#### 14TH NEBRASKA SENIOR MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP



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## **NOTICE TO PLAYERS**

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

## 1. Abnormal Course Conditions includes:

- a. Decorative flower beds (including all rock beds).
- b. Newly Planted Trees identified by a ribbon, wire flag and/or black tubing.

#### 2. Immovable Obstructions:

- a. Include but are not limited to:
  - i) Artificially surfaced roads and paths including those surfaced with crushed rock, gravel and asphalt.
- c. 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.
- d. Permanent restrooms and structures, including adjacent and surrounding artificially surfaced paths, patios, and decorative plantings, are considered a single obstruction.
- e. White stakes with black tips defining Out of Bounds along the right of Hole #8 are immovable obstructions during play of Hole #7.

## 3. Movable Obstructions: include, but are not limited to:

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

# 4. Penalty Areas:

- a. **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:
  - 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 #13 Yellow Penalty Area DZ located on the forward tee.
    - Hole #14 Red Penalty Area DZ located in the fairway.

#### 5. Out of Bounds:

- a. Defined by the nearest inside edge of perimeter fence posts and white stakes, in addition to white dots and lines.
- b. White stakes with black tips behind Hole #7 green and to the right of Hole #8 tee define Out of Bounds for Hole #8 only.
- 6. Temporary Immovable Obstructions: Model Local Rule F-23 is in effect. TIOs include but are not limited to: 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. **Play-Off to Determine Match Play Field:** In the event of a tie for the last spot(s) in match play brackets after 18-holes of stroke play, there will be a hole-by-hole play-off following completion of the round on Wednesday. The play-off rotation will be holes #1-2-9 repeated, as necessary, unless otherwise notified by the Committee.
- 9. **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.
- 9. Scoring Area: A score card is returned when it has been given to the scoring official and the player has left the scoring area defined by blue dots.

# 10. Teeing Area:

- a. Red NebGolf tee-markers Championship Division.
- b. White NebGolf tee-markers Tournament Division.
- 11. Pace of Play Review Committee: Justin Ahrens, Craig Ames and Ben Vigil.
- 12. Final Decisions on Disputed Points will be made by Justin Ahrens, Craig Ames and Ben Vigil.