

LOCAL RULES - UNIVERSITY PARK COUNTRY CLUB

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A ball lying in a closely mown area, may be moved or lifted, cleaned and placed within one club length, no nearer the hole without penalty during cart path only days.

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Holes #16 and #17, lake by the tee plays as a "Yellow Penalty Area" for the Diamond, Emerald and Platinum tees, and as a "Red Penalty Area" for the Gold, Ruby and Bronze tees.

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Holes #16 and #17, when playing from the Diamond, Emerald or Platinum tee, if there is doubt whether a ball is in or is lost in the yellow penalty area, the player may play another ball provisionally under any of the applicable options in Rule 18.3. If the original is found outside the yellow penalty area, the player must continue play with it. If the original ball is found in the yellow penalty area, the player may either play the original ball as it lies or continue with the ball played provisionally. If the original ball is not found or identified within the three-minute search period, the player must continue with the provisional ball.

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Aeration holes – in "General Area", a ball which comes to rest in or on an aeration hole may be lifted without penalty, cleaned and placed as near as possible to the spot where it lay but not nearer the hole. On the putting green, the player shall place the ball at the nearest spot not nearer the hole which avoids the situation.

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Newly sodded areas – in "General Area", play as ground under repair.
Newly plugged areas on the green, play as ground under repair.

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If your ball lies on/in the cut line around the fringes, the ball is in ground under repair. If your ball is in front or behind the cut line play the ball as it lies.

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When a player's ball cannot be found or is known or virtually certain to be out of bounds, the player may proceed as follows rather than proceeding under stroke & distance, cannot be used if the player hit a provisional ball.

For TWO Penalty Strokes, the player may take relief by dropping their ball in this relief area (see rule 14.3):

Two Estimated Reference Points:

- a. Ball Reference Point: The point where the original ball:
 - Is estimated to have come to rest on the course, or
 - Last crossed the edge of the course boundary to go out of bounds.
- b. Fairway Reference Point: The point of fairway of the hole being played that is nearest to the ball reference point, but is not nearer the hole than the ball reference point.

Size of Relief Area Based on Reference Points: Anywhere between:

- A line from the hole through the ball reference point (or within 2 club-lengths to the outside of the line), and
- A line from the hole through the fairway reference point (or within 2 club-lengths to the outside of that line).