

# LES ORMES GOLF CLUB



## Local Rules

### **1. Out Of Bounds (Rule 18.2)**

Beyond the line of white stakes to the right of the 1<sup>st</sup> hole and behind the 2<sup>nd</sup> green.

Beyond the rabbit fence to the right of the 2<sup>nd</sup> hole.

Beyond the line of white stakes to the left of the 3<sup>rd</sup> fairway.

Beyond the rabbit fence running from short of the 4<sup>th</sup> green to the back of the 9<sup>th</sup> tee, bounding the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> holes on the right and running at the back of the 5<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> greens.

On or over the wall on the 8th hole from the right-hand post of the path to the 3<sup>rd</sup> fairway to the end of the wall behind the 8<sup>th</sup> green is now an internal out of bounds. Any ball on or over this wall is considered out of bounds playing from all holes e.g., from the 5<sup>th</sup>. The right-hand post determines the out of bounds, therefore if the ball lies on the path between the 9th and 8th it is considered out of bounds.

### **2. Protection of trees and shrubs**

There are no longer considered to be any young trees or shrubs on the course.

### **3. Fixed Sprinkler Heads**

All fixed sprinkler heads are immovable obstructions and relief without penalty is available under rule 16.1 b. In addition if a ball lies in the general area of an immovable obstruction on or within two clublands of the putting green and within two club lengths of the ball intervenes on the line of play between the ball and the hole, the player may take relief without penalty as follows: the ball must be lifted and dropped at the nearest point of complete relief to where the ball lay that a) is not nearer the hole b) avoids intervention and c) is not in a penalty area or on the putting green. the ball may be cleaned when so lifted.

### **4. Ground under repair (Rule 16.1)**

Relief MUST be taken from any area defined as ground under repair.

### **5. Paths**

All paths with artificial surfaces are immovable obstructions and, therefore relief may be obtained under Rule 16. 1a.

### **6. Integral parts of the course (Rule 8.1)**

All stone walls and perimeter fencing are integral parts of the course. The ball must be played as it lies or declared unplayable. Rule 19 applies.



**7. Call on holes.**

Holes 4 and 9 can be considered call on holes in competitions. The committee will inform all players if this rule is in play.

**8. Local rule**

All wooden fencing within the golf course, excluding boundary fences and sponsors materials on the course, are immovable obstructions and relief may be obtained under rule 16.1. (the player shall lift the ball and drop it within one club length of and not nearer the hole than the nearest point of relief, on a part of the course which avoids interference by the immovable obstructions and is not in a penalty area or on a putting green.)

***Penalty for breach of local rules***

Stroke play - 2 strokes

Match play - loss of hole.