# LOCAL RULES

#### 1 MARKER STAKES

- Blue stakes indicate young trees and protected flower beds.
- Red and yellow stakes indicate penalty areas. The ends of a ditch are marked by double stakes. These stakes are movable obstructions.

## 2. PENALTY AREAS

Only those areas marked with red or yellow stakes and/or lines are penalty areas. In taking relief from a red penalty area, two club-length relief from equidistant points on either margin is available only when the ball is in a ditch. Equidistant point relief is not available from ponds or other penalty areas.

# 3. OUT OF BOUNDS

On any hole - outside the boundaries of the course and where marked by stakes or posts painted white; and the line of any fences which interconnect such posts.

- The car park on the right of the 1st hole and sports courts on the left are out of bounds.
- On any hole, on or beyond the Fan Kam Road is out of bounds. N.B. All fences along the Fan Kam Road are deemed to be boundary objects, from which no free relief is available.
- The first hole of the Eden Course and the clubhouse area beyond it are out of bounds.

#### 4. INTEGRAL OBJECTS

- Flower beds and young trees are integral objects unless marked with a blue stake.
- ii) All constructions (other than bridges) lying within the margins of penalty areas are integral objects.
- Sandmesh on the hillsides is an integral object. If loose, it is a movable obstruction.

# 5. OBSTRUCTIONS

- Greenside fixed sprinkler heads intervening on line of play, within two club-lengths of the green and of the ball: free relief is available. The relief area has a radius of one club-length.
- When taking relief from the fences on holes 11/13 and 16/17, the player must determine the nearest point of relief without crossing over, through or under the obstruction.
- iii) When taking relief from the netting by 17 tee, the player has the option of treating it as an immovable or movable obstruction.

# 6. GROUND UNDER REPAIR (G.U.R.)

Indicated by a sign or white line.

- A ball in a bunker that is wholly under repair is deemed to be lying in G.U.R. general area.
- ii) Seams of newly laid turf are G.U.R. and free relief is available if they interfere with the lie of the ball or the area of intended swing (but not if they only interfere with the stance). The turf itself is not G.U.R. unless so marked with a line and/or sign.

## 7. ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE AREAS

These areas on hole 7 are marked with red stakes with white tops. Players and caddies are prohibited from entering these areas to search for a ball or to play a stroke. Penalty for breach: loss of hole in match play and 2 strokes in stroke play for each stroke played.

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OLD COURSE

Player Signature:										Start Time:  HKGC A/C#:  HCP:				Cha	CHECK TEES PLAYED  Championship Tee  Club Tee  Forward Tee				COURSE RATING 70.6 - Men 76.1 - Ladies 69.3 - Men 74.5 - Ladies 67.6 - Men 72.4 - Ladies			SLOPE RATING 127 - Men 136 - Ladies 124 - Men 132 - Ladies 121 - Men 128 - Ladies			
Marker Signature:										GHIN: Date:				• [	ETIQUETTE: • Replace divots • Repair pitch marks • Play without delay EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO.: 2679 7999 (24 Hours)										
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Club	314	282	144	378	182	490	161	322	503	2776		308	471	149	386	478	353	191	473	361	3170	5946			
Forward	288	253	114	363	134	471	145	272	478	2518		308	468	132	381	457	344	172	459	338	3059	5577			
Men's par Ladies' par	4	4	3	4	3	5	3	4	5	35		4	4 5	3	4	5	4	3	5	4	36 37	71 /72			
Handicap	7	11	17	1	15	3	13	9	5			12	2	18	4	14	6	16	8	10					
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