



CGF Cup 2015

Aphrodite Hills GC

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LOCAL RULES

1. **Out of Bounds** (Rule 27)
 - a) Beyond any painted line or white stakes.
 - b) On or beyond any public roads/footpaths.
 - c) Over any property fence /hedge/wall or within the grounds of property bordering the course.
 - d) Hotel grounds defined as to the right of the surrounding buggy path to the right of holes 8 and 9.
 - e) Clubhouse and surrounding areas.
 - f) Within the maintenance area to the right of holes 10 and 11.
 - g) Left of the buggy path on holes 12 and 13, and to the right of the path on hole 14.

2. **Water Hazards** (Rule 26)
 - a) Water hazards are marked with yellow stakes.
 - b) Lateral water hazards are marked with red stakes or red lines. Lateral water hazards include the ravine on hole 7, areas to the left of the 8th hole and to the right of holes 13, 15 and 16.
 - c) On the 7th hole, if a ball enters the hazard players have the option of:
 - i. Teeing up a second ball from the original tee position (with penalty)
 - ii. Dropping a second ball from the Drop zone positioned further along the Tee box (with penalty).

3. **Immovable obstructions** (Rule 24.2)
 - a) Irrigation units, including sprinkler heads, control boxes and satellite stations.
 - b) All course furniture including information posts, bench seats and ball washers.
 - c) All buggy paths.
 - d) The satellite station situated between holes 3 and 4.
 - e) Bunker lining
 - f) All irrigation pipes

4. **Movable obstructions** (Rule 24.1)
 - a) Directional marker posts.
 - b) Stones in bunkers.

5. **Integral parts of the course** (Rule 28)
 - a) All property walls surrounding the golf course.
 - b) The stone walls on holes 5, 11 and 15.
 - c) Any rock faces, natural or man-made.

6. **Ground under repair** (Rule 25)
 - a) All areas marked by blue stakes and/or otherwise.
 - b) The ancient kiln on the 1st hole and olive presses on the 8th hole are designated ground under repair

Players **MUST** take relief from all designated areas of Ground Under Repair, either in dropping zones where provided or at the nearest point of relief in line with Rule 25.

7. **Environmentally Sensitive Area (ESA) – Hole 18**

The area marked by red stakes with green tops to the left of the green is an ESA. Relief must be taken, with penalty of one stroke, in the drop zone. The area marked by red stakes with green tops and red stakes to the right of the green is an ESA and also defined as a Lateral Water Hazard. Relief must be taken, with penalty of one stroke, in the drop zone.

8. **Distance measuring devices** (Rule 14.3 Appendix 1.9)

A player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. If a player uses a distance measuring device that is designed to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g. gradient, wind speed, temperature, etc.) the player is in breach of Rule 14.3, for which the penalty is disqualification, regardless of whether any such additional function is actually used.

PENALTY FOR BREACH OF LOCAL RULES – 2 STROKES

Notes:

1. Fairway distance markers are in metres to front of green.
2. Ball spotters will be in attendance on some holes. A White flag indicates it is clear to drive. A subsequent White flag indicates the ball is in play. A Red flag indicates that the ball was not spotted and that a 'provisional' ball should be played. It will help ball spotters if players could indicate from the tee if the ball has gone far right or left. **If you are in doubt that your ball may be lost, please declare and play a provisional ball.**

PLAY SUSPENSION PROCEDURES

1. Lightning

If lightning is observed approaching the course and play has to be suspended, a klaxon will sound for two 5-second blasts. This may be repeated. All players and spectators **MUST** leave the course immediately. Balls in play should be marked and lifted. Assistance will be given to players at the furthest points on the course.

2. Rain

If, in the opinion of the Committee or its representative on the spot, heavy rain makes the course unplayable, a klaxon will sound for 5 seconds. Players should mark and lift their balls but remain on or near the hole being played for 45 minutes. When play can be resumed a klaxon will sound 3 short blasts. If, after 45 minutes, the rain has not abated, the committee will advise players of the procedure to be followed.

3. Effect of suspension of play

If play is or becomes impossible because of lightning, rain or any other reason, and play is abandoned for the day, the committee will in its absolute discretion decide how this will affect the regulation of the competition and advice participants accordingly.

