

Local Rules

Unless otherwise noted, the penalty for breach of a Local Rule is a two stroke penalty.

Penalty Areas

- All penalty areas are defined as red penalty areas.
- Dropping Zones: For balls in or lost in the penalty area on Grove #6 and Plantation #3, the player may take relief under one of the options in Rule 17 or as an additional option under penalty of one stroke, take relief by dropping a ball in and playing from the Dropping Zone (circular areas in the general area cut to fairway height or less).

Ground Under Repair

- Includes ruts caused by vehicles on the course except in a penalty area.
- Includes cracks in the parts of the general area cut to fairway height or less but interference does not exist if this only interferes with the player's stance.
- Includes the areas of stones to the immediate left and right to the cart path on Plantation #2 and Plantation #3 and to the right of the putting green on Plantation #3.

Optional Stroke and Distance Alternative

- Model Local Rule E-5 is in effect.
- [Full text of the Local Rule available here.](#)

Out of Bounds

- Defined by beyond any white stake or property fence defining the boundary of the course.
- A ball coming to rest on or beyond a public road is out of bounds even if it comes to rest on another part of the course that is in bounds for other holes.
- Defined by beyond the penalty area located behind the putting green on Plantation #9 because that area is not property of the club.

Distance Markers

- Teeing Area yardage markers are measured to the center of the green.
- Sprinkler heads in the general area are measured to the front of the green.
- Fairway stakes (blue, white, red and gold) mark 200, 150, 100 and 50 yards, respectively, and are measured to the center of the green.