



25th NEBRASKA FOUR-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP
The Prairie Club, Valentine • Pines Course
May 8-9, 2026



NOTICE TO PLAYERS

(This information supplements the Championship entry & the Local Rules and Terms of Competition for 2026 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. Burrowing Animal Holes - Burrowing animal holes that have been flattened are deemed to be burrowing animal holes from which free relief is available.

3. Bunkers:

- a. All prepared areas of sand are to be treated as bunkers, even though rakes may not be present.

4. Immovable Obstructions:

- a. Include but are not limited to: Cart paths with rock and/or crushed rock; wood steps and pathways.
- b. Wooden post retaining walls within bunkers.
- c. Hole #1 - The wagon right of the fairway.
- d. Holes #1 and #18 - The fence right of the fairway does not define out of bounds and is treated as an immovable obstruction.

5. Integral Objects:

- a. Sandy Paths (maintenance vehicle cut throughs) - are deemed to be an integral object, therefore, no relief without penalty.

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

- i) Staking and roping and cart directional signs.

5. Out of Bounds:

- a. Defined by the course side edge of perimeter fences at ground level.

6. Teeing Area: White NebGolf markers define the teeing area.

7. 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.

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

9. Play-Off: A tie for first place will be decided by a hole-by-hole play-off beginning on Hole #18 immediately following play. The play-off rotation will be #18, #1, #17, #18 repeated, unless otherwise notified by the Committee.

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

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