



THE INTERNATIONAL PAIRS WORLD FINAL ON COURSE RULES

14-18 November 2022 – Campo America GC – La Cala Resort

- Distances from the tee box & scorecard are measured to the centre of the green – Distance markers on course are to the front of the green.
- Repair divots & pitch marks.
- All players are to report to the tee 5-minutes prior to their tee off time.

PACE OF PLAY:

As the format is stableford, **IT WILL BE COMPULSORY** that if you cannot score points on a hole, you are to pick up and move on to the next hole to avoid slow play. Pace of play will be monitored by course marshalls. If it is found a group or player is slow, warnings and penalties could be implemented. The recommended time for 9 holes is 2H15min / 4H30min for 18 holes.

PLACING/PREFERRED LIES:

One club length on all fairways and closely mown areas.

TEE SELECTION:

- a) The use of tees will be decided as per the handicap rules of Golf. **Players are allowed to select any tee box and their handicap will adjust according** to the slope and course rating of that tee. Should 1 player decide to play of a certain tee, the player's partner can play off a different tee.
- b) **It is of utmost importance that players report their tee selection to the tournament coordinators at least a day prior to play.**

OUT OF BOUNDS:

Out of bounds is defined by the course-side points at ground level of white stakes, boundary walls or metal fences that surround the course. Out of bounds is also defined by white lines.

ABNORMAL COURSE CONDITIONS:

a) GUR-Ground Under Repair:

1. Ground under repair is defined by any area encircled with blue stakes or a white line
2. Areas in bunkers where sand has been removed by the movement of water resulting in deep furrows through the sand are ground under repair.
3. In the general area, areas of damage caused by wild boar are treated as ground under repair from which relief is allowed under Rule 16.1b.
4. There are no greenkeepers rubble on course, ball to be played as it lies from the bark areas in the rough.

b) Immovable Obstructions

1. All Stakes on the course must be treated as immovable obstructions.
2. All roads and paths on the course, even if not artificially-surfaced, are treated as immovable obstructions from which free relief is allowed under Rule 16.1.

PENALTY AREAS:

1. When a penalty area adjoins a boundary, the penalty area edge extends to and coincides with the boundary.
2. When a pond is bordered by stones, the outside edge of the stones mark the penalty area and the stakes identify what kind of penalty area it is (red or yellow).

***IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF ANY RULING, APPLY THE 2-BALL RULE:**

If a player and his marker cannot come to a conclusion on a ruling, the player is permitted to play two balls on the hole and record both scores. The player finishes the hole with both possible outcomes of the ruling. It is required that the player indicates which ball he/she would like to stand. The rule shall be settled by rules officials after the round.

GOLF CARTS & BUGGIES ARE TO BE USED AT YOUR OWN RISK.

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