



KINGSWOOD – ADDITIONAL LOCAL RULES

1. PREFERRED LIES

Due to (abnormal course conditions) which is the course being dry, the player may lift, clean and place within 1 club length not nearer the hole on closely mown areas.

2. EMBEDDED BALL

Relief from a ball embedded in its own pitch mark extended to through the green.

3. OUT OF BOUNDS (RULE 27)

The following shall be deemed out of bounds:

- Beyond any wall, fence, white stakes, or lines defining the boundary of the course
- On or over estate roads. A ball which crosses an estate road defined as out of bounds and comes to rest beyond that road is out of bounds, even though it may lie on another part of the course.
- **WARNING: The perimeter fence surrounding the Estate is electrified and should be treated as "live" at all times.** If the electrified fence interferes with your swing. The player may measure two club-lengths away from the fence and the ball may then be lifted and, without penalty, be dropped within a club length of this point, not nearer the hole.
- **NB! Strictly NO ACCESS is allowed onto private property on the Estate. Any player who wilfully breaches this regulation will be held in breach of the code of conduct for the tournament and could face further sanction.**

4. OBSTRUCTIONS

- Immovable obstructions close to the putting green: If a ball lies off the putting green, but not in a hazard, and an immovable obstruction on or within two club-lengths of the putting green and within two club-lengths of the ball intervenes on the *line of play* between the ball and the hole, the player may take relief as follows: the ball shall be lifted & dropped at the nearest point to where the ball lay which (i) is not nearer the hole, (ii) avoids such intervention & (iii) is not in a hazard or on a putting green. The ball may be cleaned when so lifted. Specimen local rule in appendix 1, part b 6 of the rules of golf applies.
- All hazard stakes are deemed to be ***movable obstructions***.
- Stones in bunkers are movable obstructions.

5. SMALL TREES AND BOWLS

If a ball comes to rest on wood chippings in a tree bowl, the ball may be lifted, cleaned, and dropped. Small, staked trees between the 3rd and 4th hole - if your intended swing is impeded by the tree, you can take full relief without penalty.

6. PACE OF PLAY (4h30 maximum time allowed for 18 holes)

We encourage "ready" golf which means when it is safe, and you are ready to play, please do so, even if your partner is behind you. Use of the "one mark rule" on the greens is also practiced which means, mark, clean, replace and putt out. If you cannot score on the hole, please pick up and proceed to the next hole.

7. PLEASE REMEMBER TO REPAIR YOUR PITCH MARKS ON THE GREENS AND ONE OTHER PITCH MARK THAT YOU SEE TO KEEP OUR GREENS LOOKING AND RUNNING PURE.

8. PLEASE REMEMBER TO FILL YOUR DIVOTS

9. BUNKERS

Please remember to rake bunkers once you have played out.



RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR PLAYING GOLF AT KINGSWOOD GOLF ESTATE

- Please repair your pitch marks on the green.
- Please fill your divots on the fairways and teeing ground.
- Please keep golf carts off all tee boxes staying on cart paths only and at least 10 meters away from all greens. On par 3's the carts are to stay on the cart paths only!
- No harassing the wildlife and antelope on the course.
- No entering residential areas to recover golf balls.
- No urinating on the course, except at the facilities provided.
- No player will be allowed onto the golf course unless they are wearing appropriate golfing attire.
- Please ensure that you have a sandbag.
- No exhibiting loud or boisterous behaviour near houses on the estate or restaurant area.
- The pace of play for 18 holes is maximum 4 hours 30 minutes and the marshal will be ensuring this is adhered to, failure to comply will result in players skipping hole to catch up position.
- The 3-strike rule will apply:
 1. 1st is warning
 2. 2nd is final warning
 3. 3rd will require players to walk required holes to get back into position/or if players not adhering to course conduct will be asked to leave the golf course