



56th NEBRASKA MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

Conducted by the Nebraska Golf Association

Beatrice Country Club • June 26-30, 2023



NOTICE TO PLAYERS

(This notice supplements the Local Rules and Terms of Competition for NebGolf Championships)

1. Abnormal Course Conditions includes:

- a. Areas of damage from bunker drainage project.
- b. Decorative Flower and Plant Beds. When enclosed by cart paths or adjacent to immovable obstructions as a single abnormal course condition.
- c. Turf Nursery located right of hole #18 from which play is prohibited. If interference exists, relief must be taken. Such nursery is not defined, but it constitutes all the area cut at approximately putting green height or less.

2. Immovable Obstructions:

- a. Birdhouses and their posts are immovable obstructions.
- b. Staked Trees (including wire and mulched tree wells associated with staked trees) are deemed to be immovable obstructions.
- c. Immovable obstructions adjacent to each other are to be treated as a single obstruction.

3. Loose Impediments:

- a. Wood chips, pine straw and mulch are loose impediments.

4. Movable Obstructions: include, but are not limited to:

- a. Staking and roping; trash cans; benches; and beverage coolers.

5. Out of Bounds:

- a. Defined by the perimeter fence posts, white dots and white lines in addition to white stakes.
- b. Defined by the pool fence between white stakes near the clubhouse.

6. Paint Dots and Lines Not Used for Course Marking:

- a. Blue paint dots are used to define the scoring areas and green depths. Free relief is not available.

7. Penalty Areas:

- a. The yellow penalty area on hole #15 plays as a red penalty area during play of any other hole.
- b. Dropping Zones: If a ball is in the following penalty areas, including when it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found came to rest in the penalty area, the player has these relief options, each for one penalty stroke: 1) Take relief under Rule 17.1; or 2) As an extra option, drop the original ball or another ball in the dropping zone marked "DZ" in the location below. The dropping zone is a relief area under Rule 14.3.
 - i. Hole #1 Yellow Penalty Area - Drop Zone located near the yellow penalty area.
 - ii. Hole #5 Yellow or Red Penalty Area - Drop Zone located on the forward teeing area.
 - iii. Hole #6 Yellow or Red Penalty Area - Drop Zone located on the forward teeing area.
 - iv. Hole #7 Yellow or Red Penalty Area - Drop Zone located on the white teeing area.
 - v. Hole #10 Yellow Penalty Area - Drop Zone located near the yellow penalty area.
 - vi. Hole #13 Yellow Penalty Area - Drop Zone located in the fairway.

8. Temporary Immovable Obstructions: Model Local Rule F-23 is in effect. TIOs include but are not limited to: tents, fan near #11 green.

- a. Special Relief Procedure - **Either Side Relief:**
 - i) If a player is allowed relief under the TIO Local Rule, the player may take relief without penalty on either side of the TIO.

9. Play-Off to Determine Match Play Field: In the event of a tie for the last spot(s) after 36-holes of stroke play, there will be a hole-by-hole play-off following completion of Round 2 on Tuesday. The play-off rotation will be holes #10, #16, #17 and #18.

10. Match Tied after 18-Holes: The match is extended one hole at a time in the same order as in the round until a winner is determined, unless otherwise stated by the Committee.

11. Scoring Area: A score card is returned when it has been given to the scoring official and the player has left the immediate scoring tent area.

12. Teeing Area:

- a. Red NebGolf tee-markers define the teeing area for the girls.

13. Pace of Play Review Committee: Justin Ahrens, Craig Ames and Ben Vigil.

14. Final Decisions on Disputed Points will be made by Justin Ahrens, Craig Ames and Ben Vigil.

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