole covers
- c. All constructed pathways
- d. The telegraph pole and supporting wire
- e. The old roadway on the right hand side of the 4th fairway

7. WINTER RULES

Winter rules normally apply from November to March inclusive. While in force on closely mown areas through the green, the ball may be picked, cleaned and placed within 6" not nearer the hole. A plugged ball in the rough may be picked, cleaned and dropped not nearer the hole.

8. DRESS RULES

All Players must abide by the following code: No jeans, tracksuits or, i.e. trainer-type shoes allowed on the golf course; shirts must have a collar and golf shoes must be worn.

ALL PLAYERS MUST ABIDE BY THE CLUBS RULES, THE RULES OF GOLF AND THE ETIQUETTE HEREIN.

**N.B ALL PLAYERS MUST HAVE THEIR OWN GOLF BAG AND CLUBS.
CLUBS AND TROLLEYS ARE AVAILABLE TO HIRE.**



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