



University Golf Club Local Rules

Immovable Obstructions:

All artificially constructed objects, protective netting holes #1 and #5, washrooms between holes #5/#7 and #15/#18, all bark mulch/planted areas, all cart paths, irrigation boxes. Areas containing wood chips are not classified as obstructions (Between holes #6 and #9, holes #7 and #8 and hole #17). Players are not entitled to relief and must play the ball as it lies.

The netting and guide wires on holes #1 and #5 are obstructions when interfering with stance and swing or the ball lies between the netting and boundary fence. A player is allowed to lift and drop the ball on the fairway side of the netting within one club length not nearer the hole without penalty.

Note: a player may not take relief under the Rule if interference by anything other than the obstruction makes the stroke clearly impracticable or interference from the obstruction occurs through use of a clearly unreasonable stroke or an unnecessarily abnormal stance, swing or direction of play.

If the ball is deemed to be in an unplayable lie, as an additional option under Rule 28 (Ball Unplayable), drop a ball on the fairway side of the netting within one club length not closer to the hole (penalty 1 stroke)

Movable Obstructions:

Including: All stakes defining lateral water hazards (red), vertical yardage markers (black/white 150 markers center of fairway, 200, 150, 100 markers side of fairway) and stones in bunkers within one club length. (Rule 24)

Distance Measuring Devices:

The use of electronic distance measuring devices is permitted in all University Golf Club events. Devices capable of measuring distance only will be permitted. Devices capable of measuring other factors, such as elevation change, wind speed, temperature, are not permitted.

Abnormal Conditions:

Relief must be taken from all flower beds – no penalty

Ball embedded in its own pitch mark through the green may be lifted, cleaned and dropped not nearer the hole – no penalty