



SUNDOG OPEN

Baxter Creek Golf Club

Wednesday, September 7, 2022

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

This information supplements the 2022 Local Rules and Terms of Conditions for the GTA AM Tour. The current issue of the Golf Canada Rules of Golf govern play. **Any rules on the host club scorecard do not apply. Penalty for breach of a Local Rule is the general penalty, unless otherwise noted.**

1. **OUT OF BOUNDS (Rule 18.2):** Defined by the line between the course-side points at ground level of white lines, dots or stakes and fence posts defining out of bounds. A ball is out of bounds when it is beyond any wall defining the boundary of the course. A ball coming to rest on or beyond a road defined as Out of Bounds is Out of Bounds, even though it may lie on another part of the Course that is in bounds for other holes.

HOLES #2 & #3: The driving range to the right of holes #2 and #3 is Out of Bounds and defined by a white line.

HOLE #9: The parking lot to the right of hole #9 is Out of Bounds and defined by the edge of the gravel.

2. **HOST CLUB DROP ZONES ARE NOT AVAILABLE:** Any Drop Zone available at this event will be indicated by a GTA AM Tour sign.

3. **PENALTY AREAS (Rule 17):** Red and yellow lines define the edge of the penalty area. Where penalty areas are not marked with lines, the change in the height of the grass defines the edge of the penalty area. Where there is no change in the height of the grass, the penalty area is defined by its natural boundaries. Unmarked penalty areas are red penalty areas.

NO PLAY ZONES: Red penalty areas marked with red stakes with green tops, located on holes #6, #12, #13, #15 and #16 are NO PLAY ZONES.

The player **MUST** take penalty relief under Rule 17.1d by adding one penalty stroke. **Players are not permitted to enter No Play Zones.**

For a ball in the General Area where the player has interference from a No Play Zone with their stance or swing, the player **MUST** take free relief (Rule 16.1f) by finding the nearest point of complete relief, no nearer to the hole and establish a relief area of one club-length.

DROP ZONES AVAILABLE:

HOLE #16: For a ball that enters the penalty area in front and to the right of the green, another ball may be put in play using Rule 17.1d(1), (2) or (3), or *as an additional option may use the Drop Zone* located on the small tee deck to the left.

4. **OBSTRUCTIONS AND GROUND UNDER REPAIR (Rule 16.1 applies):** Any areas of ground under repair will be marked or noted.

NO PLAY ZONES: Areas that are ornamental garden beds, turf nurseries or decorative flowerbeds are No Play Zones that are to be treated as Ground Under Repair. Player must proceed under Rule 16.1f.