



West Essex Golf Club Local Rules

1. Out of Bounds (Rule 18.2)

- a) In, on or beyond any hedge, fence, ditch, wall or line of white stakes and/or lines defining the course boundary
- b) Beyond the white posts right of the 1st and 2nd holes.
- c) Beyond the fence immediately right of the 4th tee when playing the 4th hole
- d) Beyond the white posts right of the 9th green.
- e) Beyond the fence and/or white posts right of the 13th hole.
- f) In the hedge and beyond the ditch right of the 16th hole.
- g) The practice putting green, clubhouse complex and pro shop as defined by white stakes/lines around the 17th tee and right of & behind the 18th hole & green.

2. Abnormal Course Conditions (Rule 16.1)

- a) For interference from the bridal path or either of the two wooden fences behind the 3rd green, a drop zone left of the 3rd green is provided as an addition free relief option.

3. Priority on the Course

- a) Except at Weekends, a two-ball group has precedence over and is entitled to pass any other kind of group.
- b) Any group playing a whole round is entitled to pass a group playing less than a whole round.

4. Pace of Play

- a) It is a group's responsibility to keep up with the group in front. A group with a clear hole in front, which is delaying the group behind (irrespective of that group's size), should invite it to play through.
- b) Except in Match Play, players should use 'Ready Golf (Rule 6.4b) whenever possible to help speed up the pace of play on the whole golf course.

5. Safety - Lightning

When there is lightning in the area all players MUST leave the course immediately and seek safety in the Clubhouse.

ALTERATIONS OR TEMPORARY ADDITIONS TO LOCAL RULES WILL BE POSTED ON THE CLUB NOTICE BOARD.

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