



56<sup>th</sup> NEBRASKA MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP  
Tatanka Golf Club, Niobrara • July 14-18, 2025



**NOTICE TO PLAYERS**

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

**1. Championship Related Signs:**

- a. Signs that are fixed in the ground or on drive stakes are TIOs. Examples of these are tee signs, sponsor signs, informational signs, and when these are readily movable, they may be moved. If there is a drive stake, it remains a TIO.

**2. Ground Under Repair and Other Abnormal Course Conditions:**

- a. Include but are not limited to:
  - i) Areas of damage from maintenance vehicles and equipment used for tree removal.

**3. Immovable Obstructions:**

- a. Include but are not limited to: All artificially surfaced roads and paths, including any adjacent curbing.
- b. Immovable obstructions adjacent to, within or abutting each other, such as artificially surfaced paths (including decorative areas enclosed by these paths), curbing, walls, steps and drains, are considered a single obstruction.

**4. Movable Obstructions:** Include but are not limited to:

- i) Staking and roping; trash cans; benches; and beverage coolers.

**5. Dropping Zones:** If a ball is in the following ground under repair or penalty area, including when it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found came to rest in the penalty area, or came to rest in ground under repair, the player has these relief options, each for one penalty stroke:

- i) proceed under Rule 17.1; or
- ii) as an additional 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
  - Hole #11 Red Penalty Area - DZ located on a forward tee.

**6. Penalty Areas:**

- a. Faded or not freshly painted red lines have no status and do not define a penalty area.

**7. Out of Bounds:**

- a. Defined by the nearest inside edge of white stakes and perimeter fences, in addition to white lines and dots when present.

**8. Teeing Area:** Red NebGolf markers define the teeing area.

**9. Temporary Immovable Obstructions (TIOs):** Model Local Rule F-23 is in effect. TIOs include but are not limited to: championship tents.

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.

**10. Scoring Area:** The scoring area is defined by blue dots.

**11. 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 following the completion of Round 2 on Tuesday. The play-off rotation will be #18, #10, #17, #18 repeated, unless otherwise notified by the Committee.

**12. 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.

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

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