



# Knighton Heath Golf Club

## **Policies & Bye Laws**

### **Addendum A**

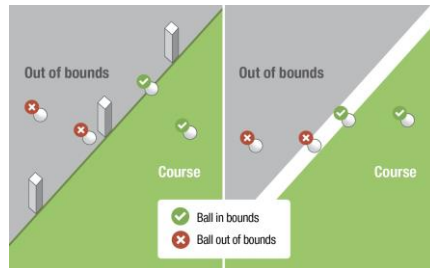
### **Local Rules**

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## Local rules

### (i) Out of Bounds

A Ball is Out of Bounds when it lies beyond the Boundary Edge of the Course. The Boundary Edge is defined as the course-side edge of white stakes around the clubhouse, car park, putting and chipping green, nets, garden, trolley shed, greenkeepers' area between 7<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> holes and bridgeway left of the 3<sup>rd</sup> hole. The Boundary Edge also includes the line between the course-side points of any fence posts at ground level (excluding angled supports) and those fence posts are out of bounds, including the bridgeway along the 4<sup>th</sup> hole.



### (ii) Abnormal Course Conditions. (Rule 16)

- Pylons,
- Water Value Covers/ sprinkler heads
- Protective fence to the left of the 15<sup>th</sup> Tee box
- All yardage Markers
- All defined Man-made paths.
- The ditches and mounds running parallel to the road at the 18<sup>th</sup> hole and around the overflow carpark.
- Aeration holes and machinery ruts.
- Relief **must** be taken from all areas marked as **G.U.R** by way of signage or appropriate marking.
- Staked Trees

### (iii) Ball Deflected by Power Line (Rule 16.1)

If it is known or virtually certain that a player's ball hit a power line the stroke does not count. The player must play a ball without penalty from where their previous stroke was made (see Rule 14.6 for what to do).

### (iv) Relief from Tree Roots in the Fairway.

If a player's ball is in the general area and there is interference from exposed tree roots that are in a part of the general area cut to fairway height or less, or in the rough within four club-lengths of the edge of the ground cut to fairway height or less, or in the first cut of the rough, the tree roots are treated as ground under repair.

The player may take free relief under Rule 16.1b. But interference does not exist if the tree roots only interfere with the player's stance.

### (v) Tee Mats.

Where present, tee mats comprise the teeing area. When starting a hole from a tee mat the player must stand and play a ball from the mat.

### (vi) Breach of Local Rule

Penalty: Match Play – Loss of Hole  
Stroke Play – Two Strokes

