

Texas Senior Women's Golf Association

Match Play Championship

The Club at Sonterra South Course | San Antonio, TX

April 24 - 29, 2022

NOTICE TO PLAYERS

Play is governed by the United States Golf Association (USGA) Rules of Golf and its Interpretations where applicable and the following Local Rules. All local rules listed on The Club at Sonterra scorecards, posted on notice boards or posted on the course are **not** in effect for this tournament. Unless otherwise noted, penalty for breach of a Local Rule or Condition is loss of hole.

1. **TEES:** All players will play from the TSWGA tees.
2. **SCORING:** Once the match is decided, players must return to the clubhouse and report the match results.

SUPPLEMENTAL RULES OF PLAY

Out of Bounds:

- a) The inside edge (golf course side) of all paved roadways
- b) The inside edge of property fencing.
- c) The inside edge of White Wooden Posts and Stakes around perimeter
- d) The inside edge of Perimeter Walls

Note: A ball that crosses a road is out of bounds even if the ball lies on another part of the golf course.

Ground Under Repair: Ground under repair will be encircled with white paint.

Obstructions: All artificially surfaced walking paths are deemed to be obstructions with relief available. MLR F-5 is in effect. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1b if an immovable obstruction is: On the line of play and is: Within two club-lengths of the putting green and Within two club-lengths of the ball.

Abnormal Course Conditions: Exposed bunker liners, animal rootings and tracks in bunkers will be afforded relief for lie of ball only. Conditions for the lie of ball only, and entitled to free relief inside the bunker, cleaned and dropped. 1 penalty stroke if relief is taken outside of the bunker. Rule 16-1c. Free relief for ant hills and/or mounds. Full relief should be taken for a dangerous situation.

Integral Parts of the Course: Water tank on hole 5 is deemed to be an integral part of the golf course from which relief will NOT be granted. Pump house and any of its fencing will be treated as immovable obstructions and relief for stance and swing is available, no penalty.

Flower Beds: Flower beds completely enclosed by an obstruction are ground under repair. MANDATORY free relief will be afforded.

Penalty Areas: When a penalty area is defined only on one side, it extends to infinity.

Pace of Play: The established Pace of Play for The Club at Sonterra is 4:22 for 18 holes.

Methods for Stopping & Resuming Play: Model Local Rule J-1 is in effect.

- a. An immediate suspension of play will be signaled by one long airhorn note.
- b. All other types of suspension will be signaled by three consecutive airhorn notes.
- c. Resumption of play will be signaled by two short airhorn notes.

Rules Issues in Match Play: Ruling Requests Must be Made Before the Result of the Match is Final. If a referee or the Committee is not available in a reasonable time, the player may make the request for a ruling by notifying the opponent that a later ruling will be sought when a referee or committee becomes available.

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