

LOCAL RULES

- **HOLE 1** – All roads including the driveway and parking lot of the Noco Pavillion and Ensminger Rd (behind the green) are Out of Bounds. Ball drop area west (left) of water at the footbridge. The bare ground behind the left sand trap is Ground Under Repair.
- **HOLE 2** - Fence to right of tee, use obstruction rule.
- **HOLE 3** - Roads to right of and behind green are Out of Bounds. The mound (berm) lining the right side of the fairway is not Ground Under Repair.
- **HOLE 5** - Stakes to left, edge of water, road to left is Out of Bounds. Fence behind green is Out of Bounds – no relief.
- **HOLE 6** - Fence posts on left mark Out of Bounds (NO swing relief from fence posts).
- **HOLE 7** - Fence posts on left mark Out of Bounds (NO swing relief from fence posts). Water to right is lateral hazard. Mound/Berm to the right of fairway (approx. 280 yards from tee) is Ground Under Repair.
- **HOLE 8** - Road to left (marked by white line) is Out of Bounds.
- **HOLE 9** - Stakes to right of and behind green as well as parking lot are Out of Bounds.
- **HOLE 10** - Road and sidewalk on right is Out of Bounds. Fence south of Club House (enclosing golf carts) is Out of Bounds. This includes cement base of fence. Fences north of Clubhouse are protective - this includes the practice green. Protective fence behind the green gets relief.
- **HOLE 11** - Road on right (Sheridan Drive) is Out of Bounds. Fence behind green is protective (so you do get relief). Road behind green is Out of Bounds. Heavy grass area to the left of fairway and rough are considered lateral hazard – drop at nearest point of entry. Ball located on grass behind the green between the fence and the road (East Park Dr) is considered in bounds and player may take 2 club relief inside the fence no closer to the hole.
- **HOLE 12** – Hole will be lined entirely in yellow (water hazard). Drop area for balls landing in the water hazard off tee shot (whether directly in or off a tree that is within the hazard) is located on other side of the water in designated drop area at end of cart path. A ball that lands on the other side of the water but rolls back into the water much be played either from edge of water where it entered or from designated Drop Zone.
- **HOLE 13** - Road behind green is Out of Bounds. Fence behind green is protective.
- **HOLE 14** – Areas around Parks Department maintenance area on right are marked WHITE (Out of Bounds) but our Club plays this as a lateral hazard for the entire length of the hole. A Drop Zone adjacent to the foot bridge should

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be utilized to improve pace of play. Roads right of and behind green are Out of Bounds. Fence to right of the green is protective.

- For balls in the water, if all players in the group concur that the ball crossed the hazard and has then bounced or rolled back into the water, player may drop at nearest point of entry with one stroke penalty assessed. Player is entitled to relief even if he cannot identify his ball in the water.
- A ball coming to rest against the fence around maintenance area or against the foundation of the maintenance building does not get relief and ball must be played as it lies or as an unplayable.
- Balls coming to rest inside or against the fence around weather station gets one club relief – not nearer the hole. Since the weather station is considered a man-made hazard you also get swing relief and line of sight relief.
- **HOLE 16** - Fence to left is Out of Bounds. Road behind green is Out of Bounds. Guard rail behind green is an obstruction. Drop area located on tee side of bridge for ball assumed lost in trees to the left.
- **HOLE 17** - Roads on left and behind green are Out of Bounds. Staked area from road to creek is Out of Bounds. Water from tee to GRASS BRIDGE/Out of Bounds stakes is LATERAL hazard. Fence to left of fairway and the green is protective. Bare ground behind green is Ground Under Repair. On a tee ball hit to the left, unless player can see their ball come to rest from the tee, he should assume it lost and declare and hit a provisional. The area of the creek between Out of Bounds stakes is considered Out of Bounds.
- **HOLE 18** - Fence behind the green is protective.

PROTECTIVE FENCE RULING - Take swing relief and line of sight relief (if needed) no nearer hole. Please do not hit over protective fences. No penalty incurred.

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**** New for 2019 ****

- **150 Yard Posts** - All 150 yard marker posts are considered man-made hazards so you do get swing relief and line of sight relief.
- **Reforestation** - downed trees, tree stumps, and surrounding areas that haven't been mowed are considered as ground under repair. Small mounds of dirt that were removed to plant new trees are also Ground Under Repair. You are entitled to relief from new staked trees under the Immoveable Obstruction rule.
- **USGA Local Rule E-5 -Alternative to Stroke and Distance for Lost Ball or Ball Out of Bounds** - This USGA Local Rule is intended to speed the pace of play by providing an alternative to a player returning to the spot of the previous shot in the event of a lost ball or a ball out of bounds. It allows the player to take a drop in the nearest spot of the fairway (within two club-lengths of the edge of the fairway), no nearer the hole than where the ball crossed the OB line, with a two-stroke penalty. The same local rule applies to a lost ball, with the player able to drop in the fairway across from where the previous ball is estimated to have come to rest.
 - This will significantly speed up play by not forcing somebody to go backwards on the course to replay a shot after learning that a ball is out of bounds (or lost).
 - For example, if a player sends a tee shot out of bounds and proceeds under this local rule, they will play their fourth shot after dropping near the edge of the fairway. This is the same as them taking the stroke-and-distance penalty, returning to the tee, and then hitting a drive to the edge of the fairway – either way they the next shot is their fourth. If you're not sure, hit a provisional, if you end up not being able to find your ball or its out of bounds, do not go backwards on the course – use this Local Rule.
 - PLEASE READ THE DETAILS ON THE SEPARATE SHEETS REGARDING THIS RULE