

# **EAGLE GLEN PLAYERS CLUB**

## **RULES OF COMPETITION**

- 1) All USGA 2020 Rules apply.
- 2) EGPC has adopted a **DOUBLE PAR MAXIMUM** score on each hole. If you are hitting a shot for a score that exceeds *double the hole's par allowance*, you may pick up your ball and record a gross score of double par.
  - **The Club Championships are exempt from this rule.**
- 3) Out-of-bounds defined by white stakes.
  - EGPC has NOT adopted a local rule to allow a player to take a drop in the fairway, no nearer the hole, with a 2 stroke penalty.
- 4) All play will be **from the plates/monuments in the ground**, corresponding to your chosen tee box.
  - There is no white monument on Hole 17 – play from where the stones are set up.
- 5) ALL penalty areas are identified by RED STAKES and/or RED PAINT.
  - HOWEVER, the penalty area starts at the edge of the dirt/cart path and/or water when the stakes are set back from those course elements. Remember, when playing from any penalty area, NO RELIEF FROM CART PATH/OBSTRUCTION is allowed.
- 6) Hole 1: left side of cart path is a lateral penalty area. The penalty boundary is the left side of the cart path all the way up to and around the first green.
- 7) Hole 5: when playing hole #5, all areas on Hole #6 from the 150 marker up through the green and rough are OUT OF BOUNDS. (see picture below – within dotted lines is OB).



\*There is a wobble (straw worm) at the end of the upper fairway that is outside the penalty area. If your ball comes to rest against the wobble, you are eligible for free relief as defined in Rule 16.1.

\*Under Rule 18.3, a player is NOT allowed to play a provisional ball if the player knows or is virtually certain his/her ball has entered a penalty area.

- EGPC has modified this rule for tournament play on Hole #5. If your 2<sup>nd</sup> shot from the upper fairway enters the penalty area, you *may* play a provisional ball before leaving the upper fairway in accord with Rule 17.1d.
  - If the original ball is found within the 3 minute time allowance, the player has the choice to play the original ball without penalty from where it lies or chose the provisional ball with the attached penalty shots.
- 8) Hole 9: left side of cart path is a lateral penalty area. The penalty boundary is the left side of the cart path curb.
  - 9) Hole 14: behind the green and across the cart path is a lateral penalty area. The penalty boundary is the edge of the cart path. Any ball across the cart path is in the penalty area.
  - 10) Hole 15 & 16: right side is a lateral penalty area. The penalty boundary is the right side of the cart path.
  - 11) Holes 4, 5, 8, 10, 16 have drop areas if you fail to carry the penalty area off the tee. The drop area on 5, 8, 16 is the red tee box. The drop area on 10 is the closely mown area to the left of the white tee box.
  - 12) Music (low volume) will be allowed subject to the permission of all players in your foursome.

### **13) Scorecards and LIVE SCORING**

- a) You have been provided scorecards but **LIVE SCORING will be the official scoring for this tournament**
- b) Access LIVE SCORING by entering your GGID # (located on your scorecard) in the Golf Genius App
- c) Choose one person in your foursome to enter the GROSS scores for your group on each hole
- d) At the conclusion of your round, verify your hole by hole scores on the App (either through your own cell phone or another player's cell phone)
- e) Once you turn in your signed scorecard, you are verifying your scores in LIVE SCORING are accurate. EGPC **will not** check your scorecard against Live Scoring.

**Have fun, play with integrity, and ask your playing partners/opponents if you have a question!**