

NELSON BAY GOLF CLUB TEMPORARY LOCAL RULES – as from 5th September 2023

To be read in conjunction with the Rules of Golf.

Warning

- It is a condition of entry to this course that you understand that you do not rely on the Club to ensure your safety from lightning.
- Many species of wild life that inhabit this course can be dangerous. Do not approach, touch or feed any wildlife.
- Any damage caused to a NBGC golf cart must be paid for at the set rates.

The following Temporary Local Rules are to be read in conjunction with the LOCAL RULES as printed on the back of score cards & on the MiScore APP.

1. Bunkers marked with white stakes are GUR. Proceed under Rule 16.1c.
2. Preferred lies are in place for this event on the fairways or closely mown areas, under Rules 14.2b and 14.2e, mark ball and place up to 20cm, no nearer the hole.
3. Animal prints or damage in bunkers may be treated as ACC. Proceed under Rule 16.1c.
4. For Kangaroo or wallaby prints on greens please proceed under Rule 16.1d
5. Bare patches on greens and areas that are cut to fairway height or less, such as green surrounds, may be treated as ACC. Please proceed under Rule 16.1d for greens and under 16.1b elsewhere. This does not include divots or sand-filled divots.
6. The LHS of 1st Fairway separating the practice area is marked by white stakes with red tops designating a No Play Zone (NPZ) not a Penalty Area. If you and your playing partner reasonably believe that your ball has crossed into this NPZ, free relief One Club length no nearer the hole MUST be taken in accordance with Rule 16.1b where your ball is likely to have crossed the margin of the NPZ. Your original ball or another ball may be used without penalty.
7. LHS of 3rd and 4th holes have No Play Penalty Zones indicated by Red pegs with White tops. A One shot penalty will apply. You may use the original ball or another ball, dropping within two club lengths no nearer the hole where your ball crossed the margin of the NPZ.
8. Regarding Local Rule 1 there are two Drop Zones, for the 18th hole, one nearby in the short rough on the LHS of the path and another at the other end of the pond Penalty Area. You may use the one nearest to where your ball has crossed the margin of the Penalty Area.
9. The maximum score Rule 21.2 applies to all stroke rounds with the exception of Club Championships and Special Events. The revised Rule is that each hole will have a maximum score of twice the Par for that hole. You must stop playing when that score has been reached and mark your score accordingly .